God's People Our Parish

St. James and St Hugh, Kilbeggan and Rahugh

Sunday 9.30 a m Rahugh and 11 a m. Kilbeggan Saturday Vigil 7.30 p.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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Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



9.30a.m. Vincent Abbott, Rahugh.

11a.m

Monday 10 a.m. (Bank Hol.)

Wednesday 7.30 p.m.

Saturday 10 a.m. Corina Casey Hardiman, 2nd Anniversary

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Michael (Mike) McMahon who died this week. May he rest in peace

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7.30p.m June, John and Malachy Dawson

esus said:

I am the bread of life; whoever

omes to me will

in me will never

John 6:35

thirst.

never hunger; and whoever believes

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

11 a.m.

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

Offerings: €1,585; Plate: €975; Maintenance Fund: €2,120; Shrines: €655. Thanks to all who are so generous.

Thanks to all who attended the Cemetery Devotions in the Relic last week. Congratulations to the Cemetery Committee, and Declan and Stephen who have the whole cemetery looking so well. Thanks to all who left space for those less mobile to park in the Cemetery Carpark.







Charity Shop

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





I invite all those who would be interested in organising a Café, for those affected by Dementia, family and carers, to a meeting at 8 p.m. in the Parochial House on Tuesday 6th August. The Café will provide, entertainment, guest speakers, physiotherapy, and advice, community and assistance. The Café will meet once a month.

PSLAM 34:8

Taste and

see that the

LORD is good.

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.

Morning Offering

O Jesus, through the Immaculate Heart of Mary, I offer You my prayers, works, joys, and sufferings of this day in union with the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass throughout the world. I offer them for all the intentions of Your Sacred Heart: the salvation of souls, reparation for sin, and the reunion of all Christians. I offer them for the intentions our Holy Father. Amen



Since the 16th century Catholic piety has assigned entire months to special devotions. The month of August is traditionally dedicated to the Immaculate Heart of Mary. The physical heart of Mary is venerated (and not adored as the Sacred Heart of Jesus is) because it is united to her person and is the seat of her love especially for her divine Son, virtue, and inner life. Such devotion is an incentive to a similar love and virtue.

In 2024, almost 300,000 children are threatened by severe acute malnutrition in six drought-affected countries in Southern Africa, reported the UN Children's Fund, UNICEF, in a July 25 statement. Increasing food insecurity and malnutrition, challenges in accessing safe water and sanitation, as well as risks to disease outbreaks such as cholera, are "a serious threat." In Lesotho, Malawi, Namibia, Zambia, and Zim-



babwe, UNICEF highlights, 7.4 million children are living in child food poverty, of which over 2 million are surviving on extremely poor diets that include at most two food groups.



Meath Diocese Pilgrimage to Knock will take place on Sunday 11th August 2024. The Pilgrimage will be led by Bishop Tom Deenihan and will also be accompanied by the Meath Diocesan Choir. The Fr. Willie Doyle SJ Pilgrimage will also take place on Sunday 11th August.

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.





Prayer to the Holy Spirit Come, Holy Spirit, fill the

hearts of your faithful

vour love. Send forth your Spirit, and

they shall be created.

And you shall renew the face of the earth.

O God, who by the light of the Holy Spirit,

Did instruct the hearts of the faithful,

And kindle in them the fire of Grant that by the same Holy Spirit we may be truly wise and ever enjoy his consolations.

Through the same Christ Our Lord.

Amen.