

Cooley Parish Bulletin 5th June 2022

Feast of Pentecost

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The Peninsula *by Seamus Heaney*

When you have nothing more to say; just drive
For a day all round the peninsula;
The sky is high as over a runway,
The land without marks so you will not arrive
But pass through, though always skirting landfall.
At dusk, horizons drink down sea and hill,
The ploughed field swallows the whitewashed gable
And you're in the dark again. Now recall
The glazed foreshore and silhouetted log,
That rock were breakers shredded into rags,
The leggy birds stilted on their own legs,
Islands riding themselves out into the fog
And drive back home, still with nothing to say
Except that now you will uncode all landscapes
By this: things founded clean on their own shapes,
Water and ground in their extremity.

Recently Deceased

Padraig McGrane, Castletowncooley
Tony Lynch, Dundalk

Anniversaries

Church of Our Lady Star of the Sea, Boher

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| Saturday | 4 th Jun | 7.00pm | Hugh Woods |
| Tuesday | 7 th Jun | 10.00am | Private Intention |
| Thursday | 9 th Jun | 10.00am | No Mass |
| Saturday | 11 th Jun | 7.00pm | Eamon McNulty and Mary Hearty James, Brigid, Jack and James (Jnr) Hanlon and deceased family members Michael, Mary Ellen and Alice Coll |

Church of St. Anne, Mullaghbuoy

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| Sunday | 5 th Jun | 10.00am | People of the Parish |
| Thursday | 9 th Jun | 8.00pm | Paddy and Teresa Donnelly and deceased members of the Crowe and Donnelly families |
| Sunday | 12 th Jun | 10.00am | Owen and Maureen O'Neill and deceased family members |

Church of St. James, Grange

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| Sunday | 5 th Jun | 11.30am | Michael and Briega Malone Patricia Murphy, Dublin |
| Monday | 6 th Jun | 8.00pm | Private Intention |
| Wednesday | 8 th Jun | 10.00am | Private Intention |
| Friday | 10 th Jun | 10.00am | Bernard and Kathleen Boyle |
| Sunday | 12 th Jun | 11.30am | Brendan Kane Edward and Katie Byrne and Owenie and Brigid Byrne Aggie Kimmins and deceased family members |

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

First Friday Calls

Fr. Malachy will visit the old and housebound **on Friday 10th June – please note change of date!**

Trocaire Lenten Appeal

Trocaire Lenten Appeal – amount to date €6261

Cemetery Mass and Blessing of Graves 2022

Grange cemetery - Sunday 19th June at 11.30am

Parishioners are encouraged to tidy graves in the coming weeks in preparation for Cemetery Mass and Blessing of Graves

Boher cemetery - Saturday 23rd July at 7pm

Cill Mhuire - Monday 15th August at 7pm

Grange Cemetery

Please note Grange Cemetery will be **closed to the public this Tuesday 7th June** for maintenance work

No Eucharistic Adoration

Please note there will be **No Eucharistic Adoration on Saturday 11th June** in the Church of St. James, Grange from 10.00am – 1.00pm. Adoration will resume on Saturday 18th June. Given the war in Ukraine, this is an opportunity to pray for much needed peace in the world and in all our hearts.

Pastoral Council

As we invite parishioners to engage with the Synodal Pathway, we welcome ideas and suggestions as to how we might more faithfully answer God's call as a Parish Community. Contact any member of the Pastoral Council or the Parish Office directly at cooleyparish@gmail.com

Cooley Parish Pilgrimage to Lourdes

Pilgrimage from Cooley Parish to Lourdes will take place Friday 26th August 2022 for 5 nights - full board accommodation in Hotel La Solitude €799 per person sharing – deposit of €250 per person now payable Contact Parochial House 042-9376105 or the Parish Office 042-9397617.

Chaplet of the Divine Mercy – today Sunday 5th June

Confessions from 2.30pm and Holy Hour from 3pm in St. Nicholas' Church Dundalk with veneration of the Relics of St. Faustina. Come and receive God's blessing

Lough Derg Re-Opens

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

- 3 Day Pilgrimage: 1st Jun – 15th 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, email info@loughderg.org or 0719861518

HomeInstead care for the Aging Adults

Visit www.HomeInstead.ie/Become-a-CAREGiver or call 041-2132322 to become a carer in our community

ALONE – Volunteer Support

ALONE provides many services to Older People in our area to enable them to stay living at home for longer. ALONE recruits, trains and supports Volunteers for two services:

1. Visitation and Befriending Service, which is where a volunteer gives an hour a week of their time to provide companionship to an Older Person.
2. Telephone Support and Befriending Service, which is where a volunteer makes friendly calls to Older People once a week for a 2-hour shift.

We currently have older people in our surrounding area looking for both of these services. Would you be willing to provide companionship or make calls to Older People once a week? ALONE are seeking volunteers in our area. Full training and support provided. Contact: 086-1085965 or volunteer@alone.ie

Mental Health Relative Support Group

Support Group for Relatives and Friends who support people with mental health difficulties takes place on First Wednesday of each Month at 7.30pm in Boardroom, Ardee Business Park, Hale Street, Ardee.

Car Boot Sale – today Sunday 5th June - Local Red Cross Ukrainian Appeal

Car Boot Sale and Craft Fair on **Sunday 5th June from 10am** at St. Mary's Parochial Hall, Cooley. For more info contact 087-7465984

Cooley Community Projects Limited – Vacancies

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| 1 Caretaker – Cooley | closing date 24/06/2022 |
| 1 Caretaker – Omeath | closing date 24/06/2022 |
| 1 Environmental worker – Omeath | closing date 24/06/2022 |

Phone Ambrose 042-9376077 or cooleyceltd@gmail.com

Church Gate Collection

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| This weekend | - | St. Vincent de Paul |
| Next weekend | - | Glenmore Athletic Club |

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

Cooley Zoom Bingo - Every Wednesday evening at 7.30pm

Buy your Bingo Book (5-page book) €6 at Cooley Hall on Monday 6th June from 7pm – 8pm for the Zoom Bingo which will be held on Wednesday 8th June at 7.30pm. For info contact Mary 087-7465984

Cooley Kickhams G.F.C. Lotto €2 per line or 3 lines for €5

Winning Nos. 15; 18; 22; 32; - not won - Next week's Jackpot €5200

Festival of Football

Festival of Football for boys and girls u-13yrs in Cooley Kickhams grounds on Saturday 11th & Sunday 12th June 2022 in memory of Michael (Bammel) Malone and John Maguire. This is an International Tournament with teams from all over Ireland and two teams from France taking part. Lots of help needed – stewards and also help in the Complex. Donations of home-baked goods greatly appreciated

For more info contact: Gerry 086-6052716

Cooley Connect Wellbeing Workshops – 8th and 9th June

Two full day wellbeing workshops - Wellness Recovery Action Plan facilitated by CAWT and HSE representatives will be held in Mullaghbuoy Community Centre. Certificates and meals provided. Contact Eileen cooleyconnectwellbeing@gmail.com or 083-3924117

Glenmore Athletic Club

Annual Glenmore Challenge 10mile & 5k Run/Family Walk starting at Mullaghbuoy Community Centre on Saturday 11th June at 10am. Registration www.myrunresults.com

Carlingford Heritage Centre

Louth Live Performance Programme presents Sibéal Ní Chasaide with Mike Nielsen, guitarist Eamonn De Barra, keyboards & Bodhrán Odhrán O Casaide, fiddle this Sunday 5th June at 4pm.

Free Admission. Pre-booking essential on www.carlingfordheritagecentre.com