

Parish of Machaire Rois



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Priest Seminar Priests of the Diocese will be attending a seminar on (Monday 9th April – 11th April 2018.)

Blessed Sacrament Procession will take place on the 27th May, and will be via Cloughvalley.

Dates For Diary 2018

First Holy Communion :

Scoil Rois : 12th May at 11 am (St Joseph's Church)

St Joseph's Boys National School: **19th May** at 11am (St Joseph's Church)

Bun Scoil Lughaidh Naofa 26th May at 11am (St Joseph's Church)

Confirmation 13th May at 3pm.

Bus to Knock on Divine Mercy Sunday, April 8th.

Leaving Shirley Arms Hotel at 8am. (Ballybay 7.30, Shercock 8.15). Cost €20. Limited number of seats available on a first come basis. Please contact **Clare 0860886846**, with your name, parish and mobile phone number ASAP.

Ceolchoirm Speisialta - Sat 21st April, 7.30pm, St. Joseph's Church, Carrickmacross Concert featuring duet Charles O'Connor on pipe organ & Padraig McGovern on uilleann pipes, Sabina McGovern on Harp, The Farney Choir, some talented students from the High School and other special guests. Admission is free, however donations are welcome on the night. Proceeds to the Patrician High School Sports Field Development Fund.

The Cemetery Council has a position available on Carrickmacross Local development Group. Applicants must be 21 years of age. Available to work parttime (19 1/2hrs per week) . Receiving a Social Welfare Payment for at least 1 year. The basic weekly wage is 215.50E , which may increase upon your circumstance. For further information please contact Eileen on 0429692510.

Pilgrimage to the Holy Land 10 day Pilgrimage to the Holy Land October 28th to November 6th inclusive Total price €1450.00 deposit €450.00 single room supplement €350.00. For bookings contact Philip 0872508043 or call Brenda Murray Flynn Phone: 041 6863390 Email: Brenda.murrayflynn@travelcounsellors.com

St Joseph's Young Priests Society First Friday 6th April in Teach Ui Bhriain after 10am Mass and our Annual Church Gate collection will take place the weekend of 7th & 8th April . Your continued support is much appreciated.

The Friends of Carrickmacross Cancer Society The next two events for our 2018 campaign.

Football Match A **Football match** featuring the former greats from the following clubs Corduff, Carrickmacross, Magheracloone, Killanny, Inniskeen and Donaghmoynne will take place in Corduff on Saturday 14th April at 6pm.

The '**Charity Family Fun Run 5 Km**' is popular with families and individuals who enjoy doing their bit for this great cause. and will take place from the Shirley Arms on Sunday 6th May, starting at 11am. (Sponsored by Andrew McAllister) €10 registration on the morning from 10am.

Time for a Challenge: Are you interested in becoming a Facilitator with **Accord Marriage Care Service**, Ireland's leading provider of marriage preparation courses? Would you like to share your positive married experience with engaged couples preparing for married life? Accord is now recruiting volunteers for its Pre Marriage Courses.

Professional training is provided - a certificate in Marriage Education accredited by Pontifical University, St. Patrick's College, Maynooth. **Contact Accord Monaghan 047 83359**, email accord.monaghan@eircom.net. See www.accord.ie.

Our Common Humanity- statement by the Irish Catholic Bishops Conference March 2018

Two lives, one love An expectant mother needs and deserves the care and support of everyone around her, particularly if her pregnancy poses a serious crisis for her and her family. A mother may be informed that her baby faces serious challenges or is perhaps terminally ill. She might be pregnant as a result of rape. Especially in those tragic cases both the mother and her unborn child can - and must - be loved and cherished. A compassionate society will do all in its power to support and love the mother and baby, and encourage responsible support from fathers. This vision of life makes sense to people of all faiths and none. While it is enriched by our Catholic faith, it is our common humanity that convinces us of the right to life of every human being.

Carrickmacross Cancer Society is holding the Annual Public Information Evening in the Shirley Arms Hotel, Carrickmacross on Friday , April 6th at 8.00pm. This year's guest speaker is Gráinne Coogan, Gráinne is Lung Cancer Co-ordinator in Our Lady's Hospital Drogheda.

Dr Laura Breen is delighted to announce that she has set up practice at *Carrick House family Practice*, 47 O'Neill Street (New street) ,Carrickmacross, tel 0429690222. Appointments only.Both private and GMS patients are welcome to apply to join the practice

Saturday 31st March		
	8 O'Clock	<i>Easter Vigil at 8 O'Clock</i>
Sunday 1st April <i><u>Easter Sunday</u></i>	9.30am	Denis, Catherine and James Nolan , 16 O'Neill Street. John Slevin, Bunclody and his parents John and Mary Slevin, Mullinary and deceased members of the Caulfield family , Luton, and baby Cian. Catherine and Joe Patton, Drumgowna. Colm and Mary Duffy, Mullinary.
	12Noon	Malachy Boyle and deceased members of the Boyle , Donaghy and Finnegan families and John Donaghy (<i>1st Anniversary</i>) Dan and Tommy Markey, St Macartan's Villas and Rita and James Dolan and deceased of the family , Emmett Road. Tom and Elizabeth Callan and Luke Brennan. Margaret and Bernard Byrne, Emmett Road, son Patsy and his wife Mary, grandson Bernard, and granddaughter Eileen Sheridan and great grandchildren , Lee and Ryan. Maura Flaherty , 5 Hillcrest Mullinary. Bernard , Margaret and Patsy Jackson , Magheraboy and Anna Jackson Rockdaniel Road.
Monday 2nd April	10am	
Tuesday 3rd April	10am	
Wednesday 4th April	10am	The Mc Eneaney Family . Cloughvalley Lower.
Thursday 5th April	10am	
Friday 6th April <i><u>First Friday</u></i>	10am 7.30pm	Peter and Roseann Gilsean, Aghalile. Hugh Mc Nally , Derryolam , Carrickmacross.
Saturday 7th April	11am	
	6.30pm	Mary Lynch , Lisanisk (1 st Anniversary). Mary Byrne , St Macartan's Villas (1 st Anniversary) , Patsy , Margaret , Bernard Senior , Bernard Junior, Eileen Sheridan , angels Lee and Ryan Kiernan- Byrne. Patrick and Alice O'Rourke and Fancie Gartlan and family, Magheross. Tom Quinn , Cloughvalley, Tom and Mary Quinn , Ballymackney. Paddy and Molly Fleming. Valentine (Val) Neary , 3 Parnell Street. Ryan Joseph Gartlan , 19 St Macartan's Villas. Mary Rodgers , Leo , Mary and Francie Montague. Tom, Nancy, Tim and Kevin Mc Cartney, Ardee Road. Patsy and Mary Mc Cabe , 10 O'Neill Street. Jim and Eileen Oliver, Drummond Etra.
Sunday 8th April	9.30	John Nelson , Leggimore and deceased of the Murphy family.
	12 Noon	Bernadette Mc Connon , Corcrin and Joseph and Rose Mc Connon. The Gainford and Mc Mahon families, Kingscourt Road. Barney and Margaret Tumulty and deceased family members , Derrylavin.

Recently Deceased: Rita Byrne, Rosslough, Louth.

