

## RATHOWEN

St Mary's Church, Rathowen

### FIFTH SUN OF LENT

Sun April 7<sup>th</sup>, 11am Morning Mass

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RATHOWEN/STREETE
<b>Weekday Masses</b>
<b>Mon April 8<sup>th</sup></b>
Rathowen 7pm
<b>Tues April 9<sup>th</sup></b>
Boherquill 9.30am
<b>Wed April 10<sup>th</sup></b>
Boherquill 7am
Rathowen 8pm, Holy Souls
<b>Thurs April 11<sup>th</sup></b>
Rathowen 9.30am, Adoration 10 – 10.30am
<b>Friday, April 12<sup>th</sup></b>
Rathowen 9.30am
Boherquill 8pm, Adoration 7 – 8pm

Extra-Ordinary Minister for April – Pauline O'Hara

Reader for April – William Manning

Mass in April Boherquill – Saturday 8pm

Rathowen – Sunday 11am

#### MASS INTENTIONS

Sun April 7<sup>th</sup> at 11am

Paddy & Annie Kearny, Liam, Willie, James, Josephine, & Gerry Casey

Sun April 14<sup>th</sup> at 11am

John & Margaret Nally

Offertory Collection for last weekend was €159. Thank you for your support.

Liturgy Committee for the parishes of Streete/Rathowen will meet on Wed April 10<sup>th</sup> at 9pm in the parochial house, Rathowen

Pope Francis when in Ireland reminded us that every Christian needs to be missionary.

#### Here is a suggestion.

Could you say to someone; your husband or wife, your son or daughter, your brother or sister, your boyfriend or girlfriend, your friend or neighbour "I am going to my hour of Adoration next week, **WILL YOU JOIN ME?**"

#### **Good Friday National Holy Face Public Prayer Vigil**

A Public prayer vigil will be held in each County in Ireland from 12.00 - 1.00pm on Good Friday 19th April. This vigil is in reparation to the Holy Face of JESUS and for the protection of life, faith and family in Ireland. Pope Francis has asked that we "return to the Face of CHRIST" You are invited to this hour of public prayer on the Market Square, Longford commencing at 12 midday on Good Friday.

[www.rathowenparish.ie](http://www.rathowenparish.ie)

## STREETE

St Mary's Church, Boherquill

### FIFTH SUN OF LENT

Sat April 6<sup>th</sup>, 8pm Vigil Mass

[www.streeteparish.ie](http://www.streeteparish.ie)

Readers – Geraldine Gilligan (April 13<sup>th</sup>)

Extra-Ordinary Ministers – Enda Murphy (April 13<sup>th</sup>)

Mass in April

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Rathowen – Sunday 11am

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Deceased members of Streete wild life club

Sat April 13<sup>th</sup> at 8pm

Sr Marcella Gereghy, Margaret West, DFM

Offertory Collection for last weekend was €130. Thank you for your support. Next weekend is the second Sun of the month, **Building fund** collection will be taken up at the offertory

Pastoral Council meeting, Tues April 9<sup>th</sup> at 8pm in the parochial house, Boherquill

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#### **Join ACCORD as a Marriage Preparation Course Facilitator**

Accord Longford is recruiting Volunteer Facilitators. If you have a positive attitude towards marriage in the Catholic Church, if you have the enthusiasm to be part of the Accord team in supporting couples who are preparing for the Sacrament of Marriage, call Fr. Michael McGrath (043 3346465) or Fr. Pat Murphy (071 9631024) for further information, or see [www.accord.ie](http://www.accord.ie)

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