

## Cooley Parish Bulletin 13<sup>th</sup> October 2024

### Twenty Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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### **A Dream of Jealousy    by Seamus Heaney**

Walking with you and another lady  
in wooded parkland, the whispering grass  
ran its fingers through our guessing silence  
and the trees opened into a shady  
unexpected clearing where we sat down.  
I think the candour of the light dismayed us.  
we talked about desire and being jealous,  
our conversation a loose single gown  
or a white picnic tablecloth spread out  
like a book of manners in the wildness.  
'Show me,' I said to our companion,  
'what I have much coveted, your breast's mauve star.'  
and she consented.  
O neither these verses nor my prudence, love,  
can heal your wounded stare.

### **Recently Deceased**

Stephen Clifton, Dundalk  
Patsy Rice, Lower Rath  
Yvonne Murphy, nee McGettigan, Templetown and Donegal  
Peter Hanlon, Muchgrange  
Eugene Begley, Riverstown  
John Fearon, Jonesboro  
Kathleen Kennedy, Dundalk  
George Craven, Kilcurry  
Mary Rose Macken, Skerries

### **Anniversaries**

#### **Church of Our Lady Star of the Sea, Boher**

Saturday	12 <sup>th</sup> Oct at	7.00pm	Daniel, Rose Ann and Briege O'Rourke and Cathy Maguire
Tuesday	15 <sup>th</sup> Oct at	10.00am	No Mass
Thursday	17 <sup>th</sup> Oct at	10.00am	Private Intention
Friday	18 <sup>th</sup> Oct at	7.00pm	Peter Hanlon    M.M.
Saturday	19 <sup>th</sup> Oct at	7.00pm	Brendan Rafferty, Boher Fr. Ray Rafferty, Peter and Kathleen Reavey and dec'd family

#### **Church of St. Anne, Mullaghbuoy**

Sunday	13 <sup>th</sup> Oct at	10.00am	John Traynor
Thursday	17 <sup>th</sup> Oct at	8.00pm	No Mass
Sunday	20 <sup>th</sup> Oct at	10.00am	Rosella McCann

### **Church of St. James, Grange**

Sunday	13 <sup>th</sup> Oct at	11.30am	Jim Clerkin
Monday	14 <sup>th</sup> Oct at	8.00pm	Mike McGuigan and David O'Brien
Tuesday	15 <sup>th</sup> Oct at	7.30pm	Healing Mass and Anointing of the Sick
Wednesday	16 <sup>th</sup> Oct at	10.00am	Brigid Ritchie
Friday	18 <sup>th</sup> Oct at	10.00am	No Mass
Sunday	20 <sup>th</sup> Oct at	11.30am	Brian, Ann and Joseph Markey Dec'd members of McCourt family, Lower Rath Francis Carron Andreas, Andrew, Maimie and Hugh Farrell Angela McGrath, Rathcor Eugene Begley M.M.

### **Deacon Giacomo Taffi**

We remember in our prayers Giacomo Taffi from the Redemptoris Mater Seminary in Dundalk who was ordained a Deacon in St. Patrick's Cathedral, Armagh by Archbishop Eamon Martin on Saturday

### **Baptisms (by arrangement)**

Baptisms will be celebrated on 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of each month at 5.00pm

### **Funerals**

When a Funeral Mass is being celebrated in the Parish there will be no other morning Mass celebrated that day

### **Divine Mercy Prayer Chaplet**

Divine Mercy Prayer Chaplet in Church of St. James, Grange every Sunday evening from 7.30pm-8.00pm The Divine Chaplet team welcomes new members to recite the Chaplet on Sunday evenings at 7.30pm. Everyone welcome

### **Monthly Healing Mass and Anointing of the Sick**

Monthly Healing Mass and Anointing of the Sick will be celebrated in Church of St. James, Grange this Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> October at 7.30pm. Everyone welcome

### **ACN – Sincere thanks**

Harry Casey, National Director of Aid to the Church in Need sincerely thank the Parishioners of Cooley for your warm welcome and your generosity in supporting the work of Aid to the Church in Need projects in GAZA

### **M.S. Ireland - Thanks**

M.S. Ireland wish to thank most sincerely all those who supported their recent Church Gate collection

### **Church Gate Collection**

This weekend - Cooley & District Community Alert

### **St. Gerard Majella Novena**

Solemn Novena in honour of St. Gerard Majella will be held in St. Joseph's Redemptorist Church, Dundalk from Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> Oct concluding on Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> Oct. There will be eight sessions each day. All are welcome

### **St. Bernadette Relic Pilgrimage Ireland 2024**

Reception of Relic of St. Bernadette at St. Patrick's Church, Dundalk on Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> October at 10.45am for Mass at 11am. Rosary with meditations on the hour and Confessions from 12noon – 4pm.

