# God's People Our Parish

## St. James and St Hugh, Kilbeggan and Rahugh

Saturday Vigil 7.30 p.m. Kilbeggan Sunday 9.30 a.m. Rahugh and 11 a.m. Kilbeggan

Monday to Friday 9.30 a.m. Saturday 10 a.m. Friday 7.30 p.m. Rahugh

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

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# Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7.30p.m June, John and Malachy Dawson

9.30 a.m. Deceased members of the Coyne Family, Attyconnor

11 a.m.

# Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Thursday August 15th Holyday of Obligation

Wednesday (Vigil) 7.30 p.m. James, Mary and Davey Connolly

Jimmy, Mary and Eileen Coffey, Cumminstown

Thursday 9.30 a.m. Rahugh and 11 a.m. Kilbeggan

Saturday 10 a.m. Colm Pidgeon, 26th Anniversary, and Mary Dowling (née Phylan)



## Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7.30p.m. John and Teresa McDonnell & deceased family members Andy, Una and Eileen Hennessy

9.30 a.m. Mick and Lizzie Matthews & deceased family members

11 a.m.

Please pray for the repose of the souls of Kevin McCarthy, Skehanagh; Carmel Wilson, Rahugh; and Jenny Craig, Tullamore Road, who died this week. May they Rest in Peace.



Thank You Offerings: €430; Plate: €985; Maintenance Fund: €485.

Thanks to all who are so generous.

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



The **Cemetery Committee** would like to thank all who supported their Cemetery Sunday Collection. They received €8,331. Congratulations to the Cemetery Committee, and Declan and Keith, who have the cemetery looking so well. Thanks to all involved in the Cemetery Devotions and to all who left space for those less mobile to park in the Cemetery Carpark.



**Confessions** available 10.30 a.m. —11.30 a.m. on Saturdays. **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament** Monday 10 a.m. - 11 a.m. in Kilbeggan. Friday 7 p.m.— 9 p.m. in Rahugh with Mass at 7.30pm





Thanks to all who attended the Dementia meeting to help set up a Café for those affected by Dementia, their family and carers. The Café will be called **Cosy Café** and will be up and running from September. It will provide entertainment, guest speakers, physiotherapy, and advice, community and assistance.

#### **Pope Francis' Intention for August**

**For Political Leaders:** We pray that political leaders be at the service of their own people, working for integral human development and for the common good, especially caring for the poor and those who have lost their jobs.





**Meath Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock** will take place this **Sunday 11th August 2024.** The Pilgrimage will be led by Bishop Tom Deenihan and will also be accompanied by the Meath Diocesan Choir. Mass at 3pm from Knock Basilica can be viewed live on Watch Live | Knock Shrine

All interested parties are invited to come along to the first meeting of the revived "Kilbeggan Players Drama Society" on Monday, 19th August at 7:30pm in St James' Hall. No prior experience necessary. If you have an interest in acting, directing, set design, make up, costume etc. we would love for you to join us.





#### **Charity Shop**

**Open Monday to Friday 10 –5 p.m.** Wide selection of good quality clothing and household goods. We give Dóchas €750 each month to help those with cancer. **Thanks for your support.** 



### The Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary: August 15th

The Virgin Mary, with her Magnificat, teaches us how to praise and glorify God. It is an invitation through which the Virgin Mary, today contemplated in glory, invites us to go beyond our usual mode of magnifying problems and difficulties. Mary is able, and today she teaches this to us, to look on life through another lens: our hearts are greater than our sins. And even if our hearts condemn us, God is greater than our hearts! (cf. 1 Jn 3:20) This is not, therefore, illusory, as if to say there are no problems in life. It is about appreciating what is beautiful and good in life and knowing how to thank God for it! This way, even problems are seen in their proper light.

From Vatican News - Liturgical Feasts August

### The Magnificat

"My soul proclaims the greatness of the Lord,
my spirit rejoices in God my Saviour
for he has looked with favour on his lowly servant.
From this day all generations will call me blessed:
the Almighty has done great things for me,
and holy is his Name.
He has mercy on those who fear him
in every generation.
He has shown the strength of his arm,

he has scattered the proud in their conceit.

He has cast down the mighty from their thrones, and has lifted up the lowly.

He has filled the hungry with good things, and the rich he has sent away empty.

He has come to the help of his servant Israel for he has remembered his promise of mercy, the promise he made to our fathers, to Abraham and his children for ever."

Mary remained with her about three months and

then returned to her home (Lk 1:39-56).