

## CARLINGFORD & OMEATH PARISH

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### PARISH BULLETIN – Sunday 28th December 2025 The Holy Family Of Jesus, Mary And Joseph



#### 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



#### Mass Intentions

Saturday	27 <sup>th</sup> Dec	6.00pm	Lil & Elizabeth McGuinness & dec members of the McGuinness & McGrath families
Sunday	28 <sup>th</sup> Dec	11.30am	Patsy & Enda Donnelly; Margaret Murphy; Elizabeth Elmore
Wednesday	31 <sup>st</sup> Dec	9.00am	Kathleen & Joseph McKeivitt
Friday	02 <sup>nd</sup> Jan	9.00am	Parish List of the Dead
Saturday	03 <sup>rd</sup> Jan	6.00pm	For all Parishioners
Sunday	04 <sup>th</sup> Jan	11.30am	For all Parishioners

#### 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	28 <sup>th</sup> Dec	10.00am	For all Parishioners
Tuesday	30 <sup>th</sup> Dec	No Mass	
Thursday	01 <sup>st</sup> Jan	10.00am	Parish List of the Dead
Sunday	04 <sup>th</sup> Jan	10.00am	For all Parishioners

**Recently deceased:** *Pray for:* Martin Connolly (Newry /Omeath); 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); ***May they Rest in Peace Amen.***

#### Important Parish Dates 2026

Confirmation: Carlingford: Thur 23<sup>rd</sup> April

First Holy Communion: Carlingford: Sat 16<sup>th</sup> May

Cemetery Sunday: Carlingford: June 28<sup>th</sup> 11.30am

Omeath: Sat 23<sup>rd</sup> May

Omeath: 09<sup>th</sup> August 11.00am

**We welcome to our Christian Community**  
newly baptised Naoise Wright.

**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.

**Church Gate Collection** next weekend is for St Vincent de Paul (Contact 087 9656852).

**Communion Calls:** The priests will **not** be visiting the sick and house bound this week.

**Weekday Mass:** There will be no Mass on Tue 30th Dec in Omeath. Mass on Thur 01st Jan in Omeath will take place at 10.00am.

**Our Parish Lotto:** Next week's draw: Thur 01st Jan, jackpot is €575. Join now for 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](http://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.

**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

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

**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.

*Happy New Year to you all!  
We wish all our Parishioners a  
New Year of Peace and Blessings!  
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

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#### 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



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