

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.*

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

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

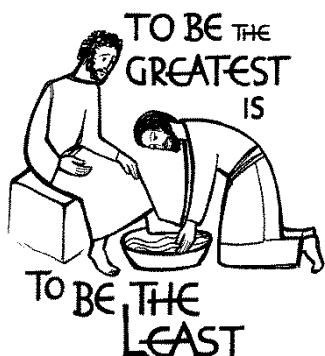
*Kilbeggan after 9.30 a.m. Mass on Monday until 12 noon.
Rahugh on Friday from 7 – 9 p.m. with Mass at 8 p.m.*

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Twenty Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time Sept. 23rd



8 p.m. Malachy Lynam
9.30 a.m.
11 a.m.

9.30 a.m. Monday. Mercy Day Mass for the Mercy Sisters living and dead.

9.30 a.m. Thursday Dan Rooney

8 p.m. Friday Martin Wyer and deceased family

10 a.m. Saturday Jock Lyons, 7th Anniversary

Twenty Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time September 30th



8 p.m.
9.30 a.m.
11 a.m.

We are now at the final stage of tendering for the building of the Parish Centre and the renovation of the Parochial House. We hope the tenders will be in at the beginning of

October. The Parish Pastoral Council will then choose the contractor they want and work will be able to start. Thank you for your constant support for the project.



Rahugh Drama Season once again our first meeting of the new season so would love to see everybody on Tuesday night 25th. September at 8.30p.m. New members welcome.

Kilbeggan Grand Canal Harbour Amenity Group: Annual Walk
Ballycommon to Kilbeggan **Sunday 7th October.** Bus leaving Harbour Buildings, Kilbeggan at **1.30p.m.** Four further information contact Dan Scally 05793 32316 or Mary Fox 05793 32213.





Kilbeggan GAA 5K RUN/WALK. €10 entry fee for Adults and €5 for U 16's

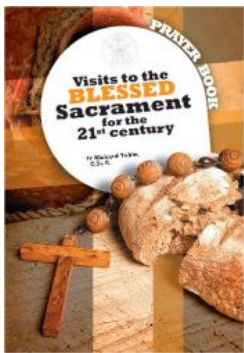
Sunday 23rd September 2012 at 12.00p.m. Registration from 10.30a.m. in GAA Pitch.

All proceeds to Kilbeggan Shamrocks Pitch Development. All enquiries to 087 7933736.

Prize for both Male and Female: 1st: €75, 2nd: €50, 3rd. €25.

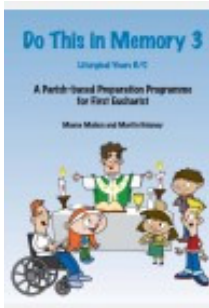
Refreshments in GAA Pavilion.

Joe Monahan Céilí : Martina, Benny and the family of Joe Monahan would like to sincerely thank all those who supported the recent Céilí in the Tullamore GAA centre to raise much needed funds for a dialysis machine for the Tullamore ICU. An amazing €15,000 has been banked to date. The money raised was far beyond our expectations. We hope all who attended had a great night and if you bought a ticket and could not make the night, we thank you!



This new book is offered in continuity with the spirit of that great work. It contains 28 visits – reflections and prayers – that draw us ever deeper into the mystery of God and God's love for humanity. It is a wonderful companion for all who take part in Eucharistic or 40 Hours Devotion, for those who like to make the occasional visit to the Blessed Sacrament, and as a preparation for the International Eucharistic Congress in Dublin in June 2012. Beautifully presented in full colour throughout, this is a devotional gem you will treasure for years. The booklet can be purchased on the Redemptorist Communications web site

<http://www.redcoms.org/>



As part of the parish formation programme for First Holy Communion, it was decided to initiate the DO THIS IN MEMORY series of Masses for children in second class and their parents. These Masses ensure that the parish, along with both the home and school play its part in the children's preparation in the months leading up to that important day, all within the context of the Sunday parish celebration. These Masses have a large input from the parents, all of whom give of their time freely, to meet and arrange the next months Mass. We will have a meeting with the parents in the next few weeks to arrange Masses. **First Holy Communion Kilbeggan:** Saturday 11th May, at 11 a.m.

Rahugh: Sunday 26th May, at 9.30 a.m.

MASS BENEFITS Why Mass -going is good for you.

1. You don't need to wait until you're perfect - or the church is perfect - to go to Mass. If that were the case, nobody could ever go at all. Just come as you are.
2. God communicates with us in a special way through the scriptures. You'll find parallels with many of your successes and failures in there. All you have to do is listen.
3. Though it's called a Holy Day of Obligation, think of it as a Holy Day of Celebration as well. Think of everything you're thankful for and all the ways in which you've been blessed.
4. Preparation is key. If you have the chance to look through that Sunday's Gospel beforehand, all the better.
5. Know that you're needed. The worshipping community will be stronger with you there.

Plate Collection Sunday 16th September: €1,022

Thanks to all who are so generous