

CARLINGFORD & OMEATH PARISH

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PARISH BULLETIN – Sunday 03rd May 2026 Fifth Sunday of Easter/ 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



Mass Intentions

Saturday 02nd May 6.00pm

Sunday 03rd May 11.30am Maibre Donnelly Conlon; Agnes McConvey; Teresa Clarke

Wednesday 06th May 9.00am

Friday 08th May 9.00am

Saturday 09th May 6.00pm

Sunday 10th May 11.30am

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 03rd May 10.00am Cormac O'Neill (1st Anniv); Richard Gilbert (1st Anniv); Paddy Fearon; Brian & Tony McKeown

Tuesday 05th May 10.00am Patrick E Ward & dec family members; Kathleen & Sheila Hamill & dec family members

Thursday 07th May 7.00pm Parish List Of The Dead; Paddy Duffy; Anne & Shane Connolly; Paddy & Mary Mulligan, Aidan, Michael, Sean & Patrick Mulligan

Sunday 10th May 10.00am Frank O'Hanlon (1st Anniv); Bernadette Donnelly (1st Anniv); Bridie & Jack Bruen; Frank O'Keeffe; Breidge Daly & Matt Fegan

Recently deceased: Pray for: Roisin Smyth (nee Mulholland) (Carlingford); Anne Haugh (nee Rafferty) (Carlingford); May they Rest in Peace Amen.

Important Parish Dates 2026

First Holy Communion:

Carlingford: Sat 16th May

Omeath: Sat 23rd May

Cemetery Sunday:

Carlingford: June 28th

Omeath: 09th August

We welcome to our Christian Community

*newly baptised Molly Patricia McDermott;
Kayleigh Rose McGuigan.*

Weekly Collection: €965 & £20

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.

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.*

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.*

Altar Society Carlingford:

Rosemary Gallagher 01st May- 15th May

New Parish Weekly Collection Envelopes *for 2026/2027 will commence use this weekend 03rd May 2026.*

Trócaire Lenten Fast Campaign: *You may return your Trócaire boxes. Your donations to Trócaire could also be sent via online at www.trocaire.org. Please do not leave Trócaire boxes unattended in the church. You may leave your box in the Sacristy or in the Parochial House, Carlingford.*

We wish to remind everyone *tending to their loved one's grave in our cemeteries to take the old plants and packaging with them. Dumping them on the cemetery grounds is wrong. Cemetery grounds are not a place for dumping refuse. **It does not show respect to those who are buried there.** And it costs the parish about €500.00 to remove them. This picture was taken in the cemetery in Carlingford. Please, be helpful.*



Cooley Peninsula First Saturday Devotion

*Please join us for the next First Saturday Devotion which will be held in **Carlingford**, **Saturday 02nd May 5pm**, followed by Holy Mass at 6pm and confessions.*

Our Parish Lotto: 30/04/26 2, 4, 22, 24.

Congratulations to Helen our weekly winner €20 No jackpot winner. Next week's draw: Thur 07th May, Jackpot €900. 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.



Our Parish Lotto website

www.ourfundraiser.ie/org/candoparish

An Ignite Ireland day conference, *with special guest speaker Scott Hahn, will take place in Dublin on Saturday, 23rd of May. Scott Hahn is a well-known writer and broadcaster and is a much sought after speaker. It is an event not to be missed. For information and to book your ticket, go to: www.dominicans.ie*

Church Gate Collection *this weekend is for St Vincent de Paul, 0879656852.*

Water Safety Louth church gate collection will take place on 9th and 10th May. All donations are greatly appreciated.

Employment Opportunities Are you looking for part-time or full-time work? If you're unemployed due to accident, illness, injury, disability, or are recovering from depression, **EmployAbility Service Louth** is here to support you in finding employment. For more information, please contact us at: **042-9386718** or **087-6386885**

Sundays in Spring with Zoe Conway and John Mc Intyre begins Sunday 3rd May in Carlingford Heritage Centre at 4pm with guest Steve Wall. Booking is essential. Tickets €15, can be booked contacting 042 9373454, and online <https://www.eventbrite.ie/e/zoe-conway-john-mcintyre-with-steve-wall-in-the-spring-concerts-series-tickets-1987837143407?aff=oddtcreator>

North Louth Border Vintage Club are holding a vintage car & tractor run on Sunday 17th May at 1pm. Starting at Cooley Hall, for Palliative Care & Cooley Lourdes Fund. Call Gerard 0876457984 for details.

Forthcoming Pilgrimages:

For details on all Pilgrimages - please contact Laurena: 0851833110

***Lough Derg Pilgrimage**; Monday May 4th, 2026, Bank Holiday Monday - One Day Retreats offer A Programme of Prayer.

***Knock Pilgrimage**: Sunday May 31, 2026 - Chief Celebrant & Homilist: Most Rev. Eamon Martin. The Synod of Bishops in Ireland is set to take place on May 31st 2026 at Knock Shrine, International Eucharistic and Marian Shrine.

Pilgrimage Garabandal Spain Monday June 15th, 2026, To Friday 19th, 2026.

Flying Via Aer Lingus – Pilgrims have to book their own flight Dublin To Bilbao. Only one flight per day. Coach will stop at Limpas on the return journey to the airport on Friday to view the Miraculous Crucifix where Jesus comes alive on the cross which is located in the 16th century church of Saint Peter. Hotel Accommodation, bus transfers, tour guide and full board – Sharing 470 Euro. Single Room 570 Euro. Everybody Welcome. Enquiries: Laurena: 0851833110.