

# God's People Our Parish

St. James and St Hugh, Kilbeggan and Rahugh

Vigil 8 p.m. Saturday and Sunday 11 a.m. Sunday 9.30 a.m. Rahugh

Monday to Friday 9.30 a.m. and Saturday 10 a.m Friday 8 p.m Fr. Brendan, Harbour Rd. 057 9332155 087 2618353

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**Come to me, all you that are weary and are carrying heavy burdens, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me; for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light.”**  
Mt.11: 28-30



**Make love your aim**  
1 Cor 14:1

## Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8 p.m. Richard Keoghan Month's Memory.

James Rock First Anniversary

Philomena and Patrick Robinson and deceased family.

Kathleen McDonnell and deceased members of the McDonnell and Kelly Family.

Sean and Elanor Gillic

9.30 a.m. Michael Matthews First Anniversary

11.a.m Teresa Cunningham 2nd Ann

Tuesday 9.30 a.m. Bridget Lynagh

Friday 9.30 a.m. and 8 p.m. List of the Dead.

## Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8p.m. Tom and Pat Ravenhill and deceased members of the Ravenhill Family  
9.30a.m.

11.a.m. Regina McMahon

Young at Heart meetings recommence on Monday next 3rd

February at 2.30pm. In the Parish Centre. New Members welcome.



**We received a gift of €3,000 this week for the renovation Fund.**

**Thanks to all who support the**

**Parish.** Plate: €1,085, Christmas Offerings: €140, List of the Dead: €10. Church Renovation: envelopes: €345,



**Meeting of Special Ministers of the Eucharist and Special Ministers of the Word, for both churches in the Parish Centre at 7. 30 p.m. Wednesday 12th**

**Gala Concert Monday 17th February 2020 in St. James' Church for Church Renovation Fund Tickets €20: John Hogan, Larissa Tormey, Ryan Turner, Olivia Douglas, Simon Casey, Carmel Sheerin, Camillus Egerton, TR Dallas, Michelle Murphy, and Shunie Cramsey. **Tickets on Sale after Mass****



**I will bring Holy Communion to the sick and house bound this week.**

**Town area on Wednesday**

**Rural Area on Friday**

**Please let them know the change in times.**

**The Parish Charity Shop will reopen on Tuesday.**

It is at the pedestrian crossing where the Black Kettle

was. Thanks to all who supported the shop and all the staff. Congratulations to all involved

**RAHUGH SOCIAL SERVICES meeting on Wednesday 5th February at 8.30 p.m.**



**What is a Parish Pastoral Council** . A Parish Pastoral Council (PPC) is a consultative body of the faithful, representative of the whole parish community, willing to work in close partnership with the priest of the parish to further the mission of Christ and his Church in the parish. Over the lifetime of the next PPC there are many areas which need to be developed in our parish. This can only happen with discussion and involvement of people from all sections and areas of our parish.



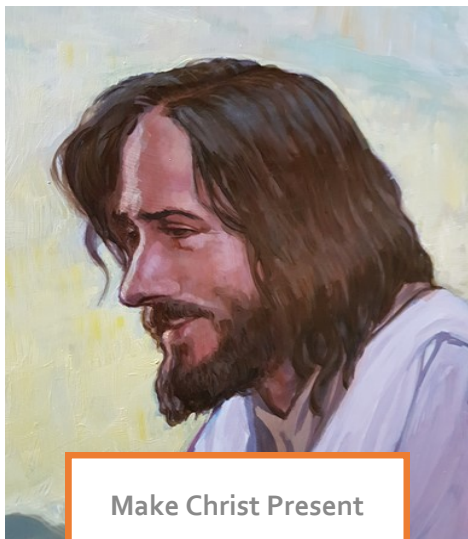
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Parish Pastoral  
Council**

young parents, older people.

As a group they will help our parish develop and work on plans and initiatives we can take to help improve the good of the parish into the future. In a word, we want to make Christ Present in as many ways as possible in our parish.

**"Parish Pastoral Council members occasionally find themselves on a steep learning curve.** For new members, the learning has to do partly with identifying the challenges (e.g. the quality of liturgy; action for justice and social concern, education in faith for young people, vocations etc.) and partly with the development of a concrete pastoral strategy for responding to those challenges. Sometimes the task seems to be daunting, but the important thing is to identify what can be done, rather than to lament the present situation. Finding the balance between speaking and listening, between following and leading is all part of the learning curve for any group trying to work together. " Bishop Doran Elphin.

**These areas and areas suggested by the parishioners will worked on by the PPC**



Make Christ Present  
Christ with the Children

Encouraging fellow parishioners, through their example and conversation, to fully, actively and consciously participate in the Sunday Eucharist .

Praying for the well-being of the parish community

Fundraising in conjunction with the Parish Finance Committee.

Organising and / or promoting events that will contribute to the prayer life and faith life of the community

Promoting and / or making available adult religious education opportunities at parish and inter-parish levels

Welcoming the stranger, reaching out to the alienated and caring for the vulnerable

Improving use of Parish Centre

Working to improve communication throughout the parish, especially through inputs in to the parish newsletter /website and hosting

of meetings around issues of pastoral concern

Encouraging participation in the liturgical life of the parish

Affirming and supporting other parish groups that contribute to the pastoral life of the parish

Developing / ensuring that the parish has an appropriate pastoral care programme for its young people, persons with disabilities, elderly and marginalised

Delegating responsibility for specific tasks to groups or individual persons of known competence, e.g. maintenance of parish property and certain financial responsibilities

Organising a get-together of representatives of all parish groups and organisations that contribute to the pastoral life of the parish at least once every three years with a view to nourishing them and glean- ing their recommendations re: future pastoral planning and provision

Conveying to non-church going parishioners, through word and action, that they are valued and inte- gral members of the parish community.

