

Parish Bulletin
CARLINGFORD & OMEATH

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7th May 2006

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*Vocations Sunday Mass will be held today at 3.00 p.m. in St. John's Church, Middletown, Co.Armagh.
Preacher: Dean Colum Curry.*

First Holy Communion Omeath: Sunday 14th May 11.00am.
Carlingford: Sunday 21st May 10.00am.

ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH, CARLINGFORD

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

Weekday Mass: Monday to Friday 9.00am, except Thursday 7.30pm.

Servers this week: L. Lindsay, B.Lindsay **Next week :**J.Larkin, N.Farrell.

Readers for May: 7.30pm. B.McKevitt. 10.00am C.McGoey. 11.30am. Elaine Harold.

Mass Intentions

Saturday	6 th	7.30 p.m.	Patrick O'Hanlon
Sunday		10.00 a.m.	Bill & Essie Moody
		11.30 a.m.	Agnes McConvey
Tuesday		9.00 a.m.	William & Anne Callan
Thursday		7.30 p.m.	Frank & Susan McCartan
Saturday		7.30 p.m.	Peter & Martha O'Connor
Sunday	14 th	11.30 a.m.	Peter Ryan

ST LAURENCE'S CHURCH, OMEATH

Sunday Masses: 8.30 am & 11.00 am

Weekday Masses: 10.00a.m. each day except Wednesday 7.30.p.m.

Servers :- 8.30 a.m. C.McGinn, S.McGinn 11 a.m.C.Elmore, D.Brown.

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

Reader: Martin Daly.

Mass Intentions

Sunday	7 th	8.30 a.m.	Hugh McGaughey
		11.00 a.m.	Jimmy & Annie McNamee
Monday		10.00 a.m.	Josephine Brennan
Tuesday		10.00 a.m.	Mary Hughes
Wednesday		7.30 p.m.	Lizzie O'Hagan
Thursday		10.00 a.m.	Alice McGivern
Friday		10.00 a.m.	O'Hagan Family of 'the Craig'
Saturday		10.00 a.m.	Owen, Margaret & Brian Connolly
Sunday	14 th	8.30 a.m.	Alice O'Hare

Pray for all on the Parish List of the Dead.

Recently deceased: Fr. Frank Quigley (retired Parish Priest of Beragh, Co.Tyrone), Anna Townsley, Joan Geoghan, Peggy White.

Priests' Revenue Fund

In accordance with diocesan regulations, all money received from Priests' Dues collections, baptisms and marriages is lodged in the Priests' Revenue Fund. This account is totally separate from the Parish Account.

From the Priests' Revenue Fund are paid the priests' salaries and household expenses. Priests' salaries are fixed by the diocese.

As you are aware from the annual statement of parish accounts, for many years now the Priests' Revenue Fund in our parish has had to be heavily subsidized each year from the Parish Account because it has been underfunded and in the red.

In order to help remedy this situation it has been decided, in consultation with the Parish Finance Committee, to increase the number of Priests' Dues collections taken up each year.

Accordingly, in your new box of parish envelopes for 2006/07 there is a Priests' Dues collection envelope for each month except March. That will be the only envelope collection on those Sundays.

We trust that this new arrangement will meet with your approval and support.

Brian MacRaois, P.P.

Barney King, C.C.

Martin Daly, Chairperson, Parish Finance Committee.

Newly Baptised *We welcome into the Christian Community: George Brendan O'Farrell, Mucklagh*

Wedding *Congratulations and best wishes to Gerard Morgan & Jolene O'Hanlon, Lislea, Omeath who were married recently.*

Church Collection last Sunday *amounted to €2025.00 plus £85*

Church Gate this weekend – *St Vincent-de-Paul. Next week – National Council for the Blind.*

New Weekly Envelopes *If you are newly resident and would like Parish Envelopes, please let us know Phone 042-9373111.*

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

Holy Trinity Heritage Centre, Carlingford *presents Carlingford Mozart Fest in concert Sunday 14th May at 4pm. Tickets €15 (No concession) available or Phone 042-9373454 or 9373888.*

Carlingford Community Alert *AGM will be held on Tuesday 9th May Village Hotel, Carlingford at 8.30pm. All welcome*

Omeath Community Alert *Meeting in Dolmen Centre on Tuesday 9th May at 8.30pm. New members urgently needed with reduction in Garda presence in our area.*

Quiz Night in aid of Multiple Sclerosis Society *Thanks to everyone for your generous support and help at our recent quiz night and Easter Draw in the Granvue House, Omeath. Amount raised €1,550.*

Lough Derg One Day Retreats *open to all adults during May. See poster at back of church.*

Parish Lotto. Results Tuesday 2nd May. – Numbers 2 – 7 – 12 – 26 No. Jackpot winner. Six consolation Prizes each receive €25 each: Omeath-C.McDonnell, O.Dobbin, M.Fearon, N.Tooke, Dundalk, D.Dowdall, Grange, C.Donaghy c/o D.O'Hanlon. Next draw C/ford Tue 9th May. J/pot €4,200.