

# God's People Our Parish

## St. James and St Hugh, Kilbeggan and Rahugh

Saturday 7.30 p.m. Kilbeggan Sunday 9.30 a.m. Rahugh and 11 a.m. Kilbeggan

Monday to Friday 9.30 a.m. Saturday 10 a.m. Friday 7.30 p.m. Rahugh

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Confessions Saturday 11 a.m. —12 noon

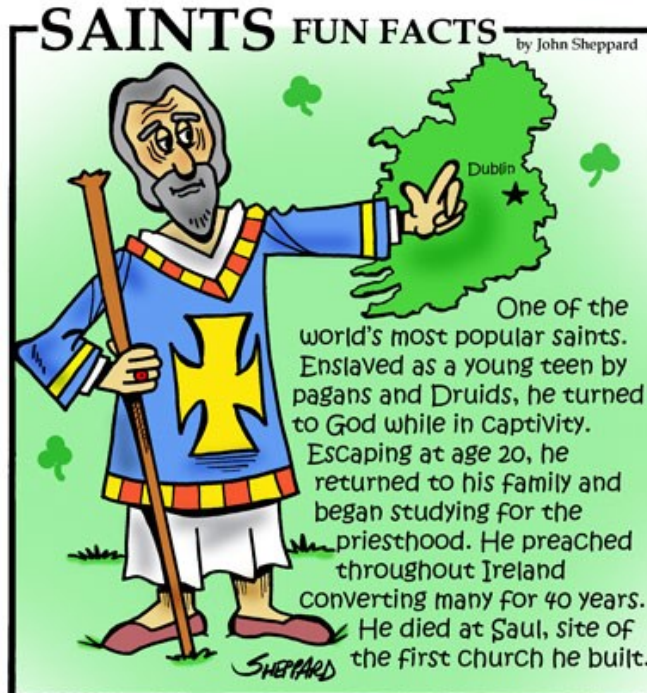
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**Come to me, all you that are weary and are carrying heavy burdens, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me; for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy, and my burden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



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



Please pray for the repose of the souls of Michael Keoghan (cousin of Lil Gorman) late of Grange, who died in Mullingar; Mary Wyer, Mullingar; Sr Teresa Keegan, Dublin, Rome and formerly Killard; and Sr Martha's (Céili Community) Grandmother Mary, who died at the age of 102 during the week. May they rest in peace.

Plate: €1335; Church Renovation: €1,160; Offerings €240

Thanks to all who are so generous.

**Praying in Lent** What do we do when we're facing an upcoming big event, celebration, or special occasion in our lives? We prepare for it. Holy Week and Easter are "big events" in the liturgical year of the Church and in the spiritual life of a Christian. So, as Christians, we prepare spiritually for these through the forty days of Lent. This means that, during Lent, we rededicate ourselves to prayer. There are as many ways to pray as there are pray-ers in this world, but a few prayer methods can help us in particular to spiritually prepare ourselves during Lent.

### Second Sunday of Lent

7.30 p.m.

9.30 a.m.

11 a.m. "Do this in Memory of Me" Mass for First Communicants.

### St Patrick's Day

Wednesday 7.30 p.m.

Thursday 9.30 a.m. Rahugh  
11 a.m.

Friday (Bank Holiday) 10 a.m.

### Third Sunday of Lent

7.30 p.m. Bernadette Carton

9.30 a.m. 11 a.m.



This website offers 8 ways of praying during Lent, any one of which you might find helpful. There are videos and podcasts included with reflective music if you wish. You can also visit the site on the parish webpage.

<https://www.loyolapress.com/catholic-resources/liturgical-year/lent/>

**The Collection at Masses this weekend will be sent to the Diocese of Iasi (pronounced Yash) in Romania where they are welcoming refugees from Ukraine and are in dire need of financial help. Three priests from Iasi work in the Diocese of Meath.**

## Everyone is Invited !

Come on a night which suits you. You do not have to belong to one of the groups mentioned. **EVERYONE IS WELCOME.** Encourage others to come also



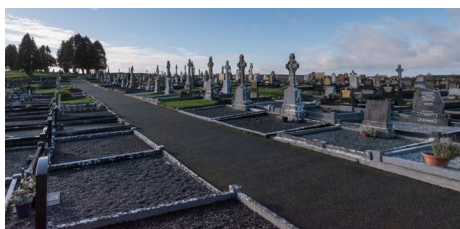
**Tuesday 15th March (8PM)** - those involved in the administration of parish life, parish staff, members of Parish Pastoral Councils, members of Parish Finance Committees, members of Baptism Teams, Safeguarding Representatives, counters, those involved in prayer and apostolic groups, Society of St. Vincent de Paul, Legion of Mary, Pioneer Association, Apostolate of Eucharistic Adoration, Teams of Our Lady, Meals-on-Wheels,

**Tuesday 22nd March (8PM)**- those involved in schools, pupils/students, teachers and school, staff, members of parents' association, members of BOMs, those involved in youth organisations and sports groups, young people and parents of children and teenagers.

**29th March (8PM)** - Mass of thanksgiving

### The Irish Catholic Newspaper

is on sale at the entrance €2.50. Please put money in collection tables.



We are able to celebrate **Cemetery Sunday** in The Relic this Year after a long break with Covid. Please let your families know it will be celebrated at **3 p.m.** with prayers on the last Sunday of July as usual . This year it is the **31st of July.**

Fast from judging others;

Feast on Christ dwelling in them.

Fast from fear of illness;

Feast on the healing power of God.

Fast from words that pollute;

Feast on speech that purifies.

Fast from discontent;

Feast on gratitude.

Fast from anger;

Feast on patience.

Fast from pessimism;

Feast on hope.

Fast from negatives;

Feast on encouragement.

Fast from bitterness;

Feast on forgiveness.

Fast from self-concern;

Feast on compassion.

Fast from suspicion;

Feast on truth.

Fast from gossip;

Feast on purposeful silence.

Fast from problems that overwhelm;

Feast on prayer that sustains.

Fast from anxiety;

Feast on faith.

**Retreat for 18– 40 years olds Mt. St. Joseph Abbey, Roscrea 18th—20th March.** It is an opportunity for quiet, prayer, friendship in prayer, inspiring talks, lovely walks. Cost: donation for full board and single room. Contact Michael 086 2453123 or Sr. Úna 090 6481666 or youthretreats@gmail.com

The **Parish Hospitality Group** are able to resume providing refreshments in the Parish Centre after Funeral Masses now that the Covid Restrictions have been lifted. New volunteers are welcome. It means a great deal to families to have this service from the parish and was missed during Covid.

**Trocaire Boxes are available in the Church .**

