

Cooley Parish Bulletin 11th August 2024

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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If I can stop one heart from breaking *by Emily Dickinson*

If I can stop one heart from breaking,
I shall not live in vain;
If I can ease one life the aching,
Or cool one pain,
Or help one fainting robin
Unto his nest again,
I shall not live in vain.

Recently Deceased

Patsy Carroll, Ardee, formerly of Old Grange who died on Thursday. Funeral arrangements later
Margaret Perry, nee Murphy, formerly of Gaultrimstrand who died in Dublin
Peter Quinn, Dundalk and Ballagan
Pádraig O'Neill, Carlingford
Declan Sheridan who died in England
Christina Keogh, nee Carpenter, Navan
Joe King, Crossmaglen

Anniversaries

Church of Our Lady Star of the Sea, Boher

Saturday	10 th Aug 7.00pm	Mary Cosgrove
Tuesday	13 th Aug 10.00am	Private Intention
Thursday	15 th Aug 10.00am	Joseph and Edward Marmion and dec'd family members
Saturday	17 th Aug 7.00pm	Tess Treanor, Michael and Mary Jane Carron & Mary Sorohan

Church of St. Anne, Mullaghbuoy

Sunday	11 th Aug 10.00am	Private Intention
Thursday	15 th Aug 8.00pm	No Mass
Sunday	18 th Aug 10.00am	Philomena Ferguson, Liverpool and Castletowncooley

Church of St. James, Grange

Sunday	11 th Aug 11.30am	Mary O'Hanlon Charlie McShane Hugh and Kathleen Gregory Tony and Tom Kelly and dec'd family members, Templetown
Monday	12 th Aug 8.00pm	Private Intention
Wednesday	14 th Aug 10.00am	Private Intention
Thursday	15 th Aug 7.00pm	Cemetery Mass and Blessing of Graves in Cill Mhuire
Friday	16 th Aug 10.00am	Patrick and Brigid Long and dec'd family members
Sunday	18 th Aug 11.30am	Patrick and Annie McGuigan James and Paddy Callan and dec'd family, Castletowncooley Gerard, Annie and Henry Donnelly, Templetown

Thursday – 15th August is the Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

A holy day of obligation, Rosary at Lady Well at 6.30pm followed by Cemetery Mass and Blessing of Graves in Cill Mhuire at 7pm

Found – Gent's Blue Jacket

Gent's blue jacket found in Boher cemetery after Cemetery Mass and Blessing of Graves on Saturday evening 27th July. Please phone Parish Office 042-9397617

Baptisms (by arrangement)

Baptisms will be celebrated on 1st and 3rd Saturday of each month at 5.00pm

Funerals

When a Funeral Mass is being celebrated in the Parish there will be no other morning Mass celebrated that day

Divine Mercy Prayer Chaplet

Divine Mercy Prayer Chaplet in Church of St. James, Grange every Sunday evening from 7.30pm-8.00pm Everyone welcome

Cooley Parish Pilgrimage to Lourdes

Proposed Cooley Parish Pilgrimage to Lourdes from 7th – 10th October 2024 – Price €749 which includes direct return flights Dublin - Lourdes, airport transfers to hotel, Hotel La Solitude accommodation on full board basis and full services of JWT guides.

Anyone interested in joining the Pilgrimage should contact the Parish Office 042-9397617 as soon as possible. A deposit of €300 due by 18th August.

Theology Programme

Do you want to learn more about your faith? Do you want more confidence to play a role in your parish?

If you are interested, why not consider joining our Theology programme. The programme is accredited by St. Patrick's Pontifical University, Maynooth. There are no educational entry requirements and completion of the course is based on submitted work and does not include sitting exams. Theology programme will be continuing this year and starting late September.

If you are interested and would like more information please contact: Milanda 087-3558704

Mass for Vocations

Bishop Michael will celebrate Mass for Vocations at St. Brigid's Shrine, Faughart on Thursday 15th August at 6pm – Feast of the Assumption of Our Blessed Virgin Mary. All are welcome

Faughart Parish

Faughart Parish invite all to Mass and talks on weekend 16th/17th August with Sr. Briege McKenna and Fr. Pablo accompanied by Dana. Evening session Friday 16th August at Faughart Shrine from 7pm-9pm Mass and Open talk. Morning session Saturday 17th August in St. Joseph's Church, Castletown with Mass at 10am. Talk 11.30am-12.30pm. Afternoon 2.30pm-4.30pm talk followed by Eucharistic Healing Service

The Garden Room

"Let us be silent that we may hear the Whisper of God"

All are welcome to visit the Garden Room for Silent Prayer and Adoration – Monday – Friday 9.30am-5pm, "Bethany" 34, Point Road, Dundalk A92 WOC9

One Day Pilgrimage on Lough Derg

One day Pilgrimage on Lough Derg on Sunday 25th August 2024. Bus will depart from the Friary Church, Dundalk at 7am sharp. Retreat on island is €45. Bus fare will be based on numbers travelling. Advance booking is essential. For booking contact: Laurena 085-1833110

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Bible Classes

Jesus to Matthew, Mark, Luke and John – “Who do you say I am”? delivered by Pam Thimmes on Wednesday evenings from 7.30pm – 8.30pm in Poor Clare Monastery, Upper Faughart A91 FH30

Sincere Thanks from Sr. Olga, Belarus

Sr. Olga would like to express her sincere thanks for the hospitality and generous support received on the recent visit to our Parish. Your donations will help to St. Elisabeth Convent to continue outreach services for orphanage children including food, shelter and clothing distribution

Cooley Community Projects Limited – Vacancies

1 - Groundsman worker Cooley closing date 16/08/2024
1 - Community worker/Cleaner Cooley closing date 16/08/2024
1 - Environmental worker Cooley closing date 16/08/2024
Phone Ambrose 042-9376077 or email cooleyceltd@gmail.com

Rathabbey Community Centre – Coffee Mornings

Coffee mornings in Rathabbey Community Centre every Wednesday morning at 10.30am in 2024
Everyone welcome!

Cooley Zoom Bingo

There will be NO ZOOM BINGO on Wednesday evenings during the month of August
Re-commencing Wednesday 4th September. Selling books €6 (5page book) Dympna Woods, Mary Clerkin, Linda Halpenny, Pdraig O’Connor, Mulligan’s Shop, Omeath, Cecelia Murphy, Lordship.

Cooley Active Retirement Group

There will be NO ACTIVE RETIREMENT in Cooley Complex on Thursdays during the summer months

Cooley Parent, Baby and Toddler Group

Cooley Parent, Baby and Toddler group – closed during summer months – re-opening in St. Mary’s Parochial Hall, Cooley in September

Cooley Kickham’s G.F.C. Lotto €2 per line or 3 lines for €5

Winning Nos. 4; 7; 29; 30; - not won - Next week’s Jackpot €23,200

Fan the Spark Conference

“Fan the Spark” Conference for Young Adults (18-40) on Saturday 24th August from 9.30am-5.30pm in Legion of Mary, Brunswick St, Dublin. Cost €15. To book visit www.eventbrite.ie

Summer Concert Series

Zoe Conway and John McIntyre Summer Concert Series with special guests Michelle & Louise Mulcahy starts on Sunday 11th August in Carlingford Heritage Centre at 4pm. Tickets €15 can be booked by contacting 042-9373454 or online [Events – Carlingford Heritage \(carlingfordheritagecentre.com\)](http://Events-Carlingford Heritage (carlingfordheritagecentre.com))