

St. James' Church

*Vigil 8 p.m. Saturday and Sunday 11 a.m.
Monday to Friday 9.30 a.m. and Saturday 10 a.m.*

St. Hugh's Church

*Sunday 9.30 a.m.
Friday 8 p.m.*

Confessions on Saturday after 10 a.m. Mass, before the Vigil Mass after Mass in Rahugh Friday evening.

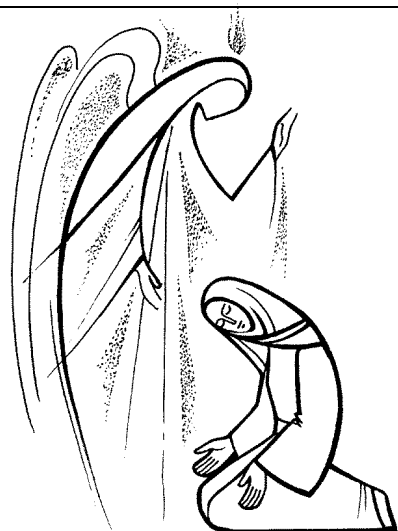
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

*Kilbeggan after 9.30 a.m. Mass on Monday until 12 noon.
Rahugh on Friday from 7 – 9 p.m. with Mass at 8 p.m.*

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Fourth Sunday of Advent

8 p.m. Colm Heffernan

Joe McCormack

9.30 a.m. Thomas and Bridget Coyne.

11 a.m. Kevin Davey.

John and Ellen Craig.

Peter and Brigid Hogan, their son Jim and nephew grandson David Doyle

Wednesday 21st 9.30

a.m. Deceased
members of the Doyle
Family

Thursday 22nd 9.30 a.m. Mick and Florence Guilfoyle

Friday 23rd 9.30 a.m. John and Rose Keenan

There is no evening Mass in Rahugh

Saturday the 24th 10 a.m. There is no Morning Mass.

The Nativity of the Lord

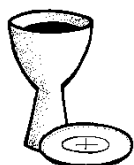
8 p.m. The Christmas Masses are offered for all the people of the Parish at home and away.

9.30 a.m.

11 a.m.



Christmas is an Offerings Day in the Parish, thanks to all those who are so generous in the support.



I will bring Holy Communion to the sick and housebound next Friday. If a member of your family is housebound and not have the priest attending, please let me know.

Scoil an Chlochair

There will be a Carol Service **at 11.30am** on Wednesday 21st December in St James' Church School will finish for Christmas holidays at 12 noon on Thursday 22nd December and will reopen on Monday 9th January 2012.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

We will have our Penitential Service in Kilbeggan at 7 p.m. on Sunday 18th

Confessions for Christmas Saturday 17th, after 8 p.m. Mass.

Each day of the week leading up to Christmas after 9.30 a.m. Mass

Christmas Eve 5.30 - 6 p.m.



Missals for the Sunday readers are available in the Sacristy after Mass, please pick up your copy.

St Stephen's Day Fun Run/Walk,. It is open to all ages to run or walk all or some of the 6 km. Course. There is no entry fee but all donations will go to Our Lady's Hospital for

Sick Children, Crumlin. We start at 12 noon from the Square and end with refreshments, sandwiches and soup in the Saddler's Bar. Please come along all are welcome. For more information contact D. Smith 087 7767887



The St Vincent de Paul Society in the Parish would like to thank all those who were so generous contributing a massive €3,045 to their appeal at the Sunday Masses. There is cheese available for distribution at the house on Wednesday between 10 and 11 a.m. or while stocks last.



Festive Carols with Clara Town Band

The Parents Association of S.S. Peter & Paul's National School, Horseleap are holding a Christmas Concert on Wednesday 21st Dec. at 8pm in Horseleap/Streamstown Community Centre. Guest entertainment on the night from Clara Town Band followed by festive carols from the children of the school. All support will be greatly appreciated.

Bargain Corner supporting Ethiopian Projects Opening January 2012 in the Square, Kilbeggan. You can help by donating any unwanted/unused goods in your wardrobe, house, garage or workplace that you think would sell in the shop to help Ethiopian Projects, such as, disability, housing, education, women's development etc. or drop in and browse for a bargain. Contact No. 087 2840352.

Dochas Nasamu, which is our Irish run and Irish built orphanage, in Nairobi, Kenya, are holding a used clothing appeal of ladies, gents and children's - clothes, shoes, household linens i.e. towels, sheets, blankets etc. Also, soft toys, handbags etc. This appeal will take place on Wednesday 21st December, before 12 noon, at Kilbeggan and Rahugh Church Grounds. For further information, please contact Marie on 087 6890995.

Kilbeggan Apostolic Society wish to thank all those who generously contributed to this year's collection. The amount collected was €5,827.42. Last year €4,200 was given to Priests, Nuns and Laity returning to the missions. €1,550 was given for Church articles e.g. chalices etc. €705.04 for materials to make altar cloths, vestments etc. Countries like Nigeria, Ethiopia, Korea, Haiti to mention but a few benefited from your generosity. Lay people in our Parish working on worthwhile projects in Haiti and South Africa also received monies.

Sunday 11th and Holy Day 8th: €1,794. November Offerings: € 150. List of the Dead: €10. Shrine for November: €755. Thanks to all who support the parish so generously.