

God's People Our Parish

St. James and St Hugh, Kilbeggan and Rahugh

KILBEGGAN: Saturday Vigil 7.30 p.m. & Sunday 11 a.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 9.30 a.m. & Friday 7.30p.m.

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JESUS IS 'A LIGHT
FOR REVELATION
TO THE GENTILES,
AND THE GLORY OF
YOUR PEOPLE
ISRAEL.'
- LUKE 2:32



The Presentation of the Lord

7.30 p.m. Julia and Paddy Maher
Kathleen McDonnell and deceased members of the
Kelly and McDonnell Families

9.30 a.m. Colm Harte and deceased family

11 a.m. Betty McCormack, Month's Mind
Teresa Dunne, St Mary's Ave., Third Anniversary
Jack and Maryanne Gorry

Monday 10 a.m. (Bank Hol.) Feast of St Blaise with blessing of throats after Mass and
6th Anniversary of Rededication of St James' Church (see notice)

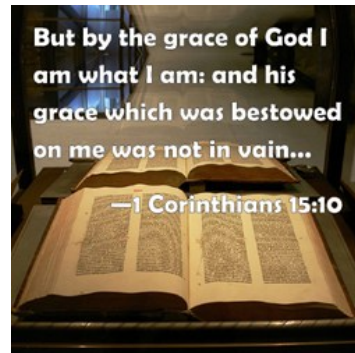
Wednesday 7.30 p.m. Bridget Lynagh

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7.30 p.m. Stephen Crowe Anniversary
Brian McNeil and Patricia Troy

9.30 a.m. Mollie Slevin

11 a.m. Patricia and Mary Dunne
Molly, Joe, Patrick, John and Tom Fogarty
Morgan McNamara
Ned Flynn and his sister Elizabeth Brickman
Regina McMahan



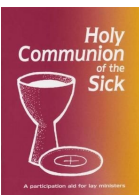
Please pray for the repose of the soul of Lily Kelly (née Daly), Athy,
sister of Dina Carton, who died during the week. May she Rest in Peace.

The Irish Catholic

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

Plate: €1,105; Maintenance Fund: €125; Offerings: €530.

Thanks to all who are so generous.



This is the First Friday week, I will bring Holy Communion to the sick
and housebound. If you or a member of your family would like to re-
ceive Holy Communion at home, please let me know. 087 2618353

We will have Tea/Coffee and cakes in the Centre after Mass on Tuesday
morning. All are welcome to come along. Use it as an opportunity to get out of
the house and meet people.

Thank You



Charity Shop - Open Monday to Friday 10am - 5pm. Wide selection of good quality
winter clothing and household goods. We give Dóchas €750 each month to help those with
cancer. The Charity Shop also supports the Cosy Café. **Thanks for your continued support.**

St James' Church re-opened on Sunday 3rd February 2019. It is great to remember the generosity and team work of all who made the renovation possible. Mass will be offered this Monday morning at 10 a.m. for all who supported the



Congratulations to all the boys and girls from the Parish who received the Sacrament of Confirmation in the Cathedral, Mullingar last Wednesday. May the Holy Spirit always guide you and bless you on life's journey.

Starting on Wednesday next we will have Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament from 6.30 p.m. until Mass time at 7.30 p.m. We will see if this time suits people. There is also Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on Monday mornings from 10 -11 a.m. and in Rahugh on Fridays 7—9 p.m. with Mass included at 7.30 p.m.



ADORATION
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BLESSED
SACRAMENT

"One cannot know the Lord without being in the habit of adoring, of adoring in silence," the pope said in his homily. Yet, he lamented, "I believe, if I am not mistaken, that this prayer of adoration is the least known among us; it is the one we engage in the least."

For those who wish to go to Confessions, I am available in the Confession Room (beside the organ) before Mass each Saturday from 7 p.m. until Mass time. Confessions also available every Saturday 10.30 a.m. – 11.30 a.m. Confessions in Tullamore, Saturday: 12-1pm & 3pm — 4pm, and on the Eve of First Friday: after 10 am Mass.



The Cosy Café will meet on Tuesday 11th February, from 11—1 p.m. in the Parish Centre. We will have music, tea, coffee and nibbles. The speakers for this session are Sinead Dolan, Audiologist, and Orla Dempsey, Community Resource Officer. Our aim is to make our parish dementia inclusive. **All are welcome.**



At our Mission in December we gave out Volunteer Forms to help people reflect on how they could play a more active part in the Parish. There is a wide scope of ministries in the parish which you can choose from. There are forms available at the entrance to the Churches which you could take home and think about. **Please think about how you could help our Parish.** If you wish to discuss anything, contact me at 087 2618353



The Jubilee Prayer
Father in heaven, may the **faith** you have given us in your son, Jesus Christ, our brother, and the flame of **charity** enkindled in our hearts by the Holy Spirit, reawaken in us the blessed **hope** for the coming of your Kingdom.
May your grace transform us into tireless cultivators of the seeds of the Gospel.
May those seeds transform from within both humanity and the whole cosmos in the sure



expectation of a new heaven and a new earth, when, with the powers of Evil vanquished, your glory will shine eternally.

May the grace of the Jubilee reawaken in us, **Pilgrims of Hope**, a yearning for the treasures of heaven.

May that same grace spread the joy and peace of our Redeemer throughout the earth.
To you our God, eternally blessed, be glory and praise for ever. Amen
Pope Francis

JUBILEE OF YOUTH, ROME, 28th JULY – 3rd AUGUST 2025 Bishop Tom invites young people (18+) of the Diocese of Meath to join with fellow young people from around the world for this great event with Pope Francis. As Pilgrims of Hope we will share in the week of scheduled events culminating with the Papal Mass for over a million young Catholics! Cost €750 approx. including flights and accommodation. For more info contact the Parish Office or see www.dioceseofmeath.ie/youth

