

God's People Our Parish

St. James and St Hugh, Kilbeggan and Rahugh

KILBEGGAN: Saturday Vigil 7.30 p.m. & Sunday 11 a.m.

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday 9.30a.m. Wednesday 7.30p.m. & Saturday 10a.m

Confessions ~ Saturday 10.30a.m. ~ 11.30a.m.

RAHUGH: Sunday 9.30 a.m. & Friday 7.30p.m.

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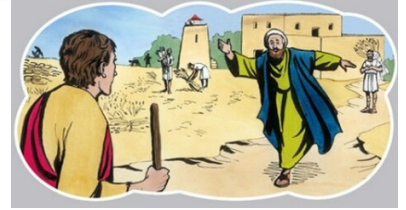
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There will be more joy in heaven over one sinner who repents

Fourth Sunday of Lent (Laetare (Rejoice) Sunday)

7.30 p.m. Esther, William, and Noel Kinearney, Anniv.
Paddy Carton, Anniversary
Jim and Bess Murray

11a.m. Kathleen Casey, Anniversary



Wednesday: Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament from 6.30 p.m. until Mass time at 7.30 p.m.

Wednesday 7.30 p.m. Kitty Flynn

Friday 9.30 a.m. and 7.30 p.m (Rahugh) List of the Dead

Fifth Sunday of Lent

7.30 p.m. Patrick and Elizabeth Morgan

9.30 a.m. Dan, Pat and Des Lee.

11 a.m. Jimmy and Maureen McDonnell

The Irish Catholic

Catholic Newspaper is on sale at the entrance for €3 per copy.

Plate : €1,150; Maintenance Fund: €20; Lenten Offerings: € 235. Thanks to all who are so generous.

Thank You



I will bring Holy Communion to the sick and the housebound this week. If you or a member of your family would like to be visited, please let me know 087 2618353

We will have coffee/tea and scones in the Parish Centre after 9.30 a.m.

Mass on Tuesday. All are welcome to come along.

Coffee Morning



Charity Shop - Open Monday to Friday 10am - 5pm. Wide selection of good quality clothing and household goods. We give Dóchas €750 each month to help those with cancer. The Charity Shop also supports the Cosy Café. **Thanks for your continued support.**

Cosy Café meets Tuesday 8th April, 11 a.m. - 1 p.m.

The Speaker is Catherine Ryan O'Brien, Solicitor, who will speak about what families need to be aware of in legal matters. We will have Occupational Therapy with Noelle Dillon, and there will be music and refreshments for all. Our aim is to help make our parish more dementia friendly. Bring a friend. All are welcome.

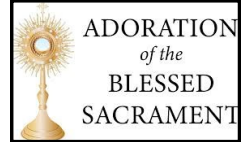


Trócaire Boxes are available at the Church entrances — Please take one home



For those who wish to go to Confessions, I am available in the Confession Room (beside the organ) before Mass each Saturday from 7 p.m. until Mass time at 7.30 pm

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament every Wednesday evening from 6.30 p.m. until Mass time at 7.30 p.m. There is also Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on Monday mornings from 10 -11 a.m. and in Rahugh on Fridays 7—8.30 p.m. with Mass included at 7.30 p.m.



Evangelium Ireland Conference 2025

Evangelium Ireland invites young Catholics to its annual Apologetics Conference at St. Patrick's College, Maynooth, on Saturday, 26 April 2025. The event features talks and workshops on topics such as discipleship in the Gospel of St. John, doctrinal development, and the making of modern culture. Holy Mass will be celebrated.

Cost: €45, including lunch, refreshments, and an evening social. For the full programme and registration, visit www.evangelium.ie or search 'Evangelium Ireland' on Eventbrite.



Holy (Jubilee) Year Pilgrimage to Saint Patrick's Purgatory, Lough Derg

Monday 2nd to Wednesday 4th June 2025. Cost: €80.00 + €50.00 coach travel. Please contact (044) 966 1191 or cooleparish@gmail.com

Knock Shrine, Croagh Patrick, and Lough Derg are issuing a Jubilee Year Pilgrim- age Passport for 2025. See <https://www.pilgrimpassport.ie/>



In this Year of Pilgrimage of Hope, it is good to follow the Stations of the Cross as a mini pilgrimage. We are blessed to have beautiful Stations in each of our churches. It is nice to drop in to the Church during the day to pray and follow the Way of the Cross.



The Stations of the Cross are a traditional Catholic practice during Lent, especially on Fridays, as a way to reflect on death of Jesus Christ. Each station represents a significant moment on Jesus' journey to His crucifixion, from His condemnation to His burial.



This practice allows Christians to spiritually walk with Jesus through His final hours, offering a deeper understanding of His sacrifice and love. It's also a way of participating in His Passion, remembering the suffering He endured for the salvation of humanity.

The reason it's done during Lent is because Lent is a season of penance, prayer, almsgiving and reflection. The Stations of the Cross help individuals focus on the themes of sacrifice and redemption, which are central to the Lenten journey leading up to Easter. It's an opportunity to meditate on Jesus' suffering, and through that, grow closer to Him spiritually.



Apostolate of Eucharistic Adoration National Pilgrimage, KNOCK, 5th & 6th April 2025.

Bus to Knock Sunday 6th April, leaving Milltownpass at 08:15am, and passing through Kilbeggan with pick up in the Square. To book a seat, please phone 086 2515828.

Wishing all mothers a happy and blessed Mothers Day this Sunday

