

# The Parish Of Machaire Rois



***Trinity Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> May 2024.***

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## ***Weekly Reflection.***

'Glory be'

The Feast of the Trinity brings us to the central tenet of our faith. Belief in a God made up of three distinct persons is an article of our faith that we almost take for granted, but which can present all sorts of conundrums and challenges for unbelievers.

I was in a house recently where the two children aged five and eight were demonstrating to me their newfound confidence in making the sign of the cross. All went well for touching the forehead for the Father and touching the chest for the Son, but when it came to the Holy Spirit, they looked to each other for guidance for they were not sure whether to go left shoulder first, or right shoulder first. It brought me back to my own childhood and similarly demonstrating for a visitor and the stress of trying to get it right when the pride of the family was at stake!

The mystery of the Trinity is for theologians and philosophers to argue about. I am quite content with praying; Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, as it was in the beginning is now and ever shall be, world without end, Amen.

Fr Shane.

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<b>Sat 25<sup>th</sup> May.</b>	<b>11.00am.</b>	<b>AM.</b> Peter Rock, & his Parents Tim & Kathleen, Mullinary & Cluainn Alainn. <b>AM.</b> Francie Montague, Alderwood, Patrick & Cissie McCluskey, Magheracloune, & their Daughter Mary Carolan, Ballyjamesduff.
<b>Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> May.</b>	<b>6.00pm.</b>	<b>AM.</b> Patrick & Evelyn Mooney, Corduff. <b>AM.</b> Teddy & Molly Baldwin, & their Daughter Frances Mirko, Bridge Street.
<b>Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> May.</b>	<b>9.30am.</b>	<b>AM.</b> John & Mae Kiernan, 3. Ross Cluain. <b>AM.</b> Clare & Kieran Fahey, Ardee Road, & Sisters Joan McGrath & Cappy Costello. <b>AM.</b> Noel Burns & Deceased Members of the Burns Family, Radrumskeane. <b>AM.</b> Margaret Walsh-McMahon, Barley Hill & Cloughvalley, & Deceased Members of the Coyle Family.
<b>Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> May.</b>	<b>12Noon.</b>	<b>AM.</b> Joe & Christina Rooney, Shercock Road. <b>AM.</b> Pat Cusack, Old Castleblayney Road. <b>AM.</b> The McDonald, Devine, Gorry & Fox Families, Monaghan. <b>AM.</b> Thomas & Rose-Ellen, & Baby Anthony Murray, Derrylavin. <b>AM.</b> Tommy & Elizabeth, Michael & Catherine Murtagh, Leggimore. & Deceased Members of the Murtagh Family. <b>AM.</b> Mary & Luke McEneaney, & Deceased Family Members Dunanny. <b>AM.</b> Annie McEneaney, Cuchulain Terrace.
<b>Mon 27<sup>th</sup> May.</b>	<b>10.00am.</b>	<b>Morning Mass.</b>
<b>Tues 28<sup>th</sup> May.</b>	<b>10.00am.</b>	<b>Morning Mass.</b>
<b>Wed 29<sup>th</sup> May.</b>	<b>10.00am.</b>	<b>AM.</b> Patrick, Alice & James McCaughey & Deceased Family Members, Clara Carson, Pat, Maureen, & Linda Carrol & John McEntee.
<b>Thurs 30<sup>th</sup> May.</b>	<b>10.00am.</b>	<b>Morning Mass.</b>
<b>Friday 31<sup>st</sup> May.</b>	<b>10.00am.</b>	<b>Morning Mass.</b>
<b>Friday 31<sup>st</sup> May.</b>	<b>7.30pm.</b>	<b>No Mass.</b>
<b>Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> June.</b>	<b>11.00am.</b>	<b>Months Memory:</b> Michael Downey, Patrician Drive. <b>AM.</b> Thomas & Margaret Malone, Gerard & Mary Malone, Thomas, Annie, & Seamus McNamee. The Lurgans.
<b>Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> June.</b>	<b>6.00pm.</b>	<b>AM.</b> Christopher Fealy, Aghalile, Carrickmacross. <b>AM.</b> Kevin McGee, Barnadonagh.
<b>Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> June.</b>	<b>9.30am.</b>	<b>Sunday Mass.</b>
<b>Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> June.</b>	<b>12Noon.</b>	<b>Months Memory:</b> Fiona Courtney, Cloughvalley. <b>AM.</b> Rose, Phil, Peter, & Marion McDermott, Ardee Road. <b>AM.</b> Johnny & Lilly Finnegan, also their Son Larry, Cuchulain Terrace <b>AM.</b> Patsy & Gretta Dolan, & Deceased Family Members, Magheross, & Remembering Philomena Kaweck late of Magheross.

