

ST. MARY'S CHURCH, RATHOWEN

SUNDAY, - 10 AM MASS

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ST. MARY'S CHURCH, BOHERQUILL

SATURDAY, - 8PM MASS

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RATHOWEN WEEKDAY MASSES

Tuesday.

Boherquill - 9.30 am

Wednesday.

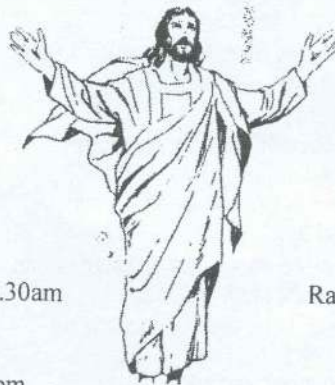
Rathowen - 9.30am

Thursday.

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Friday.

Boherquill - 8pm. Adoration 7 - 8pm.



STREETE WEEKDAY MASSES

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Mass Intentions

Sunday 17th Nov 10am: No intention

**Sunday 23rd Nov 10am: No intention,
NEW PAPAL ENCYCLICAL.**

Pope Francis has issued his 4th Encyclical "He loves us", it is dedicated to the human and divine love of the Heart of Jesus. "His open heart has gone before us and waits for us, unconditionally, asking only to offer us His love and friendship". The Pope writes in the introductory section, "for he loves us first", because of Jesus we have come to know and believe in the love that God has for all of us. In our societies, the Pope writes, "we are also seeing a spread of varied forms of religiosity that has nothing to do with a personal relationship with the God of love". In response, Pope Francis proposes a new reflection on the love of Christ represented in His Holy Heart, he calls for renewal of authentic devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. Anyone wishing to read the full text can simply google "He loved us, Papal Encyclical, or visit the Vatican official Website.

SAINTLY WISDOM GOVERNMENT

"The governments of tyrants cannot last long because it is hateful to the multitude and what is against the wishes of the multitude cannot long be preserved. The christian is bound to obey the authorities when their power is from God, but not otherwise. Let the holy one pray and the prudent one rule. Ruler are happy if they rule justly, it is right to submit to the will of a higher authority whenever a command of God is not violated (St Thomas Aquinas)

PRAYER FOR SOULS IN PURGATORY

We believe all who die in God's grace and friendship, but still imperfectly purified, are indeed assured of their eternal salvation; but after death they undergo the rite of purification, so as to achieve the holiness necessary to enter the joys of heaven. So we pray for them. "O good Jesus, Thou suffered and died that all mankind might be saved and brought to eternal happiness. Hear our prayers for our departed family and friends, welcome them this day into your divine presences, united to all their family in joy.

Offertory collection

STREETE 435 RATHOWEN 251

Nov Dues: The November Dues are being taken up, this is for the support of the priests of the diocese, thank you for your support, your support is very much appreciated.....

Mass Intentions

Saturday 16th Nov 8pm: Joe & Peggy Quinn, DFM

Friday 22nd Nov 8pm: David Flynn, 40th Anniv

**Saturday 23rd Nov 8pm: Pat & Annie McNally, Coolamber
A LITTLE THEOLOGY "POLITICS"**

The church teaches that we are encouraged to participate in the political process, be informed voters, and to call elected officials to act on behalf of the common good. It is commendable that in today's democratic societies, in a climate of true freedom, everyone is made a participant in directing the body politic. Indeed, all can contribute, by voting in elections for lawmakers and government and in other ways as well, to the development of political solutions and legislative choices, which in their opinion will benefit the common good. By fulfilling their civic duties guided by christian consciences in conformity with its values the faithful exercise their proper task infusing the temporal order with Christian values and wisdom.

CATHOLIC HEADLINES

A. Once again Italian parish defies blowback to welcome migrants, B. In the Vatican even the Christmas tree can be a lighting rod. C. Giant statue of Saint Patrick in Ireland to be highlighted on Red Wednesday. D. Priest slain nazis to be inducted among "righteous of the world. E. "Christ is present in the mud" - catholic lead relief in the aftermath of Valencia disaster. F. Mother Frances: The unsinkable saint who missed the Titanic. G. Spanish court forces catholic brotherhood to admit women. H. Shock as hundreds of Canadian euthanasia violation cases that are not reported to the police, - medical cover up of crimes.

NEW EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS.

We are in the process of recruiting new Eucharistic ministers if you would like to enrol contact Fr pierre.

Catholic Humour

