

# Parish of Trim and Boardsmill 19 - 25 March 2023

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## Blessing of St Joseph - Feast Day on Monday

May the poverty of my little Child be your riches.

His sighs and His tears the consolation of your days.

The love of His adorable Heart your earthly treasure, your all.

And the clear vision of His adorable and glorified humanity

be your eternal joy and recompense. Amen.

## Extra weekday Mass for Lent every Wednesday at 7.45am



Other spiritual exercises for Lent

- Please note that the Friday devotions will not take place this week because we have Confirmation for Dunderry parish taking place in Trim on Friday at 3pm
- 7 Mass challenge for children on [www.trimparish.com](http://www.trimparish.com)
- Lenten lunches on Wednesdays of Lent 1pm - 2pm in the Living Hope Church in aid of Meals on Wheels

## A blessing for mothers at Baptism ceremonies

*The following prayer is part of the liturgy each time we celebrate Baptisms in the parish:*

God the Father, through his Son, the Virgin Mary's child, has brought joy to all Christian mothers, as they see the hope of eternal life shine on their children. May he bless the mother of this child. She now thanks God for the gift of her child. May she be one with her child in thanking him for ever in heaven, in Christ Jesus our Lord.



## Our Lady's Altar in Trim

Candles are lighted on Our Lady's Altar for Mother's Day in honour of Our Blessed Mother and asking her Heavenly protection upon mothers, godmothers and grandmothers in Trim and Boardsmill.

## Mass intentions for the week ahead

**Saturday 7pm** John Carroll / John Dwyer

**Sunday 9am** Ellen Cosgrove (First Anniv)

**Sunday 10am** Jack, Lil Ennis

Patrick, Mary Ellen & Tony Morgan

**Sunday 11am** Frances Fox / Nan O'Reilly

**Sunday 12.30pm** Sr Sheila Conlon (First Anniv)

John McGrath / John O'Rourke

**Monday 10am** Margaret McArdle

Peter, Mary, Joseph O'Toole & Brigid Dolan

**Tuesday 10am** William, Bridget Farrelly

**Wednesday 10am** Hugh, Kathleen, Dermot Cowley

**Thursday 10am** Patrick, Mary Colgan

**Friday 10am** Josie Comaskey

**Saturday 10am** John, Bridie Traynor / John, Agnes Boyle

**Saturday 7pm** Paddy Dunne / Peter, Rita, Paul Campbell  
Tom, Kathleen Sheridan

**Sunday 9am** Mass for people's intentions

**Sun 10am** Mary, PJ Carney / Larry, Betty Daly

**Sunday 11am** Peter Dilworth

Frances, Thomas, Ann, Martin McGee

**Sunday 12.30pm** Patrick Smith / Joe Gilsean

**We pray for the recently deceased**

**Fr Peter Nolan**, Boston,

brother of Maureen Whelan Walsh, Knightsbrook

**WEDNESDAY Parish Finance Committee** at 7.30pm in the Parish Centre

**THURSDAY Zoom meeting** at 7.30pm for couples getting married in May - July this year

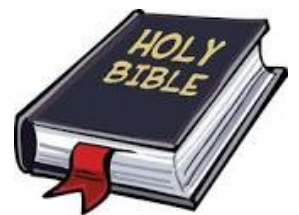
**THURSDAY Life in the Spirit Seminar** at 7.30pm St Patrick's Hall. Speaker: Terry Quinn.

### SATURDAY Feast of the Annunciation of the Lord (Mass at 10am)

If Mary had been asked, at the beginning of that momentous day, how important or special she felt, she would probably have laughed at the absurdity of the question. But, by the end of her encounter with that divine messenger, her destiny had changed. Every day God is knocking at our doors, and asking us to become important and special on his behalf. Every day we are being invited to carry the Good News of his Son into the world. It does not matter how ordinary we may consider ourselves to be, because that is not how God sees us. To God we all have the calling and the potential to rise above the ordinary and to take the light of Christ into the dark corners of this world. We just have to join Mary in saying: Let is be with me according to your word - and mean it! (From "The Intercom")

### WEDNESDAY 26 APRIL, 7.30pm Looking ahead to the Easter season

The daily Scripture readings for the 50 days of Easter are taken from the "Acts of the Apostles". These readings give us a lively and joyful account of the experiences of the first Christians in the period immediately after the resurrection of Jesus. We will have a Scripture evening to learn more about the Acts of the Apostles on Wednesday 26 April at 7.30pm in the parish centre. This worship is aimed for readers, Ministers of Holy Communion, choir members, musicians, cantors and anyone who wants to deepen their love of the Scriptures during the Easter season. Please note the date in your diary.



### Masses - Sacraments - Office

<b>Trim</b>	Vigil 7pm, Sunday 9am, 11am, 12.30pm
<b>Boardmill</b>	Sunday 10am
<b>Confessions</b>	Saturday 12noon - 1pm
<b>Adoration</b>	Sunday 1.15pm - 8pm
<b>Baptisms</b>	Saturdays at 3pm
<b>Anointing of the Sick</b>	First Saturday of the Month
<b>Office</b>	Monday - Friday 10am - 5pm (closed on Tuesdays)

