

Parish Bulletin

CARLINGFORD & OMEATH

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20th February 2011

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ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH, CARLINGFORD

Weekend Masses: Saturday 7.30pm. Sunday 10.00am & 11.30am.
Weekday Mass: Monday to Friday 9.00am.

Mass Intentions

Saturday	19 th Feb	7.30p.m.	Memorial of Cian Hopkins Harold
Sunday	20 th Feb	11.30a.m.	Oscar & Nora O'Callaghan
Tuesday	22 nd Feb	9.00a.m.	Margaret & Patrick O'Connor
Wednesday	23 rd Feb	9.00a.m.	Fr. Conor Hannon
Thursday	24 th Feb	9.00a.m.	James & Margaret McEaney & McEaney Family
Sunday	27 th Feb	11.30a.m.	Charles Gallagher

ST. LAURENCE'S CHURCH, OMEATH

Sunday Masses: Sunday 8.30am & 11.00am.
Weekday Mass: Sat 10.00am.
Please note: No Mass Monday to Friday (until further notice).

Eucharistic Ministers: Next Sun 20th Feb 8.30am. M. McGuinness 11.00am. M. Daly, R. Browne
Readers: Next Sun 20th Feb 8.30am. M. McMullen 11.00am. F. Rooney

Mass Intentions

Sunday	20 th Feb	8.30a.m.	Patrick Corrigan
		11.00a.m.	Tommy & Clodagh Elmore
Saturday	26 th Feb	10.00a.m.	Betty Kimmer, Month's Mind
Sunday	27 th Feb	11.00a.m.	Anthony McQuaid, Month's Mind

Recently deceased Pray for Mary Rice (nee Kearney, Whitestown & Newry), Mary Dullaghan, Owen McKenna, Margaret Jaycock, Christina McAuley, Kathleen Donnelly, Brendan Thornton, Pat Direen, Molly Geoghegan, Seamus McCaffrey, Bridie Carroll.

We remember in faith and love Cian Hopkins Harold, aged 2, who died on 14th January. He is with the Lord in heaven. We ask God to comfort his parents, grandparents and family.

Parish Mission conducted by the Redemptorist Fathers will take place on Saturday 2nd – 9th April 2011.

Newly Baptised We welcome Dillon James McNally, 61 Clós na Manach, Carlingford.

Church Collection last Sunday amounted to €1800 + £145.

Priests' Dues collection this Sunday.

Church Gate this weekend - St. Therese's Special Olympic Club, Dundalk.

next weekend - Local Red Cross

Carparking around St. Michael's Church

Complaints have been received from residents in the vicinity of St. Michael's Church, Carlingford that access to their homes is being regularly blocked during weekend Mass times.

Those Mass-goers parking vehicles are asked to kindly ensure that they are not blocking entrances.

Armagh Diocesan Pastoral Centre, Dundalk

Bereavement Support Thursday mornings 10.30am to 12.30pm. Appointment not necessary.

One to one Bereavement Support – confidentiality assured. Enquiries: 042 9336393.

Workshop For Marriage 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 next weekend: 25-27 March 2011 in Dromantine Conference Centre, Newry.** Tel: 048 90626503 or www.marriageencounter.ie

Marriage Preparation **Engaged Encounter** is a Church approved Marriage preparation course presented by married couples and a priest for couples preparing for the Sacrament of Marriage. **The next weekend: 26-27 March 2011 in Dromantine Conference Centre, Newry.** Tel: 048 79300340 or mail @strategia.co.uk /www.marriageencounter.ie

Cura If you are concerned about an unplanned pregnancy and would like to talk to someone in confidence, contact Cura on Lo-Call 1850 622626 or www.cura.ie. All Cura services are free and confidential. Our support service is available to women, men and all family members.

Developing Parish Seminar 2011 Public lecture by Baroness Nuala O'Loan DBE on 'Honesty, Healing and Hope; aspirations and expectations for parish development and renewal' on Monday 28th February at 7.00pm in All Hallows College, Dublin. Admission €10. For bookings phone 01 8373745 ext. 552. Email: adultlearning@allhallows.ie Web: www.allhallows.ie

Prayer around the Cross with music of Taizé on Friday 4th March. 8.30 – 9.30pm. at 'Bethany' 34, Point Road Dundalk. Tel No 042 9331602.

Dundalk Cursillo Monthly Ultreya Friday 25th February at 8.00pm in Marist Church Hall, St. Mary's Rd.

Carlingford Bridge Club will host The Doreen Rooney Memorial Trophy in The Four Seasons Hotel, Carlingford today Sunday 20th February at 5.00pm. Table money €15. Entries to Ann McNee 042 9373069 or Georgina Finegan 042 9373346. All welcome.

Mental Health Support Group for relatives and friends of people with mental health problems takes place first Wednesday of each month at 7.30pm in St. Brigid's Hospital, Ardee. Next meeting Wed 2nd March.

Omeath Bumps ? n Babies Spring Schedule 2011. Contribution from attending parents only €2. Contact 086 2028722 or Dolmen Centre 042 9375422. Meeting Times: 10.30am–12.30pm every Wednesday. **Wed 23rd Feb. – Rascals Soft Play Centre.** Group Outing. Meet at Rascals, Newry 10.30a.m.

Omeath Sports Field Committee AGM on Thursday 24th Feb in the Granvue House Hotel at 8.00pm. All welcome.

Glenmore A.C. Get fit programme open to all children over 8yrs in the Cooley area. Tuesdays & Thursdays 7.00-8.00pm. For information contact 086 0368463 or www.glenmoreac.com

All-Irish Post-primary School A public meeting regarding the proposed establishment of an All-Irish Post-primary School is to be held in The Crowne Plaza, Dundalk on Thursday 3rd March 2011 from 8.00-9.00pm. The purpose of the meeting is to provide information, particularly to parents and interested parties, in relation to the VEC's proposal to establish an all-Irish post-primary school within the county, and to provide information on how it might operate. In addition, Co Louth VEC would like to gauge the level of public interest in relation to this proposal.

Catholic Singles is an organization which helps single adult Catholics of all ages meet, either one to one or through social events. Please telephone 0044 (0) 1619413498 or visit the website www.catholicsingles.org.uk or email info@catholicsingles.org.uk

Louth Leader Partnership is currently organising **Occupational First Aid Training** for Community Voluntary Groups. This training will be free and takes place in 4 areas of the County, is level 5 Fetac and will take 3 full days to complete (most likely one day each week). Places are limited to 10 participants for each area (North Louth, Dundalk, Mid Louth and Drogheda) and priority will be given to volunteers. For more details and an application form please phone Marian Finegan on 042-9330288 or Email marian.finegan@louthleaderpartnership.ie or phil.flynn@louthleaderpartnership.ie

Community Alert **Omeath: 087 1624111. Carlingford: 042 9373581.**

Lotto Draw Results 15th February 2011. Numbers 13 - 16 - 18 - 25. No Jackpot Winner. Three match 3 winners each receive €50: McGuinness grandchildren, Ardagh, S. McGivern, Ardagh, B. Morgan, Ardagh. Next draw: Omeath Tuesday 22nd February 2011. **Jackpot €11,700.**