

# St Joseph's Church, Boyle

26<sup>th</sup> February 2023

Sunday Mass Times: Sat. Vigil 7.30pm and Sunday 9.30am and 11.30am Weekday Mass Times: Monday - Saturday: 10:00am and Friday 10am and 7.30pm

### Mass Intentions for Week Monday 27th February to Sunday 5th March

Monday 10a.m.	Molly Dwyer, Terence Geraghty and
	Margaret Cronin
Tuesday 10a.m.	Jackie Ward and The Deceased Members of the
	Carney Family
Wednesday 10a.m.	Frank, Mary and Geraldine Leyden
7.30p.m	Gerard and Cecil Egan
Thursday 10a.m.	Oliver Mc Dermott
Friday 10a.m.	The Deceased Members of the Kenny, Ivers and
	Mc Dermott Families
7.30p.m.	Mary Killoran
	Sean, John and Mollie Roche
	Doreen and Tony Caldbeck
	Pat and Tess Lombard
	Sean and Velvie McBride
Saturday 10a.m.	Padraig Lee(Months Mind)
Vigil 7.30pm	John Kelly
Sunday 9.30a.m.	People of the Parish
11.30a.m	Cathal Mc Gee

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Offertory Collection amounted to €2190.21 on Sunday 19th February.

#### Thought for Lent:

Perhaps this coming Lent we might:

*Fast* from the hurtful words that demean others and demean ourselves ever more, and speak words laced with kindness, understanding and good humour

*Fast* from rushing and the restless mind and take the time to slow down to rest and reflect.

*Fast* from the constant addiction to social media and mobile phones especially at meal times and take time to talk and to listen to people face to face.

*Fast* from "the long face" and take time to smile with our eyes. *Fast* from what harms our body, health, mind, and cultivate a more healthy diet and lifestyle.

*Fast* from buying something, we do not really need and put that money into our Trócaire box for some of the poorest people in our world in Somalia, Turkey and Syria.

*Fast* from being hard on yourself.

#### Trócaire boxes available at all the Church doors.

<u>First Friday</u>: Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> March is the First Friday of the month. <u>Communion Calls</u>:

Fr. Gerry will make his Communion Calls on Thursday  $2^{\text{nd}}$  and Friday  $3^{\text{rd}}$  March.

Fr. Jonas will make his Communion Calls on Thursday 2nd March.

## Confirmation Programme 'You shall be my witness':

There will be an initial meeting to introduce this programme to all parents / guadians of young people for Confirmation on Tuesday 28th February in Abbey Community College from 8p.m. to 9p.m.

#### Lenten Holy Hour:

Every Sunday for Lent, a Holy Hour will take place here in St. Joseph's at 3p.m. Deacon Frankline will lead the Holy Hour and everyone is invited.

 $\label{eq:constraint} \ensuremath{\mathsf{Deacon}}\xspace$  Franline will also continue with Lectio Divina on Tuesday's.

#### Lenten Scripture:

Ian and Mary Neylon will facilitate praying with St. Paul on Thursday mornings for Lent after 10a.m. Mass. (10.30a.m. to 11.45a.m.) Gathering will take place in the Committee Room here in St. Joseph's starting Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> March.

<u>St. Joseph's Hall AGM</u>: The AGM of St. Joseph's Hall will be held in the hall on Wednesday 1st March at 8p.m. All are welcome to attend.