# **Parish of Machaire Rois**



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### **PARISH NOTICES**

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#### <u>Mass tímes for Lent</u>

During Lent Mass will be celebrated each weekday at 7.15am and 10am.

<u>A Prayer for Lent</u>

#### Asking forgiveness.

For the times we have given up something for Lent and remained indifferent in the face of injustice and suffering. We ask your forgiveness, good Lord.

For the times we have pushed ourselves forward at the expense of others and have forgotten Your maxim "the first will be last and the last first".

#### We ask your forgiveness, good Lord.

For the times we have been too arrogant to admit to wrong doing and too proud to seek the way of repentance.

#### We ask your forgiveness, good Lord.

For the times we have glibly talked about the need for forgiveness and reconciliation without entering into the pain of injustice.

#### We ask your forgiveness, good Lord.

**Trocaire Box.** This year's trocaire box is adorned with images of people based in Ireland with the Words "Justice Fighters" highlighting the fact that these Irish based supporters and volunteers go to incredible lengths to protect the most vulnerable people in our World. Each face represents a genuine Trocaire supporter who gives regularly of their time and support to Trocaire through a variety of different roles in parishes, including volunteering, awareness raising, and fundraising or through their pastoral and teaching capacities. This year's box is both a recognition and a celebration of ordinary people who do extraordinary things in the pursuit of Justice. They are in effect Missionaries of Mercy.

Lenten Retreat days at Dromantine An opportunity to reflect and pray in the peaceful environment of Dromantine on important themes of Lent and to prepare for Holy Week and Easter. Please call (028) 30821964.

#### **Eucharist Ministers <u>REMINDER</u>**

Training for ALL Eucharistic Ministers (New and Existing ministers) will begin in the Shirley Arms Hotel Monday 15<sup>th</sup> Feb 2016 at 7.30pm. Thank you to all who have registered. Fr John Chester (Monaghan) will lead us in our preparation to serve as Eucharist Ministers. **Year Of Mercy** A Meeting is taking place in the Shirley Arms Hotel 24<sup>th</sup> February at 7.30pm. For all those attending, we ask you to contact the Parish office either in person or by phone, as this will help us determine the numbers attending.

Pilgrimage to Rome for the Year of Mercy – Places available with a group from Clogher Diocese on a fully quided visit to the Eternal City (24 – 31 October 2016). For information and booking forms. Please contact 042 97 41032 or contact@tullycorbetparish.com

**Faith and Light Fiesta** Today Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> February at 3pm in Steadfast House. All Welcome.

#### Franciscan Missionary Sisters for Africa

Sr Kathleen O'Sullivan, a Franciscan Missionary Sister for Africa, who has worked in Africa for many years, will speak at all the Masses on the weekend  $9/10^{\text{th}}$  of April. She will give first hand information on the spreading of the Good news in the African countries in which the Sisters work and will be most grateful for your financial support.

Father Ivin Building Fund Many thanks from Fr Ivin for donations received. Please pray for his mission. Contact Peadar if you have an offering of any size. Receipts will be given for all monies received. Contact number 087- 7741954.

World Youth Day - Poland July 18th - August 3rd With increased capacity, Clogher don Óige can now offer World Youth Day 2016 to all those 18 years old and over. We will be spending a week in the diocese of Poznan before heading to Krakow to celebrate with Pope Francis. Our price is €950 which includes all transport, accommodation, registration, fees and the World Youth Day package. Pilgrims are also required to attend two compulsory preparation days on March 19th and June 25th. Closing date for applications will be the end of February. For more information see our website www.clogherdonoige.com.

#### 25th Divine Mercy National Conference RDS

Ballsbridge Dublin 4 . Commencing Friday 19<sup>th</sup> –Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> February. Doors open 6.30pm, Confessions, Holy Mass, Adoration. For further details on transport please call 0870521981.

## The friends of Carrickmacross Cancer Society

**A Football match** featuring the former greats from the following clubs Corduff, Carrickmacross, Magheracloone, Killanny, Inniskeen, Donaghamoyne and Shercock will take place in Corduff <u>on Saturday 16th April.</u> Six or seven players from each club will take part.

**The 'Charity Family Fun Run 5 Km'** around Carrickmacross in May 15 was a huge success with a great turnout on the day for the walk/ jog / run. This event is popular with families and individuals who enjoy doing their bit for this great cause. This event will take place from the Shirley Arms on Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> May, starting at 11am.

**Flora Mini Marathon** on the bank holiday weekend in June, this annual ladies day in Dublin always has a great turnout! So keep Bank Holiday Monday, June the 6<sup>th</sup> free this year!

**Introduction to the 1916 Easter Rising:** CMETB are holding a free information night entitled "Introduction to the 1916 Rising" in the Carrickmacross Workhouse on 25<sup>th</sup> February from 7pm-10pm. For Booking please contact Kathy on 047-30888.

**Carrickmacross Lions Club Annual Table Quiz** Friday 19<sup>th</sup> February 2016 in the Shirley Arms at 8.30pm. 20 Euro per table. Great prizes on the night. Carrickmacross Lions supports Alzheimer's Patient Transport, Autism Summer Camp, Autism Assistance Dog Fund, Downs Syndrome Monaghan Branch and more.

Killanny Ultan Drama Circle presents Grainne Jordan's An Hour From Dublin on Friday 26th, Saturday 27th & Sunday 28th of February in Killanny Parish Hall at 8 o'clock - admission €10.00. Come on for a great night's craic and a cuppa.

**Sociable Souls** a group for developing social skills in children with autism , running every Wednesday in the childcare wellbeing centre, Castleblayney . For details call Julie on 0863923468.

Saturday 13 <sup>th</sup> February	11:00am	
	6:30pm (Vigil Mass)	Francie Gartlan, Magheross (1 <sup>st</sup> Anniversary) Jason Thornton, Killarue. Margaret Mc Kenna, Keady (1 <sup>st</sup> Anniversary).
Sunday 14 <sup>th</sup> February	9:30am	James and Bridie Mc Nally, Mullinary
	12 noon	May and Michael Swinburne and Mary and Patrick Marron, Mullinary.
Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> February	7.15am	Elizabeth Carville and Agnes Lennon.
	10.00am	Mc Cabe Family, Inniskeen.
Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> February	7.15am	
	10.00am	
Wednesday 17 February	7.15am	Niall J Haughey.
	10.00am	Eamon, Edward and Brigid Hughes, Castleblayney.
Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup> February	7.15am	
	10.00am	The Conlon family, Pearse Avenue.
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> February	7.15am	
	10:00am	The Murtagh family, Shantonagh and living and deceased neighbours and friends.
Saturday 20 <sup>th</sup> February	11:00am	
	6:30pm (Vigil Mass)	Mickey Rooney 42 Cloughvalley (Ist Anniversary). Mary and Michael Rooney, and Chrisie Myles and Helen Rooney. William,Mary,James and Brian Malone,Woodlands,and the Shevlin family, Pennybridge. Kevin Connolly, 12 O'Neill Street.
Sunday 21 <sup>st</sup> February	9:30am	M.M Nancy (Ann) Gartlan, 3 Cloughvalley.
	12 Noon	Eileen Duffy, Ardee Road ( 1 <sup>ST</sup> Anniversary) Brendan Larney, 14 Crann Nua. (1 <sup>st</sup> Anniversary) Frank and Annie Cunningham and deceased of Cunningham and Culleton families. Jack Hanratty, Emmett Street.



