

# God's People Our Parish

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

Saturday Vigil 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 10.30 a.m. - 11.30 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**

### Twenty Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7.30 p.m.

9.30 a.m. Michael and Phil Condrón

11 a.m.

Saturday 10 a.m. Mary Wyer

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7.30 p.m. Vincent Ryan Month's Mind

Patrick Cusack

9.30 a.m. Martin Wyer

11 a.m. Bridget O'Shea

Peter and May Morgan and son Arthur

Mass of welcome home for Corina Casey-Hardman, late of Dublin Rd., and England.



Plate: €1,151; Renovation Fund: €1,123. Thanks to all who are so generous to the Parish finances.

**Parish Charity Shop:** We have a new selection of ladies and gents autumn and winter stock on sale. All our clothing is High Quality. Thanks to all who are so generous.  
**Open Tuesday to Saturday 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.**



**God of Mercy; People of Mercy** Confessions Saturday 10.30 - 11.30 a.m. or by appointment.

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Monday 10 - 11 a.m.**  
**Friday in Rahugh 7 - 8.30 p.m. with Mass at 7.30 p.m.**



**Living Links Suicide Awareness Group will have a Remembrance Day event at the their Suicide Awareness Tree on the Relic Road 6.30 p.m. September 25th. All are welcome especially those affected by suicide.**



**In his homily in Kazakhstan Pope Francis asks us to look to the Cross for salvation and to imitate in our lives.** Brothers and sisters, this is the path, the path to our salvation, our rebirth and our resurrection: to behold the crucified Jesus. From the heights of the cross, we can view our life and the history of our peoples in a new way. For from the cross of Christ we learn love, not hatred; compassion, not indifference; forgiveness, not vengeance. The outstretched arms of Jesus are the embrace of tender love with which God wishes to embrace us. They show us the fraternal love that we are called to have for one another and for everyone. They show us the way, the Christian way. It is not the way of imposition and force, of power and status; it never brandishes the cross of Christ against our brothers and sisters for whom he gave his life! Jesus' way, the way of salvation is different: it is the way of a humble gratuitous and universal love, with no "ifs", "ands" or "buts".

Yes, for on the wood of the cross Christ removed the venom from the serpent of evil. Being a Christian, then, means living without venom: not biting one another, not complaining, blaming and backbiting, not disseminating evil, not polluting the earth with the sin and distrust that comes from the evil one. Brothers and sisters, we have been reborn from the pierced side of the crucified Jesus. May we be free of the poison of death (cf. Wis 1:14), and pray that by God's grace we can become ever more fully Christian: joyful witnesses of new life, love and peace.

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**Don't forget our website**

**<https://kilbegganparish.ie>**

**There are links to podcasts, videos and many news links**

**and prayer links. We have the Mass reading for each day, and for Sundays. The Mass is available on webcam from the parish website.**



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### **September is often a time to get involved - "Many hands make light work"**



Is there a way you would like to help in the parish? There are lots of opportunities for volunteers in our parish in Kilbeggan or Rahugh. Your skills or time could be of benefit to the Parish-Community. If you would like to help please contact me. You may like to think about some of the following groups, or you may have ideas of your own: Choirs, Funeral Hospitality, Reader, Youth Ministry, First Communion or Confirmation Preparation, Altar Society.

### **Dates for your Diary**

Confirmation: Wednesday February 8th Cathedral of Christ the King, Mullingar in the Afternoon.

First Holy Communion Kilbeggan: Saturday 6th May 11 a.m.

First Holy Communion Rahugh: Sunday 14th May 9.30 a.m.

"Do this in Memory of Me " Enrolment Mass 23rd October for both schools in Kilbeggan at 11 a.m.