

Parish Bulletin

CARLINGFORD & OMEATH

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21st September 2008

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ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH, CARLINGFORD

Weekend Masses: Saturday 7.30pm. Sunday 10.00am. and 11.30 am.
Weekday Masses: Monday - Wednesday 9.00a.m; Thursday 7.30p.m.
Please note: No Mass on Friday this week.

Servers next weekend:
Sat 27th Sept 7.30pm. Meighean, Seána.
Sun 28th Sept 10.00am. Niamh, Jamie.
11.30am. Megan, Jessica, Kieron.

Mass Intentions

Saturday	20 th Sept	7.30p.m.	Albert and Joe Hosford.
Monday	22 nd Sept	9.00a.m.	Dinnie Oaks.
Tuesday	23 rd Sept	9.00a.m.	Laurence and Margaret Rogan.
Wednesday	24 th Sept	9.00a.m.	James and Kathleen Ryan.
Thursday	25 th Sept	7.30p.m.	Edmund and Mary Josephine Toner.
Sunday	28 th Sept	10.00a.m.	John Donnelly.
		11.30a.m.	Sean Donnelly.

ST. LAURENCE'S CHURCH, OMEATH

Sunday Masses: 8.30 am & 11.00 am
Weekday Mass: Monday - Saturday 10.00 a.m. except Wednesday 7.30p.m.

Eucharistic Ministers: Next Sun 28th Sept 8.30a.m. M. McGuinness. 11.00am M. Daly, R. Brown.
Readers: Next Sun 28th Sept 8.30a.m. M. McMullan. 11.00am. F. Rooney.

Mass Intentions

Sunday	21 st Sept	8.30a.m.	Paddy & Sally McManus.
		11.00a.m.	Mary, Bernard & Brian McGuinness.
Monday	22 nd Sept	10.00a.m.	Carol and Terry Flynn.
Tuesday	23 rd Sept	10.00a.m.	Edward Quinn.
Wednesday	24 th Sept	7.30p.m.	Stephen Mc Alister.
Thursday	25 th Sept	10.00a.m.	Mary Rose Boyle.
Friday	26 th Sept	10.00a.m.	Special Intention.
Saturday	27 th Sept	10.00a.m.	Kathleen and Patrick Hamill.
Sunday	28 th Sept	11.00a.m.	Mamie and Paddy Duffy.

Recently deceased Pray for Pauline Mc Kay, Peter Mc Donnell, Jim Morgan.

Church Collection last Sunday €2,140 + £63.

Priests Dues collection today.

Church Gate Collection this weekend: - Order of Malta.

Church Gate Collection next weekend - M S Ireland (Multiple Sclerosis Society).

Newly Baptised We welcome Shea Peter Fisher, 14 Ardcullen, Omeath.

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

Holy Ghost Missions

A member of Holy Ghost Missions based in Kimmage Manor, Dublin will preach at the Masses in Carlingford and Omeath on next weekend 26th & 27th September 2008.

Holy Ghost Fathers or Spiritans (C.S.Sp.) as they are known in some countries are dedicated to the Holy Spirit, who is the author of all holiness and the source of the Apostolic Spirit. Their spirituality is always missionary -- ministering to the poor and oppressed in many different countries and climes.

They express their evangelical availability among peoples whether it is in communities of the Amazon River in Brazil or in South Africa, Kenya or Tanzania. In all they are working in 65 countries. They arrived in Ireland 150 years ago, educating and inspiring many to work on the missions. Responding to new challenges and realities they now work together in international groups - in Bolivia, Mozambique, Taiwan etc., In all places and in different cultures and languages they announce the Good news of God's Love for every human person and emphasize Fraternity, Equality, Justice and Peace. They strive for a new heaven and a new earth.

Bush Post-Primary School Mass to mark the beginning of the new school year will be celebrated in the school on Friday 26th September at 9.30am. Principal celebrant: Bishop Gerard Clifford (who is a past pupil).

Mass at Calvary Shrine Mass to mark the 160th anniversary of the death of Fr Aloysius Luigi Gentili will be celebrated at Calvary Shrine, Omeath on next Sunday 28th September at 3.00pm. The principal celebrant will be Rev. Joseph O'Reilly I.C., Provincial of Rosminian Fathers. There will also be a blessing of graves. Fr. Gentili died in Dublin on 26th September 1848 and was buried in Glasnevin Cemetery. His remains were reinterred in Calvary, Omeath in 1938.

Preparations for this occasion have been made by Friends of Calvary Group who have raised funds to maintain and renovate the shrine and cemetery. Everyone welcome.

Scrín Bhríde, Fochaird – Oilithreach Ghaeilge The annual Irish Language Pilgrimage to St. Brigid's Shrine, Faughart, will take place this Sunday, 28th September, at 3.00pm.

Parish Tax Relief Scheme Each year, parishioners are invited to take part in the Tax Relief Scheme. If you have paid a minimum total of €250 to parish collections in the Tax Year 2007, the parish can claim back tax on your contributions. **It does not cost you anything.** All you need do is complete the Charity Form provided and return it to the Parish Office. The Parish applies for the tax refund.

These letters are being sent this month to PAYE contributors. Please try to return the completed form before 30th September 2008. The parish can claim only on contributions made by envelope.

Blood Donation Clinic at Foy Centre, Carlingford this Sunday 21st September at 11.30am. – 3.30pm.

Parenting Course Learn to be an Assertive Parent / Adult with an Effective Parenting of Self and children course, beginning on Wednesday October 8th at 10.00am – 12.00pm or 7.30pm – 9.30pm. For further details please ring Maisie Mc Guinness at 042 93 71491 or mobile 087 2100620.

Foy Centre Carlingford: Autumn classes

Karate Wolf Club Mon & Wed 6.30 and 7.30pm. Contact Paul 087 9853322.

Dramarama (4-12yrs) Tue 4.30 – 5.30pm. Contact Sharon 086 1717183.

Carlingford Celtic Youth Football Club Thur 7.00 – 8.00pm. Contact Shane 0878332649.

Carlingford Celts Basketball Club (8-12yrs) resumes Fri 26th Sept.

Artful returns Sat 27th Sept. 1.00 – 5pm. Cost €100 for 10 week course. Bookings: Angela Ginn 042-9383624.

Irish Cancer Society will give a presentation offering practical advice on understanding and managing the emotional effects of cancer from diagnosis stage and onwards in Fairways Hotel, Dundalk on Monday 22nd September at 7.00pm. Guest speaker: Dr. Sonya Collier, Principal Clinical Psychologist, St. James's Hospital, Dublin. Admission is free.

Catholic Singles is an organization which helps single practicing Catholics meet up, either one to one or through social events. For more information please tel: 0161 941 3498, visit the website www.catholicsingles.org.uk Email: info@catholicsingles.org.uk

Lotto Draw. Results Tuesday 16th September 2008. Numbers 13 – 15 – 24 - 28. No Jackpot Winner. One match three Winner receives €150: M .Mone, Ballyoonan, Omeath. Next Draw Omeath 23rd September 2008. Jackpot €4,800.