

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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Fifth Sunday of Lent

7.30 p.m. Patrick and Elizabeth Morgan

May Colgan

Jim and Bess Murray

9.30 a.m. Crombie Family, Monasette

11 a.m. Joseph and Doreen Coffey and deceased family members



Wednesday 7.30 p.m. Liam Gorry, Grange

There is no 7.30 p.m. Mass in Rahugh this Friday due to Penitential Service in Kilbeggan



Palm Sunday

7.30 p.m. Bridget Ryan, Month's Memory

Kathleen Casey

Esther, William and Noel Kinearney

9.30 a.m.

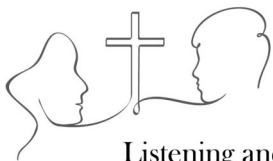
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Thank You

Plate Collections: €960 and St Patrick's Day €840; Maintenance Fund: €505;
Lenten Offerings: €210. Thanks to all who are so generous.

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

The Irish Catholic



Listening and Fasting

LENT AS A TIME OF CONVERSION

Message of Pope Leo XIV • Lent 2026

Penitential Service in St James' Church

Kilbeggan this Friday 27th March at 7.30 pm

We will have visiting priests.

'The Sacrament of Reconciliation restores our unity

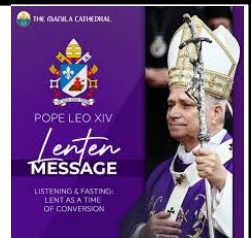
with God through the forgiveness of sins and the

infusion of sanctifying grace. This generates the inner unity of the

person and unity with the Church. It fosters peace and unity within the human family. One might ask: do those Christians who bear serious responsibility in armed conflicts have the humility and courage to make a serious examination of conscience and to go to confession?' Pope Leo

An **Examination of Conscience** is available at the entrances of the Churches - please bring one home with you. It is a good guide for preparing to make a good confession.

RECONCILIATION SERVICE in the Carmelite Church, Moate Wednesday 25th at 8pm



Charity Shop - Open Monday to Friday 10am - 5pm. Wide selection of good quality clothing and household goods. **Thanks to the ladies in the shop and all who support it.**



Who is Trocaire.

Trócaire is an International Non-Governmental Organisation (INGO), founded by the Irish Catholic Bishops in 1973 and is the overseas development agency of the Catholic Church in Ireland. Trócaire is the Irish language word for “compassion”, and has put the compassion of the Irish people into action.

We work with local partners in the world’s most at-risk communities and with people in Ireland to tackle the underlying causes of poverty and injustice and respond to the crises they create. Together we bring about positive and lasting change for a just world. Trócaire is rooted in the principles of Catholic Social

Teaching which inspires us to live out the Gospel message of inclusion, love, justice and dignity for all. This social teaching of the Church is informed by Scripture, the wisdom of Church leaders, and the lived experience of grassroots movements. In the words of Trócaire’s founding document, in which the bishops of Ireland gave the organisation a strong and clear mandate, ‘We know that we cannot claim to love God if we do not love our fellow men and women.’ Trócaire has worked through local partner organisations since its foundation. Partnership is at the heart of how Trócaire works. We work with local faith- and non-faith-based organisations who share our values and who are working on any or all of our core programme areas: defending human rights; climate and environmental justice; women and girl’s protection, voice and influence; saving lives and protecting human dignity; mobilising the public to achieve global justice. These organisations understand the needs of their communities and are best placed to work with communities to deliver sustainable long-term change.

Lenten Prayer of Pope Leo XIV “ In our Lenten journey today, let us ask the Lord to grant us the gift of true conversion of heart so that we may better respond to his love for us and share that love with those around us. Upon all of you and your families, I invoke the joy and peace of our Lord Jesus Christ. God bless you all!”



The **Corporal Works of Mercy** are found in the teachings of Jesus and give us a model for how we should treat all others, as if they were Christ in disguise.

They "are charitable actions by which we help our neighbour's in their bodily needs" .

They respond to the basic needs of humanity as we journey together through this life.

Feed the hungry: Provide food to those in need.

Give drink to the thirsty: Offer water to those in need

Clothe the naked: Donate clothes.

Shelter the homeless: Offer a place to stay.

Visit the imprisoned: Spend time with those in prison.

Care for the sick: Attend to those who are ill.

Bury the dead: Ensure the deceased are laid to rest.

Meeting for parents of children preparing for First Holy Communion on Tuesday 24th March, at 7.30 p.m. for one hour in the Parish Centre.

Spring into Song with Coolancy Gospel Choir – Celebrate the season with an uplifting Gospel Choir performance filled with energy, harmony, and joyful praise. Come experience powerful voices, soulful music, and a wonderful community atmosphere in **Rahugh Church, Sunday 29th March, 6 pm to 7pm.**



Defibrillator Training Wednesday 25th at 10 a.m. in the Parish Centre.