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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8 p.m. Ray, Fr. Aidan, Margaret and Michael Fox.

Kathleen Finnegan First Anniversary

Bobby Gorman

9.30 a.m. Michael and Joseph Maher

11a.m. Una Hennessey and daughter Eileen

Friday 8th July (Rahugh) 8p.m. Mc Kee Family

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8 p.m. Patrick, Margaret and Imelda Berry, Grange.

9.30 a.m. Fintan and Molly Scally

11a.m.

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Cemetery Devotions in The Relic Sunday 31st July 3 p.m. At the ceremony there will be Rosary and prayers. Thanks to the Cemetery Committee and all those who keep their family plots so well. Please let family and friends know the date and time.

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Please pray for the repose of the soul of Sonny Maxwell who died this week. May he rest in peace.

Bargain Corner Charity Shop would appreciate donations of Kilbeggan Schools’ uniforms.

Pope Francis has chosen Ireland to host the 9th World Meeting of Families during 22 - 26 August 2018 in Dublin.  It was announced during the week that Pope Francis has chosen 'The Gospel of the Family: Joy for the World' as the theme for the Meeting.  Please see the diocesan website for more details.

Meath Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock: Sunday 14th August. Bishop Smith will celebrate Mass at 3 pm in the Basilica and will be joined by the Diocesan Choir.

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**RAHUGH MUSIC AND ART SUMMER CAMP Age Group: 5-12 years Date: 4th - 8th July**

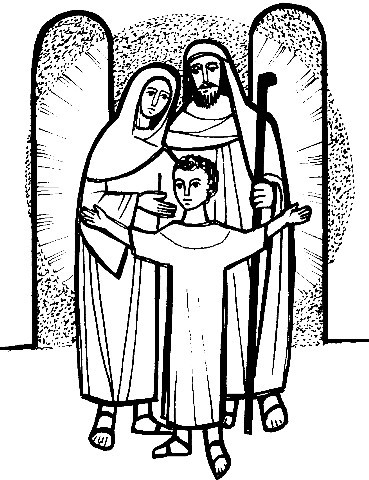
**Venue: Rahugh School 10am-2pm Cost: €60 per child €50 for second child, family rates**

**and daily rate €15. Book via email at rahughschool@eircom.net or text 086 3732444**

Meath Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes: Last Call for anyone who would like to go as a Hospital Pilgrim to Lourdes. Contact Pat Lynagh 087 6628468.

**World Youth Day Krakow, Poland 2016! *Only 15 days*...until 50 of our diocesan youth will board the bus to World Youth Day in Krakow! Like the Irish fans at Euro 2016 they will bring the Irish craic and comradery to a gathering of people from across the globe!  During the two week trip the youth will spend time with Polish families, enjoy cultural exchanges, inspirational talks and workshops, fun and friendship along with celebrating their faith in the presence of Pope Francis. Check out** [**dioceseofmeath.ie/youth**](http://dioceseofmeath.ie/youth)**, Facebook Meath Diocese WYD 2016 and Instagram Meath Diocese WYD 2016 for updates from Poland.**

Bingo every Tuesday night 8.30 p.m. in Kilbeggan Parish Centre. All are welcome. We have €1,200 in cash prizes each night.

 A big heart

In addition to the small circle of the couple and their children, there is the larger family, which cannot be overlooked. Indeed, “the love between husband and wife and, in a derivative and broader way, the love between members of the same family – between parents and children, brothers and sisters and relatives and members of the household – is given life and sustenance by an unceasing inner dynamism leading the family to ever deeper and more intense communion, which is the foundation and soul of the community of marriage and the family”. Friends and other families are part of this larger family, as well as communities of families who support one another in their difficulties, their social commitments and their faith. This larger family should provide love and support to teenage mothers, children without parents, single mothers left to raise children, persons with disabilities needing particular affection and closeness, young people struggling with addiction, the unmarried, separated or widowed who are alone, and the elderly and infirm who lack the support of their children. It should also embrace “even those who have made shipwreck of their lives”. This wider family can help make up for the shortcomings of parents, detect and report possible situations in which children suffer violence and even abuse, and provide wholesome love and family stability in cases when parents prove incapable of this. Finally, we cannot forget that this larger family includes fathers-in-law, mothers-in-law and all the relatives of the couple. One particularly delicate aspect of love is learning not to view these relatives as somehow competitors, threats or intruders. The conjugal union demands respect for their traditions and customs, an effort to understand their language and to refrain from criticism, caring for them and cherishing them while maintaining the legitimate privacy and independence of the couple. Being willing to do so is also an exquisite expression of generous love for one’s spouse.

*From the Encyclical the Joy of Love. Pope Francis*.

Plate:  €1,037;  Church Renovation envelopes: €110; Visitor’s donation box: €70.

Thanks to all who are so generous.