

Parish Bulletin
CARLINGFORD & OMEATH

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30th March 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 – Friday 9.00a.m. except Thursday 7.30p.m.

Servers next weekend: Sat 5th April. 7.30pm. Niall Farrell, Megan, Jessica, Kieron.
Sun 6^h April. 10.00am. Ben Lindsay, Niall Fretwell, Aoife, Ellen.
11.30am. Andrea, Heather, Amy, Annie.

Readers for April: 7.30p.m. Áine Rogan, 10.00a.m. John Woods, 11.30a.m. Gráinne Mc Shane.

Mass Intentions

Saturday	29 th Mar	7.30p.m.	Michael Harper.
Sunday	30 th Mar	10.00a.m.	Thomas Thornton.
		11.30a.m.	Steven Keenan, First Anniversary.
Monday	31 st Mar	9.00a.m.	Tom & Dan Gribben.
Thursday	3 rd April	7.30p.m.	Michael Fegan & deceased family members.
Friday	4 th April	9.00a.m.	Parish List of the Dead
Saturday	5 th April.	7.30p.m.	Kathleen Rafferty.
Sunday	6 th April.	10.00a.m.	Winnie Barry.
		11.30a.m.	Elizabeth Morgan.

ST LAURENCE'S CHURCH, OMEATH

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

Eucharistic Ministers: Next Sun 6th Apr . 8.30a.m. M. Mc Guinness, 11.00am M.Daly, R. Brown.
Readers: Next Sun 8.30a.m. J.Finegan, 11.00am. M. Phillips.
Servers next weekend: Sun 6th Apr. 8.30a.m. Roisin, Catriona. 11.00a.m. Ronan, Daniel.

Mass Intentions

Sunday	30 th Mar	8.30a.m.	Patsy & Maureen McCourt.
		11.00a.m.	Mary Mulligan, First Anniversary.
Monday	31st Mar	10.00a.m.	Vincent Morgan.
Tuesday	1 st Apr.	10.00a.m.	Moyra Phillips & deceased family members.
Wednesday	2 nd	7.30p.m.	Tom Flynn.
Thursday	3 rd	10.00a.m.	James Fearon.
Friday	4 th	7.30p.m.	Parish List of the Dead.
Saturday	5 th	10.00a.m.	Michael Mc Givern
Sunday	6 th	8.30a.m.	Rose & Francis O'Hanlon.
		11.00a.m.	Bridget Murray.

Recently deceased: Pray for Mary Brigid Finegan, (Willville, Cooley), Betty Mc Allister nee Browne, (Belfast, formerly Bavan), Gerry King, Ethna Mc Cumisky, Frances McEntegart.

Priests Dues

Fr Brian and Fr Jim thank you for your generous contributions to Easter Priests' Dues collection.

Church Gate next weekend: St. Vincent De Paul Society.

Local Red Cross recent church gate collection raised €744. Many thanks.

Communion Calls

Friday is the first Friday in April. The sick and housebound will be attended during the week.

Holy Week and Easter Liturgies

Sincere thanks to all who helped to prepare, and who took part in, the Holy Week and Easter Liturgies. Thanks to the Readers, Eucharistic Ministers, Choirs, Alter Servers, and Sacristans. It was wonderful to see so many people attending the Ceremonies and especially Easter Sunday Masses. It is always encouraging and inspiring when the community assembles in large numbers to celebrate the mysteries of our Faith.

Trócaire Lenten Fast Campaign Please bring Trócaire boxes to the churches for collection.
Do not leave boxes unattended in the church.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

St Michael's Church, Carlingford: Thursday 3rd April, 2.00 –7.00pm.

Parish Pastoral Council Meeting on Thursday 3rd April at 8.00pm in Parochial House, Carlingford.

Renew Your Wedding Vows: Marriage Encounter is a weekend away (Friday 8pm to Sunday 5pm) for married couples of all ages with a stable relationship. Couples explore, in complete privacy, how to come to a deeper mutual understanding of each other. The dates for the next marriage weekends are: 18th – 20th April, Emmanus Conference Centre, Swords. Tel: 048 90 626 503.

Parenting Programme Does your child's behaviour leave you feeling sad, angry or frustrated?. Are you fearful that your child is being bullied, engaging in bullying behaviours or involved with drugs?. A new ten week parenting programme begins on 9th April, 2008. Tel: Maisie Mc Guinness on 042 9371491 or 087 2100620 For details.

Omeath Active Retirement

Spring break in Wexford 5 – 9th May. €335.00 per person sharing all inclusive. To book contact Mary 042-9375874 or Maureen 042-9373154. Free courtesy bus will collect members in Omeath and Carlingford. Free outings each day. Four spaces still available.

Holy Trinity Heritage Centre: Music Network and the Louth County Council sponsor Syrius Trio: Elizabeth Cooney –Violin, Jane O'Hara – Cello, and Bobby Chen – Piano.

Performing in Holy Trinity Heritage Centre, Carlingford, on Sunday the 6th April, 2008 at 4pm. Tickets €15.00. For further information on bookings please contact us on 042 9373454 or email us at heritagetrust@eircom.net

Carlingford Community Alert Table Quiz takes place in Mc Kevitts, Village Hotel on Thursday 3rd April at 9p.m. Table of four €20.

Bingo: Dundalk Lions Club. The Sportsbowl, Racecourse Road, Dundalk, Co. Louth. Bingo every Wednesday night 8 – till 10.30. All welcome. Funds raised go directly to charitable organizations in North Co. Louth, South Down and South Armagh.

Summer Time begins this weekend 29th / 30th March. Clocks go forward one hour.

New Prior of Taizé is coming to Ireland The new prior of Taizé is coming to Ireland for two prayer services with young adults. Hundreds of young adults from all over Ireland are expected to participate in a gathering organized by the Taizé Community in the Pro Cathedral in Dublin at 8pm on Friday 25th April. Young people from the North will be able to join a similar meeting in St. Anne's Cathedral in Belfast on Saturday 26th April at 8pm. These gatherings will include times of worship using the music, which is a central part of the prayer of the Community. Contact: Brother Donagh / Brother Matthew on 00 33 385 50 30 30. Email: donagh@taize.fr

Lotto Draw. Results Tuesday 25th March 2008. Numbers 1 – 16 –25 - 26. No Jackpot Winner. Two Match Three Winners each receives €75: Eileen Mc Manus, Omeath, Margaret Keenan, Bavan. Next Draw Carlingford, 1st April 2008. Jackpot €2,500.