

## CARLINGFORD & OMEATH PARISH

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### PARISH BULLETIN – Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> February 2024 Second Sunday Of Lent /B

#### ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH, CARLINGFORD

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

Weekend Masses: Vigil: Saturday 7.30pm: Sunday 11.30am

Weekday Masses: Mon, Wed & Fri 9.00am



#### Mass Intentions

Saturday	24 <sup>th</sup> Feb	7.30pm	No Intentions
Sunday	25 <sup>th</sup> Feb	11.30am	No Intentions
Monday	26 <sup>th</sup> Feb	9.00am	No Intentions
Wednesday	28 <sup>th</sup> Feb	9.00am	Conversions
Friday	01 <sup>st</sup> Mar	9.00am	Sheila & Nat Harrison
Saturday	02 <sup>nd</sup> Mar	7.30pm	Liam Dunne (mm); Melissa O'Reilly
Sunday	03 <sup>rd</sup> Mar	11.30am	No Intentions
Monday	04 <sup>th</sup> Mar	9.00am	No Intentions

#### ST. LAURENCE'S CHURCH, OMEATH

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

Sunday: Mass 10.00am

Weekday Masses: Tuesday 10.00am & Thursday 7.00pm



#### Mass Intentions

Sunday	25 <sup>th</sup> Feb	10.00am	Tom Maguire (mm); Joe Hunt
Tuesday	27 <sup>th</sup> Feb	10.00am	No Intentions
Thursday	29 <sup>th</sup> Feb	7.00pm	Paddy James McGivern
Sunday	03 <sup>rd</sup> Mar	10.00am	Harry Turley

**Recently deceased:** Pray for: Uldis Busenieks; Clare Laramie (nee Duffy, Jenkinstown); Emma Byrne (Dublin); Brigid McGinn (Bessbrook); Mary Holland; Liam Dunne:  
**May they Rest in Peace Amen.**

#### Important Parish Dates 2024

Confirmation: Omeath: Thursday 09<sup>th</sup> May 11.00am

First Holy Communion: Carlingford: Sat 18<sup>th</sup> May 11.00am Omeath: Sat 25<sup>th</sup> May 11.00am

Cemetery Sunday: Carlingford: 30<sup>th</sup> June 11.30am Omeath: 04<sup>th</sup> August 11.00am (TBD)

**Weekly Collections:** €1100 & £48

**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.

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**  
St. Michael's Church, Carlingford. Every Thursday from 2.00pm -4.00pm.

**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.

**The Holy Rosary** is recited after the 9.00am Mass in Carlingford on Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays. All are welcome.

**Altar Society Carlingford:**  
Catherine Woods 30<sup>th</sup> March – 12<sup>th</sup> April.

**Annual Divine Mercy Stations of The Cross** at Calvary, Omeath continues each Friday in Lent at 2.50pm (except Good Friday).

**Trócaire Lenten Campaign**  
Trócaire has been close to the hearts of the Irish faithful, especially during the season of Lent. The generosity of individuals, parishes and dioceses has enabled Trócaire to respond to humanitarian crises, and to empower some of the most vulnerable people of the world to build a better future. Any donation to Trócaire helps to save life. Boxes will be distributed and are also available at the back of the Church. You can donate online at [www.trocaire.org](http://www.trocaire.org)

**Anam Cara Armagh** – is holding a Parent Evening for bereaved parents on Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> February at 7:15pm in the Armagh City Hotel, Friary Road, Armagh. This event is free and open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age your child died, the circumstances of their death, or whether their death

was recent or not. Online support service contact [info@anamcara.ie](mailto:info@anamcara.ie) or 028 95213120 for any queries.

**'Do This in Memory'** for the children preparing for First Holy Communion will take place next Sunday 03<sup>rd</sup> March in Omeath at 10.00am and Carlingford at 11.30am.

**Dromantine Summer Camp 2024**  
Registration for Camp 2024 goes live on Fri 1<sup>st</sup> March for players (11-16) and the leadership team (17+). For more information about camp and how to register please [www.dromantinesummerncamp.co.uk](http://www.dromantinesummerncamp.co.uk)

**TAIZE PRAYER.** All welcome this Lent, to Silent "Prayer Around the Cross", in candlelight, with the music of Taize. Friday 1<sup>st</sup> March 8pm -9pm. (Followed by Tea/Coffee) "Bethany" 34 Point Road, Dundalk A91W0C 9

**St. Oliver's N.S. - Part Time School Meal Worker**  
The Lunch Bag is recruiting a **Part Time School Meal Worker** on behalf of the school. The position is a maximum of 3-4 hours, 5 mornings a week. If you are interested in applying, please apply through <https://www.thelunchbag.ie/>

**Church Car Parks:** Please leave disabled parking spaces free for disabled people who need them.

**Church Gate Collection** this weekend is for Carlingford & Omeath Red Cross.

**Spaces have become available in the Daycare Centre** in Carlingford which runs every Tuesday between 11.15am to 2.45pm except the Tuesday of a bank holiday weekend. If you know of someone who would like to avail of this, please contact Rose Marie on 0873575896 for more info.

**Cuchulainn Gaels** Weekly lotto results 12, 18, 22, 27 1 x 3 Number Winner Wins €100: Helen Thompson Next draw Wed 28<sup>th</sup> February 2024 **Jackpot €7,400**

**Volunteers wanted** for one night per week for **Speaking Club with Ukrainian refugees** in Carlingford, either in person or by zoom. All that's required is to speak basic English. No teaching experience needed. An opportunity to make new friends. Phone 087 6480845

**"Support Group for Relatives & Friends** who support people with mental health difficulties takes place first Wednesday of each month at 7.30pm in Ardee Business Park, Hale Street. Next meeting is on Wednesday March 6<sup>th</sup>, 2024. **Speaker** Andrew Atkinson (Occupational Therapist) will be present to discuss **The Role of OT in Mental Health.**