

Cooley Parish Bulletin 28th July 2024
Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Nothing Gold Can Stay by Robert Frost

Nature's first green is gold,
Her hardest hue to hold.
Her early leaf's a flower;
But only so an hour.

Then leaf subsides to leaf.
So Eden sank to grief,
So dawn goes down to day
Nothing gold can stay.

Recently Deceased

Teasy O'Shea, Gaultrimstrand

Pádraig O'Neill, Carlingford

Anna-May Horgan, nee Long, formerly of Acre Road who died in London

Christina Keogh, nee Carpenter, Navan

Tom Harrison, Carlingford

Joe King, Crossmaglen

Anniversaries

Church of Our Lady Star of the Sea, Boher

Saturday	27 th July	7.00pm	Cemetery Mass and Blessing of Graves
Tuesday	30 th July	10.00am	Michael and Margaret Gregory, Birmingham
Thursday	1 st Aug	10.00am	Private Intention
Saturday	3 rd Aug	7.00pm	Kathleen Carr, Dundalk Pat Hanlon and dec'd family members, Ballagan Sean and Margaret Morgan and dec'd members of Kearney family, Whitestown

Church of St. Anne, Mullaghbuoy

Sunday	28 th July	10.00am	Owenie and May Sheelan, Rathcor
Thursday	1 st Aug	8.00pm	No Mass
Sunday	4 th Aug	10.00am	Forgotten Souls

Church of St. James, Grange

Sunday	28 th July	11.30am	Matt and Kathleen White and dec'd family members Paddy, Maureen, Jack and Brigid Ferguson and dec'd family Fergus Hanley James Hughes, West Sussex
Monday	29 th July	8.00pm	Private Intention
Wednesday	31 st July	10.00am	Private Intention
Friday	2 nd Aug	8.00pm	Private Intention
Sunday	4 th Aug	11.30am	Sean O'Connor Tommy Donnelly Tommy and Mary Brigid Finnegan and dec'd family members and Eugene Mooney Teasy O'Shea, Gaultrimstrand M.M.

Friday is the First Friday

Fr. Malachy will visit the old and housebound in all areas on Friday 2nd August. If you have a relative, neighbour or friend that would like Fr. Malachy to visit them, please contact Parish Office 042-9397617 with their name

Cemetery Mass and Blessing of Graves 2024

Cill Mhuire Cemetery Thursday 15th August at 7pm

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

Church Gate Collection

This weekend - Cooley Peninsula First Responders
Next weekend - St. Vincent de Paul

Cooley Parish Pilgrimage to Lourdes

Proposed Cooley Parish Pilgrimage to Lourdes from 7th – 10th October 2024 – Price €749 – Deposit of €300 due by 18th August. Anyone interested in joining the Pilgrimage should contact Cooley Parish Office 042-9397617 as soon as possible

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

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

World Day for Grandparents and Elderly

World Day for Grandparents and Elderly will be celebrated this Sunday 28th July. This significant event will take place at Knock Shrine with His Excellency Archbishop Luis Mariano Montemayor, Apostolic Nuncio to Ireland as the principal celebrant.

Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine

Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine will take place on Monday 5th August 2024. Sr. Briege McKenna will be in attendance. Bus will depart from the Friary Church Dundalk at 7.45am sharp. Fare will be based on numbers travelling. For more info contact: Laurena 085-1833110

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

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

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

Cooley Community Projects Limited – Vacancies

1 - Groundsman worker Cooley closing date 02/08/2024
1 - Community worker/Cleaner Cooley closing date 02/08/2024
1 - Environmental worker Cooley closing date 16/08/2024
Phone Ambrose 042-9376077 or email cooleyceltd@gmail.com

Cooley Zoom Bingo

ZOOM BINGO every Wednesday evening at 7.30pm. Selling books €6 (5page book) Dympna Woods, Mary Clerkin, Linda Halpenny, Padraig O'Connor, Mulligan's shop, Omeath and Cecelia Murphy, Lordship

Rathabbey Community Centre – Coffee Mornings

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

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. 5; 13; 20; 32; - not won - Next week's Jackpot €22,800

Monthly Carboot Sale – Next Sunday 4th August

Carboot sale on first Sunday of each month at St. Mary's Parochial Hall, Cooley A91 DD1F organized by McDonnell family in aid of North Louth Hospice. For more info phone Tina 087-2236124

Cooley Connect Well

“An introduction to Activator Walking Poles” every Monday in July from 11am at Cooley Kickhams’ Walking Track. Suitable for all abilities 1-1 tasters. For more info contact: cooleyconnectwellbeing@gmail.com or phone 083-3924117

Dolmen Centre, Omeath

Shoulder to Shoulder Men’s gardening programme every Tuesday from 10am – 1pm for 4 weeks in Dolmen Centre, Omeath. Fee €10 for the 4 weeks.

If interested please contact Dolmen Centre 042-9375422 or email info@dbusiness.ie