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Mass for Lent :

Lent begins on Wednesday 1st March .

Mass times on Ash Wednesday 7am, 10am and 7.30pm.

During Lent Mass will be celebrated each weekday at 8am and 10am. (Monday- Friday)

Liturgy Group Meeting Monday 27th Feb at 8pm.

Journey Of Hope

St Joseph's Church Carrickmacross

Lent is a time for renewal of our Faith, with this in mind we have invited a number of guest speakers to share their experience of life with us.

Wednesday 8th March 7.30pm

Johnny Murtagh (Jockey, Trainer and Family Man)

God in everyday Life

Wednesday 15th March at 7.30pm

Helena Connolly (Youth Leader)-

The joys and challenges of faith for youth in 2017.

Wednesday 22nd March 7.30pm

Sr Bernadette Flanagan

A fresh approach to faith renewal and care of creation

Wednesday 29th March 7.30pm (Claudine Marron) ,

Wife, Mother and Church worker

Women in the Church Today

Wednesay 5th April 7.30pm (Fr Leo Creelman) –

From the market place to the Altar, his own personal journey to Priesthood.

Mass Duties for March

Collectors: Vigil Mass : Paul Martin, Sean O'Hagan

9.30am : Eddie Lee, Larry Mc Dermott. **12 Noon:**

Tommy Swinburne, Thomas Mc Gahon , Pat Conlon .

Readers: Weekdays

Monday Sr. Pauline

Tuesday Mary Deighan

Wednesday Noeleen Keenan

Thursday Rosaleen Haworth

Friday Marcella Connolly Fox

Sat Vigil Aaron Mc Givney

Sunday 9.30am Eileen O'Neill **12pm:** Sheila Quinn

Confirmation Pledge The Confirmation Pledge will be taken at all public Masses this Weekend in St Joseph's Church.

Carrickmacross Pioneer Council meeting in Teach Ui Bhriain Monday 27th at 8pm . All are welcome , people might consider taking a short- term pledge for Lent.

Diocesan Music Day: The re-scheduled Diocesan Music Day for choirs, musicians and all those who participate in the liturgy through the ministry of music, will take place in St Joseph's Pastoral Centre, Broad Road, Monaghan, on **Saturday 11 March 2017 from 10am until**

4.30pm. A wide range of liturgical music will be covered. Please make sure to register early - by contacting Deirdre Macklin at deirdremacklin@gmail.com or +353 47 89981.

Mini Lenten Novena 2017 1st- 5th March at the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Kingscourt.

1st March – Mass at 7pm – Guest speaker Aoghan O'Fearaghail, President of the GAA.

2nd March – Mass at 7pm- Guest speaker, Alice Taylor, Irish Novelist with her latest book Tea and Talk.

3rd March- International Womens day of special prayer at 7pm with guest speaker Sr. Enda Mullen.

4th/5th March- Bishop Willie Walsh , Emeritus Bishop of Killaloe will preside at the weekend Mass schedule.

Fund Raiser Night Friday 3rd March John Joe's Loft for Dara Breen Conlon mother of 7 Children who has been diagnosed with Cancer and going to Germany for treatment.

Penitential Service with Individual Confessions

Palm Sunday 9th April at 6pm

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 12th April : 10.30am -12 Noon .
6.30pm-7.30pm

Holy Saturday 15th April 11.30am - 1 O'Clock

Easter Ceremonies

Thursday 13th April – Holy Thursday

Mass of The Lord's Supper 3pm and 7.30pm.

Friday 14th April- Good Friday

Celebration of the Lord's Passion 3pm and 7.30pm

Saturday 15th April- Holy Saturday 8 o'clock Vigil Mass

Knock Pilgrimage to New York A special pilgrimage to New York from Knock will take place from 8th-14th May.

For more details , please contact 01 2410800.

Special Pilgrimage to Medjugorje May 30th for 7 Nights. Spiritual advisor Fr Paul Montague, contact James Mc Crave on 0872202173 for more details.

Study theology by distance learning , application deadline 28th Feb 2017 . For more details call

01 4048124.

Oliver Brady Memorial Cheltenham Preview Night', on Monday 6th March, 2017 at 7.30pm., in The Glencarn Hotel, Castleblayney, Co. Monaghan. Admission: €10 adult –Children under 16years free (must be accompanied by an adult).The proceeds of this fundraising will go towards keeping Oliver's promise for the charity to provide the First Global World Class Specialist DNA Gene Sequencing Machine to the Mater Hospital, Dublin.

Senior Citizens Party Wednesday 8th March at 8pm in the Day care Centre.

Saturday 25th February	11.00am	M.M. Patrick (Patsy) Ward, Lisnaguivera, Carrickmacross.
	6.30pm Vigil Mass	M.M. Joe Shankey, O'Neill Street. Margaret and Josephg Gartlan, Cuchullian Terrace and deceased of Mc Mahon and Gartlan families. Tom and Eileen and P.J Mc Cartney , Farney Street. Kevin Connolly, 12 O'Neill Street.
Sunday 26th February	9.30am	M.M. Kathleen Reilly, Ardee and Dunogue.
	12Noon	M.M. Eilish Goodman , Kingscourt Road. Sean Hand , Corduff and Carrickmacross.
Monday 27th February	10am	
	7.30pm	
Tuesday 28th February	10.00am	Maura and Patrick Lynott and Peter Connolly.
Wednesday 1st March	7am 10am 7.30pm	<i>Ash Wednesday</i> Mass at 7am , 10am and 7.30pm .
Thursday 2nd March	8am 10.00am	Confessions after 10am Mass for First Friday.
Friday 3rd March	8am 10.00am	<i>First Friday</i> Seamus Mc Cabe , Dundalk Road and London .
	7.30pm	No Evening Mass
Saturday 4th March	11.00am	
	6.30 Vigil Mass	Patrick , Catherine and Jim Gartlan, Castleblayney Road. Michael and Elizabeth O'Rourke , Palm Cottage Tirnadrola.
Sunday 5th March	9.30am	Denis , Breege and Declan Marron, 7 o'Neill Street and deceased members of the Marron Family.
	12Noon	M.M. Paul Mc Goldrick, Greaghdrummit, Carrickmacross. Tom and Sue Hanratty , Cloughvally and Pat and Mary Small , Mullaghbane.

Recently Deceased: Harry Nolan, Kilmactrasna. Mary Kellett, Corcrin. Frank Mc Court, Annyalla. Lily Scanlon, Surrey, England. Austin Mc Nally, Bray and Magheross.

