

# The Parish Of Machaire Rois

Faith  
Hope  
Love

**2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time.**

**Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> January 2025.**

**A copy of this weekend's readings are available in the church. (Beside Newsletter)**

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## **Weekly Reflection.**

**Catholic Schools Week 2025 begins today, Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> January.**

Catholic Schools Week this year falls right at the start of the Jubilee Year 2025 with its theme "Pilgrims of Hope".

Hope brings all sorts of energies with it: optimism, positivity, enthusiasm, courage, resilience, motivation. It is the gift that keeps on giving.

Our schools provide the ideal environment for giving the gift of hope to one another. Schools can 'work on' hope, develop it, pray for it, spread it and show it in the way the school community journeys together as "pilgrims of hope". Hope can be the light that shows us the way, the energy that keeps that light burning brightly, a vehicle to carry us on our way.

We pray that our Catholic Schools continue to be places of hope, love and learning where all are welcomed with deep respect and care.

Fr. Owen Joe.

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<b>Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> January.</b>	<b>11.00am.</b>	<p><b>AM.</b> Patsy Ward, his parents Patrick &amp; Annie Ward, Lisnaguivera, his brother Mickey &amp; his sister-in-law Bridie, Coolfore.</p> <p><b>AM.</b> Andrew Campbell, Drummond Radhairc.</p> <p><b>AM.</b> Seamus Hamilton, Ballybay Road, &amp; deceased members of the Hamilton &amp; Connolly Families.</p> <p><b>AM.</b> Jim Dolan, 3 Pearse Avenue.</p> <p><b>Remembrance Mass:</b> Patrick McKenna &amp; all the deceased members of the Carrickmacross Bridge Club.</p>
<b>Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> January</b>	<b>6.00pm.</b>	<p><b>AM.</b> Gerry McGee, his parents John &amp; Josephine &amp; sister Teresa McGee.</p> <p><b>AM.</b> Michael Kelly, Clonseady, Magheraclonee.</p> <p><b>AM.</b> Matthew &amp; Mary Tully, Drummond Otra.</p> <p><b>AM.</b> Terry &amp; Brian McMahan, Corduffkelly.</p> <p><b>AM.</b> Jim &amp; Brian Cunningham, Mullinary.</p> <p><b>AM.</b> Seamus Hanratty, Kingscourt Road.</p>
<b>Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> January.</b>	<b>9.30am.</b>	<b>Remembrance Mass:</b> Louisa Kieran, & Martha McEntee, Margaret O'Reilly & Kate Doherty.
<b>Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> January.</b>	<b>12Noon.</b>	<p><b>AM.</b> Felix O'Donoghue, Dundalk Road.</p> <p><b>AM.</b> Mary &amp; Tom O'Brien, Rockdaniel Road.</p> <p><b>AM.</b> Tom &amp; Nan Kelly, Bridget, Joe &amp; Joseph Hornyak, John &amp; Mark Bonner, &amp; deceased members of the Kelly Family, Lisanisk.</p> <p><b>AM.</b> Rosaleen &amp; Peter O'Hanlon &amp; deceased members of the O'Hanlon Family, Creevy, &amp; Vincent Shields, Athenry, Co. Galway.</p> <p><b>AM.</b> Mick Gormley, Cloughvalley &amp; Anne Loy.</p> <p><b>AM.</b> Kevin &amp; Kitty O'Rourke, Ballybay Road.</p> <p><b>AM.</b> Remigijus Bunys.</p> <p><b>AM.</b> Peter Crosby, St Macartan's Villas.</p>
<b>Monday 20<sup>th</sup> January.</b>	<b>10.00am.</b>	<b>AM.</b> Gene & Letita McArdle, Main Street, & the deceased members of the Durkin & Pearce Families, Main Street, Carrickmacross.
<b>Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> January.</b>	<b>10.00am</b>	<p><b>AM.</b> Ann Lang, Drumcargy.</p> <p><b>AM.</b> Brian Logan, &amp; deceased members of the Logan Family.</p>
<b>Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> January.</b>	<b>10.00am.</b>	<b>AM.</b> Dymrna Murphy, & deceased members of the Murphy Family.
<b>Thurs 23<sup>rd</sup> Jan.</b>	<b>10.00am.</b>	<b>Morning Mass.</b>
<b>Friday 24<sup>th</sup> January</b>	<b>10.00am.</b>	<p><b>AM.</b> Anna &amp; Thomas Coleman, &amp; deceased family members.</p> <p><b>AM.</b> Kathleen Carolan &amp; her brother Patsy Martin, Kilmactrasna.</p>
<b>Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> January.</b>	<b>11.00am.</b>	<b>Mass for the People of the Parish.</b>
<b>Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> January</b>	<b>6.00pm.</b>	<p><b>AM.</b> John Dolan, 7 Castleblayney Road.</p> <p><b>AM.</b> Seamus Cassidy, Donaghmoyne Road, his daughter Ciara Walsh, Corduff.</p> <p><b>AM.</b> James &amp; Mary Brady, Longfield, &amp; deceased family members.</p> <p><b>AM.</b> Susan Finnegan, her husband Peter Finnegan, Ardross Avenue, &amp; deceased members of the McDermott &amp; Finnegan Families.</p>
<b>Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> January.</b>	<b>9.30am.</b>	<p><b>AM.</b> John &amp; Susan McNally, &amp; their daughter Angela Guinan, Main Street, &amp; Deceased Members of the McNally &amp; McGinnity Families.</p> <p><b>AM.</b> Jane, James &amp; Nuala McKeown, Rockdaniel Road, &amp; deceased members of the McKeown &amp; Callan Families.</p> <p><b>AM.</b> Gerry &amp; Mary O'Reilly, Lisgall, &amp; Deceased Members of the O'Reilly Family, Carragartha, &amp; Marron Family, Leggimore.</p>
<b>Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> January.</b>	<b>12Noon.</b>	<b>AM.</b> Edward O'Neill, Mullinary Road, remembering his parents Eddie & Margaret O'Neill, & deceased members of the O'Neill Family.

