

God's People Our Parish

KILBEGGAN: Saturday Vigil 7.30p.m. & Sunday 11a.m.

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday 9.30a.m. Wednesday 7.30p.m. & Saturday 10a.m Confessions - Saturday 10.30a.m. - 11.30a.m.

RAHUGH: Sunday 9.30a.m. & Friday 7.30p.m.

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The Ascension of the Lord

7.30 p.m. Paddy and Joe Scally and deceased family Moate Rd.

Maryann and Jack Gorry Michael Coffey, Shureen

Kathleen and Christopher Carton, Loughnagore

9.30 a.m.

11 a.m. Maureen and Tom Fox and grandson Patrick Campbell

Deceased members of the Ryan Family, Ballinderry, Moate Rd. Cllie and Tom Cowley

Monday 10 a.m. (Bank Holiday)

Pentecost Sunday

7.30 p.m. Pat Joe, Nancy and Connie Cloonan 9.30 a.m.

11 a.m. Joseph and Mary Rattigan Mary and Paddy Daniels Norah, Eamon and Marian Gorry

Nuala Williams



Please pray for the repose of the souls of Vincent Cunningham Jnr., Tullamore Road; Virginia McNamara, St Mary's Ave.; and Francie Murphy, CON Donegal, father of Michael Murphy, who died during the week. May they rest in peace.

Plate €1,120; Maintenance Fund: €200; Trocaire: €50; Offerings: €50. The total amount Thank You sent to Trocaire from the Parish was €5,000. Thanks to all who are so generous.

Catholic Newspaper on sale at the entrance for €3 per copy.

The Irish Catholic



Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament every Wednesday evening from 6.30 p.m. until Mass time at 7.30 p.m. There is also Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on Monday mornings from SACRAMENT 10 -11 a.m. and in Rahugh on Fridays 7—8.30 p.m. with Mass included at 7.30 p.m.

Cemetery Sunday Devotions are at 3pm on 27th July, the last Sunday of July.

Please let family members know.

Coffee Morning 3 We will have a coffee morning in the Parish Centre after 9.30 a.m. Mass on Tuesday. All are welcome.

What Happens if there are a number of families on the list for Mass on a **Saturday evening or Sunday?** As often happens there might be intentions for three or four families. I say the Sunday Mass for all the families on the



list and then during the week I offer Mass for each family intention. Therefore each family gets an individual Mass offered for them. A priest can only take one stipend per Mass each day, and he must say one Mass for all the people of the Parish each week.





I will bring Holy Communion to the sick and housebound this week. If a member of your family would like to receive Holy Communion, please let me know.

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PARISH Charity Sho

We wish every blessing and success to all the students in our parish who begin their State Exams on Wednesday. Please remember them in your prayers.

We will have a meeting of Eucharistic Ministers in the Parish Centre on Tuesday evening 3rd June at 7.30 p.m. All Ministers of the Eucharist are asked to attend.

National Jubilee of Young Adults gathering in Knock Shrine on Saturday 14th June. Join with us from across the Diocese; free bus pick up from Drogheda, Navan and Mullingar. To book place and further details please email Fr Mark English (<u>duleekparish@gmail.com</u>) Also a few places have become available if interested in travelling July 28th – August 4th to Rome for the Jubilee of Youth 2025 – see <u>www.dioceseofmeath.ie</u> or contact Fr Mark.

Lough Derg 3 day Pilgrimage (Jubilee of Hope 2025) **Monday 30th June – Wednesday 2nd July**. For further information and bookings contact Carmel Carty on Tel: 044 9374818

LOUGHCREW SUNDAY June 29th Mass at 3pm Come and help us celebrate the **400th Anniversary of the birth of St Oliver** in Loughcrew, Oldcastle (Eircode A82 X4Y1) **ALL ARE WELCOME**.

Irish Bishops call for prayer and fasting for Gaza "It appears that humanity has lost its heart" – Irish Bishops

Irish Bishops meeting in Maynooth today offered prayers for peace in the Holy Land, for Ukraine, Sudan and in other troubled parts of the world. In particular, bishops discussed the humanitarian catastrophe in Gaza, stating: "From all over Ireland, parishioners are reporting their horror and helplessness on seeing images of death and communal destruction in Gaza. Exhausted mothers can no longer nourish their young, children are dying of malnutrition, while aid lorries full of supplies are being refused entry into the territory, or are not safely arriving at their destination.

"We in Ireland must pray for a change of heart. Throughout the month of June – the month of the Sacred Heart of Jesus – we call on everyone to pray for an outpouring of the compassion of God on a heartless world. "To see the relentless bombardment of civilian areas, the deliberate withholding of food from the starving, as well as the callous holding of hostages, it appears that humanity has lost its heart. In the face of these horrors, we invite everyone to turn to the heart of Jesus throughout the month of June by praying for the renewal of heart that our world so desperately needs. We call on all Catholics to make the first Friday, 6 June, a day of prayer and fasting in solidarity with our sisters and brothers who are suffering at this time in the Holy Land. "We echo Pope Leo XIV's recent appeal to allow into Gaza 'the entry of dignified humanitarian aid and to put an end to the hostilities, whose heartbreaking price is paid by the children, elderly, and the sick."

Prayer Service for Peace. We will host a joint parishes prayer service for Peace in Mucklagh Church on Friday next 6th June at 7.30pm. The format of the prayer service has been prepared by Trocaire.

All welcome.

Parish Charity Shop We have a wide selection of high quality clothing, household goods and Bric-a-brac. Open Monday to Friday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. (closed this Monday due to Bank Holiday) Thanks to all who support the shop.

Kilbeggan Grand Canal Harbour Co. AGM will be held on Tuesday **June 10th**, Venue: **Harbour Buildings**, Time: **7.45 p.m.** All interested are invited to attend. Enquiries, Dan Scally 0872770141