



Parish
Newsletter
Cooleragh-
Staplestown

14th-15th January 2023

2ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

PLEASE TAKE ONE HOME WITH YOU

Office Hours & Mass Times

Office Hours 9.30am -12 noon, Tue
Thur & Fri Office closed Wednesday.
Email; standco100@gmail.com.
Office landline 045 860281
Newsletter deadline Wednesday
11.59pm.
Parish Priest; Fr. John

Anniversaries this Weekend

6.30pm: Bernie Power Corduff
Hugh & Mary Cosgrove Timahoe
Johnny Maguire Blackwood & his son
Patrick
Séan (Jack) Bagnal 125 Coill Dubh
Ellen Ward Gilltown, Donadea

11.15am: Sandra Lousse-Dunne
Margaret O'Brien Staplestown her
husband Jack daughter Carmel & son
Matt
Ellen Ward Gilltown, Donadea
Teresa, Tommy & John Joe O'Grady

Anniversaries next Weekend

6.30pm. Sean Reilly Timahoe
Barney Kenna Coill Dubh

Envelope & Offertory Collections

Parish Envelopes Total €544
Offertory Collection €587
THANK YOU.

Ministers of the Word & Eucharist for next week 21-22 January



Christ the King Cooleragh
6.30pm Katie Herbert-Brereton
8.30am Caroline Ennis

St Benignus Staplestown
11.15am Maggie Kennedy



Christ the King Cooleragh
6.30pm Ann Moore
8.30am Catherine Harney

St Benignus Staplestown
11.15am Joe & Bernie Doran

School Enrolment



We are now open for enrolment for September 2023. If you wish to enrol your child in our school for next year, all relevant forms are available to download on our website www.staplestownns.ie and can be submitted to the office upon completion.

 **Coill Dubh N.S**
Naas, Co. Kildare

Enrolment Takes Place From

12th Jan - 2nd Feb

Website:
www.coilldubhns.ie

Phone:
045 860023

Feast Days this Week**Monday:** St Fursa**Tuesday** St Anthony**Friday** Sts Fabian & Sabastian**Mortgage Arrears / Abhaile Scheme**

Are you in mortgage arrears? Are you worried about losing your home?

If so, there is help. You may be entitled to Government support under the Abhaile Scheme.

For more information, feel free to contact Tatiana McGreal, Financial Solutions Ireland on 085 867 4883 www.fsireland.ie

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity (WPCU) January 18 – 25, 2023

Here in Ireland, this year of 2023 marks two important anniversaries of key events of the journey towards Christian Unity. This year is the centenary of the formation of the Irish Council of Churches and it also marks the 50th anniversary of the Ballymascanlon Meetings between the Catholic Church and other Christian Churches on the island of Ireland in 1973, a structure that is now the Irish Inter-Church Meeting. Today, these are the bodies for inter-church dialogue in Ireland as we continue to work together for peace, reconciliation and social justice.

As we know, that work is unfinished; sectarianism is still, sadly, a major problem in communities and political life in the north while the growth of racism is increasingly evident across the island. The current cost of living crisis and the effects of the war in Ukraine add to the turmoil.

It is in this context that we mark the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity this year- giving thanks for the progress made by the Churches at various levels over the decades but seeking to place our continuing journey of witness to Christ's desire for unity alongside his radical call to discipleship and social justice.

Further resources can be by clicking on the link: [Week of Prayer for Christian Unity 2023 - Irish Council of Churches and Irish Inter Church Meeting \(irishecouncilofchurches.org\)](http://www.irishecouncilofchurches.org)

