

No 206

24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

17 Sept 2017

Masses During the Week

Mon 9.00 am Tue: No Mass.

Wed, Thurs and Fri 9.00 am

Sat: 10.00 am

Stations

For Shanakiel, Ballinakeen, Clashavanna and Coolshinaugh in the home of Denis and Siobhán O'Mahony on Fri night week, 29th Sept at 8.00 pm.

I would like to hear from households who are willing to take Stations during this Autumn.

Sacraments 2018

Confirmation: Thurs April 12th First Holy Communion: Sat May 19th

Lectio Divina

Lectio Divina will be held in Ardacrow every Thursday night at 8:00 until further notice. All welcome. For further information please contact Sergio on 0870650253.

Adult Choir

The adult choir will return to Choir Practice on Wednesday night September 20th at 8 pm. New members very welcome.

Legion of Mary Annual Knock Pilgrimage Sunday, Sept 24th. Departs Bandon at 6.30 am sharp. Cost €55. Breakfast and Evening Meal included at the Dromoland Inn, Ennis. For further information, or to book a seat, please contact: Margaret O'Mahony 021-7338034; Mai Murphy 086-3030195; Margaret

ST PATRICK'S CHURCH, KILBRITTAIN

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St. Joseph's Young Priests Society
Meeting of St Joseph's Young Priests Society
in the Sacristy on Wed next, 20th Sept, at
8.00 pm. Join the last hour of Eucharistic
Adoration 7 to 8 Wed to pray for Religious
Vocations.

Kilbrittain Tidy Towns Photo Competition We are now taking your August photos. Usual rules apply. Please note your photo must be in landscape format and 3-4mb in size. Closing date 24th September @ 6pm.

Knitting

Knitting resumes in Patsy's kitchen on Monday night next. All welcome.

Young at Heart

Aged 55 or over? Please join us at Kilbrittain Young At Heart. Thursdays 2.30 to 4.30 in Parish Hall. Starting 21st Sept. Lots of music and dancing; fun and laughter. Contact Christine Chapman.

Kilbrittain Foroige Club returns after the summer break on Friday the 22nd of September, at 9.30 pm, in The Hall, with registration of existing and new members. As places are limited, we ask all those interested in joining the club for the coming year to attend on the night. A Parent/Guardian must attend on the night with your child. The membership fee of €20 per member or €30 per family will also be collected on the night.

Websites: www.parish.kilbrittain.net www.frcremin.com

BAPTISMS:

Sat and 11.30 Sun or by arrangement.

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION: Mon 9 to 1; Wed 2 to

The club cannot function without the help of parents. Under new requirements of the Child Protection Laws, all helping parents must be Garda vetted. To facilitate this, we are asking parents to bring at least two forms (and ideally more) of strong photographic IDs, and separate proofs of address on the night. Strong IDs would include passports, photographic Public Services Card, credit card Drivers Licence and home utility bills. Other forms of ID (e.g. old style drivers licence, other letters confirming address) may also be acceptable if three or four forms are presented - we can check them against the National Vetting scoring system to see if the combination of ID's is acceptable or not. Full details, including the scoring system and acceptable forms of ID, are available on the Kilbrittain Foroige Facebook page. Please ring or text Ted at 087/6329290 for further information or any query about suitable forms for vetting.

KILBRITTAIN GAA

The initial response to the dressing rooms - greyhound racing fundraiser night has been very positive. Thanks to everyone for their support.

Lotto 03 - 16 - 26 - 32

There was no winner of the €14,000 lotto jackpot. €40 winners were Eamon Moloney (Glendubh), Frank O'Brien, Fehilly Family (Castleview), John Wilmot, Tadgh O'Mahony. The jackpot for this weekend will be €14,200.

ANYBODY INTERESTED? NEW RTE

SHOW! Waka TV are producing a new series for RTE called 'Raised by the Village' and we are considering Kilbrittain as our village location for the programme.

As the old saying goes, it takes a village to raise a child. We want to make that saying a reality by bringing a teen from an urban environment down to a rural village where they will learn that there's another way of life than the one they're used to. They will be immersed in the community, partaking in different activities and challenges over the course of a week long stay.

The teenager will stay with a host family and will have mentors from the community as they get involved with each different activity or club event. The teen will have been nominated by their parents to take part for various reasons - perhaps they're a social

media or computer game addict, or hanging round street comers. We want to see how a completely urbanised, city kid will adapt to their new surroundings and if their break from their usual environment will set them back on the right path in life.

This new programme is for a primetime RTE slot and we feel it will showcase the village and the benefits of rural living to a wide audience. All the best aspects of the village will be highlighted, focusing on the strong sense of community and collective support system that can be missing in bigger urban areas these days. We think this could be a fantastic opportunity to display Kilbrittain in a positive light to the RTE viewers, while giving the teenager an eye opening and hopefully life changing experience that they'll never forget.

Of course, filming in the village depends on if we have the right family to host! We are looking for a family with teens in the house who are happy to take on one more for the filming period. They would be the surrogate parents while the teen is there, and the teen would be fully expected to row in with household chores and family routines. Even better, if the family lives on a farm the teenager can muck in too! The teenager's iourney in the village would be filmed by our small crew of one camera, one sound, one producer and one director. They would be in the village for the week, charting their progress with their host family and as they take on each different challenge.

We are speaking to a number of villages at the moment but we would love if you could spread the word around the village and see if people are interested in getting on board. Once we knew there was interest there, we could come down in person to outline what the process would involve and discuss how they could be the best fit for this show. Contact Áine on 085 8183758 and you can also call our office on 01 6343732.

Items for the Bulletin can be given or emailed to Denis and Margaret
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or to Fr Cremin: mail@frcremin.com.
Deadline for receipt of submissions each week is Thurs night 9.00 pm.
Weekly Bulletin online at
http://www.frcremin.com/news.html