

19th Sunday in Ordinary Time: Sunday 11th August 2024.

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

Fr Shane Mc McCaughey PP 042-9664367
Fr Kevin Connolly CC 0830025311 (*No text messages*)

**Fr Humphrey Ude**. 042-9661231

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#### Weekly Reflection.

#### "Bread and Circuses"

The Roman Emperors of the past would divert the attention of their people from the social injustices of their reign by supplying them with "bread and circuses." Nowadays people distract themselves from the big issues of life by way of the escape routes of noise and social media and the entertainment business. But then life falls apart from the inside and the individual who needs constant distraction lives an empty life, a hollow existence.

So many suffer from the refusal to address the real hunger at the core of their lives, and that hunger can only be satisfied in the Eucharist, where Jesus is the bread of life. If we can get that in the centre of our lives, we will not need to have constant electronic stimulation. We will not need to be distracted by "bread and circuses."

Fr Shane.

Caturday	11.00am.	Months Momenty Dates Marken Ardes Dond
Saturday 10 <sup>th</sup> August.	11.00am.	Months Memory: Patsy Marron, Ardee Road.
Saturday	6.00pm	AM. Jim McNally, 23. Drummond Etra.
10 <sup>th</sup> August.	Олобрии	AM. Hilda McCartney, Aghalile Road, & Tiragarvan.
10 Augusti		AM. Kevin Murray, Donogue.
		AM. Peter McDonald, Carrickmacross / Castleblayney.
		<b>AM.</b> Patsy McEneaney, his Parents Peter & Mary Anne, Cloughvalley.
Sunday	9.30am.	AM. Mark & Mary Bridget Sullivan, Corduffkelly, & Deceased
11 <sup>th</sup> August.	).50aiii.	Members of the Sullivan & Matthews Families.
Sunday	12Noon.	<b>1<sup>st</sup> AM.</b> Annie McConnon, Lisanisk & Deceased members of the
11 <sup>th</sup> August.	12110011.	McConnon, McCabe, & Montgomery Families.
II Augusti		AM. Mairead Connolly, Emmett Street.
		AM. James & Katie Cassidy & Deceased Members of the Cassidy
		Family.
		AM. Alice Connolly, O'Neill Street.
		AM. Joe & Rose Murtagh, Leggimore, & James Murtagh,
		Rossdreenagh, & Deceased Members of the Murtagh & Ward
		Families
Mon 12 <sup>th</sup> Aug.	10.00am.	Mass for the People of the Parish.
Tues 13 <sup>th</sup> Aug.	10.00am.	Morning Mass.
Wednesday 14 <sup>th</sup> August.	10.00am.	Morning Mass.
Thursday 15 <sup>th</sup> August.	10.00am.	Mass for Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary.
Thursday	7.30pm.	Mass for Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary.
15 <sup>th</sup> August.		AM. Thomas & Mary McMahon, late of Stradeen & The Lurgans,
		their Sons Martin & Thomas & Deceased Members of the
		McMahon & Keenan Families.
Fri 16 <sup>th</sup> August.	10.00am.	Morning Mass.
Fri 16 <sup>th</sup> August.	8.00pm.	AM. Margaret Finnegan, Leggimore.
Sat 17 <sup>th</sup> August.	11.00am.	Morning Mass.
Saturday	6.00pm	AM. Elizabeth, Jim, & Sheila Drury & Deceased Members of the
17 <sup>th</sup> August.		Mohan, Drury, & Markey Families.
Sunday	9.30am.	Mass for the People of the Parish.
18 <sup>th</sup> August.		•
Sunday	12Noon.	Months Memory: Patricia Ward, Cookstown, formerly
18 <sup>th</sup> August.		Rockdaniel Road.
	1	AM. Noel Martin, Ardee Road.
		AM. Fran Connolly, Peter, Nora, & Pat Callan, & Trevor McGovern,
	1	The Bridge, Carrickmacross.
	1	AM. Sam & Teresa Rogan, their Daughter Rebecca, Son James,
		Son-in-law Pat Brady, Dundalk, & Deceased Members of the
		Rogan & Ward Families.
		<b>AM.</b> Joe, Lizzy & Martin Cunningham, Beaghmagheross, & Deceased Members of the Gilsenan & Conlon Families, USA.

**Recently Deceased:** Sr Alice Keenan SSL, St Louis Convent, Monaghan / California.

Owenie Kirk, Donaghmoyne.

Eugene McGeough, Magheracloone.

Finn McGrath, Dunaree, Laragh.

Canon Joe Mullin PE, retired PP of Aghalurcher (Lisnaskea-Maguiresbridge) and former Director of the Clogher Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes.

