

# God's People Our Parish

St. James and St Hugh, Kilbeggan and Rahugh

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

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

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**Come to me, all you that are weary and are carrying heavy burdens, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me; for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light.”**  
Mt.11: 28-30



**Make love your aim**  
1 Cor 14:1

## Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

6 p.m. 8 p.m.

9.30 a.m. Tom Condrón 35th Anniversary

11.a.m. Nan McNevin Anniversary Mass.

## Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

6 p.m. Noel and Marcella Nannery and Bill Nannery

8 p.m. James and Bridget Scally

Tom and John Joe Phelan and deceased members of the Phelan Family, Rahugh.

9.30a.m.

11a.m.

**Please pray for the repose of the soul of Paddy McCaul, brother of Rose McCormack, Main St. May he rest in peace.**



**Government restrictions demand that people wear masks at indoor functions, this includes religious ceremonies in churches.**

**It is a great Joy to have returned to Mass in our Parish.**

We thank our parishioners for adapting to our new arrangements for Masses. We are grateful to our volunteers for their work before, during and after Mass stewarding, sanitising the church, Ministers of the Word and Ministers of the Eucharist and Sacristans. Their contribution has made it all possible. Ministers of the Eucharist will be at the entrance to distribute Holy Communion to those who had to wait in their cars.



There are outside speakers for those who wish to wait in their cars.

# Thank You

We received a gift of € 170 this week for the Renovation Fund

Plate: €800 Offerings  
€430 , Renovation Fund

€585. Trocaire 200. Thanks to all who contribute in what ever way to the parish your generosity is appreciated.

**We could do with more help sanitising**



**seats after Masses. It takes about 10 minutes. It is open to all volunteers. Thanks**

## Pope Francis' words during the Covid 19 Pandemic

Vatican Publishing House publishes downloadable .pdf publication containing Pope Francis's daily homilies from Casa Santa Marta and prayers suggested for the Coronavirus pandemic .

**Entitled Strong in the Face of Tribulation: The Church in Communion – A Sure Support in Time of Trial**, the text also contains blessings and prayers, including the prayer used during the extraordinary moment of prayer with Pope Francis on 27 March; as well as the decrees of the Apostolic Penitentiary regarding the special indulgences granted because of the special circumstances created by the coronavirus pandemic.

The digital edition of Strong in the Face of Tribulation is available for a short period of time. The printed edition will soon be available through Amazon.com and through other publishers who obtain the rights to publish it.

<https://www.vaticannews.va/en/>

**Collections: To avoid handling baskets collection tables are placed around the church. You can place your envelope and the money you usually put in the basket in the opening in the table.**



Parish Charity Shop open for you. Unfortunately due to Covid 19 restrictions, we cannot accept items of clothing until further notice. New School uniforms available in Stock

**Dr Stevens Resource Centre**, Athlone Second-hand School Book Shop is now opened Monday to Friday 10am - 4pm. For more information phone: 0906473001.



### Psalm 63

O God, you are my God, for you I long;  
for you my soul is thirsting.  
My body pines for you  
like a dry, weary land without water.  
So I gaze on you in the sanctuary  
to see your strength and your glory.

For your love is better than life,  
my lips will speak your praise.  
So I will bless you all my life,  
in your name I will lift up my hands.  
My soul shall be filled as with a banquet,  
my mouth shall praise you with joy.

On my bed I remember you.  
On you I muse through the night  
for you have been my help;  
in the shadow of your wings I rejoice.  
My soul clings to you;  
your right hand holds me fast.