**Recently Deceased:** Michael Goss, Cloughvalley, formerly Haggardstown.

### ***Pope Francis' Prayer to Mary.***

“O Mary, you always shine on our path as a sign of salvation and of hope. We entrust ourselves to you, Health of the Sick, who at the cross took part in Jesus’ pain, keeping your faith firm. You, Salvation of the Roman People, know what we need, and we are sure you will provide so that, as in Cana of Galilee, we may return to joy and to feasting after this time of trial. Help us, Mother of Divine Love, to conform to the will of the Father and to do as we are told by Jesus, who has taken upon himself our sufferings and carried our sorrows to lead us, through the cross, to the joy of the resurrection. Amen.”

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## Mass Time Corduff / Raferagh.

**Sunday at 11am (alternating)**

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<b>Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> May.</b>	<b>Corduff. 11.00am</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> AM.</b> Bridie Connolly, Corkishbane. <b>AM.</b> Kathleen & Jim Joe Walsh, & Deceased Members of the Walsh Family, Lisnafedally, & Mick & Katie Ward, Corduff. <b>AM.</b> James Oliver Keelan, Assumption Place, Dundalk.
<b>Wed 29<sup>th</sup> May.</b>	<b>Raferagh 7.30pm.</b>	<b><i>May Procession in honour of Our Lady.</i></b> <b>Mass at 7.30pm.</b>
<b>Sunday 2<sup>ND</sup> June.</b>	<b>Raferagh 11.00am.</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> AM.</b> Teana Duffy, Carrickahogue. <b>AM.</b> Tommie McCahey Carrickahogue.

**Raferagh May Procession:** The Annual May Procession in honour of Our Lady will take place in Raferagh on Wednesday May 29<sup>th</sup> at 7.00pm. We encourage you to join the procession on the road to the Grotto, the Rosary will be recited, and Hymns sung followed by Mass at 7.30pm. We extend a warm welcome to the Children of the Parish who made their First Holy Communion and Confirmation to join us in the Procession.

## 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 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.**

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

## Procession with the Blessed Sacrament 2024.

### Invite.

This year's procession will take place ***Today Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> May at 3pm.*** We encourage you to join the procession, and welcome you to decorate your homes & windows, and to join us in prayer as we pass your household, or as you stand along the route, if you do not wish to walk the full route.

We would also like to extend a warm welcome to the children of our Faith Community, who celebrated the sacraments of First Holy Communion and Confirmation this year, to also join in the procession.

### Procession – Route.

The route this year will be as follows, starting from St Joseph's Church Carrickmacross at 3pm - turning left to Donaghmoyn Road, left via Cloughvalley, turning left on to the Castleblayney Road toward Main Street, turn left at Main Street towards O'Neill Street back to St Joseph's, Benediction will take place outside St Joseph's Church at approximately 4pm.

## Mass Duties for June in St Josephs.

**Weekend Readers: 6.00pm.** Gretta Murphy. **9.30am.** Ruby Coen.

**12Noon.** Maureen Nwokolo.

**Weekday Readers: **Mon:** Teresa Carolan. **Tues:** Michael Gavaghan. **Wed:** Pat Cotter.**

**Thurs:** Joanne Mundy. **Friday am.:** Malachy Marron.

**Friday pm.:** Thomas Mee. **Saturday 11am.:** Maureen Nwokoo.

**Collectors: 6.00pm. Mass:** Terry Kiernan, Paul Martin, and Patrick Shields.

**9.30am. Mass:** Paddy King, John McGlynn, and Jim McNally.

**12Noon. Mass:** Gerry Cassidy, Ollie Swinburne, and P. J. McCluskey.

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**Faith and Light: Tea /Coffee Morning** Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> June 2024 10.30am -12.30pm DEERYS LOUNGE -FUNCTION ROOM. In aid of their pilgrimage to Lourdes. All are welcome come and support.

