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Prayer for Pardon

"We ask forgiveness for the times that as a Church we did not show survivors of all kinds of abuse : compassion and the search for justice and truth through concrete actions" Pope Francis.

Towards Peace is a service offering spiritual support to those who have experienced abuse perpetrated by Church personnel, individually or institutionally. The vision of Towards Peace is to provide a safe supportive space for people and their families, whose spiritual life has been damaged by abuse. It is also a response to the continually growing understanding of the spiritual impact of the trauma of abuse. Towards Peace provides spiritual support through one-to-one spiritual direction sessions, with a qualified spiritual companion.

If you have been abused and would like a space to reflect on the impact of the trauma of abuse on your own relationship with God and spirituality, Towards Peace is here for you. . www.towardspeace.ie Tel: 01 505 3028. Mobile: 086 7710533 Up to twelve sessions are available and there is no fee.

St Vincent De Paul Contact number 0879171371

<u>Lenten Mass</u> Mass will be at 7.30am and 10am (Monday- Friday) There will be no Wookday Evening Mass's durit

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<u>Parish Mission</u> (St Joseph's Church Carrickmacrsoss) Sunday 24th March – Friday 29th March

Our Parish Mission will take place from Sunday 24th March – Friday 29th March. Everyone is welcome to our Parish Mission. People of all ages, those who have been in the Parish a long time, and those who are new to the Community.

If You are strong in Faith, you are welcome. If you are struggling or searching or have been hurt or disillusioned by the Institutional Church, you are welcome to the Mission. What we ask of you for this week, is a commitment to share your time in joining a rich variety of celebrations during the week. In

the coming weeks we will be distributing brochures outlining our Parish Mission and its celebrations. It is our hope that every home will receive this Information, **and this is where we need your help.** *Brochures will be available week of the* 4th *March in the Parish office.*

If you could help in your area, distributing brochures to your neighbours, relatives and friends then you have helped share this good news, and every home will receive an invite.

For more information, please contact the Parish Office. We look forward to coming together and working together as a community, to make our Parish mission special and rememberable for everyone.

Terry Cassidy Memorial Run next saturday, 9th March, the community of Co. Monaghan and the surrounding areas are invited to Tir Chonail Filing Station, Ardee Road, Carrickmacross. Between 1pm and 5pm, and you and your kids can get spins around the town in super cars! There will be refreshments, face painting and a D.J., and all proceeds from the bucket collections will be donated to C.R.Y. (Cardiac Risk in the Young) Charity.

Short Term Pledge for Lent, anyone wishing to take the short term pledge for lent contact Jim 0876734553, Pat 0871610467.

Carrickmacross Lions Club Pub Quiz March 8th at 8.30pm in the Shirley Arms Hotel.

"SOSAD (Save our Sons and Daughters) Carrickmacross are hosting a Charity Fun Run in Carrickmacross on St Patricks Day starting at 10.30am, registration in the Phoenix Centre from 9.30am.

An Lochrann Linn Band GALA BALL celebrating 40 years on Easter Sunday April 21st at 7pm in the Nuremore Hotel. Tickets on sale soon

Carrickmacross St. Patrick's Day Parade 2019 March 17th @ 3pm. To take part please call 042-9661236 or email carrickmacross@monaghancoco.ie.

A free online Catholic bible study called "Genesis to Jesus" is starting on Ash Wednesday. Two short programs will be emailed to you each week during lent. To sign up please visit <u>www.stpaulcenter.com/streaming</u> and enter your email address.

New Age Friendly Strategy, Social services meeting on Tuesday 5th March (Shirley Arms) 11am-12.30pm. All Welcome **Senior Citizens** <u>will not be on the first Wednesday</u> in March as it is Ash Wednesday. Re scheduled for Wed 13th March 8pm.

Saturday 2 nd March	11am	M.M. Gerry O'Reilly, Lisgall , Carrickmacross.
	* 6 pm Vigil	M.M . Oliver O Hanlon , Cuchulainn Terrace. Peter , Rhona and Dermot Martin , O'Neill Street and Adrain Martin, Lattylannigan John and Rose Ann Traynor, Rockdaniel Road, Cloughvalley.
Sunday 3 rd March	9.30am	
	12Noon	Oskaras Kuzmenko (Birthday Rememberance) Sean Hand Corduff.
Monday 4 th March	10am	Hugh and Mary Halpin, Ardee and deceased members of family.
Tuesday 5 th March	10am	
Wed 6 th March <u>Ash Wednesday</u>	7.30am 10am 7.30pm	
Thursday 7 th March	7.30am 10am	James, Dolly, Moses, Pabo, Colette and Eileen Duffy, late of Main Street, Carrickmacross and deceased members of the Duffy and Hoey families. Frank and Kathleen Quinn, Enniskillen.
Friday 8 th March	7.30am 10am	
Saturday 9 th March	11am	M.M. Alice Finegan, Donaghmoyne Road.
	*6.00 Vigil	Catherine and Jimmy Chambers, Dunogue. Peadar Mc Eneaney, Rockdaniel Road and John and Annie Mc Eneaney, Pearse Avenue. Michael and Elizabeth O'Rourke, Corduff and deceased members of the O'Rourke family. Mary Mc Connell, 11 Drummond Etra. Patrick, Catherine and Jim Gartlan, Castleblayney Road.
Sunday 10 th March	9.30am	Peter and Mary Malone and deceased members of the Malone family.
	12Noon	Detta Doyle , 19 Ard Ross Avenue. Frank and Babs Jones, Church Street, Carrickmacross, and deceased memners of the Scotson amd Naughton families.

Recently Deceased: Lorcan Callan, Chiago, USA (Late of Corduff). John Steele, Drumgar, Louth. Michael kelly, Knockcroghery, Co Roscommon. Michael Smith, London and Ardee. Fintan Tavey, Castleblayney. Owen Martin , Drogheda. Terry Mc Cabe, Kingscourt. Kathleen Tuohy, London.

Lenten Prayer

Jesus, during these weeks of Lent, we walk with you and you with us.

Stay close to us so that through your warmth the winter cold of our sins might be replaced.

May we share in your new life when we arrive together at Easter.

We ask this through Christ Our Lord. Amen.

