

Parish Newsletter Cooleragh -Staplestown

5<sup>th</sup> -6<sup>th</sup> August '23

18TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

PLEASE TAKE ONE HOME WITH YOU



Envelope & Offertory Collections
Parish Envelopes Total €648
Offertory €621
THANK YOU.

**Tuesday Morning** 9am Mass. Remembering those who are enduring the burden of injury or illness followed by adoration till 11am.

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

Anniversaries this Weekend Newsletter deadline Wednesday 11.59pm.

Parish Priest; Fr. John

**6.30pm:** Elizabeth Gaynor

**8.30am** Eileen & John Moore Blackwood

Congratulations to the parents & welcome to our Faith Family the following babies who were christened in June-July:- Elliot Duggan, Casey Kenny-Lyons, Finley Howe, David O'Donnell and Hadley Cole



Anniversaries next weekend
11.15am Andy Noone
Staplestown, his daughter
Eileen and brother Jim

Ministers of the Word & Eucharist for next week 13<sup>th</sup>-14<sup>th</sup> August Ministers of the Word Christ the King Cooleragh 6.3opm Ann Mooney 8.3oam. Caroline Ennis

St Benignus
Staplestown
11.15am Louis Dockery

Minister of the Eucharist Christ the King Cooleragh 6.30pm James Kenna 8.30am Catherine Harney.

St Benígnus Staplestown

11.15am Liam Holton

## Diocesan -Parish Lotto:

There were no winners in the Lotto this week in any Parish!
The Jackpot for next week's draw is €14,000. Thank you for your support. Tickets can be purchased in Daybreak
Supermaket Coill Dubh, Wards
Shop Cooleragh, Stylez &
Smilzes Staplestown Betty
Dolan Staplestown,
Parish Office or in our
Churches after weekend
Masses.

#### Schooldays Revisited: St.

Mochua's Historical Society in Timahoe in conjunction with local authors Emma-Jane Leeson and Margaret Doherty are proud to present a fun filled workshop for children and their families in 'The Old Schoolhouse in Staplestown'. This event is created to celebrate Heritage Week 2023 and will incorporate history, storytelling, music and art in this beautiful venue. Date: Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> August. Time; 11am to 1pm All welcome

### Feast days for the week

Monday: Ss Sixtus II & Cajetan Tuesday: St Dominic Wednesday: Ss Teresa Benedicta of the Cross, Nathy (bishop), Felin (bishop) Thursday: St Laurence Friday: St. Clare Saturday: Ss. Jane Frances de Chantal, Muredach, Attracta, Lelia..

Congratulation to the young couples who were married in our Parish over the summer:

Sylvia & Alan,

Marie & Ciarin,

Niamh & Thomas

Wishing all the best of



happiness in your

journey together.

# Kildare Carmelite Annual Pilgrimage to Knock

The pilgrimage will take place on Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> September 2023. The bus will depart the square Kildare Town @ 8 am SHARP.

To secure a place on the bus, inquiries to Carmelite Church Shop Kildare, or contact:
Martin Cowley 087 2553582
Esther Brady 087 6732848
Cost €20 per person.

## Marriage Encounter Weekend

Catholic Marriage Encounter is a Weekend experience for any Sacramentally married couple. Every relationship is a journey, and the grind of everyday life can cause you to lose touch with your spouse.

This is a space for you and your spouse to pause, reflect, and reconnect privately.
Our next Marriage Enrichment Weekend is Friday 3rd to Sunday 5th November 2023. At "The Cork International Hotel" Cork. To book your place visit our

website: <u>www.marriageencoun</u> <u>ter.ie</u> Tel. 087-2162436