

CARLINGFORD & OMEATH PARISH

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PARISH BULLETIN – Sunday 21st December 2025 Fourth Sunday Of Advent /A



ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH, CARLINGFORD

Streamed on the Webcam Weekly: <https://www.churchmedia.tv/carlingford>

Weekend Masses: Vigil: Saturday 6.00pm: Sunday 11.30am

Weekday Masses: Wed & Fri 9.00am



Christmas Schedule 2025

Carlingford

Confessions on Wed 24th 9:30am-10:00am

Christmas Eve:

Carols with the Choir at 7:30pm

Mass at 8.00pm

Christmas Day: Mass at 11.30am

Omeath

Confessions on Tuesday 23rd 10.30-11.00am

Christmas Eve: Mass at 7.00pm

Christmas Day: Mass at 10.30am

Mass Intentions

Saturday	20 th Dec	6.00pm	Caroline Carolan; Michael Martin; Michael Thornton; Thomas & Eileen Woods & dec family members
Sunday	21 st Dec	11.30am	Albert, Kitty & Joe Hosford
Wednesday	24 th Dec	9.00am	For all Parishioners; Frank & Phil Flynn & dec family members
		8.00pm	For all Parishioners; Sean & Margaret Notley & dec members of the Notley & Traynor families; Molly Yeoman
Thursday	25 th Dec	11.30am	For all Parishioners; Lily McKevitt
Friday	26 th Dec	10.00am	For all Parishioners
Saturday	27 th Dec	6.00pm	Lil & Elizabeth McGuinness & dec members of the McGuinness & McGrath families
Sunday	28 th Dec	11.30am	Patsy & Enda Donnelly; Margaret Murphy; Elizabeth Elmore

ST. LAURENCE'S CHURCH, OMEATH

Streamed on the Webcam Weekly: <https://www.churchmedia.tv/omeath>

Sunday: Mass 10.00am

Weekday Masses: Tuesday 10.00am & Thursday 7.00pm



Mass Intentions

Sunday	21 st Dec	10.00am	Mary Ferguson
Tuesday	23 rd Dec	10.00am	For all Parishioners
Wednesday	24 th Dec	7.00pm	For all Parishioners
Thursday	25 th Dec	10.30am	For all Parishioners
Sunday	28 th Dec	10.00am	For all Parishioners

Recently deceased: Pray for: Jean (Mary) Coyle (nee Brennan) (Irish Grange); Seamus Fagan (Whitestown); Philomena (Phil) Shields (nee Woods) (Carlingford); Molly Yeoman (Aberdeen); Gary Kelly (Dundalk/Omeath); Annie Cummins (nee O'Hanlon) (Dundalk/Omeath); Colonel Henry (Harry) Johnston (Dundalk); Annie Holland (nee O'Reilly) (Omeath/Dublin); Patrice McDonnell (Ravensdale/Dundalk); **May they Rest in Peace Amen.**

Weekly Collection: €1165 & £106

Priests Christmas Dues collection takes place next week

Parish Weekly Envelopes If you do not have an envelope number and/or would like to receive a box of envelopes for weekly donations to the Parish, please, contact the parish office.

Donating to the Parish online: bank transfers, iDonate. Details are on the Parish website. Standing order forms are also available at the back of the two churches. You can also donate by cheque or cash. And by participating in the weekly envelope contributions and the tax relief donations for the Parish.

Parish iDonate QR Code



Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

St. Michael's Church, Carlingford. Every Thursday from 2.00pm -4.00pm.

There will be no Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on 25th Dec and on 01st Jan 2026. Will resume weekly on the 08th Jan.

Confessions: Feel free to approach a priest of the Parish for the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

Parish Baptisms require at least 1 months' notice in advance. Please contact the parish office for bookings in the Parochial House Carlingford, 042 9373111.

Mass Cards & Mass Bouquets are available in The Parochial House, Carlingford.

Omeath Cemetery footpaths need to be extended. The work is estimated to cost €9,000. The Parish is asking for your support and donations to help cover the cost.

The Holy Rosary is recited after the 9.00am Mass in Carlingford on Wednesdays & Fridays. In Omeath after 10.00am Mass on Tuesday's. All welcome.

All welcome to visit the outdoor crib

At "Bethany" 34 Point Road, Dundalk over Christmas.

Cúchulainn Gaels Weekly lotto results:

1, 3, 13, 14. No jackpot winner. Next draw Wed 07th Jan 2026, Jackpot €16,700.

Our Parish Lotto Weekly Results

18/12/2025: 4, 8, 9, 11. No jackpot winner. Congratulations to our weekly draw winner of €20. Next week's draw: Thu 25th Dec, jackpot €550. Join now to stand a chance of winning. Your support will be of great help to the Parish as we work together to promote God's kingdom among us. We have leaflets at the back of the church. You may take them home.

Our Parish Lotto website is www.ourfundraiser.ie/org/candoparish You can also join by scanning the QR code.. Don't miss out!



Operation Bush4mation 2026 begins Monday 5th January. Twelve sessions a week for 4 weeks. Early bird offer €40 before 19th December, €55 thereafter. Teenagers 16-19 yrs free but must register on-line.

<https://eventmaster.ie/event/r28EiPmS9y> What a great way to start the new year. Please share with family & friends.

Goal Mile will take place at Bush track, hosted by **Glenmore AC** on 26th December at 11am. All donations greatly appreciated. Everyone welcome

Wishing you all a Happy, Blessed and Safe Christmas. From Fr Magnus and Fr Christy



Carlingford & Omeath Parish Fundraiser Weekly Draw

Your support makes a real difference

Jackpot increases every week plus a weekly winner prize

Enter

Pick 4 numbers

Your chosen numbers will be entered into the draw each week

Options

1 line for €2.50, 2 lines for €4.00

or 3 lines for €5.00

Maximum of 3 recurring lines per supporter

Win

Match 4 numbers to win the Jackpot

Easy to enter

Scan the QR code or visit our website



www.ourfundraiser.ie/org/candoparish

Supporters must be over 18 years of age to participate - T&Cs apply

Divine Mercy Conference RDS Dublin - 2026.

A coach will travel from the Old Magnet Cinema
Dundalk to the RDS in Dublin on Saturday,
February 28th, 2026, further details: please
contact Laurena on 0851833110

Cooley Credit Union Ltd Office Opening Hours

– Christmas 2025 and New Year.

Tuesday 23rd December Cooley office open

10am -1pm

Wednesday 24th All Offices Closed

Thursday 25th All Offices Closed

Friday 26th All Offices Closed

Saturday 27th Cooley office open 10am – 12.00

Tuesday 30th December Cooley office open

10am -1pm

Wednesday 31st All Offices Closed

Thursday 1st January All Offices Closed

Friday 2nd Normal opening hours resume

The Cooley Credit Union AGM 2025 will take

place in St Marys Hall on Tuesday 20th January

2026 commencing at 7.30 pm. There will be a

free draw for cash prizes for members who

attend the AGM.

Anne Carroll would like to express her

thanks to all who purchased a copy of her

recent book 'Gold dust in these hills'. €6120 has

been donated to the Carlingford-Omeath Red

Cross.