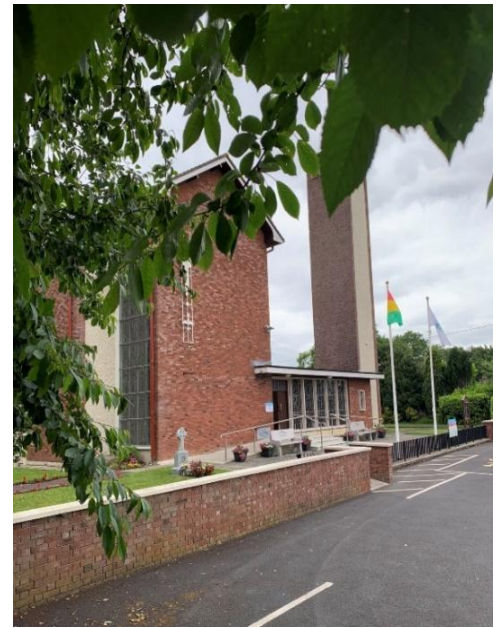




Parish Newsletter Cooleragh- Staplestown

28th September '25
26th Sunday in
Ordinary Time



Envelopes & Offertory Collection

Total €1261

Weekday Masses 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.

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Anniversaries for the weekend

Christ the King Church, Cooleragh

Vigil Saturday 6.30pm

Sheila Bagnall Coill Dubh

Ellen Kenna Coill Dubh and her daughter
Majella who died during the year.

Mary -Joe Domican Kill

Mary Byrne Coolcarrigan

Christ the King Church, Cooleragh

Sunday 8.30am

Mary Kilmurray Blackwood and her son

James and husband Bernard (Bernie)

James Ward Hodgestown and Mary and
John Dee Coill Dubh.

Anniversaries for next weekend

Christ the King Church, Cooleragh

Vigil Saturday 6.30pm

Jason Dowling and remembering Margaret
Byrne Allenwood

St Benignus Church Staplestown 11.15am

Remembering the Carroll, Costello, Walsh
and Callan Families

Recently Deceased: Please remember in
your prayers the family of the late Iggy
Kane Coill Dubh whose funeral took place
during the week

Irish Catholic The Irish Catholic goes up in
price from 2nd October to €3.50. We thank
you for the support of this Catholic
newspaper.



27th -28th September 2025**Ministers of the Word***Christ the King,
Cooleragh***Vigil Mass 6.30pm**

Ann Mooney

Sunday 8.30am.

Eilis Cox

*St Benignus,
Staplestown***Sunday 11.15am**

Pádraig Ó Rourke

Ministers of the Eucharist*Christ the King,
Cooleragh***Saturday 6.30pm**

Ann Moore

Sunday 8.30am

Catherine Harney

*St Benignus, Staplestown***Sunday 11.15am**

Geraldine Brennan

Diocesan -Parish Lotto The Jackpot for next week's draw is €20,000. 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**Monday:** Arch angles Gabriel, Raphael & Michael**Tuesday:** St Jerome**Wednesday:** St Thérèse of Lisieux**Thursday:** Guardian Angles**Friday:** Bl. Columba Marmion**Saturday:** St. Francis of Assisi

Staplestown PTA will be hosting a fundraising concert with the fantastic four-part

Adult Choir & Millicent Singers, on Friday October 10th in Cooleragh church @ 8pm. Joining Millicent Singers on the night will be a very special guest. Tickets cost €20 and are available on Eventbrite.ie.

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

Marriage Enrichment Weekend: Marriage Enrichment Weekend: Date: November 7th-9th Venue "Focolare" Centre, Curryhills, Prosperous, Co. Kildare. For info. and booking www.marriageencounter.ie

Catholics across the globe will unite to pray the Rosary for peace in war-torn lands, especially during the month of October, which the Church dedicates to the Holy Rosary. Pope Leo XIV made the announcement at the Wednesday General Audience.

He said the faithful in Rome will gather in St. Peter's Square on October, 11, 2025 at 6:00 PM.

"I invite everyone, each day of the coming month, to pray the Rosary for peace— personally, in the family, and in community," he said.

Prayer: The Benedictus
Blessed be the Lord, the God of Israel

He has visited his people and redeemed them

He has raised up for us a mighty saviour
in the House of David his servant,
as he promised by the lips of holy men,
those who were his prophets from of old.

A saviour who would free us from our foes,
from the hands of those who hate us.
so his love for our fathers is fulfilled
and his holy covenant remembered

He swore to Abraham our father to grant us, that free from fear
and safe from the hands of our foes,
we might serve him in holiness and justice
all the days of our life in his presence.

As for you little child
you shall be called a prophet of God the Most High
You shall go ahead of the Lord to prepare his way before him.

To make known to his people their salvation
through forgiveness of all their sins,
the loving kindness of the heart of our God
who visits us like the dawn from on high.

He will give light to those in darkness
those who dwell in the shadows of death
and guide us into the way of peace.