



God's People Our Parish

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

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Feast of Christ the King

7.30 p.m. Special Remembrance Mass for those who died in the past year

9.30 a.m. Fintan and Molly Scally and deceased members of the Coyne and Scally families

11a.m. Dolores Bangs, Month's Memory
Phyllis and Tom O'Malley
Maureen Mc Donnell, Clara Rd.
Patrick Seery and his parents Matthew and Bridget



Tuesday 9.30 a.m. John and Rose O'Connor



First Sunday of Advent

7.30 p.m. Tom and Dympna Reid
Jim and Teresa Gilligan, and Sarah McDonnell

9.30 a.m.

11 a.m. Nuala, Julia, Michael, Jodie, Ned, Michael Jnr. and Martin McCormack.

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Charlie O'Brien, Turloughmore, brother of John, Tonaphort, who died this week. May he rest in peace.



List of the Dead Envelopes: Please place them in the collection tables around the church, or in the table beside the sanctuary.



Plate Collection: €1,110; Maintenance Fund: €185; List of the Dead: €170; Missions €10; Lenten Offerings: €20; November Offerings: €405; Christmas Offerings: €20.

Thanks to all who are so generous.

We forwarded the money you gave for the Mission Sunday Collection.

Your generous contribution was €2,445.



Catholic Newspaper on sale at the entrance for €3.50 per copy.



Leading up to Christmas we have three more Sycamore sessions, (25th Nov, 2nd and 9th Dec) which will help you engage with your faith. It is on

each Tuesday at 7.30 p.m. and sessions last for one hour. A short video is shown with breaks to chat about what is in the video. This will be a great preparation for Christmas and the celebration of the Birth of our Saviour. This week's focus is on THE HOLY EUCHARIST - The meaning of the Mass; The Real Presence of Jesus in the Eucharist; and The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. All are welcome.



Parish Charity Shop: We have a wide selection of high quality clothing, household goods and Bric-a-brac. Open Monday to Friday 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Thanks to the ladies in the shop and all who support the shop.



Forty Hours Adoration in the Cathedral for the Solemnity of Christ the King from Friday, November 21st to Sunday 23rd. The Sacrament of Reconciliation will be available from noon to Midnight on Saturday 22nd. The Adoration will conclude with sung Vespers and Benediction at 4pm on Sunday evening. All are welcome. Kilbeggan and Rahugh parish have a special hour from 3-4 p.m. on Sunday.

Summary of the Holy Father's words from his Audience last week.

Dear brothers and sisters, in our continuing catechesis on the Jubilee theme of “Jesus Christ our Hope,” today we consider Christ’s Resurrection and its impact on the challenges of today’s world, especially in living out integral ecology. If we allow it, Christ’s salvific act can transform all our relationships: with God, with other people and with creation. Like Mary Magdalene on Easter morning, who turned around to look at Jesus, we too must allow the seed of Christian hope to bear fruit, convert our hearts and influence the ways we respond to the issues that we face. As followers of Jesus, we are called to promote lifestyles and policies that focus on the protection of human dignity and of all of creation. Let us ask for the grace to see our struggles through the gaze of the Resurrection and may we influence the world with hope and Easter joy.



Our Pastoral Area, includes Kilbeggan, Tullamore, Rahan, Kilcormac, and Eglish. It is hoped that the priests and Parish Councils in our area will be able to work together for the good of all the Parishes in our Area. The Diocese of Meath is comprised of sixty-nine parishes. These parishes have now been grouped into fourteen Pastoral Areas after consultation with both clergy and the members of parish councils. The immediate aim of having each parish linked to a Pastoral Area is to ensure the other priests in the Pastoral area will be available to serve in a parish where there is no longer a resident priest. But that cannot be the only aim or purpose of the Pastoral Area. Pastoral Areas must take on a new role and must be places of cooperation, initiative and energy. We are not alone in this discernment. Speaking recently Pope Leo said of Pastoral Areas: ... they are designed to better connect neighbouring parishes in a given territory with the centre of the diocese. The risk is that these realities lose their function as instruments of communion and are reduced to a few meetings, where a few topics are discussed together and then everyone returns to thinking and living pastoral care in ensuring the provision of Sunday Mass ‘The parish community deepens its sense of its own identity as the Body of Christ when it celebrates the Sunday Eucharist, and as it draws from it the strength to live as disciples of the Risen Lord in a particular time and place’.



<https://theway.ie/> **‘The Way’** is a digital multimedia platform set up by the Irish **Bishops Conference** dedicated to sharing the **Good News** and the witness of the Catholic Church in Ireland. The very early Church, the first believers were known as followers of ‘the Way’ (e.g. Acts 9:2). In answer to the question ‘how can we know the way?’ (John 14:5) Jesus declared that ‘I am the Way, the Truth and Life.’ This platform is intended to help people to know the Way – to discover the faith, live the faith and pass on the faith. It is for both seekers and followers. Together, we are led by Christ to be pilgrims of hope.

**A Prayer by
Saint John Henry Newman**

**O Lord, support us all the day long,
till the shadows lengthen
and evening comes,
and the busy world is hushed,**

**and the fever of life is over,
and our work is done.**

**Then in your mercy, Lord,
grant us a safe lodging,
a holy rest,
and peace at last. Amen**

