

# 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

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Boherquill - 9.30 am

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Boherquill - 8pm. Adoration 7 - 8pm.



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**Sunday 27th April: Mary Carroll.**

**Sunday 4th April: No Intention**

Loving God, today, we grieve for our beloved Pope Francis. We know you join us in our grief, that you to weep to at the death of your dear friend and companion, as Jesus did at the tomb of Lazarus. Welcome our beloved Pope Francis into your waiting arms, envelop him in your eternal love, And comfort us in our mourning as we strive to continue to follow his Gospel example to encounter Christ in all people and in all places. Se thank you for the gift of Pope Francis. Through his life and teaching, you showed us how to love and serve one another, how to hear the cries of the poor and the cries of the earth, rest in peace

### CATHOLIC HEADLINES

A. Francis' legacy lives on as top Vatican woman gets accidental invite to Cardinals meeting . B. Argentians mourn their " Pope of the poor" C. Pope and Vice President Vance have unusual Easter tete-a-tete at Vatican.

D. Gazapriest says Pope called him : rejects Trump plan of beach resort proposal. E. African theologian says Pope Francis was a post-colonial Pope. E. Cardinal Gracias says Pope Francis was fearless. F. No whining -papal door sign attracts attention during sealing of the Pope apartment. G. Los Angeles Archdiocese reports highest number of convert baptism this Easter with 5,500 baptisms

### LOUGH DERG PILGRIMAGE

For 1500 year Lough Derg, a;so called St Patricks Purgatory has attracted pilgrims, to pray, do penances or to find peace and solitude in which to encounter God. The most common practice continues to be the 3 day pilgrimag during which pilgrims forgo sleep. food and walk in bare feet, but there are also a number of different option now available, from a one dsat encounter to the 3 day guided residential retreat . For more information on dates, times and prices go to loughderg.ie or call on 071-9861518.

### EASTER DUES

Easter Dues Will be taken this weekend, this is the 2nd of the 6 annual collections. these collection are used to support the priests of the diocese as well as the Bishop. Thank to all who are generous in their support at this time

Offertory collection: Rathowen 380

Streete 430

THANK  
YOU

### Mass Intentions

**Saturday 26th April : Joe Tiernan**

**Mary & John Blessington**

**Saturday 3rd May: Josephine & Thomas Reilly,  
DFM**

### A LITTLE THEOLOGY "THE PAPACY"

The Pope is the successor of the Apostle Peter, to whom Christ gave this commission, " you are Peter and upon this rock I shall build my Church". The Pope by reason of his office as Vicar of Christ, the visible source and foundation of the unity both of the Bishops and the whole company of the faithful., the Pope serves as the spiritual father and servant leader of the universal church. As the Bishop of Rome he holds the highest teaching authority, safeguarding catholic in faith and morals, under the guidelines of the Holy Spirit. Among his titles the most important are "servant of the servants of God," Bishop of Rome, The Vicar of Christ and The Patriarch of the West.

### SAINTLY WISDOM PAPACY

" By pointing out the tradition which that very great, oldest and well known church-founded and established at Rome by those two most glorious apostles, Peter and Paul-received from the apostles, I can put to shame aloof those who in any way, either through wicked self-conceit, or through vainglory, gather together in away they should not. For every church must be in harmony with this church because of its outstanding pre-eminence, that is the faithful from everywhere, since the apostolic tradition is preserved in it by those from everywhere.(St Basil)

### TWO HEART VIGIL.

An all night vigil in honour of the Sacred heart of Jesus and the immaculate heart of Mary will take place next weekend 2/3 May, beginning at 9pm and concluding at 5am Saturday morning with mass. Venue is the chapel in the Manor Edgeworthstown, confessions will be heard.

### Catholic Humour

