

## **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.  
Holy Days: Masses on the Vigil 7 p.m. Rahugh 8 p.m. Kilbeggan, 11 a.m. on the Holy Day.*

### **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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## **Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**



**8 p.m.** Deceased members of the Stones Family, Loughnagore, Lockie Guilfoyle, Annie Jo McLoughlin, Month's Mind.

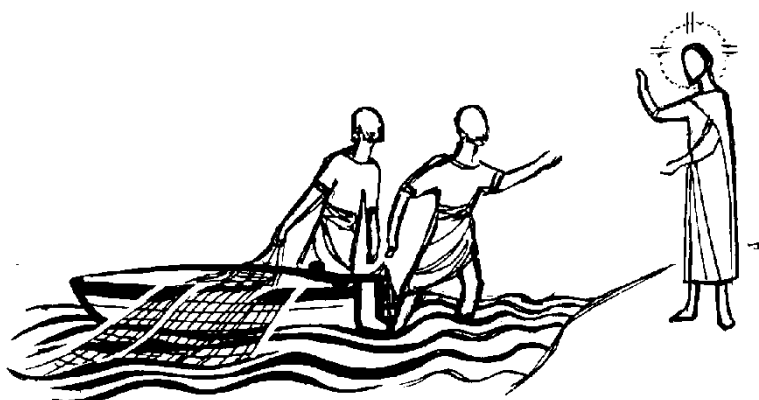
**9.30 a.m.** Mullen Family

**11 a.m.** Jack and Mary Anne Gorry

**Friday 21<sup>st</sup> 8 p.m.** Joe Dunne, Mountrath

## **Church Unity Week**

The traditional period for the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity is 18-25 January. Those dates were proposed in 1908 by Paul Wattson (who first promoted the idea of Church Unity Week) to cover the days between the feasts of St Peter and St Paul, and therefore have a symbolic significance. The 2011 prayers for the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity have been prepared by Christians in Jerusalem, who chose as a theme Acts 2:42, 'They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and fellowship, to the breaking of bread and the prayers.' This theme is a call back to the origins of the first church in Jerusalem; it is a call for inspiration and renewal, a return to the essentials of the faith; it is a call to remember the time when the church was still one.



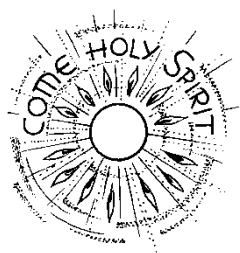
## **Third Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**8 p.m.** Colm and Kathleen Cogan, and Patrick and Margaret Berry, Grange.

**9.30** Michael Crombie

**11 a.m.**

**The Parish Pastoral Council** has its next meeting at 7.30 p.m. on Monday 17<sup>th</sup> January in the Staffroom, Scoil and Chlochair



### Important Parish Dates for 2011

**Confirmation** will be celebrated in Castletown Geoghegan on Thursday May 5<sup>th</sup> at 3p.m.

**First Holy Communion is in Kilbeggan** on Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> May at 11 a.m.

**First Holy Communion in Rahugh** at 9.30 a.m. on Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> of May.



**Congratulations** to all those who were such good neighbours during the bad weather and over the Christmas Season. Actions speak louder than words!

### *Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament*

There is Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and time for quite personal prayer in both churches during the week. In Kilbeggan, Adoration starts after the 9.30 a.m. Mass on Monday and ends at 12 noon. In Rahugh there is Adoration from 7 p.m. – 9 p.m. with Mass at 8 p.m. on Fridays. All are welcome to come and spend time in silent prayer and reflection.



We will have Mass from the “**Do this in Memory of Me**” programme with the children for First Holy Communion on Sunday next **January 23<sup>rd</sup>** at 11 a.m.

### Getting Married ?



If you intend to marry in the coming year, contact Accord to arrange a marriage course. Mullingar (044 9348707) Cathedral Social Services Centre, Bishopgate Street, Mullingar, or Tullamore (057 9341831). St Mary's Parish Centre, Benburb Street, Tullamore. You may also book online.

**The Missal for readers at the Sunday Masses for 2011** is available in the Sacristy after Masses. Could readers pick up their copy?

**Offertory Collection Sunday and Epiphany €1,800**