



## St Joseph's Church, Boyle

22<sup>nd</sup> February 2026

**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 7.30p

**Mass Intentions for Week Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> to Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> March 2026**

Monday 10a.m.	Mary Bohan
Tuesday 10a.m.	Brother John Hopkins
Wednesday 10a.m. 7.30p.m	Michael Shannon Beatrice Toolan and The Deceased Family
Thursday 10a.m.	Sean Kenny
Friday 10a.m.  7.30p.m.	James and Joseph Dwyer and Deceased Family  Molly Dwyer Terence Geraghty Doreen and Tony Caldbeck Frank and Lily Bambrick Joe and Mary Kate Bambrick Frank Cunningham
Saturday 10a.m.  12 noon	Josephine Beirne (Months Mind)  Funeral Mass for Alacoque McGrath (nee Clarke)
Vigil 7.30pm	Cathal McGee
Sunday 9.30a.m. 11.30a.m	People of the Parish Thecla and Brendan McQuillan

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**Offertory Collection amounted to €2223.19 on Sunday 15th February.**

### Reflection:

Pruning time is a painful time for a fruit tree.

The pruner rids it of all those suckers, which use up a lot of energy but produce no fruit.

However, the aim of this surgery is not to inflict pain, but to help the tree produce more and better fruit.

Lent is a kind of spiritual pruning time.

There is much that is useless and perhaps harmful in our lives, which saps our energy, and diminishes our spiritual fruitfulness.

Of what shall we prune ourselves this Lent, so that we may become more fruitful branches of Christ, the true Vine? (Flor McCarthy)

### Parish Accounts for 2025:

Copies of the Parish Accounts are available at the doors of the Church, please take a copy home. Once again, many thanks for your generosity, it is deeply appreciated.

### Confirmation:

On Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> March next at the 11.30a.m. Mass, we will focus on the Confirmation pupils. All pupils and their parents should attend.

### Lenten Scripture Initiative – St. Matthew's Gospel (Part Two):

Lenten Scripture Initiative on Tuesday 24th February after the 10a.m. Mass in The Committee Room here in St. Joseph's Church. The group will draw on riches of St. Matthew's Gospel over six weeks. Everyone welcome.

### AGM of St. Joseph's Hall:

The AGM of St. Joseph's Hall will be held on Wednesday 25th February at 8p.m. in St. Joseph's Hall. All are welcome.

**Trócaire Lenten Campaign:** Last year, Trócaire worked with over 40,000 people in at-risk communities across Rwanda, helping vulnerable families build resilience against climate change by supporting over 2,500 women to receive training in sustainable resource management; providing over 20,000 families with fuel-efficient cookstoves to reduce firewood use, and planting over 320,000 trees across the country. You are invited to support this year's Trócaire Lenten Campaign.