

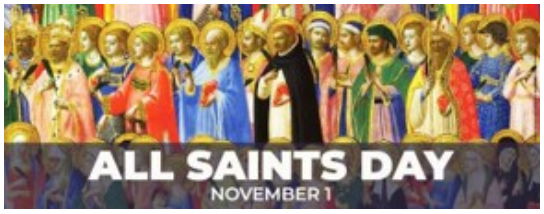
God's People Our Parish

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.

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Feast of All Saints

7.30 p.m.

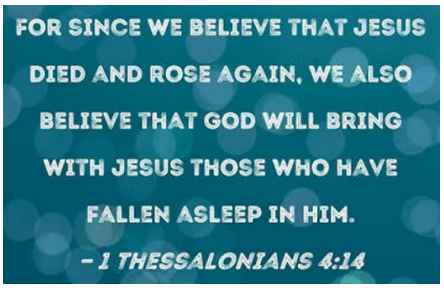
9.30 a.m. (Rahugh)

11 a.m. Tom and Phyllis O'Malley
Marian, Eamon and Nora Gorry

Monday 9.30 a.m. Feast of All Souls - List of the Dead

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

Thirty - Second Sunday in Ordinary Time



7.30 p.m. Thomas and Dympna Reid
Kevin Flattery
John Carroll

9.30 a.m. Moira Abbott

11 a.m. Maureen McDonnell, Ballinderry, 7th Anniversary
Oliver Henson, Anniversary



Please pray for the repose of the souls of Vinnie McDonnell, Clara Road; and Frank Keenan, Loughnagore and Mullingar, who died during the week. May they rest in peace.



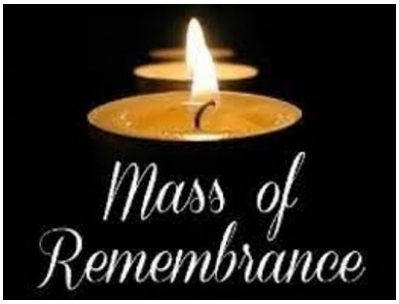
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament - Kilbeggan: Monday 10 a.m. - 11a.m.; Wednesday 6.30 p.m. until start of **Mass at 7.30p.m.; and Rahugh: Friday 7 p.m. - 8p.m.**



Plate Collection: €1,155; Maintenance: €380; Missions: €30; List of Dead: €150; Lenten Offerings: €60; November Offerings: €130. Thanks to all who are so generous.

Catholic Newspaper on sale at the entrance for **€3.80 per copy**.

The Irish Catholic



We will have a Mass of Remembrance for those who have died in the past year on Saturday 14th Nov. at 7.30pm.

Candles will be available at the church entrance for families who were bereaved in the past year, to bring a candle to the table in front of the Altar for their deceased loved one as their name is read out during Mass. Please decide before Mass which family member will carry the candle to the table.

The death of someone you love is always traumatic. Their passing leaves a void in your life and home. We turn to family and friends to console us in our grieving. We also turn to God and his Word for consolation. We read in the Gospel Jesus' great promise, "Trust in God still and trust in me. There are many rooms in my Father's house." As a community, we will gather to support each other and turn to God in prayer for our deceased loved ones at our Remembrance Mass.

Pope Leo's prayer intention for November - For the proper use of wealth

Let us pray for the proper use of wealth, that not succumbing to the temptation of selfishness, it may always be put at the service for the common good and solidarity of those who have less.



Forty Hours Adoration for the **Solemnity of Christ the King** in the **Cathedral, Mullingar** from **Friday 20th to Sunday 22nd November.** The **Sacrament of Reconciliation** will be **available from noon to Midnight on Saturday 21st.** Adoration will conclude with **Solemn Vespers & Benediction** at **4pm on Sunday** led by **Bishop Deenihan,** with **Bishop Fintan Monahan** as **Homilist.**



'Against this backdrop, there has been "troubling revival of war as an instrument of international politics" (ibid.,190). As the Catechism of the Catholic Church states, "the accumulation of arms strikes many as a paradoxically suitable way of deterring potential adversaries from war. They see it as the most effective means of ensuring peace among nations" (no.2315), thus betraying the memory of the twentieth century and the senseless slaughter of millions of human lives. Precisely in these times marked by a "culture of power," there is a need to cultivate the spirit of Assisi, which entails a rejection of the religious justification of war, a spirit of mediation and dialogue, and contemplative reflection combined with creative action in the service of a future of peace. Yes, peace must once again become the common ideal of all peoples, the guiding star for all our choices, the standard that exposes injustice, and the shared horizon for all.

We must rebuild peace everywhere, not prepare for more wars. War can never be waged in the name of God. For us believers, "to fight in the name of religion means attacking religion itself" (Magnifica Humanitas, 223). There is no such thing as a holy war: only peace is holy.

That is why the journey begun in Assisi as a shared quest for peace is, first and foremost, the path of prayer. Prayer may seem weak in the face of the powers of the world, but it is the humble strength of believers. Let us turn to God, the giver of peace, that he may touch the hearts of those who seek war and terrorism. Let us not forget that prayer is never in vain.'

MESSAGE OF HIS HOLINESS POPE LEO XIV TO THE PARTICIPANTS IN THE INTERNATIONAL MEETING 'UNARMED AND DISARMING PEACE' IN ASSISI, 27.10.2026



RED WEEK an initiative launched by the pontifical foundation Aid to the Church in Need (ACN). Week of Witness 15 – 22 November.

According to the latest figures provided by ACN, 413 million Christians live in countries where serious violations of religious freedom occur, and around 220 million Christians worldwide are directly exposed to persecution.

Forms of Persecution • PHYSICAL VIOLENCE: Torture, imprisonment, and murder are common, with open attacks on Christians, often resulting in mass killings or displacements. • **PROPERTY AND CHURCH DESTRUCTION:** In countries like Pakistan and Egypt, churches are frequently attacked, vandalised, or demolished. Often, believers face legal obstacles in constructing new places of worship. • **LEGAL RESTRICTIONS:** Laws against 'blasphemy,' 'anti-conversion' laws, or against 'apostasy' are used to intimidate and criminalise Christians in countries like Pakistan, Saudi Arabia, and Iran. There have been more martyrdoms in the last hundred years than in the previous 1,900 years of Church history. **On Wednesday 18th November we will offer Mass for all those who suffer for the faith around the world.**

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



The **Cosy Café** will meet on **Tuesday 10th November in Kilbeggan Parish Centre from 11am – 1pm.** There will be tea/coffee and cakes and time for a chat with friends. The guest speaker this month is from **Age Friendly Ireland** and they will **provide information on the Age Friendly Programme. Music** by **Joe Kelly and Johnny Butterfield. Those who have dementia, their family and carers are all welcome.**