

# Parish of Machaire Rois



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## PARISH NOTICES

**St Vincent De Paul Contact number 0879171371**

### *Mass times for Lent*

During **Lent** Mass will be celebrated each weekday at **7.15am and 10am.**

### *Hymn For the Holy Year Of Mercy*

The hymn's title and refrain (from Lk.6,36) "Misericordes Sicut Pater" is the official Latin theme of The Year of Mercy and translates to "Merciful Like The Father". The music for the hymn was written by a British composer Paul Inwood and the verses by Jesuit Eugenio Costa. The four verses of the hymn contain lines from scripture punctuated by the Latin phrase "in aeternum misericordia eius" which means "His mercy is for ever". The hymn's title and refrain, "Misericordes Sicut Pater" is repeated twice after the second verse and twice after the fourth verse.

**Mi-se-ri-cor-des-si-cut-Pa-ter! (x4)**

**In ae-ter-num mi-se-ri-cor-di-a-e-ius**

### **Dates For your diary:**

**Cemetery Sunday** 3<sup>rd</sup> July after 12 Noon Mass.  
**Parish Blessed Sacrament Procession** 29<sup>th</sup> May.

### **St Patrick's Day Mass**

Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> March : 6.30pm Vigil  
Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> March : 9.30am and 12 Noon.

### **Penitential Service with Individual Confessions:**

**Palm Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> March at 6pm.**

There will be a number of priests available to hear confessions. We encourage as many as possible to avail of this opportunity of spiritual preparation for the feast of Easter.

### **Easter Confessions**

**Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> March** : 10.30am -12 Noon and 6.30pm - 7.30pm.

**Holy Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> March** 10.30am -12 Noon and 3-4pm.

### **Easter Ceremonies**

**Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> March – Holy Thursday.**

3.00pm and 7.30pm : Mass of the Lord's Supper

**Friday 25<sup>th</sup> March - Good Friday.**

3.00pm and 7.30pm: Celebration of the Lord's Passion

**Saturday 26th April – Holy Saturday.**

9.00pm Easter Vigil Mass

**First Confessions** Congratulations to the boys and girls of second class in the Parish's National Schools who celebrated their First Confessions. The boys and girls from Scoil Rois on the 25<sup>th</sup> of February, the boys from St Joseph's Boys National school on the 1<sup>st</sup> March and the girls from Bunscoil Lughaidh Naofa on the 3<sup>rd</sup> March. Thank you to all the parents and teachers who prepared them so well for their celebrations. The children will make their First Communion in May.

### **Mass of Remembrance (Donaghmoyne)**

Our Annual Remembrance Mass for families who have lost a child through illness, accident, stillbirth or miscarriage will be celebrated next Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> March at 7.30 pm in St. Lastra's Church, Donaghmoyne. The names of children to be remembered must be placed in the box at the back of each of the three churches by Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> March. For each name received a family member will carry a candle to the altar. Names can also be emailed to [michaeljordan@eircom.net](mailto:michaeljordan@eircom.net)

**Please Note:** Only names placed in the Boxes this year will be included.

**Direction of our Times** monthly prayer meeting will be held in St Louis Convent Oratory on Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> at 8pm.

### **Diocese of Clogher Lourdes Pilgrimage**

Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> - Monday 11<sup>th</sup> July 2016. Led by the most Rev. Liam S. Mac Daid D.D. Total price 735 Euro. For more details please contact 048 67737850.

**P.T.A.A** Meeting on Monday 7<sup>th</sup> March at 8pm in Teach Uí Bhriain.

### **Community Employment**

Carrickmacross Local Development Group needs a Care Support Worker for our Community Employment Initiative. You will receive training so you do not have to be qualified in the health care but you must be in receipt of a social welfare payment for 52 weeks or more. It is a Part time work option for 19 ½ hours and you are allowed to engage in other part time employment while

on this initiative. We will also be looking shortly for workers in other areas such as cleaning, environmental and office . So if you are interested in Community Employment please contact Eileen in the Carrickmacross Local Development Group Office at 32 Main St. or ring (042) 9692510 from Mon-Fri 9am -5pm.

