

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time: Sunday 7th July 2024.

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

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#### St Vincent De Paul: Contact- Free Phone 1800677777.

### Weekly Reflection.

"Blinded by familiarity"

The townspeople of Jesus were unable to accept that he could be a messenger from God, let alone God's own Son. They were blinded by familiarity.

Occasionally we fail to recognise the true greatness of those with whom we live most closely. It is hard to recognise the genuine follower of Christ when they are a member of our family or a member of our community, who strives to care for the elderly parent, or the ailing spouse, or the child with special needs. We all know such people who give of themselves totally and completely for the vulnerable person. Perhaps we ignore, ridicule, or dismiss a person because of their generosity of time & energy because of our own inadequacy in that regard.

Jesus could do no miracles due to the reactions of the people of his community because of their lack of faith – he can only perform miracles where there is faith. We pray for that faith that enables miracles of healing and love to happen in our families and our community.

Fr Shane.

Saturday	11.00am.	Funeral Mass.		
6 <sup>th</sup> July.	6.00	AM Kay O'Hanlon Ardross Ayonyo		
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		<b>AM.</b> Michael & Peggy Conlon & their Son Shane, 1 Emmet Villas.		
		<b>Remembrance Mass.</b> Deceased Members of the Murphy Family,		
		19. O'Neill Street.		
Sunday 7 <sup>th</sup> July.	9.30am.	<b>AM.</b> Howard & Teresa Linden, the Brannigan & Shevlin Families.		
		Owen Duffy & Pat Fox, Corcuillogue.		
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Sunday 7 <sup>th</sup> July.	12Noon.	<b>AM.</b> Michael & Philomena Cullivan, late of St Macartan's Villas. <b>AM.</b> Josie McGee, her Husband John, St Macartan's Villas, her		
/ July.		Daughter Teresa, her Son Gerry & Deceased Members, of		
		the McGee & Murtagh Families.		
		<b>AM.</b> Mary & Jim McConnon, Corcrin, Remembering their Sons Martin		
		& Jim their Daughter Marie Connolly & Frank Thornton,		
		AM. Michael & Mary McEntee, Farney Street.		
		AM. Peter & Patrica Mc Nally, Castleblayney Road, Patrick &		
		Catherine Gartlan & Jim Gartlan.		
		AM. Gerry Maggs, his Sister Kay Daly, his Parents Concepta & Reggie & Deceased Members of the McKenney, Culleton,		
		& Martin Families.		
		<b>AM.</b> Paddy & Bridget Smith, The Lurgans & their Son Michael.		
		The Blessing of Graves will take place in St Joseph's Cemetery		
		after the 12Noon Mass.		
Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> July	10.00am.	Mass for the People of the Parish.		
Tues 9 <sup>th</sup> July.	10.00am.	Morning Mass.		
Wednesday 10 <sup>th</sup> July.	10.00am.	<b>AM.</b> Gerald Martin & his wife Kathleen, 4 Highfield.		
Thurs 11 <sup>th</sup> July.	10.00am.	Morning Mass.		
Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> July.	10.00am.	Morning Mass.		
Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> July.	7.30pm.	No Mass.		
Saturday 11.00am. Months Memory: Clare Mulligan,		Months Memory: Clare Mulligan, (nee McNally) Cootehill, formerly		
13 <sup>th</sup> July.		Magheraboy Road.		
		1 <sup>st</sup> AM. Sr Marie De Paul.		
		AM. Charlie & Maisie O'Reilly, Rockdaniel Road.		
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**<u>Recently Deceased</u>**: Gerry Callan, Drumgowna, Carrickmacross.

Gerry Callaghan, Ardee Road.

Philomena Creelman, Coleraine, Derry. (Mother of Fr Leo Creelman).

Susan Thorne (nee McGee) Cheltenham, England, formerly Farney Street. Joseph Weber, Austria.

#### <u>Mass Time Corduff / Raferagh.</u> Sunday at 11am (alternating) Live streaming is now available to be viewed Via Should you have any difficulty accessing the live streaming please contact via email directly to <u>Support@churchservices.tv</u>

Sunday 7 <sup>th</sup> July.	Corduff 11.00am.	AM. Michael McCabe Lisacullian.
Wednesday 10 July.	Raferagh. 7.30pm.	No Mass.
Sunday 14 <sup>th</sup> July.	Raferagh 11.00am	<ul> <li>AM. Frank, Maggie &amp; Keith Monaghan &amp; Deceased Members of the Monaghan Family Corlea, &amp; McGuigan Family, Atavey.</li> <li>AM. Pat, Mary &amp; Tommy Connolly, &amp; Deceased Members of the Connolly Family, Carrickamore.</li> <li>The Blessing of Graves will take place in Raferagh Cemetery after the 11.00am Mass.</li> </ul>

#### Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Corduff/ Raferagh. Will take place *each <u>Wednesday evening</u>* in Corduff/Raferagh 5pm until Mass at 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 5am - 6am - 5unday 1am - 6am

<u>Saturday</u> 10am. - 11am. and 5pm. – 6pm. <u>Sunday</u> 1pm. - 6pm.

<u>Rosary In St Joseph's Church</u>: Monday – Friday at 6.30pm.

