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Sunday 26th March 2023 – 5th Sunday of Lent.

Masses & Intentions for the Coming Week in St. Tierney's Church:

Sun 26th Mar:		5th SUNDAY OF LENT
	10.30am:	(First Ann.) Hugh Pat Clerkin, Derryheanlish. Jimmy & Maureen Murray, Church Street and Micheál Houton, Leeds and formerly Malin. Oliver, John & Mary McMahon and the Deceased Members of McMahon Family, Corbane.
Tues 28th Mar:	7.30am:	Mass in Sacred Heart Church, Clones.
	9.30am:	Mass:
Wed 29th Mar:	10.00am:	Mass in St. Mary's Church, Magherarney.
	10.00am:	Mass in Sacred Heart Church, Clones.
Thurs 30th Mar:	9.30am:	Mass: Jim McMahon, Main Street & Deceased Family Members.
Fri 31st Mar:	6pm:	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament.
	7pm:	Mass: Vincent & Margaret Rooney, Knocknalear.
Sun 2nd Apr:		HOLY WEEK: PALM SUNDAY OF THE LORD'S PASSION:
	10.30am:	Mass: Michael & Bridget Rooney, Dernawilt East. Sean & Bridie Smyth, Derryleedigan. Michael & Rose Smyth, Chicago. Mary-Bridget & James Patrick McAloon and the Deceased Members of the McAloon Family.

Masses & Intentions for the Coming Week in St. Mary's Church:

Sat 25th Mar:		5th SUNDAY OF LENT
	Vigil 6pm:	Mass
Wed 29th Mar:	10.00am:	Mass:
	10.30am:	Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, ending at 12noon.
Sat 1st Apr:		HOLY WEEK: PALM SUNDAY OF THE LORD'S PASSION.
	Vigil 6pm:	John & Canon Felix Connolly & the Deceased Members of the Connolly Family, Aughnacloy. Eibhlín O'Neill, Rathmines, Dublin & formerly Keenogue, Smithborough.

The Holy Father's Intention for April 2023: *For the spread of peace and non-violence, by the decreasing the use of weapons by States and citizens.*

Welcome to Fr. Sagar: Fr. Sagar from Pakistan has kindly volunteered to help in Roslea over the Holy Week and Easter Week (two weeks) and will stay at the Parochial House with Fr. Chester. Last summer he ministered at Lough Derg, Lisnaskea, Maguiresbridge and Newtownbutler. He is currently studying in Rome. I am grateful for his offer to visit Roslea, (The Parish Priest).

Deceased Recently: **Kathleen Brannigan**, Saintfield, sister of Noreen Callaghan, Upper Main Street, Roslea. **Vincent Sherry**, Clonkeenlucas, Clones, brother of Eamon, Dresternan. *May the angels lead them into paradise.* Deepest sympathy to family and friends.

Baptised Recently: **Niall Barry Cosgrove** at St. Tierney's Church. Congratulations to his parents and wider family circle.

Recently Married: **Jordan Lambe & Kilian Smyth** at St. Macartan's Cathedral, Monaghan, **Ciara McGuinness and Ronan Stirrat** at St. Tierney's Church, **Niamh O'Brien & Shaun Dwyer** at St. Mary's Church. **Aisling McElroy & Darren McConville** at St. Mary's Church. Congratulations and best wishes to the happy couples.

Contributions last weekend, Sunday 19th March: Upkeep: £475.30 & €842.05, Priests: £177 & €202.50, Maintenance: £80.50 & €145.00, Diocesan Levy: £427 & €741.60 (*In 2021 the Parish of Roslea was levied £12,136.02 by the Diocesan Office, there are several collections throughout the year to support the Diocesan Levy*), Trócaire: £10, St. Tierney's Shrine: £74.48 & €73.42. **Thanks to all donors and contributors.**

2023 Trócaire Lenten campaign: "This year the Appeal focuses on the plight of more than eight million people in Somalia who are facing starvation. Three years of drought have seen crops and animals die and millions of families have had to leave their homes in search of food to survive. This Lenten season please consider a donation to this Appeal on www.trocaire.org or in your family's Trócaire Box."

Roslea Historical Society hosts Mackie Rooney who will give a talk entitled "**Margaret Skinnader, 1916 Heroine**" in the Heritage Centre on Wednesday, 29th March at 8pm. Everyone welcome.