**Daffodil Day 2016** The Irish Cancer Society National Daffodil Day is **Friday, March 11th this year**. If you can spare an hour to sell daffodils on the streets that day please ring Marian Maggs at 086 280 6197 or call to her Shop, Bits & Bobs, Main Street Carrickmacross to select the hour that suits you. Carrickmacross Cancer Society is also asking the general public to support our street sellers again this year by buying a flower or a pin please.

**The Irish Guide Dogs for the Blind** wish to thank the people of Carrickmacross for their generous response to the recent church gate collection which amounted to €1360.24. The Irish Guide Dogs organisation is run entirely by fundraising so we are extremely grateful for all donations. A special thank you to our volunteer collectors who make this collection possible  
**The Friends of Carrickmacross Cancer Society upcoming event.** A Football match featuring the former greats from the following clubs Corduff, Carrickmacross, Magheraclone, Killanny, Inniskeen, Donaghmoynne and Shercock will take place in Corduff on **Saturday 16th April**. For more information on the above and on forthcoming events, please contact Pat 0874130727, Frank 0864079284, Pauric 0879328689, Stephen 0877985534.

<b>Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> March</b>	<b>11:00am</b>	
	<b>6:30pm (Vigil Mass)</b>	Patrick Smith , Lurgans (formerly Mullinary) The Gartlan family, Patrick, Catherine and Jim , Castleblayney Road. Michael and Elizabeth O'Rourke , Tirnadrola. Catherine and Jimmy Chambers , Dunogue, Carrickmacross. Peter, Rhona and Dermot Martin, O'Neill Street, and Adrian Martin Lattilannigan
<b>Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> March</b>	<b>9:30am</b>	Peter and Mary Malone , Drumbroagh. Tom and Sue Hanratty, and Pat and Mary Small. Peadar Mc Eneaney, Rockdaniel Road and John and Annie Mc Eneaney, Pearse Avenue.
	<b>12 noon</b>	Shane Conlon, Emmett Villas. Breege, Denis and Declan Marron and deceased of family O'Neill Street. Frank and Babs Jones and deceased members of the Jones, Scotson and Naughton families.
<b>Monday 7<sup>th</sup> March</b>	<b>7.15am</b>	
	<b>10.00am</b>	
<b>Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> March</b>	<b>7.15am</b>	
	<b>10.00am</b>	Deceased members and benefactors of St Joseph's St Vincent De Paul Society
<b>Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> March</b>	<b>7.15am</b>	
	<b>10.00am</b>	Addolorata Pecchia.
<b>Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> March</b>	<b>7.15am</b>	
	<b>10.00am</b>	
<b>Friday 11<sup>th</sup> March</b>	<b>7.15am</b>	
	<b>10:00am</b>	Jim Gartlan and Patrick Mc Gorisk. Brian Duffy 19 Drummond Etra.
<b>Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> March</b>	<b>11:00am</b>	
	<b>6:30pm (Vigil Mass)</b>	Hugh and Mary Halpin, Ardee and deceased family. Patrick and Annie Martin, Patrick and Ann Raferty. Frank and John Martin, Teresa Mc Carthy, Owen Lynch , Jack and Kathleen Carolan , Patsy Martin , Paul Hughes, Janie Carolan, Peter Farren. Mary Mc Connell, Drummond Etra.
<b>Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> March</b>	<b>9:30am</b>	
	<b>12 Noon</b>	Paddy Reilly , 24 Convent View Rose Mc Keown , 19 Highfield. Martin Mc Gahon, Brookefield House, Carrickmacross. Mary Kirk, Ardross Avenue.

**Recently Deceased:** Malachy Nolan, Farney Street. Canon Peter Mc Guinness, Inniskeen. Mary Mc Mahon, Belfast (late of Inver Park). Sr Carmel Dodd, St Louis Convent, Dundalk. Kathleen Greene (nee Marron)England, formerly, Drumgoan,