Marian Procession with Torchlight at 6pm from St. Nicholas' Church to St. Patrick's Church. Solemn Evening Prayer with Anointing of the Sick at 6.30pm. Rosary with meditations on the hour from 8pm – 10pm. Solemn Night Prayer and Benediction at 11pm.

Monday 21<sup>st</sup> October - Solemn Morning Prayer at 8am for departure of Relic to Mullingar Cathedral

### **Tours of St. Patrick's Cathedral, Armagh**

A series of tours of St. Patrick's Cathedral, Armagh have been organized. Parishioners and visitors to Armagh have the unique opportunity to explore the Cathedral and museum with the help of guides. Places limited. For more info and booking <https://tinyurl.com/CathedralTours2024>

### **Pilgrimage to Garabandal, Spain – 2025**

Pilgrimage to Garabandal, Spain in Mid April 2025 – Fare includes Transport to and from Dublin Airport, Accommodation in Garabandal, Bed, breakfast and evening meal. Full Itinerary plus optional excursions. Air flight to be arranged by individual pilgrims privately or through a travel agent. Garabandal will be extremely busy in 2025, therefore bookings will be taken in 2024. For further enquiries: phone Laurena 085-1833110

### **Cooley Community Projects Limited – Vacancies**

1 - Caretaker Cooley

closing date 16/10/2024

1 - Community worker/Cleaner Cooley

closing date 16/10/2024

1 - Environmental worker Cooley

closing date 16/10/2024

Phone Ambrose 042-9376077 or email [cooleyceltd@gmail.com](mailto:cooleyceltd@gmail.com)

### **Cooley Community Playgroup Ltd – Recruiting**

Cooley Community Playgroup Ltd are looking for childcare Assistant. Must have at least Level 5 in Early Childhood Studies. Please send CV to [ccpgroup@eircom.net](mailto:ccpgroup@eircom.net) or post to Cooley Community Playgroup Ltd, Monksland, Carlingford, Co. Louth A91 DD1F

### **Rathabbey Community Centre – Coffee Mornings**

Coffee mornings in Rathabbey Community Centre every Wednesday morning at 10.30am in 2024  
Everyone welcome!

### **Carlingford/Omeath Red Cross – Afternoon Tea**

Carlingford/Omeath Red Cross are having an Afternoon Tea in the Four Seasons Hotel, Carlingford this Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> October from 4pm – 7pm. Plenty of food, fun and entertainment so come along and bring a friend. Everyone welcome

### **Cooley Zoom Bingo**

ZOOM BINGO every Wednesday evening at 7.30pm. Selling books €6 (5page book)

Dympna Woods, Mary Clerkin, Linda Halpenny, Padraig O'Connor, Mulligan's Shop, Omeath, Cecelia Murphy, Lordship.

### **Be Safe! Be Seen!**

We would appeal to all pedestrians using our roads at this time of year to please wear High Viz clothing

### **Cooley Active Retirement Group – Re-Opened**

Cooley Active Retirement re-opened in Cooley Complex every Thursday afternoon at 2.30pm.  
New members always welcome

### **Cooley Kickham's G.F.C. Lotto €2 per line or 3 lines for €5**

Winning Nos. 6; 12; 14; 21; - Jackpot €24,800 won! Congratulations to Ciara Carolan, Riverstown  
Next week's Jackpot €5,000

### **Line Dancing Classes in Cooley Hall**

Line dancing classes for beginners + seasoned dancers – no partner needed - in Cooley Parochial Hall A91 DD1F every Tuesday evening at 8pm. Everyone welcome!

### **Dolmen Centre, Omeath**

LMETB Organic Gardening course delivered by local Organic Gardener Roisin Cotter is commencing on Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> October from 10am – 12 noon for 6 weeks in Dolmen Centre. €5 per class – tea/coffee is available. If interested please email [info@dbusiness.ie](mailto:info@dbusiness.ie) or phone 042-9375422 to book your place

### **Cooley Parent, Baby and Toddler Group**

Cooley Parent , Baby and Toddler Group recommencing on Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> October from 10am – 11.30am and continuing every Thursday in St. Mary's Parochial Hall, Cooley. €3 per family. Come and enjoy a cuppa with other parents, grandparents and guardians while your little one play.  
Contact: 087-9721930 to be added to the WhatsApp group for updates

### **Boher National School – Halloween Disco**

Boher National School Parent's Association are holding a Halloween Disco on Friday 25<sup>th</sup> October in Cooley Parochial Hall from 7pm-9pm – Adm €5. Prize for best costume!