

**Cooley Parish Bulletin**  
**Pentecost Sunday – 8<sup>th</sup> June 2025**

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**I Still Believe                      *Peace Okunola***

The stars are shining in the skies  
and the ocean thunders with the waters.  
In perfect rhythm,  
the waves of light  
Rhyme with the glory of time.  
And so, upon my white bed I lie,  
content and happy,  
in joy, and utter peace  
because I still believe  
that the corruption of today  
is but for a moment  
for the love that gently covers the earth  
will birth a beautiful world  
yet to be seen.

**Recently Deceased**

James O'Connor, Greenore and Rampark. Funeral arrangements later  
Tommy Cowan, Ardtullybeg and Scotland  
Peggy Williams, nee Woods, formerly of Mucklagh who died in Liverpool  
Tom Curran, Dundalk  
Denise McKevitt, Carlingford  
Mary Murtagh, Mullaghbawn

**Anniversaries**

**Church of Our Lady Star of the Sea, Boher**

Saturday	7 <sup>th</sup> Jun at	7.00pm	Hugh Woods Joe and Betty Toal and dec'd family members
Tuesday	10 <sup>th</sup> Jun at	10.00am	Minnie Marks and dec'd members of Finnegan family Patsi Doherty and Bridie Sheridan
Thursday	12 <sup>th</sup> Jun at	10.00am	No Mass
Saturday	14 <sup>th</sup> Jun at	7.00pm	John, Paddy, Teresa and Patrick Richardson and dec'd family James, Brigid, Jack and James (Jnr) Hanlon and Mary Ellen and Alice Coll

**Church of St. Anne, Mullaghbuoy**

Sunday	8 <sup>th</sup> Jun at	10.00am	People of the Parish
Thursday	12 <sup>th</sup> Jun at	8.00pm	John McGeown, Glenmore
Sunday	15 <sup>th</sup> Jun at	10.00am	James and Annie Donnelly and dec'd family members

### Church of St. James, Grange

Sunday	8 <sup>th</sup> Jun at	11.30am	Paddy Bell Gerard and Patricia Murphy
Monday	9 <sup>th</sup> Jun at	8.00pm	Jack and Rose Sheelan
Wednesday	11 <sup>th</sup> Jun at	10.00am	Private Intention
Friday	13 <sup>th</sup> Jun at	10.00am	Private Intention
Sunday	15 <sup>th</sup> Jun at	11.30am	Teasie and Anna O'Shea Margaret Kirk Brendan, Tom and Susan Kane and dec'd family members Willie and Tereaa Long and dec'd family members

#### **Canon Malachy's 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary**

Canon Malachy will celebrate the 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of his Ordination to the Priesthood in June.

He also became a member of the Metropolitan Chapter recently. To mark these special occasions Archbishop Eamon Martin will celebrate a Mass of Thanksgiving in Church of St. James, Grange on

**Friday 20<sup>th</sup> June at 7.30pm**

followed by a reception afterwards in Cooley Kickham's Complex.

**In order to cater adequately for those wishing to attend, it is very important that you reply to your Invitation before weekend 14<sup>th</sup>/15<sup>th</sup> June**

### **Cemetery Mass and Blessing of Graves 2025**

Grange Cemetery	Sunday	22 <sup>nd</sup> June at 11.30am
Boher Cemetery	Saturday	26 <sup>th</sup> July at 7.00pm
Cill Mhuire Cemetery	Friday	15 <sup>th</sup> August

### **Baptisms (by arrangement)**

Baptisms will be celebrated on 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> 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

### **Parish Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration**

Parish Eucharistic Adoration every Friday morning in Church of St. James, Grange from 10.30am – 12.30-pm. Everyone welcome during this time to spend a short time in prayer and adoration

### **Divine Mercy Prayer Chaplet**

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

### **Irish Blood Transfusion Service**

Blood Donor Clinic coming to St. Mary's Parochial Hall, Cooley A91 DD1F on Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> June from 4pm – 8pm. All Blood Donor Clinics are still by appointment. Phone 1800 222 111

### **Cancer Prayer Support**

Welcome, whatever cancer journey you are on – past or present. This is a safe place, we listen respectfully and honour confidentiality. Wednesdays: June 11<sup>th</sup>; & 18<sup>th</sup> from 11am – 12 followed by tea/coffee at “Bethany” 34 Point Road, Dundalk A91 WOC9

### **Sacred Heart Crusade 2025 Jubilee Year**

Knock Pilgrimage – 22<sup>nd</sup> June 2025 – departure from Dundalk - For info contact: 085-1833110

### **Lough Derg – One Day Retreat**

One Day Retreat to Lough Derg on Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> August – departure from Dundalk. For info contact: Laurena 085-1833110

### **Trocaire Lenten Appeal**

Returns to date .. .. €7,473.00

### **Cooley Community Projects Limited – Vacancies**

1 - Environmental worker - Carlingford closing date 04.07.25

2 - Environmental workers - Cooley closing date 04.07.25

Phone Ambrose 042-9376077 or email [cooleyceltd@gmail.com](mailto:cooleyceltd@gmail.com)

### **Cooley Zoom Bingo**

Zoom BINGO every Wednesday evening at 7.30pm. Selling books €6 (5page book) Dymphna Woods, Mary Clerkin, Linda Halpenny, Pdraig O'Connor, Mulligan's Shop, Omeath, Cecelia Murphy, Lordship.

### **Rathabbey Community Centre – Coffee Morning**

Coffee morning in Rathabbey Community Centre every Wednesday morning at 10.30am. All welcome!

### **Cooley Active Retirement Group**

Cooley Active Retirement in Cooley Complex every Thursday at 2.30pm. New members always welcome!

### **Cooley Parent, Baby and Toddler Group**

Cooley Parent, Baby and Toddler Group every Thursday from 10am–11.30am in St. Mary's Hall, Cooley

### **Cooley Kickhams G.F.C. Lotto €2 per line**

Winning Nos: 12; 20; 26; 28; - not won - Jackpot €11,400

### **Cake Sale and Coffee Morning**

Scoil Naomh Mhuire Boher Parent's Association are holding a Cake sale and Coffee morning in St. Mary's Parochial Hall, Cooley on Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> June from 11am. Lots of homemade goodies! In aid of school funds