**Mary's Meals:** provides life-changing school meals to children living in some of the world's poorest communities. The promise of a good meal brings hungry children into the classroom, where they can gain an education and better opportunities for the future. The meals make it possible for hungry children to come to school and give them the energy they need to concentrate and participate in class. We are already feeding **2,429,182 children** every school day – and, together, we can reach the next hungry child waiting for Mary's Meals. It costs just **€22 .00** to provide a child with meals in a place of education for a whole school year. We would like to express our thanks and acknowledge the most recent donations totalling **€1365.00** to Mary Meals. Anyone who wishes to give to this Charity can leave their donation in the Parish Office.

**Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes: 5-10 July 2024** Led by Bishop Larry Duffy, Bishop of Clogher. For booking, please contact Mr. John Heuston, Gave, Macknagh, Crom Road, Lisnaskea, County Fermanagh. **Tel:** South **048 67724329**/North **028 67724329**. **Email:** [john.cdp@btconnect.com](mailto:john.cdp@btconnect.com) . *If you wish to travel in the Assisted Pilgrim section of the Diocesan Pilgrimage, special application forms are available from the Pilgrimage Secretary. Visit [www.lourdes2clogher.com](http://www.lourdes2clogher.com)*

**Trip to Knock:** takes place on 9<sup>th</sup> June 2024. Bus leaving Main Street Carrickmacross at 8.00am Cost €25.00. For more information, please contact Geraldine Dooley 0879643884.

**Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock:** will take place on Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> August 2024 and will be led by Bishop Larry Duffy, Bishop of Clogher. Families and parish or prayer / community groups are welcome to make the journey and to gather in Knock. Times to be confirmed. Parishes or groups of parishes are encouraged to arrange transport, should the demand exist.

**All Ireland Rosary Rally in Knock:** All Ireland Rosary Rally in Knock on Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> June. Bus leaving Monaghan at 8am in Car Park behind Credit Union. €25.00 return to be paid in FULL when booking. Tickets available in Wineways in Glaslough St., Monaghan. Contact 087 2709683.

**Lough Derg Three-Day Retreats:** The Lough Derg traditional **Three-Day Pilgrimage** begins on Friday May 31<sup>st</sup> and continues until August 15<sup>th</sup>.

**Dromantine Sunday Family Funday:** Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> June 1.30pm – 5.30pm – Grand Draw, Country & Western Music, Flower Demonstration by Susan Turley, Vintage Tractors, Bouncy Castles, Obstacle Courses, Stalls, Food, Refreshments and much more. Admission £5 donation per car. Everyone welcome.

**North Louth Border Vintage Club:** are holding a Vintage Car and Tractor Run **Today Sunday May 26<sup>th</sup>** starting at Cooley Hall at 12noon. Proceeds in aid of Palliative Care. For more information contact 0876457984.

**Carrickmacross Library:** is delighted to welcome Mr. Francis Jacobs, former Head of the European Parliament Information Office to give a Talk on the upcoming European Parliament Elections. This information session takes place on Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> June at 7pm in the Library. All welcome."

**Carrick Rovers AFC: BINGO** in the Shirley Arms Hotel, Carrickmacross each Monday 19:30 to 21:00. Everyone is welcome. Please support our fundraising event."

**Share The Good News:** The Catholic Communications Office produces a five-story weekly ezine *Sharing Good News* that reports on stories associated with the Irish Bishops' Conference, activities in parishes and dioceses, and that celebrates Church life generally. If you wish to subscribe to receive *Sharing Good News*, please register your email address on <https://catholicnews.ie/newsletter/>

## **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.)**