Save Our Acute Services at the S.W.A.H: Public Meeting on Thursday 30th March 8pm in the Community Centre. *New developments on the availability of GPs for Fermanagh* will be revealed. **EVERYONE WELCOME.**

Rise & Shine Yoga & Breakfast on Sunday 2nd April in the Community Centre Roslea 8am – 9.45am. Investment €15. Beautiful Yoga Flow followed by tea/coffee and Healthy Breakfast Options. Contact Roisín 086 0604 127 to book.

Sean McAloon Festival returns to Roslea with the traditional **Easter Sunday Concert in Community Centre**. Artists include Bríd Harper, Fergus Bogue, Katie Boyle, Maeve O'Donnell, Pearse Larkin & Fergal McArdle. Doors open at 7.30pm. Adm £10. **Tues 11th Youth Session** with Martin Donohoe in complex 6pm - 8pm. **Fri 14th Fíor Ceili** in Community Centre at 9pm. **Sat 15th Singing/Storytelling Session** in Derrygannon Hall at 8.30pm

Éire Óg Lotto: This week's numbers are 16, 18, 22, 27. There was no winner of this week's lotto. Next week's jackpot is €6,800. Lucky dip winners: Niall Cadden, Gransha (online) Caine Toal, Annamartin (online) Daniel Masterson, Clones (online) Dymphna Sherlock, Magherarney Teeny Cadden, Lismeagh. To enter next week's draw, download the Clubforce app and follow EireOgNaMullai, play using the paper envelopes or click the link on our social media pages.

Smithboro Foróige are hosting a children's **Easter Egg Hunt in Smithboro** play park on Sat 8th April from 2pm - 4pm. Egg hunt in the park followed by fun & games, refreshments and music in the hall. Tickets are limited and are available from any Foróige member or by contacting any of the leaders Aisling 087 6758 377, Anita 086 6003 122, Deirdre 087 2599 314 or Paul 086 4660 711

Palliative Transport Service (P.T.S) require **voluntary drivers** to take people with cancer to their appointments in Belfast, Derry, and other locations. Drivers are reimbursed for expenses incurred at the standard rate per mile. If you could give at least one day a week we would be very appreciative. Anyone interested please contact Bernie Teague – P.T.S Co-ordinator on 075 3133 1501.

Accord NI Catholic Marriage Care Service are recruiting Marriage Education Facilitators to provide Sacramental Marriage Preparation for couples in your diocese. We are seeking individuals who are good communicators and have an enthusiasm for supporting couples as they prepare for the Sacrament of Marriage and future family life. This is an opportunity to formally train within a supportive, nurturing and inspiring community. In 2022, our teams helped 2,140 couples to develop good communication skills, manage conflict and understand the responsibility and significance of the Sacrament of Marriage. For further details and an application form, please contact Brenda at 028 (ROI 048) 9023 3002 or email info@accordni.com

Take the Risk for Christ: The Bishops of Ireland have chosen the theme of *'Take the Risk for Christ'* as its logo for the promotion of the diocesan priesthood in 2023. They invite families and parishes to pray the well-known prayer for vocations composed by Saint Pope John XXIII: *'O Jesus, send labourers into your fields, which are awaiting holy apostles, saintly priests, heroic missionaries and dedicated sisters and brothers. Enkindle in the hearts of men and women the spark of a vocation. Grant that Christian families may desire to give to your Church helpers in the work of tomorrow. Amen.'*

Minor Injury Unit at Monaghan Hospital (047 38 835) hours have been extended – we are now open 08.00 – 20.00 (Mon – Fri) Closed Weekends/Public & Bank Holidays. Average time in Department – 1 Hour Patients over 5 years - We treat & X Ray as needed: Broken Bones, Dislocations, Foreign Bodies, Sprains & Strains, Wounds, Minor Chest Injuries, Minor Scalds & Burns, Facial & Eye Injuries.

Family Addiction Support Network, FASN: Peer-support group meeting for Family members impacted by a loved one's addiction behaviour in the IONTAS Centre Monaghan. Contact info.fasn@gmail or call 042 9355 251 or 087 9046 405 for information or to join,

If you want to drink that's your business. If you want to stop call alcoholics anonymous Belfast 028 90 351 222 OR Dublin 1 8420