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<b>Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> January.</b>	<b>12Noon.</b>	<p><b>AM.</b> Anna Clinton, "An Glann", Cloughvalley, &amp; Deceased Members of the Clinton Family, Comertagh.</p> <p><b>AM.</b> Breda Kelly, Lisanisk &amp; her parents Phil &amp; Rois McMahon.</p> <p><b>AM.</b> Seamus Cunningham, 50 Cloughvalley.</p> <p><b>AM.</b> Kathleen Reilly, Ardee, &amp; deceased members of the Crawley Family, Dunogue.</p> <p><b>AM.</b> Eilish Goodman, Kingscourt Road, &amp; deceased members of the McCartney Family, Farney Street.</p>
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**Recently Deceased:** Elaine O'Reilly, Convent View.  
Peggie McGuigan, Knocknacran, Magheraclone.  
Pat Ward, Tullamore, formerly Donaghmoynne.  
Terence Montgomery, Cornwall, England.

### Mass Time Corduff / Raferagh.

**Sunday at 11am (alternating)**

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<b>Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> January.</b>	<b>Corduff 11.00am.</b>	<p><b>Months Memory</b> Ann Finnegan, Cornalaragh.</p> <p><b>1<sup>st</sup> AM.</b> Katie Cooney, Carrickartagh, Corduff.</p> <p><b>AM.</b> Benny &amp; Nancy Ann Gartlan &amp; deceased members of the Gartlan Family.</p> <p><b>AM.</b> Larry &amp; Maggie Callan, their son Lorcan, daughter Rosemary Rafferty &amp; deceased members of the Callan Family, Corbane.</p>
<b>Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> January.</b>	<b>Raferagh. 11.00am.</b>	<b>AM.</b> Anne Monaghan, Corlea.

### Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Corduff/ Raferagh.

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

**Rosary In St Joseph's Church: Monday – Friday at 6.30pm.**



### Adoration in Blessed Sacrament Chapel. (St Josephs.)

The Blessed Sacrament Chapel opening hours are as follows.

**Monday: 9am. - 10am. Tuesday: 9am. - 7pm. Wednesday: 9am.10am.**  
**Thursday: 8am. - 10am. Friday: 8am. - 10am.**  
**Saturday 10am. - 11am. and 5pm. – 6pm. Sunday 1pm. - 6pm.**

**Catholic Schools Week 19<sup>th</sup> – 25<sup>th</sup> January 2025:** This year's theme for Catholic Schools Week is "**Alive in Christ**". Reflecting on this theme, Catholic schools will explore what it means to be fully alive as a human being – living life to the full in Christ. Sensitive to the age appropriateness of the various classes and years, the theme will explore how we exist for one another in Christ, building from the wellbeing of the individual, extending the notion of true wellbeing to others, to our families and communities, and to The Other, in God. The theme will mediate on hope, the true purpose and meaning of human life, and, in the more senior years, on true freedom.

