

# Parish of Machaire Rois



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**St Vincent De Paul Christmas Collection 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> of December.** This year we are appealing to you for assistance to help us to meet the growing demands on all our services. Requests for assistance range from a need for basic necessities such as food, heat and clothing, to help with education at Primary, Secondary and Third Level. In all these areas we are actively supporting families and individuals as best we can. Without the ongoing support of the local Community we can do nothing, so please support us as much as you can this Christmas. Thank you for your continued support.

### **Arrangements for Christmas 2016**

#### **Confessions for Christmas:**

##### **Penitential Service for Christmas:**

On **Sunday 18th December at 5pm** with Visiting Priests for Individual Confessions.

Confessions: On Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> Dec 10.30am – 12 Noon.

Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> 11.30am- 1 o'clock.

**South Monaghan Regional Pioneers** Meeting will take place in Teach Ui Bhraín Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> Dec at 8pm. We request that as many Pioneers as possible attend as we want to keep the region to the forefront of peoples mind particularly in this season of Advent.

**Advent Challenge** Take the Short- term Pledge for the season of Advent in preparation for Christmas. Contact your local Pioneer Centre on 0876734553.

**Friends of Lough Derg** Bus to Knock for 8th December Vigil, leaving Shirley Arms Hotel, Wednesday Dec 7th at 6 pm and arriving back Thursday 8th at 8.30 am. To book your seat please contact Clare 086 0886846 or Padraig 087 2332215. Few Seats are still available.

#### **Cantemus Chamber Choir Christmas Concert.**

Friday 9th December in St. Finbarr's Church Carrickmacross at 7pm. The performance will include Benjamin Britten's Ceremony of Carols, special guest Eimear Quinn, and local young singers. Donations for Carrickmacross Alzheimer's society.

#### **North and South in Harmony Christmas Concert**

The Farney Singers and South Ulster Sinfonia are joining together for a Christmas Concert in St Louis Convent Hall on the 3<sup>rd</sup> December at 8pm and the Tommy Makem Centre Keady on the 9<sup>th</sup> December also at 8pm. Tickets 10 Euro. Come along and enjoy a festive night of music.

**Santa's Magical Grotto** is open to families and Local Community **in Steadfast House** on Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> December from 12-3pm. Come along and visit Santa!! with a hot drink and festive music. All welcome.

**Broomfield Annual Carol service** in aid of SOSAD on Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> December 7pm in Broomfield Church.

**Inniskeen Parish Christmas Carol Service** Sunday 11th December 2016 at 7pm. (Please note the change of date for this event) in the Round Tower Church, Inniskeen. Special guest Lorraine Cotter and Donations if desired to Carrick Cancer.

**Christmas Market In The Phoenix Centre** 3rd and 4th December (There are some tables available for those who wish to participate contact 042- 9661981), The Christmas Market will take place 3rd December 11am-6am and 4th Dec 12p- 6am. A Fun day of shopping for all !!

**Killanny Playground Committee** are having their Christmas Market in the Playground on Sunday 11th of December from 2pm to 5pm - please note the date change. Stalls = €15 call Laura 0872488490 to book.

**Farney Ramblers A new walking group,** 'The Farney Ramblers' will meet every Tuesday morning at 9:25am outside the Carrickmacross Library to begin at 9:30am sharp. If you have any queries please do not hesitate to call Shane on (042) 9755126.

**St Michael Little Scholars** currently have 2 positions available in our service. Position **1: Part time childcare assistant**, 24 hours a week to cover maternity leave in December. **2: CE Worker required for childcare assistant**, 19&half hours a week. Contact 042 9692720 for more info. suitable for anyone 21years old & above claiming Social Welfare.

**Fitality FITCamp Fitness Class**, 11 am every Thursday Morning, The Phoenix Centre. All levels and ages welcome. First Class Free, Enquiries to Ali 0866013874 or Facebook.

**Carrickmacross Credit Union** Our Annual General Meeting will take place in **Inver College**, Carrickmacross (**note change of venue**) on **Monday December 12<sup>th</sup> at 8.00pm sharp**. Free Draw for all who attend on the night.  
**Senior citizens Christmas party** on Wednesday 7th December in the Valley Lodge at 7.30pm. If anyone needs transport please let Kitty Hand know.

**January courses - enrolling now** Cavan/Monaghan Education & Training Board are currently enrolling for part-time courses commencing from January in the Workhouse, including Accounting, Beauty, History, Spreadsheets and Work Experience. To enrol, or for further information, contact Kathy O'Malley at 047 71914 or [kathyomalley@cmetb.ie](mailto:kathyomalley@cmetb.ie).

<b>Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> December</b>	<b>11.00am</b>	
	<b>6.30pm Vigil Mass</b>	Patrick and Margaret Mc Kenna and John and Mary Mc Kay , Monaghan Street. Terence Mc Mahon , Corduffkelly.
<b>Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> December</b>	<b>9.30am</b>	Peter and Bridget Keenan, Leggimore and Tessie Markey and Mary Hoey.
	<b>12Noon</b>	<b>M.M.</b> Patrick Kennedy , 6 Abbey Place, Circular Road, Roscommon ( Formerly 18 Rockdaniel Road.) Seamus Brady , and deceased family, Longfield. Peter O'Hanlon, Creevy and deceased of O'Hanlon family, Creevy. Michael Joe Mc Donald, Mullinary. Patsy Martin and deceased of Martin and Mc Elroy families.
<b>Monday 5<sup>th</sup> December</b>	<b>10.00am</b>	Paddy Mc Donald and the deceased of the family Mullinary. Peter and Molly Molloy, Dublin. Baby Dean Finnegan Smith, 61 Drummon Etra ( Formerly Dundalk)
	<b>7.30pm</b>	
<b>Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> December</b>	<b>10.00am</b>	James amd Mae Hamill, and Patrick Hamill, Monagirr, Donaghmoynes.
<b>Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> December</b>	<b>10.00am</b>	Gerry Shevlin, Paddy Jeffries, Brigid and John Jeffries and deceased of Mc Cabe family, Lurgans.
	<b>7.30pm</b>	Greg Donnelly and deceased of family.
<b>Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> December The Immaculate conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary</b>	<b>10.00am</b>	Deceased of Marron family, Lisnaguivera.
	<b>7.30pm</b>	Mary Catherine and Noreen Carron, O'Neill Street. Anna Martin 21 Parnell Street and Castleblayney Road.
<b>Friday 9<sup>th</sup> December</b>	<b>10.00am</b>	
	<b>7.30pm</b>	Kathleen and Patrick Ward , Greaghdrumit, Bridget Shannon and deceased of Ward and Mc Geough families. Housewives Club " 50 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary" and remembering all deceased members. Michael Mc Entee, Farney Street.
<b>Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> December</b>	<b>11.00am</b>	
	<b>6.30pm Vigil Mass</b>	Bosco Malone, Drumgowna. Patrick and Cissie Hogan, Michelle Moore and Gerald Martyn , Mullingar and Galway. Peter Mc Nally , Castleblayney Road.
<b>Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> December</b>	<b>9:30am</b>	Deceased of the Jones family, Mullinary. Peter Shields, Nafferty. Peter Eva and Patsy Carolan and deceased grandparents.
	<b>12 Noon</b>	Oliver O'Rourke and deceased members of Heeran and O'Rourke families , Inniskeen.

**Recently Deceased:** Maura Brennan, Drumgowna . Pat Ward, Emyvale. Mickey Markey, Scotland ( formerly Emmett Street).  
Debhra King, Watford, England. Seamus Lynch ,Inniskeen.