### Parish Donations.

Firstly, we sincerely thank you for your continued financial support to our Parish. The new year planned giving envelopes have been distributed, if you have not received your envelopes and would like to receive a box, please contact our Sacristans Martin and Breda or telephone the Parish Office 0429661231. We offer an online donation facility for the Parish; you can access this facility on the homepage of our parish website www.carrickmacrossparish.ie. Donations can be made on a one-off or recurring basis. You may also add in your envelope number should you wish to offer your financial support to the parish in this way. All donations are treated in confidence and receipts will be emailed to you via iDonate. You can donate by setting up a direct debit with your bank, parish details can be obtained from the parish office. If you wish to make your donation to the parish by cheque, *please make all cheques payable to St Joseph's Church*. Should you have any questions regarding the above please do not hesitate to contact the Parish Office 042 9661231. Scheme for Tax Relief on Donations and weekly Envelope contribution. (Enduring **Certificate)** We would sincerely like to thank all those who have returned completed Certificates, and for those who may not have returned certificates and would like to do so, they can be left in the Parish Office. The major change on previous years is that self-employed and self -assessed who pay tax now qualify for the scheme. Again, may we take this opportunity to thank you for your continued support as it is a great help to our Parish.

**Chaplet of the Divine Mercy**: First Sunday of the Month at 3pm, with Confessions from 2:00pm onwards St. Nicholas' Church, Dundalk. Featuring Holy Hour, the Divine Mercy Chaplet, Confessions and Anointing of the Sick. This will next take place **today Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> July 2024**. Come and receive God's blessing. All are welcome.

Cemetery Sunday – The Blessing of the Graves.					
St Joseph's Cemetery:	Sunday 7 <sup>th</sup> July	(Directly after 12 Noon. Mass.)			
St John's Raferagh:	Sunday 14 <sup>th</sup> July	(Directly after 11am. Mass.)			
St Michael's Corduff:	Sunday 21 <sup>st</sup> July	(Directly after 11am. Mass.)			
(Please bring Holy Water)					

**Lough Derg Three-Day Pilgrimage:** continues until August 15<sup>th</sup>. More details can be found at **www.loughderg.ie**, booking essential.

**Pioneer Pilgrimage to Knock:** will take place on Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> July. Mass will be celebrated at 3pm followed by the Eucharistic Blessing and Procession to the Shrine. Pioneers along with friends and relations of people who are living 'one day at a time' with addiction are welcome. Please see poster in the church porch for further details. **<u>A Bus to Knock</u>** on Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> July will leave from Shirley Arms Hotel at 8.00am. Contact Jim on 0876734553. The Pioneer Association are celebrating 125 years of its Foundation. All are welcome.

Summer Camp opportunity for 6th Class Pupils: Clogher don Óige - the youth ministry office for the Diocese of Clogher - will be holding its new "Carlo Camp" in the parish this summer, Wednesday 17th - Friday 19th July, from 10am to 3pm each day. €15 per young person. Fun and games, faith activities, arts, and crafts - Carlo Camp activities will allow young people to remember the importance of their Confirmation, to grow, develop, and look forward to the new life chapter of moving to secondary school in September. For more information and to book a place visit: www.clogherdonoige.org/carlocamp

**National Grandparents Pilgrimage 2024**: will be celebrated on Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> July 2024 at Knock Shrine. Archbishop Luis Mariano Montemayor, Papal Nuncio of Ireland, will lead the pilgrimage. There will be Anointing of the Sick in the Basilica at 2.30pm. Pilgrimage Mass at 3pm followed by the Rosary Procession. Please see posters for further information.

**<u>Children's Summer Faith CAMP</u>**: for ages 7 - 13yrs in Bunscoil Lughaidh Naofa, Carrickmacross, Co. Monaghan. Monday 29th July - Thursday 1st August 2024, 10am - 3pm each day. The activities at the camp will include art, drama, sport, music, action songs and prayer.  $\in$ 40 per child and  $\in$ 25 for each additional child in the family. Booking is essential as places are limited. Booking forms are available by emailing: <u>carrickmacrossfaithcamp@gmail.com</u> or hard copies are available in the Carrickmacross Parish Office, opening hours Mon - Fri 10am - 12.30pm. To BOOK Please drop the completed Booking Form along with the Cost of the camp into the Carrickmacross Parish Office.

**Brick + Art Summer Camp:** Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> – Friday 26<sup>th</sup> July from 10am -1.00pm in St Joseph's National School, Carrickmacross. Contact Aaron (08970696908) for more information.

**Monaghan Rose Tractor & Vintage Car Run:** Sunday 14th July. Registration at 2pm, departing at 3pm from Killanny Church Car Park (A81 VY39). €20 per vehicle. Fun for all the family - kids toy tractor run, face painting and raffle on the day. Come out to support Anne Marie McArdle's fundraiser for her Rose of Tralee journey and for her chosen charity, Down Syndrome Centre Northeast. Follow Monaghan Rose social media for more information and updates.

**Irish Blood Transfusion Service**: will hold Blood Donor Clinics in the Riverbank Hotel, Carrickmacross, Monday 8<sup>th</sup> July & Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> July from 3.45pm to 8.00pm. All clinics are by appointment only. Please call 1800 222 111 to book an appointment or to check your eligibility, visit www.giveblood.ie.

**Irish Red Cross Community Support: "Monaghan**" are looking for volunteers to help in the community with social meet ups, we meet people on a 1:1 basis where we chat over a tea/coffee and offer support with a view to linking people to local groups in their community. If interested, you can contact one of our volunteers on 087 6152455. All training will be provided.

<u>Monaghan Town Country Music Festival 2024</u>: – The Diamond, Monaghan Town –  $18^{th} - 21^{st}$  July. Tickets available from Westenra Arms Hotel. Volunteers needed – text 087 3590689 for more details. Training night for volunteers on Thursday  $11^{th}$  July 2024 at 7pm.