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Catholic Schools Week 29 Jan – 4 Feb 2017

The theme for Catholic Schools Week this year is Catholic Schools: Learning with Pope Francis to Care for Our Common Home. It is hoped that this theme will help schools to gain an understanding of the Pope's encyclical letter *Laudato Si'*. Parish communities are also invited to contribute through reflection, prayer and continued practical support. Catholic schools can play an essential role in shaping the future of our planet by working together to care for our common home. Our world is a gift from God and we are called to act as both stewards and protectors during our time here. It is our responsibility to care for our world and make it a better place for the next generation. Through the encyclical letter *Laudato Si'*, Pope Francis reminds us of the necessity and importance of caring for our common home.

Call for Community Projects under LEADER programme. Monaghan LEADER programme is open and are inviting Expression of Interests for community projects that support the provision and upgrading of community recreational facilities and infrastructure to facilitate better access and use of facilities in their community. Typical types of projects envisaged include; walking and running tracks, playgrounds, outdoor gym equipment and multi-purpose playing pitches. Further information on the call is available from www.midl.ie or by contacting Monaghan Integrated Development on 042 9749500. Completed Expression of Interest must be submitted by the **17th February 2017**.

Friday 3rd Feb is Feast of St. Blaise. Throats will be blessed during 10am Mass and a blessing will also take place at 3pm in St. Joseph's church

St Joseph's Young Priests Society Monthly collection will be taken up during meeting in Teach Ui Bhriain on Friday 3rd Feb after morning Mass 10.30am- 11.15am.

Carrickmacross Pioneer Council Meeting on Monday 30th Jan at 8pm in Teach Ui Bhriain. All Welcome.

Mass Duties February 2017

Collectors Vigil : Peter Gollogly, Paul Martin.

9.30am: Cathal Birdy, Francie Cassisy, Jim Halligan,

12Noon: Patsy Mc Kenna, P.J Mc Cluskey, Phil Gartlan.

Readers Weekdays:

Monday :Mrs Greta Murphy

Tuesday:Gus O'Gorman

Wednesday: Seamus Kelly

Thursday: Teresa Carolan

Friday: Kathleen Murtagh

Saturday: Marcella Connolly Fox

Vigil:Catherine Mc Hugh

Sunday Readers 9.30am: Michael Callan

12pm: Marcella Connolly Fox

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 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 20th Jan, 24th Feb and 24th March.

Bunscoil Lughaidh Naofa applications to the Board of Management for enrolment of your child in Bunscoil Lughaidh Naofa will be taken in the School, between 9am-12pm any day from Monday 23rd Jan- 6th Feb 2017.

Please bring your Childs Birth certificate and PPS number.

Matt Talbot prayer meeting has been changed from Monday night after Mass to Mon Morning after 10am Mass.

Senior citizens monthly party on Wednesday 1st February at 8 pm in the Day Care Centre Cloughvalley. Sponsored by I.N.T.O.

Magheraclone ladies Couch to 5k begins on Mon 6th of February, , ladies & men welcome, text Susan on 0876592549 or just come along on the night.

Line Dancing Classes have resumed in the Catholic Hall every Wednesday beginners 7pm- 8pm , advanced 8pm- 9pm. A variety of dances taught (pay as you go) for more details call 0876717807.

Mindful Motivation Self Development Course, (6 weeks course) Phoenix Centre Carrickmacross Starts Wednesday 1st February at 11am. Contact 0862408724.

Maintenance/Caretaking position available FÁS

Community Employment (CE) Maintenance/Caretaking position available in the Workhouse. Person must be over 25; able to work part-time (19½ hours per week), and receiving a Social Welfare payment for at least 1 year. Basic weekly wage €208 - may increase depending upon your circumstances. To apply, or for more information, contact Rosie at 042 969 27 65.

Saturday 28th January	11.00am	M.M. Mona Donnelly, Mullinary.
	6.30pm Vigil Mass	O'Rourke family , Annacroft. John O'Sullivan, 54 Highfield, and Patrick Mc Caffrey.
Sunday 29th January	9.30am	James and Bridie Mc Nally , Mullinary .
	12Noon	Jack and Kathleen Carolan and Patsy Martin. Peter Crosby , 36 St Macartan's Villas. James and Mary Brady and deceased of Brady family (Longfield). Joe O'Reilly , Castleblayney Road.
Monday 30th January	10am	
	7.30pm	James and Katie Kerley, Leggimore. Deceased members of the McKeivitt and Mc Kitterick families , Creevy.
Tuesday 31st January	10.00am	
Wednesday 1st February	10.00am	
	7.30pm	Kathleen , Philip and Tony Ward, Trostan.
Thursday 2nd February	10.00am	Confession after Mass for First Friday
Friday 3rd February First Friday	10.00am	Feast of St. Blaise , throats will be blessed during 10am Mass , and also will take place at 3pm.
	7.30pm	James and Mary Alice Finnegan, Drumcondrath Road. The Woods family , Sheetrim and the Finnegan family Broomfield. The Walsh family, Aghafad Patrick and Frances Gartlan, Rockdaniel Road.
Saturday 4th February	11.00am	
	6.30 Vigil Mass	Angela Dynan (nee O'Donaghue), Sligo and Carrickmacross. Patrick and Mary Josephine Deery and deceased of Derry and Daly families. Mary and Michael Rooney. Mickey Rooney 42 Cloughvalley, Chrissie Myles and Helen Rooney. Brendan Mc Sharry , Mullinary, Carrickmacross.
Sunday 5th February	9.30am	
	12Noon	Angela Woods , Drummond Etra . Eileen Mc Kenna (neeMulholland), Pearse Avenue and Belfast and her husband Michael Mc Kenna. Jane, James and Nuala Mc Keown , Rockdaniel Road and deceased members of the Mc Keown and Callan families.

Recently Deceased: Felix O'Donoghue, Trostan. Margaret Mc Eaney, Belfast (formerly Main Street). Joe Shanky 1 O'Neill Street. Eilish Goodman, Lurgans, Kingscourt Road.

