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15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

16 July 2017

NOTICEBOA

Masses During the Week

Morning Mass on Monday and Wednesday only this week.

No Mass Tue or Thursday to Saturday.

Special TROCAIRE emergency collection at all Masses next weekend 22nd/ 23rd July

The Irish Catholic Bishops' Conference has announced that special second collections at all Masses will take place across Ireland on the weekend of 22 and 23 July to fund life-saving aid for people currently affected by the devastating hunger crisis in east-Africa. The money raised will be donated to Trócaire, the overseas development agency of the Catholic Church in Ireland, which is delivering emergency food, water and health care to the 25 million people affected.

Severe drought, driven by climate change, is currently affecting Kenya, South Sudan, Somalia and Ethiopia and this has resulted in failed harvests and the widespread death of livestock. Conflict has exacerbated the effects in South Sudan and Somalia, with areas in both countries now on the verge of famine.

Lectio Divina

Lectio Divina is taking a Summer break for the month of July and will restart again in August

Courtmacsherry Bay Area Development

Annual General Meeting will be held in Kilbrittain Community Hall at 8.00pm, next Monday July 17th. This group has been in existence for a number of years and its aim is to promote tourism in the areas of Ballinspittle, Kilbrittain, Timoleague and Courtmacsherry. At this meeting three new members will be selected from Kilbrittain to take part in the group.

On Tuesday last the official launch took place of a new LocalLink bus service between Kinsale and Clonakilty, passing through Kilbrittain village, running five to six times a day. The bus is free for anyone who has a travel pass.

On Saturday July 22nd Kilbrittain Historical Society are going on a tour to Kerry, led by Con McCarthy. The bus will leave Kilbrittain Village at 9 a.m. and travel to some significant Civil War sites in Ballysheedy and Knocknagoshel. There will be a visit to Castleisland and then on to Killarney, where there will be a covered boat trip on the lakes and a visit to Ross Castle. An evening meal will also be provided on the way back as part of the package. Booking will be on a first come, first served basis and places are limited. Closing date for bookings is Wednesday 19th July. The all-inclusive price is 50 euros per person. To book, please call Triona on 087 6689116. Due to insurance purposes trips are confined to members only. To become a member call Niall on 086 0591854

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