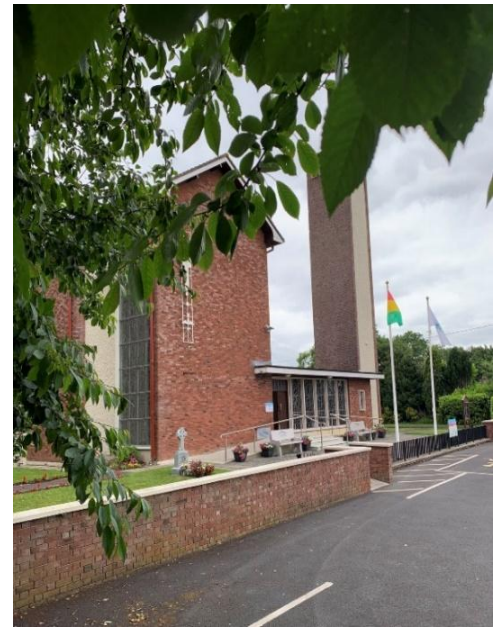




Parish Newsletter Cooleragh- Staplestown

19th October '25
29th Sunday in
Ordinary Time



Envelopes & Offertory Collection

Total €954

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.

Email: standco100@gmail.com

Phone during office hours 045 860281

A sum of money was found close to the church
on Friday 10th October. Please contact the Parish
Office

Anniversaries this weekend

6.30pm Christ the King Cooleragh

Tommy & Teresa O'Grady & deceased
members of the O'Grady family
Matthew Keely Coill Dubh & his son
Seamus & father James

The deceased members of the Larkin
family Coill Dubh Jack, Hannah, Thomas,
John & Martin Jnr.

8.30am Christ 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

Tommy & Teresa O'Grady & deceased
members of the O'Grady family
Jim Coffey The Range

Anniversaries for next weekend

6.30pm Christ the King Cooleragh

Fr. Jimmy Doyle

Patrick & Ellen Farrell Coill Dubh also
their son Patrick and deceased members of
the Hogan & Farrell families

8.30am Christ the King Cooleragh

Fr. Jimmy Doyle

St Benignus Staplestown 11.15am

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Today is Mission Sunday Annual
Collection.



24th -25th October 2025**Ministers of the Word***Christ the King,
Cooleragh***Vigil Mass 6.30pm**

Ann Mooney

Sunday 8.30am.

Jade Abela

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

Dominic Cogan

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

Fiona Murphy

Sunday 8.30am

Catherine Harney

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

Liam Holton

*The Holy Father's
Message for World
Mission Sunday:
Continued***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

**Christians, bearers and
builders of hope among all
peoples.**

All the baptised are called
 to share Christ's love
 through daily life and
 service, especially to the
 poor and forgotten. In a
 world marked by
 loneliness and
 indifference, it is essential

that we live
 compassionately with
 others, just as Jesus did.
 The heart of Christ... is
 the very core of the initial
 preaching of the Gospel.
 We must generously offer
 the hope and consolation
 that we have received
 from God.

**Renewing the mission of
hope**

Prayer is the primary
 missionary activity. It is
 strengthened by the
 sacraments and the word
 of God (particularly the
 Psalms). We believe and
 know that death and hate
 are not the final word
 pronounced on human
 existence, so by our
 prayer, we keep alive the
 spark of hope lit by God
 within us. In this way, the
 constant missionary desire
 that God be praised by all
 peoples will become a
 burning flame within us.

Pope Francis has urged
 each of us to participate
 actively in the common
 evangelizing mission of the
 Church by your witness of
 life and prayer, by your
 sacrifices, and by your
 generosity.... May all the
 baptized, as missionary
 disciples of Christ, make
 his hope shine forth in
 every corner of the earth!
 Mary, Mother of Hope,
 guide us in bringing God's
 love to all

**PS: This year's Mission
 Sunday message was
 prepared by Pope Francis**

Diocesan -Parish Lotto The
 Jackpot for next week's draw

is €11,000. 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.

Marriage Enrichment

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

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

St. Mochua's Historical

Society's October talk is by
 the wonderful,
 knowledgeable Seán Byrne.
 We expect a wonderful,
 interesting talk about the
 Maps of Kildare. All are
 welcome to the old
 Hall, Staplestown. Tea, coffee
 ,goodies and our customary
 raffle on the night! Wed 22nd
 October at 8 pm.

Prosperous Dramatic Society

is delighted to present A
 Night of 1-Acts on Saturday
 25th and Monday 27th October
 in Rathangan Community
 Centre (Theatre). Tickets just
 €10 including interval
 refreshments and available
 at <https://prosperousdrama.ventbrite.com>