# Mass Time Corduff / Raferagh. Sunday at 11am (alternating)

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Sunday 11 <sup>th</sup> August.	Raferagh. 11.00am	Mass for the People of the Parish.
Wednesday 14 <sup>th</sup> August.	Corduff. 7.30pm.	No Mass.
Sunday 18 <sup>th</sup> August.	Corduff. 11.00am	<ul> <li>AM. Mary &amp; Thomas Keenan, Sreenty &amp; their Son Thomas &amp; Deceased Members of the Keenan, &amp; Rushe Families Greaglane.</li> <li>AM. Hugh &amp; Mary Sheridan, Bridgid &amp; Mick Carragher, &amp; Tommy &amp; Ellie Keenan, Carragartha.</li> <li>AM. Mary, Patrick &amp; Francis Reilly, Carragartha &amp; The Cassidy Family, Fartagorman.</li> </ul>

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

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



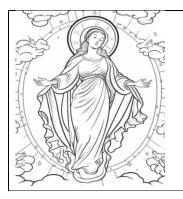
#### Adoration in Blessed Sacrament Chapel. (St Josephs.)

The Blessed Sacrament Chapel opening hours are as follows.

Monday: 9am. - 10am. <u>Tuesday</u>: 9am. - 7pm. <u>Wednesday</u>: 9am.10am. <u>Thursday</u>: 8am. - 10am. <u>Friday</u>: 8am. - 10am.

Saturday 10am. - 11am. and 5pm. - 6pm. Sunday 1pm. - 6pm.

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



### Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Thursday 15<sup>TH</sup> August

May Mary, assumed into heaven intercede for us on her feast day, so that through imitating her virtues, we too may one day also enter heaven and share in the glory of all the Saints, where Jesus Christ is King, living and reigning with God the Father in unity with the Holy Spirit, One God forever and ever. Amen.

<u>1st Anniversary Mass</u>: for the late Bishop Liam MacDaid will be celebrated in St Macartan's Cathedral, Monaghan, at 7pm on Thursday 15 August - Feast of the Assumption of Our Lady into Heaven.

**Lough Derg:** One Day Trip to Lough Derg on Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> September 2024. To book please contact Pauline Fox on 0863669875 or Pauline O'Hagan on 0879499335.

**Special Clogher Pilgrimage:** (Limited availability) to Fatima EX Dublin Easter 2025, Flying with TAP airlines, Also, 13<sup>th</sup> June 2025 for Feast of Saint Anthony, 13<sup>th</sup> October 2025 for Miracle of Sun. Contact James Treacy 00353 61921470 <a href="mailto:jamestreacyphotography@gmail.com">jamestreacyphotography@gmail.com</a>. Payment by instalments acceptable. See poster and itinerary notice.

**Ecumenical Service:** There will be an Ecumenical Service on Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> at 3.00pm in St Molua's Church Magheracloone, to commemorate its 200 anniversary. Bishop Ian Ellis will be present.

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

On Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> 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 anyone experiencing 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 1<sup>st</sup> September at 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, anyone else who feels they could benefit from the Anointing, to come along to the celebration.

**Lough Derg**: Parish bus to Lough Derg Saturday next 17<sup>th</sup> August. Please ring Clare 0860886846 asap to book your seat. Cost€45.

<u>Carlingford to Omeath Greenway</u>: By popular demand, we will once again have our annual fundraising walk along the beautiful greenway from Carlingford to Omeath on Saturday the 31<sup>st</sup>August. If you wish to join us, there will be a bus leaving Carrickmacross at 9.30am and our walk will start at 10.45. Please contact committee members below for a sponsorship card to help raise funds or you can donate on the day. All proceeds go to Carrickmacross Cancer Society. Thank you. *Committee Members Pat McNally 0874130727 - Majella Hoey 0872975326 - James Lambe 087 6329620 - Patrick McNally 0876500721and Grainne McNally 0872506045* 

The Fr. Noel Conlon Charitable Trust: – Date for your diary – Saturday 7th of September 2024. The Fr Noel Conlon Charitable Trust is holding the annual walk in Carlingford at 11 o clock with registration at 10.30 am. Beautiful scenic walk starting at the Marina with a short walk to St Jude's Shrine-6km and longer walk to Omeath -12km, doing it for a very worthwhile charity, Mary's Meals. Registration fee €25 p/p.

**Inner Healing Retreat:** Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> August 2024 Old Parochial Hall Killanny A81 YO96. Led by Fr Prince Clarence S.J. Confession available from 6.30pm (2 Priests available for Confession) Rosary at 7.00pm followed by Inner Healing Adoration.

<u>Mary's Meals</u>: sets up school feeding programmes in some of the world's poorest communities where poverty and hunger prevent children from gaining an education. The Mary's Meals mission began in 2002 and started by serving 200 children. Today the school feeding programme reach children in 18 countries, feeding **2,429,182 children** every school day. It costs just €22.00 to feed a child for a whole school year...Anyone who wishes to give to this Charity can leave their donation in the Parish Office. For more information you can find them online <u>marysmeals.ie</u>

<u>Mass Cards & Mass Bouquets</u>: signed by the Priests of the Parish are available in the Parish Office cost €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 Martha Smyth 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.

**<u>Be Alert:</u>** There continues to be fraudulent scams and alerts via telephone calls, emails etc. Please continue to be aware and cautious of any unexpected activity or communication to you and to your vulnerable family members.