

Parish Bulletin
CARLINGFORD & OMEATH

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ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH, CARLINGFORD

Weekend Masses: Saturday 7.30pm. Sunday 10.00am & 11.30 am.
Weekday Mass: Monday – Friday 9.00a.m. except Thursday 7.30p.m.

Servers next weekend: Sat 4th July 7.30pm. Meighean, Seána, Maria, Tony.
Sun 5th July 10.00am. Niamh, Jamie, Fáinchea, Aoife McG.
11.30am. Megan O'C., Kieran, Eoin, Jessica.

Readers for July: 7.30pm Ann Dunlevy **10.00a.m** Michael Woods **11.30a.m.** Catherine Woods

Mass Intentions

Saturday	27 th June	7.30p.m.	Florence & Marian Boyle
Sunday	28 th June	10.00a.m.	Tessie Dodds, Month's Mind
		11.30a.m.	Pat Barnes
Wednesday	1 st July	9.00a.m.	James McCreesh
Thursday	2 nd July	7.30p.m.	Charles & Frances Delany
Friday	3 rd July	9.00a.m.	Parish List of Dead
Saturday	4 th July	7.30p.m.	Brendan Doherty
Sunday	5 th July	10.00a.m.	Philip Clarke
		11.30a.m.	Vera Kelly, Month's Mind

ST. LAURENCE'S CHURCH, OMEATH

Weekend Masses: Sunday 8.30am & 11.00am.
Weekday Mass: Wednesday & First Friday 7.30p.m. Saturday 10.00am.

Eucharistic Ministers: Next Sun 5th July 8.30am. M. McGuinness 11.00am. M. Daly, R. Brown.
Readers: Next Sun 5th July 8.30am. M. McMullan 11.00am. K. Craig.
Servers: Next Sun 5th July 8.30am. Joanne, Thomas, John Paul, Jack.
11.00am. Roisín, Lauren, Jennifer, Aoife.

Mass Intentions

Sunday	28 th June	8.30a.m.	Bernard & Margaret Croston
		11.00a.m.	Gerry Browne
Wednesday	1 st July	7.30p.m.	Michael & Molly Morgan
Friday	3 rd July	7.30p.m.	Parish List of Dead
Saturday	4 th July	10.00a.m.	Edward Quinn & Deceased Family
Sunday	5 th July	8.30a.m.	Mary & James Ward
		11.00a.m.	John Hoey, First Anniversary

Recently deceased Pray for Peter Clarke (Dundalk), Kathleen Ferguson (Castletowncooley & Liverpool), Teresa Davey, Fr. Dan Bray CSsR, Peggy Kennedy, Joe Laverty, Vera Kelly.

Communion Calls Friday is the First Friday. The sick and housebound in Carlingford area will be attended during the week.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

St. Michael's Church, Carlingford: Thursday 2nd July 2.00 – 7.00pm.

Church collection last Sunday €2,450 + £ 391

Church Gate this weekend: Irish Cancer Society.
next weekend: St. Vincent de Paul Society.

Safeguarding Children

In accordance with Diocesan Policy and Procedures for safeguarding children, all parish staff and volunteers who are serving children, young people and vulnerable adults are required to undergo a process of Recruitment and Selection, which includes Garda Vetting.

This process is being facilitated at present by our new Safeguarding Children Parish Representative, Jacqueline McKeown, to whom we are indebted.

The following are some of the roles for which Recruitment and Selection, including Vetting, is required: - clergy, Safeguarding Children Parish Representative, trainers for altar servers, leaders of Music Ministry, Eucharistic Ministers who take communion to people in their homes, parish secretaries, clergy housekeepers, sacristans, caretakers of parish halls.

Your attention is drawn to the poster displayed on both church notice-boards containing diocesan information regarding Safeguarding Children issues and a parish policy statement.

Cemetery Sunday 2009

Carlingford: Sunday 2nd August at 11.30am.

Omeath: Sunday 9th August at 11.00am.

Poill a' Bhuí Mass Rock

Monday 24th August at 7.00pm.

Newly Baptised *We welcome into the Christian community: Shane Anthony Keenan, Bavan, Omeath.*

St. Brigid's Shrine, Faughart *The Annual National Pilgrimage will be held on Sunday 5th July at 3.00pm. Ceremonies will commence with a Procession bearing the Relic of the Saint along the banks of St. Brigid's Stream and ending at the Oratory where Mass will be celebrated at an outdoor altar. During the Mass there will be a Blessing of the Sick. The homily will be delivered by Sr. Mary Minihan of the Brigidine Sisters, Kildare. At the end of Mass a general blessing with the Relic of St. Brigid will be imparted to the pilgrims.*

Bumps and Babies, Mother and Toddler Group *are open every Wednesday morning during the summer from 10.30 – 12.30pm in Dolmen Centre, Omeath. Everyone welcome. Come along for a cup of tea and chat.*

Please Note: Family Fun Walk *organised by Scoil Naomh Bríd Parents Association, Ardagh, due to take place Sunday 28th June, has been cancelled due to bereavement.*

Naíonra Lorcán, Oméith *is an Irish language pre-school and is now taking enrolment for September 2009. Summer Camp 2009: Monday 6th July – Friday 10th July from 10am to 2pm daily. Limited places available. For further information contact Donna on 087 9209993.*

Omeath Active Retirement Group *are organising a tour to Dalkey Castle, Dublin on Thursday 16th July. Coach leaves Dolmen Centre, Omeath at 10.30a.m. Non members welcome. All-in-fare for non members €10, which includes bus and admission to the Castle. Early booking recommended.*

Phone Maureen 042-9373154 or Mary 042-9375126.

Committee Meeting *Dolmen Centre on Tuesday 30th June at 10.30a.m.*

Louth Environment Awards 2009 *S.N. Lorcán have succeeded in retaining their Platinum Award in this prestigious competition. Congratulations to Tommy Hamill 5th Class on being awarded Very Highly Commended in Junior Environmentalist of the Year. Well done, Tommy!*

Cúchulainn Gaels *Congratulations to the Ladies Team who won the Louth Division 3, 7-a-side competition. They beat Na Piarasigh in the final last Friday night in Dowdallshill. Well done to John Bruen, Manager.*

Walking – *The following laneways have been cleared and can now be used as traffic-free walkways that provide a number of loop walks:*

- **Forty's Lane** - *Rooskey to Lemineigh. Access from McGuinness's at Rooskey. Meets Skeekan's Lane that leads to Grange Church at Lemineigh (main road).*
- **The Molly/McGuinness's Brae** – *Lemineigh to South Commons intersects Forty's Lane.*

Lotto Draw. *Results Tuesday 23rd June 2009. Numbers 2 - 11 - 21 - 27. No Jackpot Winner. Three match 3 winners each receive €50. Thomas Fearon, Abbey Court; M. Leonard, 4 Shore Rd, Omeath; Helen Daly, Red Barns Rd, Dundalk. Next Draw: Carlingford - Tuesday 30th June 2009. Jackpot €3,450.*