



St Joseph's Church, Boyle

3rd March 2024

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 4th to Sunday 10th March 2024

Monday 10a.m.	Bridie and Eugene Gannon
Tuesday 10a.m.	Gus and Christina Burke and The Deceased Family
Wednesday 10a.m.	Frank, Mary and Geraldine Leyden
7.30p.m.	Colette and Tim Griffin
Thursday 10a.m.	Sean Kenny
Friday 10a.m.	Josephine and Johnny Nicholson
7.30p.m.	Charlie Dwyer Mark Jackson Des Kennedy Eugene Cregg Nancy and Jim Clarke Harry Wynne Mary Collins
Saturday 10a.m.	Maura Beirne (Months Mind)
Vigil 7.30 p.m.	Seamus O' Gara
Sunday 9.30a.m.	Paddy Nicholson (1 st Anniversary)
11.30a.m	James Cooke

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

Offertory Collection amounted to €2580.70 on Sunday 25th February.

Seeds:

Clearing out the temple was a judgement on a religious system, which had lost its way. The sacred place resembled a reeking abattoir and noisy market.

Do our rituals and prayer practices help or hinder our encounter with the Lord?

Have we lost our way in administration without charity, dogmas without devotion, liturgies without life.. walls to be knocked down.

The Risen lord has replaced the temple of stones as the location for worship. Our bodies are Christ-ed or anointed at baptism as sacred temples. At Easter, we will renew this commitment. What sinful tendencies must be cleansed in Reconciliation? Zeal from your house will devour me. Nowadays very few seem to manage an examination of conscience before confessing. The commandments are like the manufactures instructions. Three directives on divine worship, five on family / social obligations, two on self-control. (Fr. Silvester O'Flynn)

Upcoming Referendums:

"In a democracy that guarantees the freedom to vote, it is important that citizens cast their ballot on 8th March with matters of such importance at stake. As pastors, concerned for the common good as well as the moral and spiritual well-being of God's people, we offer these reflections in order to help inform the consciences of Christians and others who are concerned to preserve and foster the dignity and value of family life and motherhood". Read the full statement of the Irish Catholic Bishops on elphindiocese.ie

Confirmation:

Confirmation preparation for pupils on Monday 4th March at 7.30p.m. in Abbey Community College.

Yoga with Theresa Kearney:

Yoga on Tuesday nights in the Convent School, Carrick Road, Boyle.

Ladies Class 07.30 to 08.30 and Men's class 08.45 to 9.45

Yoga is an Investment into your physical & mental Health.

Come along and join the class. Please Contact – 086-0532432.

Boyle Active Age:

5 day holiday to Letterkenny, Donegal on 17th June.

Tour will visit Malin Head, Derry City and other sights. Anyone over 50 may join us. You don't have to be a member of our club. Contact

Patricia on 087- 77804917 or Edward on 086-2215654.