



Kilbrittain Parish

Weekly Bulletin

No 259

25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

23 Sept 2018

Masses this Week

Monday: 9.00 am
Tuesday: NO MASS
Wed, Thurs, Fri: 9.00 am
Sat: 10.00 am

Upcoming Stations

Fri 28th Sept, 8.00 pm
Gerard and Chris Ahern
Sat 29th Sept 11.00 am
Pat and Phil Deasy
Sat 13th Oct 12.00 noon
Neil and Niamh Mahony
Fri 19th Oct 8.00 pm
Liam and Helen Ryan

Knitting / Crochet

This Mon night and every Monday in Patsy's kitchen from 8.00 pm. All welcome.

Ploughing Championships

Jubilation in Kilbrittain Ploughing Association Branch. Rachel Lynch is crowned National Queen of the

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BAPTISMS:
Sat and 11.30 Sun or by arrangement.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:
Mon 9 to 1; Wed 2 to 8

Plough and Ann Nyhan of Ballinspittle takes 2nd Overall in the Novice Competition. Congratulations to you both on this proud occasion for both villages. There will be a celebration in Josephine's on next Saturday night, Sept 29th, at 8.30 pm to which everybody is invited.

Rural Link

Recently Eileen Hayes proudly presented a cheque for €6,500 to David O'Brien of Cancer Connect West Cork (which is administered by West Cork Rural Transport). This was the proceeds of the amazing Pop Up Shop which ran for a couple of weeks in early August. Also present were Jack McNulty, Julie Harrington, Gus O'Brien, Con McCarthy, (West Cork Rural Transport) John McCarthy, Corinne Domoney, John Butler, Lucy Butler, Kieran Butler, Eugene Fallon, Mary Hayes and Annette Hickey. We are very

thankful to you the community who made this happen. A cheque for €500 was also presented to Kilbrittain Tidy Towns for which we are very grateful. Thanks also to Celina Crowley of Celina's Cafe for the use of her lovely cafe for this event

Cork Autism Conference 2018

Re-Thinking Autism - A Positive and Integrative Approach, Sunday September 30th, Rochestown Park Hotel, Douglas, Cork. Conference provides a unique forum for Parents, Families, Caregivers, Adults with ASD, Employers, Educators, Professionals, Agencies, Advocates and anyone with an interest in Autism and Aspergers Syndrome. All are welcome. More info here: www.bookwhen.com/corkautism or call 089 239 8900

Following from last Sunday and the first passion prediction we come now to the second time in Mark when Jesus speaks about what awaits him in Jerusalem. However, the reader of the gospel is invited to see in these not some kind of proof that Jesus can tell the future but rather an attempt by Jesus to persuade his disciples that they need to change their attitude towards him and his ministry. It is clear that the disciples are happy to be with Jesus as their long awaited and triumphant Messiah but they are failing completely in that Jesus is not interested in such discipleship. He wants them to learn

the way of the kingdom which is the way of the cross. This is not the path to glory as human beings understand it but to humble service and love. In taking the child as an example, he is saying to his followers, 'Show concern for those who can offer you nothing in return, the powerless and the vulnerable. When you welcome them you welcome the true Messiah and the God who sent him.'

Prayer

Lord Jesus, send Your Spirit to help us to read the Scriptures with the same mind that You read them to the disciples on the way to Emmaus. In the light of the Word, written in the Bible, You helped them to discover the presence of God in the disturbing events of Your sentence and death. Thus, the cross that seemed to be the end of all hope became for them the source of life and of resurrection.

Items for the Bulletin can be given or emailed to Denis and Margaret Collins: killeenskilbrittain@yahoo.ie 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>