## **Parish of Machaire Rois**



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## The Parish Calendar: is available in the Church and the Parish Office.

**Saint Vincent de Paul Society** Saint Joseph's S.V.P. Conference here in Carrickmacross wishes to thank most sincerely you the public, for your generosity to our recent collection. Thank you to all the schools in town and country, to the organisations and shoppers in town for your donation of money and groceries, and the businesses for your great generosity again this year.

Further subscriptions can be sent directly to St. Joseph's Conference, or any member of the conference, and donations may also be placed in St Anthony's Box in the Church Porch.

We also wish to thank you the public for your support to Vincent's shop in O'Neill St. For donating un-wanted items and for purchasing the quality products on offer there.

Again thank you most sincerely, and may god bless you and your families throughout the year. Mass will be offered for all our supporters.

**Mona Donnelly** On the death of Mrs Mona Donnelly, Magheross Branch, and St Josephs Young Priest Society send condolences to all her family. Mona was a lifelong and active member of the Society. She took up presidency of the Society about 2002 and under her guidance the monthly meetings and activity were lovely and straight forward. We also expect a very sympathetic and appreciative acknowledgement from our head office in Merrion Square when they reopen this week.

Our local branches have requested Mass for the repose of Mona's Soul, and also ask all our members and contributors to attend her months mind on Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> Jan at 11am.

**Drop- In dementia service open on Co Monaghan.** A drop in information hub dealing with all issues relating

to Alzheimer's and dementia will open in Iontas, Castleblayney, Co Monaghan by the Alzheimer Society of Ireland (ASI). The Alzheimer Society of Ireland has had a Dementia Adviser service in Co Monaghan for the last two years and now this drop- in service means that advice and information on dementia will be more readily available. It is very important for people to get as much information as possible as it has been shown that people who seek information about the changes in their lives because of dementia have a better quality of life... The ASI urges people who have a diagnosis of dementia or family members who are caring for someone with dementia, to pop in and have a chat with Dementia Adviser, Maeve Montgomery. No appointment is needed and we guarantee that simple tips can make a big difference.

The Service is FREE of charge and open to all. The next information Hub dayS will take place on the  $20^{th}$  Jan,  $24^{th}$  Feb and  $24^{th}$  March.

**Farney Women's Group** resuming on Monday 16 Jan at 8.15pm.

**The Housewives Club** resuming on Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> at 8pm.

**Community Games** A new Community Games year has begun and with this the Jubilee year of the organisation, we have lots of exciting times ahead!! This year, we are launching a CG Youth Club Evening which will run weekly. To begin with, we aim to cater for the following events: Draughts (Boys & Girls aged 8-15), Chess (Boys & Girls aged 8-15), Table Quiz (Boys & Girls U14), Debating (Boys & Girls U14) and Projects (Boys & Girls aged 8-15). We also hope to organise Tag Rugby (Boys & Girls aged 8-13) with practises starting soon. Also Swimming [Boys & Girls ages 8-16] If your child/ children would be interested in any of the above activities, please text Lisa on 0877467281

**Pilgrimage to Medjugorje** 26th July to 2nd August 2017, departing from Dublin,  $\in$ 599 fully inc for 7 nights if deposit of  $\in$ 100 is paid before Feb 1st otherwise price of  $\in$ 649 applies.

Contact Marian Kane 0872713260.

## Part-Time Courses in Workhouse

Cavan/Monaghan Education & Training Board, (CMETB), are currently starting a range of part-time courses in the Workhouse, including Accounting, Communications, History, Introduction to Beauty and Spreadsheets. To enrol, or for more information, contact Kathy O'Malley from CMETB at 047 719 14 or kathyomalley@cmetb.ie

**Cookery Lessons** Learn to cook **healthy meals** Classes on 19<sup>th</sup> Jan from 7pm – 9pm. Please contact Michelle Cassidy on 086 2408271.

**Patrician High School 5k fun/run/walk** will take place on Sunday 29th January 2016 at 11am starting at Patrician High School. All welcome! **Beneficial Training Courses for Local People** Contact Margaret Comey, Enterprise Centre, 042–9746087.

Saturday 14 <sup>th</sup> January	11.00am	
	6.30pm Vigil Mass	Owen Mulholland , Longfield ( 1 <sup>st</sup> Anniversary) Klaidas Bakanas, 3 Railway Court ( 1 <sup>st</sup> Anniversary) Seamus Hanratty, Kingscourt Road.
Sunday 15 <sup>th</sup> January	9.30am	
	12Noon	May and Michael Swinburne and Mary and Patrick Marron, Mullinary. Peter and Roseanne Gilsenan, Aghalile. Susan and John Mc Nally and daughter Angela Guinan.
Monday 16 <sup>th</sup> January	10am	Frank and Annie Fealy, Maghaross, Thomas and Mary Duffy, Dundalk and daughter Catherine Hannraty, Crossmaglen and Seamus Duffy, Manchester.
	7.30pm	Frank and Kathleen Quinn, Enniskillen.
Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup> January	10.00am	
Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> January	10.00am	Deceased members of the Martin and McElroy families.
	7.30pm	Henry Boylan , Trostan. Mary, James, Seamus, and Martin Mc Guirk, Arva and Cronin family, Bermingham.
Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup> January	10.00am	Patrick , Elizabeth and Margaret Cooney, Cuchullian Terrace.
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> January	10.00am	
	7.30pm	Jim and Brian Cunningham, Mullinary and Brendan Larney. Letitia Mc Ardle and deceased of Mc Ardle and Duncan family.
Saturday 21 <sup>st</sup> January	11.00am	
	6.30 Vigil Mass	Phil and Annie Gartlan, Molly Kerley and Anna Jackson. Michael Kelly, Clonseady.
Sunday 22 <sup>nd</sup> January	9.30am	Nancy Ann Gartlan, No 3 Cloughvalley ( Ist Anniversary) Paddy Mc Daniel, Lurgans and deceased of Mc Daniel family, Derrylavin.
	12Noon	Matthew and Mary Tully , Drummond Etra . James Fox, 71 Cloughvalley. Michael J Lynch , Corcuillogue. Tom O'Brien , 39 Cloughvalley. Kitty and Kevin O'Rourke, Ballybay Road

**Recently Deceased:** Paul Mc Gahon, Sheffield. Fr Jim Shevlin, Omeath and Main Street. Mona Clarke, Castleblayney. Bridget (Bridie) Mc Cluskey, Cloniffe Road, Dublin and formerly Raferagh.