**The Annual Week of Prayer for Christian Unity:** continues **until Saturday 25 January 2025.**

This year of 2025, in addition to being a Jubilee Year based on the theme 'Pilgrims of Hope', is also the 1700<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the first Ecumenical Council of the Church, the Council of Nicaea, held in 325. That Council gave us the Nicene Creed which we profess on most Sundays and other Solemnities. Fittingly, the theme for the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity this year is "**Do you believe this?**", based on the Gospel of John 11:17-27 and Martha's confession of faith to Jesus. Within the Diocese of Clogher, St. Michael's Parish and Mgr Peter O'Reilly will host an event for Christian Unity week. It will be held on **Thursday 23rd January at 7.30pm in St. Michael's Church, Enniskillen.**

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## **Jubilee Year of Hope 2025.**

**Pope Francis has declared 2025 to be a Holy or Jubilee Year.** A Jubilee Year is one set aside by the Church as a time of special grace, to encourage us all to embark on pilgrimages, to repent for our sins, to forgive and be reconciled with one another and to renew the spiritual life. The theme for the Holy Year is "**Pilgrims of Hope,**" thus bringing to the fore the journey of life that we are all on and our need to be people of hope, a hope rooted in the person of Jesus Christ. Pope Francis opened the Holy Door at St Peter's in Rome on Christmas Eve, marking the opening of the Jubilee Year. Some online resources for the Jubilee Year are now available on [www.clogherdiocese.ie/jubilee2025](http://www.clogherdiocese.ie/jubilee2025) .

**South Monaghan Pioneer Council:** meeting on Monday January 20<sup>th</sup> at 8.00pm in Teach Uí Bhrian. All are welcome. Presentation of Pioneer Pins 10 to 60 years in St Joseph's church after 6.00pm Mass on Saturday February 8<sup>th</sup>. Apply by January 27<sup>th</sup>. Contact Jim Halligan 0876734553 for Pins or any other information.

**Patrician High School Parents' Association: Table Quiz January 24<sup>th</sup> at 7.45pm** in the Patrician High School, **€30.00 per Table.** Prizes, Raffle and Refreshments. In Aid of Student Counselling Support. Friends, Family and Children are welcome.

**St Enda's Prayer Group Killanny: Group Pilgrimage to Medjugorje:** with Fr Nelson Obibueze as Spiritual Director. July 2025. Price €775.00 per person sharing (single room supplement €170.00) not including travel insurance; €35 up to 79 years, €70 up to 80-94 years. Includes return flights from Dublin, 7 nights' Accommodation with Breakfast and Dinner, a Marian pilgrimage Guide and 24-Hour support throughout your stay, all Airport and local taxes. Booking deposit of €200 before 31<sup>st</sup> January 2025. Price increases to €825.00 after 1<sup>st</sup> February 2025. Contact 018788159, 0872345930 for more information.

**Aughnafarcon National School & Aspire Afterschool -Enrolment for September 2025.** now open until 12th February. The School will be open for viewing on Thursday 30th January 3pm-4pm and 7pm-8pm. Application forms are available on request by emailing [aughnafarcon.n.s@hotmail.com](mailto:aughnafarcon.n.s@hotmail.com) or contact the school office on 042 9743639. *Inspiring success at the LITTLE school with a BIG HEART.*

**Clogher don Óige Young Adult Jubilee Pilgrimage to Rome 26 July - 5 August 2025:** A limited number of places available for a 10-day pilgrimage to Rome for the Jubilee Year, open to young adults (18-30) a full pilgrimage programme including events with Pope Francis. Join over 1.5 million young people from across the world who are expected during these days to come together to celebrate their faith. More details at [www.clogherdonoige.org/rome2025](http://www.clogherdonoige.org/rome2025) or email [james@cdo.email](mailto:james@cdo.email)

**Mass Cards, Mass Bouquets and Get-Well Mass Bouquets:** signed by the Priests of the Parish are available in the Parish Office with suggested offering €15.00 (this includes price of card). All Mass Intentions are celebrated individually.

**Safeguarding Review:** If you wish to report a child safeguarding concern, please contact Deirdre Boyle 0044 777 5507445, or Anne Molloy 0044 787941 3855 or An Garda Síochána 00353 1 663430, · PSNI 028 90650222, · TUSLA 00353 47 30475· Western Health and Social Care Trust 028 7131 4090.

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