

Parish Newsletter CooleraghStaplestown

12th October '25 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time



Envelopes & Offertory Collection Total €1230

<u>Weekday Masses</u> Mon-Fri 9am Christ the King Cooleragh

Tuesday Morning 9am Mass. Remembering those who are enduring the burden of injury or illness.

Thursday Morning 9am Mass. Remembering especially those who have gone before us.

Email:standco100@gmail.com Phone during office hours 045 860281



Anniversaries this weekend 6.30pmChrist the King Cooleragh Richard Dwyer Timahoe

Anniversaries for next weekend 8.30amChrist the King Cooleragh Shane O'Sullivan

St Benignus Staplestown 11.15am Martin Doherty Hodgestown also his daughter Majella and sons John and Martin Mary Fields Kilmurry

Sunday next is **Mission Sunday** and we hold our annual collection. All monies collected go to Missio Ireland.

How does Missio Ireland work?

1.Missio Ireland is the Irish branch of the Pontifical Mission Societies, which is the Holy Father's official charity for overseas mission. 2. All projects are summitted to Pontifical Mission Societies Rome, where they are vetted. 3. All Mission Sunday collections in Ireland come to Missio Ireland. **4.** All 5. Missio Ireland funds are audited. makes known to Rome how much we have available for projects in a given year. 6. Missio Ireland then receives projected from PMS Rome that matches the amount available. 7. Money is sent direct from Ireland to the Nunico in the recipient country, he forwards the money to the bishop of the diocese and he sends them to the project recipient

18th - 19th October 2025

Ministers of the Word

Christ the King, Cooleragh Vigil Mass 6.30pm Laura Cullen Sunday 8.30am. Caroline Ennis St Benignus, Staplestown Sunday 11.15am Maggie Kennedy

Ministers of the Eucharist

Christ the King, Cooleragh Saturday 6.30pm James Kenna Sunday 8.30am Catherine Harney St Benignus, Staplestown Sunday 11.15am Kathleen Kelly

The Holy Father's Message for World Mission Sunday

Missionaries of hope among all peoples.

Dear brothers and sisters, "May the light of Christian hope illumine every man and woman, as a message of God's love addressed to all! And may the Church bear faithful witness to this message in every part of the world

In the footsteps of Christ **our hope.** Jesus is the divine Missionary of hope, the supreme model of all those down the centuries who carry out their own God-given mission, even amid exterene trials Jesus was sent by the Father to bring healing and comfort; through today's Church, he continues to reach the

poor and afflicted. By his inspiration, let us be signs and messengers of hope for all, in every place and circumstance that God has granted us to live.

Congratulations to Jim Bolger who matched 3 in the lotto on Wednesday last

Diocesan -Parish Lotto The Jackpot for next week's draw is €10,000. Thank you for your support. Tickets at €2 can be purchased in Daybreak Supermarket Coill Dubh, Ward's Shop Cooleragh, Styles & Smilzes Staplestown, Parish office during office hours or after weekend masses in our churches.

Feast Days for the week

Tuesday: St Callistus I Wednesday: St Teresa of

Avila

Thursday: Ss. Hedwig, Margaret Mary & Gall Friday: St Ignatious Saturday: St Luke

"Breast Cancer Awareness Month" takes place October 1st-31st. For further information, please log onto www.breastcancerirelan d.com."

Marriage Enrichment

Weekend: Marriage Enrichment Weekend: Date: November 7th-9th Venue Focolare Centre, Curryhills, Prosperous, Co. Kildare. For info. and booking <u>www.marriageencou</u> nter.ie

Ballinafagh Cemetery:

Prayers and Blessings of Graves at Ballinafagh

Cemetery, today Sunday the 12th of October at 2pm, All are welcome.

Timahoe National School:

Enrolment applications for Junior Infants 2026/2027 for Timahoe National School are being accepted from 6th October. Application forms are available on the school's web site: www.timahoens.ie

An Tobar Nua. We provide confidential counselling nationwide via telephone and Zoom. Our service is donation-based, because we do not want finances to prevent anyone from receiving support. If anyone is struggling with grief, anxiety, depression, or other life challenges, please know that we are here to help. Phone: 091 562 175 Email: counselling@anto

barnua.com

The Blessing of Roses Mass

in honour of St Therese will be held on Sunday 19th October 2025 at 1130am in Clane Parish Church. After Mass the Relics of St Therese will be in the Little Way Cancer Support Centre until 2pm. All are welcome to attend.

March For Palestine: A silent March for Palestine takes place on Saturday, 18th October 2025 (Day 743/Week 107). The March will begin at Linear Park, Newbridge (assemble at 12.30 pm) moving onwards to junction at Dunnes/Tesco and proceeding through the town back to Linear Park.