

St Joseph's Church, Boyle

23rd April 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 24th to Sunday 30 th April

Monday 10a.m.	Patrick, Teresa and Declan Mc Cormack
Tuesday 10a.m.	Bridget, Francis and Edward Lavin
Wednesday 10a.m.	Mary Murphy
Thursday 10a.m.	Thomas and Margaret McLoughlin
Friday 10a.m.	Margaret O' Sullivan
7.30p.m.	Patrick and Julia Donnellan
	Nora Brady
Saturday 10a.m.	Frank O' Mahoney (Months Mind)
Vigil 7.30a.m.	Mary Rooney
Sunday 9.30a.m.	Tom Mc Garty (1 st Anniversary)
11.30a.m	Joan, Tom and Maura O' Dowd

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Parish Office Hours:	9:30 am. to 12:30pm.

Congratulations:

Congratulations to the young people from our parish who made received the Sacrament of Confirmation on Saturday.

Parish Accounts for 2022:

Copies of the Parish Accounts are available at the main door of the Church, please take a copy.

Once again, many thanks for your generosity towards the parish. That generosity is deeply appreciated.

Thought:

Holy Thursday, Good Friday and Holy Saturday were fast days for the disciples.

Trauma followed tragedy with no time to process or make sense of what happened. In shock, overcome with grief, the pair are soon joined by a stranger who to their amazement, seems not to know what transpired.

As they walk, the two explain the situation of confusion, torture and loss.

The strange, who is the risen Jesus unrecognised, tells them the story from a new lens and a larger perspective.

Beginning with the foundations of faith in Moses and the prophets witness, the hidden Christ unpacks all the promises of God to show how they point to the paschal mystery of death and resurrection. Every day, every moment, we are called to open our eyes to the broader story of grace, accompaniment and love happening all around us.

To make meaning of our experience, we take the long view and see how goodness, hope and love are resurrected again and again in our lives.

(Catholic Health Association)

DATE FOR YOUR DIARY:

Darkness into Light is an Annual 5k Walk/Run in aid of Pieta House. On Saturday the 6th of May, Boyle Community will come together at The Crescent and walk in support of positive mental health. Community registration will commence every weekend in the run up to the walk in Natural Options Pharmacy based in Supervalu or register online www.darknessintolight.ie

Elphin Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes:

Pilgrimage under the leadership of Bishop Kevin, takes place from 23rd to 28th August. Direct flight from Knock to Lourdes with 5 night full board. Cost €859. Application forms available from the Sacristy or Parish Office or by contacting Joe Walsh tours on 01-2410800. <u>Elphin Diocese:</u> 3 Day Pilgrimage to Lough Derg will run from Friday 23rd to Sunday 25th June. More details available at

<u>www.elphindiocese.ie/lough-derg</u> <<u>http://www.elphindiocese.ie/lough-derg</u>> or contact Justin on 087 6171526.

Offertory Collection amounted €2426.45 on Sunday 16th April. Thank you.