

Parish Bulletin
CARLINGFORD & OMEATH

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ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH, CARLINGFORD

Weekend Masses: **Saturday 7.30pm. Sunday 10.00am and 11.30 am.**
Weekday Mass: **Monday to Friday 9.00am except Wednesday 7.00pm & Thursday 7.30pm.**

Servers next weekend: **Sat 15th Sept 7.30pm** Niall Farrell, Megan O'Connor
Sun 16th Sept 10.00am Ben Lindsay, Jordan Lamph
11.30am Andrew Merrigan, Heather McManus.

Mass Intentions

Saturday	8 th Sept	7.30 p.m.	John Kearney
Sunday		10.00 a.m.	Michael Harrison
		11.30 a.m.	Kitty Donnelly
Tuesday		9.00 a.m.	Peggy Kearney
Wednesday		7.00 p.m.	Deceased Members of Carlingford Bridge Club
Thursday		7.30 p.m.	Nathaniel & Roseanne Harrison
Friday		9.00 a.m.	Maureen Gilmartin
Saturday		7.30 p.m.	Mark Bromley
Sunday	16 th	10.00 a.m.	John Haugh, Month's Mind
		11.30 a.m.	Albert & Joe Hosford

ST LAURENCE'S CHURCH, OMEATH

Sunday Masses: **8.30 am & 11.00 am**
Weekday Mass: **Monday to Saturday 10.00am except Wednesday 7.30pm.**

Servers :- 8.30 a.m. S. McGinn, J. Mc Ginn.

Readers next Sun 16th Sept: 8.30 am Jacqueline McKeown **11.00 am** John Tucker

Eucharistic Ministers: Next Sun 16th Sept: 8.30am. J. McKeown **11.00am** M. Gilbert, J. Connolly.

Mass Intentions

Sunday	9 th Sept	11.00 a.m.	Patrick Hoey
Monday		10.00 a.m.	Christy & Anna Hardy
Tuesday		10.00 a.m.	Special Intention
Wednesday		7.30 p.m.	Francis Boyle
Thursday		10.00 a.m.	Special Intention
Friday		10.00 a.m.	Special Intention
Saturday		10.00 a.m.	Special Intention
Sunday	16 th	11.00 a.m.	Peter Woods

Recently deceased: Pray for Mary Sherlock (Collon), Moya O'Neill, John Haugh, Sarah Quigley, Lily McGeough, Winnie McShane.

Priests' Dues Collection next Sunday

Church Collection last Sunday: €2480 + £106

Collection for Irish Episcopal Conference (15 Aug): €1265

Peru Earthquake Collection

We are happy to inform you that Fr. Gene Kirk is safe and well in Lima, Peru. However the recent earthquake has caused over 500 deaths; thousands have been injured and large areas reduced to rubble. To assist Fr. Gene and his people we are having a special collection at the Masses on next weekend 15th & 16th September. The collection will be taken up after Communion. Your generous support will be most appreciated.

Church Gate Collection this weekend – Irish Heart Foundation

Zimbabwe Missions-Build a Dam Fund - Thank you sincerely for your help. Amount raised €405.

Polish Masses in the Archdiocese of Armagh - Co. Louth

2nd Weekend of Month: St. Brigid's, **Dunleer** Sunday 12.30pm
St. Joseph's Redemptorist, **Dundalk** Sunday 5.00pm.

3rd Weekend of Month: Church of the Nativity of Our Lady, **Ardee** Saturday 8.30pm

4th Weekend of Month: St. Joseph's Redemptorist, **Dundalk** Sunday 5.00pm.

Please see Church Notice Board for full schedule of Polish Masses throughout the Diocese.

Racial Justice Sunday – 9th September 2007

People are on the move! People move for all sorts of reasons and under many different circumstances – and the result is that everywhere we look, in towns or country, people from all over the world rub shoulders with each other. This is God's doing!

Racial Justice Sunday 2007 takes this mass-movement of people as its theme and looks at it from different angles. The abolition of the transatlantic slave trade is commemorated. There are stories of Christians who have migrated to these islands from other parts of the world. We look at the issues facing asylum seekers and refugees, and reflect on what is known as "economic migration." We ask what kind of welcome we have given to migrants, and trace the "journey" of their integration and involvement in church life.

Racial Justice Sunday is developed and promoted by the Churches' Commission for Racial Justice, part of Churches Together in Britain and Ireland. "One Race – The Human Race"

Newly Baptised We welcome into the Christian community Shane Colm Morgan, Ballyoonan Cottage, Omeath.

Gate Copies of the Armagh Diocesan Youth Magazine are available in the church for our teenagers and young people.

Catholic Singles is an organisation which helps single, widowed, separated and divorced Catholics of all ages (over 18 years) meet other single Catholics, either one to one or through social events. All members receive a monthly bulletin, called Catholic Networking. For more information please tel. 0161 941 3498, visit the website www.catholicsingles.org.uk or email info@catholicsingles.org.uk

Omeath Set Dancing class starts on Monday 10th September 8.30pm – 10.30pm in Dolmen Centre, Omeath. New members and present members most welcome.

Omeath Sports Field Committee AGM on Wednesday 3rd October at 9.00pm in Granvue House Hotel. Fashion show in Bellini's, Newry on Friday 28th September starting at 7.00pm.

Carlingford Bridge Club Mass for deceased members on Wednesday evening, 12th September at 7.00pm. in St. Michael's Church. Club reopens at 7.30pm in the Four Seasons Hotel. New members will be warmly welcomed. Anyone interested in Beginner Lessons please call 042-9373069.

Red Cross Carlingford/Omeath Branch has organised its annual trip for the senior citizens of the Peninsula. It takes place on Sunday 30th September and returns on Friday 5th October. The group will stay in the Clew Bay Hotel, Westport. The cost is €360, including daily trips and tours. For information contact Tom Maguire at 042-9375288.

Citizens Information Centre – The Back to School Clothing & Footwear Application forms are now available in your local Citizens Information Office or H.S.E. office. These forms must be submitted before 30th Sept 2007. For more information contact Dundalk Citizens Information Centre at 042-9329149.

Fitness Exercise Class for Men and Women St. Michael's Hall, Carlingford.
Monday 8-9pm: Wednesday 7-8pm: Friday 8-9pm. Individual assessment available. Limited bookings. All ages welcome. Telephone 087-9160926.

Lotto Draw. Results Tuesday 4th September 2007. Numbers drawn 4–16 - 26 –27. No Jackpot Winner. Six Consolation prizes each receive €25 each: T.Smith c/o Elizabeth Larkin, C.Donaghy c/o D.O'Hanlon, T.Clerkin Moneymore, R.Maguire, Omeath, A.O'Hagan, Omeath, M.O'Hagan, Omeath.
Next Draw Omeath 11th September. Jackpot €4,200.