

**Parish Bulletin**  
**CARLINGFORD & OMEATH**

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**ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH, CARLINGFORD**

**Weekend Masses: Saturday 7.30pm. Sunday 10am and 11.30 am.**

**Weekday Mass: Monday to Friday 9am. Except Thursday at 7.30pm.**

**Please note: No Mass on Wednesday morning. (Wedding 1.00pm)**

**Servers next weekend: Sat 30<sup>th</sup> Sept 7.30pm** Ben Lindsay, Jordan Lamph.

**Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> Oct 10.00am** Lisa McMahan, Heather McManus, James Larkin

**11.30am** Pádraig McCann, Cian McGoey.

**Readers for October.** 7.30pm B.McKevitt 10pm.G.O'Loughlin 11,30pm E.Harold.

**Mass Intentions**

Saturday	23 <sup>rd</sup>	7.30 p.m.	Dinny Oakes
Tuesday		9.00 a.m.	Laurence & Margaret Rogan
Thursday		7.30 p.m.	Patrick & Annie O'Hanlon
Saturday	30 <sup>th</sup>	7.30 p.m.	John Marley
Sunday	1 <sup>st</sup> Oct	11.30 a.m.	Catherine Haugh

**ST LAURENCE'S CHURCH, OMEATH**

**Sunday Masses: 8.30 am & 11.00 am**

**Weekday Mass: 10.00am each day except Wednesday 7.30p.m.**

**Servers :-** 8.30 a.m J.McGinn,S.McGinn

**Eucharistic Ministers :**8.30am.M.McGuinness 11am M.Daly, R.Brown.

**Reader:** Martin Daly.

**Mass Intentions**

Sunday	24 <sup>th</sup>	8.30 a.m.	Mary Rose Boyle
Sunday		11.00 am.	Mamie & Paddy Duffy
Sunday	1 <sup>st</sup> Oct	11.00 am.	Kathleen & Patrick Hamill

Pray for all on the Parish List of the Dead.

Recently deceased: Fr. Malachy Loughran, Brendan Kealy Jim Shields, Nancy Reilly, Michael Boyle, Vincent Connor.

*Fr Brian & Fr. Jim thank you for your generous contribution to last Sunday's Priests' Dues collection. Church Gate this weekend – The Multiple Sclerosis Society of Ireland. Next week –St Vincent de Paul.*

**St. Oliver's School, Carlingford**

*St. Oliver's School will have their Beginning of School Year Mass next Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> September at 7.30pm in St. Michael's Church. The whole school community – pupils, teachers, parents, staff – is invited to come together to ask God's blessing on the school's life and activities during 2006/07.*

**First Communion: Parents' Meeting, Carlingford**

*There will be a meeting of parents whose children will be celebrating First Holy Communion and First Penance in St. Oliver's School on Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> September at 7.30pm.*

**Marriage Preparation Course** on Mondays 25<sup>th</sup> September, 2<sup>nd</sup> October, 9<sup>th</sup> October from 8.00pm – 10.00pm in Pastoral Centre Mount Oliver Dundalk. Cost per couple €60. Application forms from Pastoral Centre, Mount Oliver, telephone 042-9371235.

### Saints of the week

**Monday 25<sup>th</sup>** - St. Finbarr, patron of Cork city and Diocese. He founded monasteries at Gougane Barra and at the mouth of the Lee.

**Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup>** - Saints Cosmas and Damian, Martyrs, Patrons of physicians.

**Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup>** - St. Vincent de Paul, Priest. Vincent was born into a poor family in South West France around 1580. From his earliest years he resolved to help the poor in his neighbourhood. In 1600 he was ordained a priest. He visited prisoners and organized help for the needy. Through the Confraternities of Charity which he founded much relief was provided for those who were hungry and without a home. The Congregation of the Missions (Vincentians) was founded by him to preach parish missions and to train members of the clergy. Later he founded the Daughters of Charity, a congregation of religious women whose work was to be primarily with the sick poor. The sufferings caused by war inspired Vincent to ever greater efforts. He was uncompromising in his opposition to Jansenism. He died in 1660.

**Thursday 28<sup>th</sup>** - St. Wenceslaus, 905-205, martyr. Also St. Lawrence Ruiz and Companions, Japanese martyrs.

**Friday 29<sup>th</sup>** - Saints Michael, Gabriel and Raphael, Archangels. Gabriel brought the message to Mary at the Annunciation. Raphael was guide to Tobias. Michael has been venerated through the centuries as protector; he is patron of our Church in Carlingford.

**Saturday 30<sup>th</sup>** - St. Jerome, Priest and Doctor of the Church. He translated the Bible into Latin (the Vulgate) and wrote commentaries on Sacred Scripture. He is patron saint of Scripture scholars and of librarians.

**Harvest Thanksgiving Service.** The Church of Ireland Community in the Parish of Carlingford invites our parishioners to Harvest Thanksgiving Service on Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> October at 3.30pm in St. Andrew's Rathcor ("Bush Church"). All welcome.

**Carlingford Community Alert** A small number of personal alarms have become available for immediate installation. Anyone aged 65 or over wishing to have one installed contact Kathleen Connolly at 9373581.

**Holy Trinity Heritage Centre** Yoga every Tuesday night at 7.30pm.

**Foy Centre, Carlingford** Here is a list of the classes that are taking place this Autumn.

**Monday 25th September** Gymnastics 4.15 - 5.15 Karate. 6.30 - 7.30. Tai Chi Kung 7.30 - 9 pm. Dance Aerobics classes will commence on **Monday 2nd October**.

**Tuesday 26th September** 4.00 - 5.00 Dramarama. 7.30 - 8.30 Junior Bowling. 8.30 till 10.00 Adult Bowling. **Wednesday 27th** Karate 6.30 - 7.30. 7.30 - 9.30 Grow Group. 7.30 - 9.00 Cuchullain Gaels women's football training. 7.30 - 9.00 Yoga. **Thursday 28th** Beginners Guitar 5.00 - 6.00. Basketball under 16s 6.30 - 7.30. Sewing 7.30 - 9.00. Veterans soccer 9.00 - 10.00. **Friday 29th** Under 13s Basketball 6.30 - 8.00.

**Chernobyl Aid Newry** Ita O'Reilly would like to thank all those who donated money, hats, toiletries for the orphanage.

**Special Day of Prayer in Knock.** Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> October. Feastday of Our Lady of the Holy Rosary. Bus departs McAnulty's Warrenpoint 7.00am; Mall, Newry 7.15am. Bookings 048-41752228 from 9am-5.30pm. Bus fare €10

**St. Michael's Hall** - Bingo on Monday at 8.30pm.

**Parish Lotto.** Results Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> September Numbers 6-20-21-27 No. Jackpot winner. Six consolation prizes each receives €25 each: N.Toner, c/o Tony's Omeath, A.Brown, Omeath, P.Boyle Omeath, C.McDonald, Tullagh, J.Kane, c/o Mini Market, A.McKevitt c/o P.Fearon Next draw Omeath Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> Sept. Jackpot €7,200.