St. James’ Church St. Hugh’s Church

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

Monday to Friday 9.30 a.m. and Saturday 10 a.m. Friday 8 p.m.

Confessions on Saturday after 10 a.m. Mass, before the Vigil Mass *and* 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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As we begin the New Year may we make this prayer our own. May you and those you love have a very blessed and peaceful New Year.

***PRAYER OF HIS HOLINESS POPE FRANCIS  
FOR THE EXTRAORDINARY JUBILEE OF MERCY\****

***L*ord Jesus Christ,   
you have taught us to be merciful like the heavenly Father,   
and have told us that whoever sees you sees Him.   
Show us your face and we will be saved.   
Your loving gaze freed Zacchaeus and Matthew from being enslaved by money;   
the adulteress and Magdalene from seeking happiness only in created things;   
made Peter weep after his betrayal,   
and assured Paradise to the repentant thief.   
Let us hear, as if addressed to each one of us, the words that you spoke to the Samaritan woman: “If you knew the gift of God!”**

**You are the visible face of the invisible Father,   
of the God who manifests his power above all by forgiveness and mercy:   
let the Church be your visible face in the world, its Lord risen and glorified.   
You willed that your ministers would also be clothed in weakness   
in order that they may feel compassion for those in ignorance and error:   
let everyone who approaches them feel sought after, loved, and forgiven by God.**

**Send your Spirit and consecrate every one of us with its anointing,   
so that the Jubilee of Mercy may be a year of grace from the Lord,   
and your Church, with renewed enthusiasm, may bring good news to the poor,   
proclaim liberty to captives and the oppressed,   
and restore sight to the blind.**

**We ask this of you, Lord Jesus, through the intercession of Mary, Mother of   
Mercy; you who live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit for ever and ever. Amen.**

*Second Sunday of Christmas*

8 p.m. Michael Creevy First Anniversary

9.30 a.m. Margaret Egan and deceased family

11 a.m. Agnes and Joe Guilfoyle months’ memory.

Kevin Davey,

Bernie and Dill Word, Martin Ward.

Friday 8 p.m. Seamus and Anna Geoghan

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Tuesday 8 p.m.

Wednesday 9.30 a.m. Rahugh

11 a.m. Kilbeggan

Baptism of Our Lord

8 p.m. Stephen Kelly

9.30 a.m.

11.a.m. Nuala Williams and Eammon Gorry.

The opening of the New Extension at the Primary School will be on Thursday January 7th at 10 a.m. Bishop Smith will bless the school and the ribbon will be cut by the Minister for Education. Everyone in the Parish is welcome.

Lourdes Invalid Fund Christmas Draw: Thanks to all who supported the raffle which raised €1,530. Local winners were, Shaun Pidgeon, Sean Sheridan, Shirley McCormack. Thanks to sponsors, Kilbeggan Racecourse, The Pantry, Centra, Locke’s Distillery, and T.P.O’Gorman. Pilgrimage takes place 12th -17th September.



Bingo every Tuesday night 8.30 p.m. in Kilbeggan Parish Centre. All are welcome. We have €1,100 in cash prizes each night.

Senior Citizens’ New Year Dinner Party (65+)

 Parish Centre

Organised by the Parish Centre Committee

2 p.m. Sunday 31st January

Please let us know if you are coming!!!!!

Drop in this acceptance to the Parochial House or in the basket at Mass, or get a neighbour to do it before January 24th so that we will know how many are coming.

Name :....................................................................

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Plate:  €983,  Christmas Offerings:  €730, Patron: €70, Lenten: €50, Easter: €50, November: €250 List of the Dead: €70,  Church Renovation Fund:  envelopes: €670. Visitors collection box: €15. Thanks to all who are so generous.