

## Cooley Parish Bulletin 15<sup>th</sup> May 2022

### Fifth Sunday of Easter

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**I would not sacrifice my soul  
for all the beauty of this world.**

**There is only one thing  
for which I would risk everything:  
an I-don't-know-what  
that lies hidden  
in the heart of the Mystery.**

**The taste of finite pleasure  
leads nowhere.  
All it does is exhaust the appetite  
and ravage the palate.  
And so, I would not sacrifice my soul  
for all the sweetness of this world.**

**But I would risk everything  
for an I-don't-know-what  
that lies hidden  
in the heart of the Mystery.**

**The generous heart  
does not collapse into the easy things,  
but rises up in adversity.  
It settles for nothing.  
Faith lifts it higher and higher.**

**(An extract from 'Glosa á lo Divino' from St John of the cross)**

#### **Recently Deceased**

Rev. Fr. Eamonn Hoey, C.S.R., Dundalk  
Gerry Rooney, Mountbagnal and Castletowncooley  
Joseph O'Hanlon, Killin, Jenkinstown  
Jim Sheridan, Little Mills, Kilkenny and Mayo  
Greg O'Hanlon, Dublin

#### **Anniversaries**

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

Saturday	14 <sup>th</sup> May	7.00pm	Mick Murphy Michael, Kathleen, John, Mary and Peter Rafferty
Tuesday	17 <sup>th</sup> May	10.00am	Private Intention
Thursday	19 <sup>th</sup> May	10.00am	No Mass
Saturday	21 <sup>st</sup> May	7.00pm	Thomas and Annie Farrell Owen and Mary McGrath and deceased family members

### **Church of St. Anne, Mullaghbuoy**

Sunday	15 <sup>th</sup> May 10.00am	People of the Parish
Thursday	19 <sup>th</sup> May 8.00pm	Dinny and Margaret Byrne and Josie Donnelly and deceased members of Donnelly and Murphy families
Sunday	22 <sup>nd</sup> May 10.00am	First Holy Communion

### **Church of St. James, Grange**

Sunday	15 <sup>th</sup> May 11.30am	Cathy Maguire John Martin Michael Hearty John and Kay Savage and deceased family members
Monday	16 <sup>th</sup> May 8.00pm	Private Intention
Tuesday	17 <sup>th</sup> May 7.30pm	Healing Mass with Anointing of the Sick
Wednesday	18 <sup>th</sup> May 10.00am	Katie McGuigan
Friday	20 <sup>th</sup> May 10.00am	Special Intention
Saturday	21 <sup>st</sup> May 11.00am	First Holy Communion
Sunday	22 <sup>nd</sup> May 11.30am	Sean O'Hanlon Tess Gregory

### **Trocaire Lenten Appeal**

Please return any outstanding Trocaire Lenten Appeal boxes as soon as possible – amount to date €5716

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

Baptisms will be celebrated on Saturday evenings at 5.00pm

### **Funerals**

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

### **Parish Bulletin**

Anyone who would like a copy of the bulletin sent to them by email each week should request this by emailing the Parish office at: [cooleyparish@gmail.com](mailto:cooleyparish@gmail.com)

### **First Holy Communion**

Children from Grange & Rathcor school in Grange Church on Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> May at 11.00am

Children from Mullaghbuoy school in Mullaghbuoy Church on Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> May at 10.00am

### **Cemetery Mass and Blessing of Graves 2022**

Grange cemetery - Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> June at 11.30am

Boher cemetery - Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> July at 7pm

Cill Mhuire - Monday 15<sup>th</sup> August at 7pm

### **Healing Mass**

We plan to resume a monthly Healing Mass with Anointing of the Sick at the Church of St. James, Grange. This will take place on Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> May at 7.30pm. All are welcome.

### **No Eucharistic Adoration**

There will be **NO Eucharistic Adoration on Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> May** due to the celebration of First Holy Communion in Church of St. James, Grange

### **Cooley Parish Pilgrimage to Lourdes**

Proposed Pilgrimage from Cooley Parish to Lourdes Friday 26<sup>th</sup> August 2022 – 5 nights full board accommodation in Hotel La Solitude €799 per person sharing. Some places still available. Contact Parochial House 042-9376105 or the Parish Office 042-9397617.

### **Armagh Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine**

The Armagh Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine will be celebrated this year on the last Sunday of May (29<sup>th</sup> May) joined by Dromore Diocese and the Knights of St. Columbanus.

### **Lough Derg Re-Opens**

Lough Derg welcomes Pilgrims again with a full Pilgrimage programme this summer:

- 3 Day Pilgrimage: 1<sup>st</sup> Jun – 15<sup>th</sup> Aug. Booking advised. Concessions available for students, senior & groups
- 1 Day Retreats and guided Pilgrim Path experience: dates in May and late August through September.

Booking essential. All booking info at [www.loughderg.org](http://www.loughderg.org), email [info@loughderg.org](mailto:info@loughderg.org) or 0719861518

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

1 Caretaker – Cooley closing date 27/05/2022

1 Environmental worker – Cooley closing date 27/05/2022

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

### **Permit for Church Gate Collections**

All Church Gate Collections must give a copy of a valid Garda Permit to the Parish Office at least 2 weeks before the collection

### **M.S. Walk – Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> May at 7.30pm**

Walk in memory of Mary Ferguson from Carlingford Marina to Greer's Quay and return.

Contact: Teresa 086-1505865; Terry 087-7929568; Paul 087-4163098

### **Cooley Zoom Bingo - Every Wednesday evening at 7.30pm**

Anyone wishing to join in the Cooley Zoom Bingo can buy their Bingo Book (5-page book) €6 at Cooley Parochial Hall on Monday 16<sup>th</sup> May from 7pm – 8pm (with Covid-19 guidelines in place) for the Zoom Bingo which will be held on Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> May at 7.30pm.

Also, Flyers for "Special Prizes" at June Bank holiday will be on sale from this week!

For any further info please contact Mary 087-7465984

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

Winning Nos. 22; 23; 26; 28; - not won - Next week's Jackpot €4600

### **Cooley Connect Wellbeing Workshops – 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> June**

Two full day wellbeing workshops in Cooley Peninsula - Wellness Recovery Action Plan facilitated by CAWT and HSE representatives. Contact Eileen

[cooleyconnectwellbeing@gmail.com](mailto:cooleyconnectwellbeing@gmail.com) or 083-3924117

**Carlingford Heritage Centre**

Carlingford Heritage Centre as part of Louth Live Performance Programme presents Clann O'Connor featuring Gerry, Siubhan, Feilimi, Finnian and Sile on Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> May at 4pm in Heritage Centre. Free Admission. Pre-booking essential on [www.carlingfordheritagecentre.com](http://www.carlingfordheritagecentre.com)