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**Healing Mass with Aointing of the Sick at 4pm Sunday 4th September in St Josephs Church Carrickmacross**

**A copy of this weekend’s readings are available in the church.**

**( Beside Newsletter )**

## St Joseph’s Carrickmacross St Michael’s Corduff St John’s Raferagh

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**Sunday September 4th 2022 – 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Weekly Reflection –**

**“YES, I AM A CATHOLIC!”**

There is an attitude abroad in our country that one can be a Catholic on a part-time or occasional basis. It is the attitude that claims one can be a good person without adhering to the beliefs and commandments of God. This attitude says that one can be a Catholic when it suits. Unfortunately this is nonsense, and anyone who claims that they can have it both ways are fooling themselves and no-one else. The Gospel is crystal clear today : “He who does not carry his cross, who refuses to give up his possessions, cannot be my disciple”

Self-righteousness and pride are often the possessions that blind us to the task we face in living out the message of Jesus Christ in our daily lives. It is not enough to say “I am a Catholic”, we must also put into practice the morals and values of our faith in our everyday life – no matter where we find ourselves!!

Fr Shane

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| **Saturday 3rd** | **11am** | **Morning Mass** |
| **Saturday 3rd**  |  **Vigil**  **6pm**  | Michael Martin, Kilmactrasna; Patrick and Teresa Callan, formerly of Drumgowna and Cuchulainn Terrace, Carrickmacross; Liz Mc Geown, Crann Nua, Carrickmacross. |
| **Sunday 4th Sept**  |  **9.30am** | Teresita Kelly, Tiragarvan |
| **Sunday 4th Sept**  |  **12 Noon** | Margaret and Larry Hand , Beech Drive and deceased members of the Hand and Shankey families and Susan Mc Mahon **Healing Mass with the Anointing of the Sick at 4pm ; All Welcome** Holy anointing oil Chrism Mass Baptism, baptism, cross, oil png | PNGEgg |
| **Monday 5th Sept**  |  **10am** | **The People of the Parish;** Siobhan Mc Connon, Lisanisk, her grandparents Murtagh and Helena Montgomery. Anthony Holland Kennyleduff. Carrickmacross. |
| **Tuesday 6th Sept**  |  **10am**  | **Morning Mass ;**  |
| **Wednesday 7th**  |  **10am** | Jim and Gary Sheehan, Kingscourt Road |
| **Thursday 8th**  |  **10am**  | **Morning Mass;** |
| **Friday 9th**  |  **10am** | **Morning Mass;** |
| **Friday 9th**  |  **7.30pm**  | **Evening Mass;** |
| **Saturday 10th** |  **11am** | **Morning Mass;** |
| **Saturday 10th**  | **Vigil 6pm**  | **(M.M.)** **Hilda Mc. Cartney, Tiragarvan**; Shane and Brendan Cashell; Baby Jiovan Shields (Birthday Remembrance) and deceased members of the Shields, Quindao, Jugar, Quineones, Daltuya, Quinio and Samson families;Jimmy Ross and deceased members of the Ross and Healy families. |
| **Sunday 11th**  |  **9.30am**  | Jim and Annie Conlon Patrician Drive. |
| **Sunday 11th**  | **12 Noon**  | Francie Cassidy (1st Anniversary) Dundalk Road, and deceased members of the Cassidy family; Brendan Mc Mahon and his parents James and Bernadette Mc. Mahon Lisanisk; Cecilia Marron, Highfield. |

**Recently Deceased** : T.K. Joseph (India)

**Lough Derg Faith and Light Day next Sunday 11th September**. Open to all past and present members and to anyone with special needs accompanied by family or friends. Delighted to be back in action. Contact Clare 0860886846 for further information before Wednesday 7th September."

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| **Mass Time Corduff / Raferagh** **Mass will be celebrated on Wednesday Evening at 7.30pm (alternating) \* see updated schedule below for dates \*** **Sunday at 11am (alternating)**  **Live streaming is now available to be viewed Via** [https://www.carrickmacrossparish.ie/our-parish/web-cam/](http://click.accelo.com/ls/click?upn=F705whivLCzitx43dYBoC-2BbpVaj2VC-2ByUg7vvtDVPf6kFCF8sodeivqP8JVV-2BClLYInSeRPhnTr4bhfDRGQ6rw-3D-3DVOjt_rLLhlT0c7VL-2FEoxTkukWaQ4MPhvmVWN43dY62PEd8EaY4TWgPhCoWRHtiaSkjlsdvvkc6OK9GD2ICztKmmmppraQosFGRsVij6vg7n1htba2IAcOUjN4CqJmxrUlu3GDAt2mfWEGcoXppaKf0-2Fq5-2FDFKHj5pFGz1TNNTKzE9tzqWpQzhezUzjdGDURwoTntLrFHedzgKevNARMZkzD1GuW1jFfo-2FPtDLvR5YJxuSmEsFou6RoQ-2Bsx90XHTpLPufLOnf-2BkBZeYd214QloRwRWkbkrv70WZd9gOCV-2BdTlgn4nLHFN9mpwOcJRdZ4R4jVjI) or [www.churchservices.tv/carrickmacross](http://www.churchservices.tv/carrickmacross) **Should you have any difficulty accessing the live streaming please contact via email directly to****Support@churchservices.tv**  |

**Mass Intentions**

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| **Sunday 4th Sept** |  **11am** **Corduff**  | **M.M Ellen Mc Nally , Corkishbane, Corduff** .Barney Clinton, Greaghlane; Michael and Rose Reilly, Theresa Reilly and deceased members of the Reilly family; James and Minnie Marron and deceased members of the Marron family and deceased members of the Heirty family, Ardragh, & USA. |
| **Wednesday 7th September**  | **Raferagh** **7.30pm** | **Private Intention** |
| **Sunday 11th September**  | **Raferagh** **11am**  | Michael McEnaney Raferagh; Tommy McEnaney and deceased members of the McEnaney family. |
| **The rosary will continue at St. Pio’s Grotto on the 5th of September,at new time of 7.30.Everyone welcome.** |

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Corduff/ Raferagh**

Will take place ***each Wednesday evening*** in Corduff/Raferagh 5pm until Mass at 7:30pm.

