

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 Fr. Brendan, Harbour Rd. 057 9332155 087 2618353

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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

Twenty Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

6 p.m.

8 p.m. Jack, May and Gretta Langan.

9.30 a.m. 11 a.m.

Friday 8 p.m. Paddy Quinn and Michael Kelly

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6 p.m. .

8 p.m. William and Annie Keegan

9.30 a.m. 11 a.m.

Thanks!

Thanks to all who are involved in sanitising the church between all the Masses and those who steward the Masses, along with the sacristans, and ministers of Word and Eucharist they make it possible for us to have public Masses. We appreciate all their voluntary Work. If you would like to volunteer for sanitising duty or stewarding please let me know.

thank you!

We received a gift of €200 for the renovation Fund. Plate: €835, Renovation Fund €570 Thanks to all who contribute in what ever way to the parish your generosity is appreciated. Please place your offerings in the collection tables around the church

“Common Prayer for Earth and for Humanity”



Loving God,

Creator of Heaven, Earth, and all therein contained. Open our minds and touch our hearts, so that we can be part of Creation, your gift.

Be present to those in need in these difficult times, especially the poorest and most vulnerable. Help us to show creative solidarity as we confront the consequences of the global pandemic.

Make us courageous in embracing the changes required to seek the common good. Now more than ever, may we all feel interconnected and interdependent.

Enable us to succeed in listening and responding to the cry of the Earth and the cry of the poor. May their current sufferings become the birth-pangs of a more fraternal and sustainable world.

We pray through Christ our Lord, under the loving gaze of Mary Help of Christians.

Amen.

Pope Francis' Video Call to a home for autistic children in Austria.

Dear children, dear parents,
Your Excellencies, ladies and gentlemen!

I welcome you here in the Vatican. I am pleased to see your faces, and I can read in your eyes that you are happy to stay a while with me.

Your home is called "Sonnenschein", that is, "sunshine". I can imagine why those responsible chose this name. Because your home seems like a magnificent field in bloom in the sunshine, and you are the flowers of that House! God created the world with a great variety of flowers in every colour. Each flower has its own beauty, which is unique. And each one of you is beautiful in God's eyes, and He loves you. This makes us feel the need for God: thank you! Thank you for the gift of life, for all creatures! Thank you for mum and dad! Thank you for our families! And thank you for the friends of the "Sonnenschein" Centre!

Saying this "thank you" to God is a beautiful prayer. God likes this way of praying. Then you can also add a little question. For example: Good Jesus, could you help mum and dad in their work? Could you give a little comfort to Grandma, who is sick? Could you provide for all the children in the world who have nothing to eat? Or: Jesus, I pray to you to help the Pope to guide the Church well. If you ask with faith, the Lord will certainly listen to you.

Finally, I express my gratitude to your parents, your companions, to the president of the Region and all those present. Thank you for this beautiful initiative and for your commitment to the children entrusted to you. Everything that you have done to just one of these little ones, you have done to Jesus! I remember you in my prayer. May Jesus bless you always and Our Lady keep you.

Well done to all who are keeping in contact with the housebound and the elderly, in this time of isolation. It makes a wonderful difference to their lives and enriches ours. A visit, a phone call, a card, all gestures matter.

Confessions are available on Saturday after 10 a.m. Mass and after 6 p.m. Mass and before 8 p.m. Mass or on request. All are welcome to receive the Sacrament. An examination of Conscience is available for reflection outside



The Parish Charity Shop has proven to be a great success and is providing a great service in the parish. The shop looks beautiful on Main St and has given it a lift.

Good quality items are sold at reasonable prices and the money raised is used by the parish to help pay the debt on the Renovation Fund. This will help make it easier for parishioners. Due to our charity status we are able to have a Charity Shop. Thanks to everyone who bring items for sale, thanks to all who use the shop and thanks to the ladies in the shop.

We can claim back tax on the contributions you make to the parish over €250 per tax year. I have sent out the Chy 4 Certs. (If you have not sent them back yet please do as soon as you get a chance).

Your support is appreciated

Thank You!

