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In preparation for the World Meeting of Families we are having 3 Lenten evenings of reflection on the family in the world of today. These will be held in the Shirley Arms Hotel on Wednesday 28th Feb, Wednesday 7th March & Wednesday 14th March. We are inviting people to volunteer for these three sessions. They will begin at 7.30pm & finish around 9pm. Pope Francis has asked that we be inclusive in these gatherings so as to reflect the reality of family life in today's world

World Meeting of families National Collection

In order to help defray the costs associated with Ireland hosting the World Meeting of Families next August, a National Collection will be taken up in all churches throughout the country this weekend - 24/25 February.

Week Day Masses for Lent 2018

Early Morning: Mon – Friday **7.30am & 10am** .
Saturday Morning **11am**.

The Irish Guide Dogs for the Blind wish to thank the people of Carrickmacross for their generous response to the church gate collection on 17/18th Feb which amounted to €1302.69. Also a special thank you to our volunteer collectors who make this collection possible.

Penitential Service with Individual Confessions on Palm Sunday 25th March at 5pm

There will be a number of Priests available. We encourage as many as possible to avail of this opportunity of Spiritual preparation for the Feast of Easter .

Easter Confessions

Wednesday 28th March after 10am Mass.
Holy Saturday 31st March from 11am – 1pm.

Easter Ceremonies

Thursday 29th March – Holy Thursday

Mass of the Lords Supper : 3pm and 7.30pm.

Friday 30th March – Good Friday

Celebration of the Lords Passion : 3pm and 7.30pm.

Saturday 31st March- Holy Saturday: 8 O'Clock Vigil.

St Joseph's Young Priest Society, resumes on the 2nd March, in Teach Ui Bhriain after 10am Mass. Donations in aid of Vocations is greatly appreciated.

P.T.A.A . meeting in Teach Ui Bhriain Monday 26th Feb at 8pm.

Farney Women Group : Meeting on Monday night 26th .

Mass Duties March 2018

Collectors : Vigil :Paul Martin & Sean O'Hagan. **9.30am:** Jim Halligan , Larry Mc Dermott, Jim Hand. **12 Noon:** Michael Ward, Thomas Mc Gahon, Pat Conlon.

Readers Weekdays

Monday : Sr Adrienne
Tuesday: Mary Deighan
Wednesday: Noeleen Keenan
Thursday: Rosaleen Howorth
Friday: Marcella Connolly Fox
Saturday :

Vigil : Aaron Mc Givney.

Sunday: 9.30 Eileen O'Neill

12 Noon : Sheila Quinn

The friends of Carrickmacross Cancer Society

Football Match A Football match featuring the former greats from local clubs will take place in Corduff in mid-April, date to be arranged. The '**Charity Family Fun Run 5 Km**' take place from the Shirley Arms on Sunday 6th May, starting at 11am. **Flora Mini Marathon** is on the bank holiday weekend, Sunday this year, 3rd June. Entry form will appear in the Evening Herald on Saturday 14th March or you can go online and apply through www.vhiwomensminimathon.ie. entry closes early May.

Carrickmacross/ Corduff Community Games.

Talent area final will take place in Holy Family Hall on Wednesday the 28th February starting at 7 pm sharp. This is open to all Children from Carrickmacross/Corduff area age 6 to 16. Contact Lisamarie on 0877467381 for more information. Check our Facebook page , Carrickmacross/Corduff community games. **Youth Club** Continues every Thursday in Phoenix centre from 4-5. All Children from the area are very welcome. There is different Community games activities every week for all kids to enjoy. Donations of 2 euro each or 5 euro for family of 3 or more.

Rally for Life in Dublin 2pm Saturday 10th March 2018 to support the protection of life in our 8th Amendment in the forthcoming referendum. Assemble: Parnell Square North from 1:30 p.m. Rally Departs 2:00 p.m. via O'Connell St. to Merrion Square. Bus departs from Breffni House at 10:45a.m. Preceded by Mass in St Saviours Church, Dominic St at 12:30 p.m. See www.rallyforlife.net for details of speakers.

Killanny CPR (Rescheduled Run/walk) 25TH Feb at 10am. Starts at Killanny Hall. Entry Fee 10 Euro, under 12 FREE. Contact JB on 0851641545 for more details.

Coffee Morning in aid of Emer Mc Kenna's trip to Africa after 9.30 and 12 Noon Mass in Teach Ui Bhriain **this** Sunday 25th March Your support is very much appreciated.

Line Dancing Six week course , starting Wednesday 28th Feb at 7 O'clock in the Catholic Hall. No partner required, various style of dance, Contact 0876717807 for more details .

JOEL'S Crazy Crafts Carrickmacross , for more details on upcoming exciting classes , from Fashion design , knitting, crochet and Art classes , contact Orla 0877475772.

Saturday 24th February	11am	
	6.30pm Vigil Mass	M.M. Seamus Cassidy, 1 Cluain Aras , Donaghmoyne Road. Margaret and Joseph Gartlan , Cuchullian Terrace and deceased of the Mc Mahon and Gartlan families. Enda Mc Eneaney, Tullyallen. Mary Finnegan, Rakeeragh, Susan Finnegan, Ardross Avenue, Phil and Ann Mc Dermott, Emyvale. Patrick Mc Dermott England. Mary and Hughie Matthews, 30 St Macartan's Villas,their daughter Margaret and granddaughter Leah . Patrick Mc Mahon and the deceased members of the Mc Mahon family, Rockdaniel Road and Monaghan Street. Pat and Mary Shankey, 20 O'Neill Street.
Sunday 25th February	9.30am	Tom , Eileen and PJ Mc Cartney , Farney Street, and Eilish Goodman, Kingscourt Road.
	12Noon	M.M.Patsy Markey, Rosdreenagh, Carrickmacross. Tony and Jim Mc Evoy and deceased members of the Mc Evoy family, Lisanisk. Sean Hand , Corduff and Carrickmacross.
Monday 26th February	7.30am 10am	
Tuesday 27th February January	7.30am 10am	
Wednesday 28th February	7.30am 10am	Tommy Cassidy , late of Cullen and Carrickmacross. Peter Connolly, Carraghaata, Corduff.
Thursday 1st March	7.30am 10am	
Friday 2nd March February <u>First Friday</u>	7.30am 10am 7.30pm	
Saturday 3rd March	11am	Alec Birdy , late of Castleross and Shercock Road (1 st Anniversary) and his wife Ann Birdy. Seamus Mc Cabe.
	6.30 Vigil Mass	M.M. Peter Carolan , 70 Drummond Etra. Tom and Sue Hanratty and Pat and Mary Small. Peter , Rhona and Dermot Martin , O 'Neill Street and Adrian Martin, Lallylannigan. Paddy Dolan , Farney Street , Carrickmacross.
Sunday 4th March	9.30	
	12 Noon	M.M. Patrick Kierans , Railway Court , Donaghmoyne Road.

Recentley Deceased: Margaret Hosch, Oram, Castleblayney .