 **Adoration in Blessed Sacrament Chapel (St Josephs)**

The Blessed Sacrament Chapel opening hours are: Monday 9-10am, Tuesday 9am-7pm, Wednesday 9-10am, Thursday 9-10am, Friday 9-10am, Saturday 10-11am and Sunday 1-6pm.**.**

**Healing Mass with the Anointing of the Sick.**

**This Sunday 4th September at 4.00pm in the afternoon, we will have a special Mass in St. Joseph’s Church, Carrickmacross, where we will celebrate the Anointing of the Sick**. The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick is one that is underused among our faithful. The Oil of the Sick is one of the three oils blessed by the Bishop at the Chrism Mass each Holy Thursday. This oil is distributed to every priest and parish in the diocese, along with the Oils of Chrism and Catechumens, used in Baptism and Confirmation.

The Anointing of the Sick is a very special celebration which dates back to the earliest days of the Church. For many the Anointing of the Sick was understood as Extreme Unction, to be used only in danger of death. The Sacrament is much greater than those limited occasions and is to be used as the occasion of healing for any one experience sickness or ill-health.

As such we will invite all those from our faith community who wish to avail of this healing to come along on Sunday 4th September @ 4.00 pm to experience the healing of Christ through this wonderful Sacrament.

We hope that those who are on the First Fridays Sick and Housebound lists will attend, and anyone else who feels they could benefit from the Anointing, to come along to the celebration

**Lough Derg Tuesday 13th September** To Book , please contact Pauline O’Hagan 0879499335 or Pauline Fox 0863669875

**One Day Retreats at Lough Derg**: One Day Retreats have resumed on Lough Derg, and continue on selected dates until the end of September: August 28 & 29 | September 3, 7, 10, 13, 17, 18, 24 & 25. Booking is essential. Admission fee of €45pp includes all refreshments, lunch, return boat service, full retreat programme, free car & coach parking. Boats available from 9.15am on the day; retreat begins at 10.30am. For booking and further information: by phone +353 (0)71 9861518 online: www.loughderg.org email: info@loughderg.org

**Senior citizens part** on Wednesday 7th September in  the Ceilidh centre, Cloughvalley at 7.30 p.m

**Youth2000 Prayer meeting Friday 9th September.** Holy Hour of prayer led by young people in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel at 6:15pm, Holy Mass at 7:30pm in St. Joseph’s, followed by refreshments - an opportunity to meet young people of faith. For youth aged 16-35 to join for prayer, reflection, music & fellowship. Focusing on the motto of Youth2000: 'Youth leading youth to the heart of the Church'. We hope you can join us **Carrickmacross Bridge Club re-opens** Thursday 8th September 7pm Shirley Arms Hotel

**Golden Jubilee Party for Fr Peter Corrigan:**Fr Corrigan was 50 years a priest in 2020, however, due to Covid it was not possible to have a celebration at the time. A Golden Jubilee is now planned for Sunday the 9th October @ 3pm, beginning with a mass in Killeevan and food and entertainment for everyone in the Acorn Centre, Newbliss, afterwards. Fr Peter is a very saintly and generous man who served with great distinction in a number of appointments for the past 50 years and is fondly remembered by everyone especially the young through his love for sport. Fr Peter has a great love for Corduff his native place. The People of Killeevan would like to invite Fr Peter’s family and everyone form Corduff / Raferagh / Carrickmacross to join them in marking the Golden Jubilee of their native son Fr Peter one of the greatest men of all time.  Everyone is invited and encouraged to come along and support and help Fr Corrigan, celebrate fifty years of priesthood. The Golden Jubilee party will be a, Harvest Thanks Giving, at the end of his 50 years to give thanks for the great work he has done at the service of God and God’s people throughout the diocese. So the people of Killeevan want to encourage you all to come along and join in this very happy and worthy celebration for Fr Peter. All roads lead to Killeevan then on Sunday the 9th October @ 3pm, to join and help Fr Peter celebrate this significant milestone in his life and ministry.

**Safeguarding Meeting- Wednesday 7th September & Wednesday 14th September at 7pm Important Notice**

A safeguarding Meeting with take place on Wednesday 7th September and a second meeting on Wednesday 14th September in The Workhouse **Carrickmacross at 7pm**

This meeting is for ***all Eucharistic Ministers, Choir Masters, Liturgy Readers, and Sacristans.***

**Training and Guidance will be given, by a member of The Diocesan Safeguarding Team.**

**It is important for all those working or volunteering within our Faith Community to attend, as the Diocese of Clogher is committed to the safe guarding of Children and Vulnerable Adults**

**Mass Duties for September Daily Mass Readers :** Mon- Gretta Murphy. Tues- Pat Cotter, Wed- Joanne Mundy, Thurs – Teresa Carolan Friday am – Pat Kerrigan; Friday pm Teresa Linden ; Sat- Anna O’Reilly **Weekend Readers** : Vigil- Bernard Marron. 9.30am Jim Hand, 12 Noon - Malachey Marron **Collectors** ;Vigal Paul Martin. 9.30 Paul Martin, Terry Kiernan, John Scully.

12 Noon- Gerry Cassidy, Ollie Swinburne, Sylvester Mc Mahon . **We are in need for more collectors for our Vigil Mass Collection, please contact Malachy or our Sacrastans if available to collect.**