

## Parish Bulletin

### CARLINGFORD & OMEATH

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11<sup>th</sup> March 2007

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#### Lá 'le Pádraig

**Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> March is the Feast of St. Patrick and is a Holyday of Obligation.**

**Masses: Carlingford Vigil Friday 7.30pm. Saturday Morning 10.00am**

**Omeath Vigil Friday 7.30pm. Saturday Morning 11.00am.**

**Note:** The St. Patrick's morning 10.00am Mass in Carlingford will be in Irish and English with blessing of shamrock and participation by Irish dancers.

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

**Weekend Masses: Saturday 7.30pm. Sunday 10.00am and 11.30 am.**

**Weekday Mass: Monday to Wednesday 9.00am; Thursday 7.30pm.**

**Feast of St. Patrick: Friday 7.30pm. Saturday 10.00am.**

**Servers next weekend: Sat 17<sup>th</sup> Mar. 7.30pm. Ben Lindsay, Jordan Lamph**

**Sun 18<sup>th</sup> Mar. 10.00am Lisa McMahon, Heather McManus, James Larkin**

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

#### **Mass Intentions**

Saturday	10 <sup>th</sup>	7.30 pm.	John Farrell
Sunday		10.00 a.m	Rose Sloan
		11.30 a.m	Cissie Adamson
Tuesday		9.00 a.m	Mona & Sheila Elmore
Thursday		7.30 p.m.	Jimmy Marron
Friday		7.30 p.m	Colin Murphy
Saturday	17 <sup>th</sup>	10.00 a.m	Amy McBride
Saturday		7.30 p.m	Robert & Elizabeth Adamson
Sunday	18 <sup>th</sup>	10.00 a.m.	Ferghal & Eugene McKeivitt
		11.30 a.m	Jennie McCloskey, Fred McCloskey and Mary McCloskey.

#### ST LAURENCE'S CHURCH, OMEATH

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

**Weekday Mass: Monday to Friday 10.00am except Wednesday 7.30pm**

**Feast of St. Patrick: Friday 7.30pm; Saturday 11.00am.**

**Servers :- 8.30 a.m. S. McGinn, J.McGinn. Reader: Next Sun 18<sup>th</sup> Mar. Mary O'Shea**

**Eucharistic Ministers: Next Sun 18<sup>th</sup> Mar. 8.30a.m. M.McGuinness. 11am M.Daly, R.Brown.**

#### **Mass Intentions**

Sunday	11 <sup>th</sup>	8.30 a.m	John Hughes
Sunday		11.00 a.m	George Sanders
Monday		10.00 a.m	Kevin & Mary Holland
Tuesday		10.00 a.m.	Kathleen Osborne
Wednesday		7.30 p.m.	Felim McKeown
Thursday		10.00 a.m.	John & Eileen Howe
Friday	16 <sup>th</sup>	10.00 a.m.	Nancy McCourt
Friday	"	7.30 p.m	Vigil Mass
Saturday	17 <sup>th</sup>	11.00 a.m	Owen, Ellen & Brian Traynor
Sunday	18 <sup>th</sup>	8 30 a.m.	Molly Woods
		11.00 a.m.	May Elmore

**Recently deceased:** Pray for Owen McQuaid (Ardaghy), James Glennon (Cheshire), Mícheál Kelly (Dundalk), Molly Morgan (Blackpool), Edward Grant, Leo Maher, Kathleen McEneaney, Mary Catherine McGeown, Rose McShane.

**Church collection last Sunday amounted to €2065 + £130**  
**Collection on St. Patrick's Day is for Emigrants & Immigrants.**

Church Gate this weekend- Collection for Southern Hospice, Newry taken up by Mary Callaghan who will be trekking in Mexico in aid of the Hospice.

Saint Joseph's Mission, Pokane, S.Africa (Aids Victims): Amount raised - €374.65. Thank you.

**Parish Pastoral Council** Meeting Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> March at 8.00pm in St. Michael's Hall, Carlingford.

**Omeath Readers** Volunteers requested for reading at 11.00 Mass in Omeath - please hand in your name to Fr. Shevlin.

**Trócaire Lenten Fast Campaign** There are Trócaire boxes available in the churches.

**Stations of the Cross** will be conducted every Friday during Lent (except Good Friday) at 2.55pm at Calvary, Omeath.

**Armagh Diocesan Pastoral Plan** A leaflet providing up to date information on the work being carried out by the nine working groups for the Armagh Diocesan Pastoral Plan is available for parishioners this weekend. A prayer card is included. You are requested to include this intention in your family prayers.

**Armagh Diocesan Youth Pilgrimage to Lourdes 17<sup>th</sup> – 21<sup>st</sup> July 2007**

Pilgrimage will include Accommodation in 4star hotel, Full board, Organised day trips, Opportunity to work with sick, Insurance included, Buses departing from several points throughout the diocese to and from the airport, Transport in Lourdes also included. For more information Contact: [lourdes2007@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:lourdes2007@hotmail.co.uk)  
Telephone: Patricia 0044-7857658892 or Roisin 0044-7857658923. Total Cost £395 sterling (This is a subsidised fare). Organised by Armagh Diocesan Youth Council.

**Pilgrimage to Medugorje 5<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> May 2007** All in fare €609. Deposit of €100 secures seat. Contact Nicky Hughes, 65 Harbour Cottages, Carlingford. Tel. 042-9373542 Mobile 086-0772907. Early booking advisable.

**St. Michael's Hall, Carlingford** – Bingo on Mondays at 8.30pm.

**Holy Trinity Heritage Centre Carlingford** presents Mairead Buicke, soprano and Anthony Byrne, pianist on Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> March at 4.00pm. Tickets €15 available by contacting 042-9373454 or 042-9373888.

**Dundalk Toastmasters** Join Dundalk Toastmasters and learn how to improve your organisational skills to listen, conduct meetings and polish up your speeches. We meet the first and third Monday each month at the Fairways Suite, Fairways Hotel, Dundalk from 7.45 to 10.00pm. Come along and see. Next meeting dates: Mar 5<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup>, April 2<sup>nd</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup>, May 8<sup>th</sup>, 21<sup>st</sup>. Informal enquiries: Patricia 087-0640413.

**Budget Changes** If you are in receipt of a State Non-Contributory Pension (Old Age Non-Contributory Pension) you can earn up to €100 per week without it affecting your pension. You must inform Social Welfare if you take up employment even though it does not affect your Social Welfare Payment. If you would like more information please contact Dundalk Citizens Information Centre, 4 Adelphi Court, Long Walk, Dundalk. Telephone. 042-9329149.

Booklet available called **Information Age How To Access Senior Citizens Benefits.**

**Children's Football (9-13)**

Meeting in Cooley Kickhams Complex for anyone willing to help with running of children's football for 9-13age group on Monday 12<sup>th</sup> March at 8.00pm.

**Lotto Draw.** Results Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> March Numbers 4 – 7 – 13 – 26 No. Jackpot winner.  
Two match three numbers each receive €75 each. Gráinne Sheelan, c/o Tony's, Omeath.  
John & Anne Morgan, Carlingford. Next Draw Omeath 13<sup>th</sup> March. Jackpot €10,500.