



Kilbrittain Parish Weekly Bulletin

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SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER Divine Mercy Sunday

No Morning Mass next Saturday
Due to my involvement in First Holy Communion Day for Gaelscoil Dhroichead na Banndan in Bandon.

Daily Masses this Week
Monday 9.00 am
Tuesday NO MASS
Wednesday to Friday 9.00 am.

First Friday
Friday next is the First Friday of May. Calls to the sick and housebound will be made during the week.

Stations
Please consider hosting a Spring Station in your area.

Assembly Nominations
Deadline for nominees' response is this weekend.

Patsy's Open Day
Patsy Northridge is having an Open Day on Wed 1st May in her home. Come and see the display of blankets

for cancer, Hats and scarves for Simon Community, Hats, Jackets, Boots and Mittens for Neo-Natal Unit in CUMH. Have a cuppa and a chat. Raffle. Proceeds of the day going to St Michael's Centre, Bandon and Cork Penny Dinners.

Rosary at Kilbrittain Grotto every night during the Month of May at 8.00 pm.

We have registered with coastalrosaryireland.ie to join over 180 other parishes for a special commitment of Rosaries at our grottos for the month of May, starting on next Wednesday, 1st May. Full list on the website.

Rosary at the Grottos

Join thousands of people around Ireland as we pray the rosary each day

GAA U14 Féile Competition
Kilbrittain Underage GAA and Camogie clubs will be taking part in an U14 Féile competition in June, and will be hosting teams from Fermanagh and Meath. There will be a coffee morning/cake sale on Sunday, 5th May, after Mass, in the community hall to raise funds to help us extend hospitality and a warm welcome to our visitors. All donations of baking would be most welcome. Please support!

KILBRITTAIN GAA
Lotto 13 - 20 - 25 - 29.
No winner of the €5,800 Jackpot. Winners of €30: P. Collins, Dan Cronin, John Madden, Margaret Madden, J and J O'Donovan. Next week's jackpot is €6,000. Please support!

Anam Cara Parent Evening
Anam Cara Cork, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding a Parent Evening on Wednesday 1st May at 7:20pm in the Clayton Hotel, Silver Springs, Tivoli, Cork. This event is free and open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age your child died, the circumstances of their death, or whether their death was recent or not.

Medjugorje Conference
Medjugorje Conference and Day of Prayer with Sr. Briege McKenna Saturday 31st August 2019 Neptune Stadium, Cork. Tickets €20.00 available on Eventbrite.ie. Enter discount code EARLYBIRD for discount price of €15.00 available until 31st May 2019. All tickets purchased included in entry for free pilgrimage to Medjugorje from Cork or Dublin. Booking fees apply. Contact Sean O'Shaughnessy 0862959380

"Happy are those who have not seen and yet believe"

Jesus in today's gospel refers to His friends who were not present, saying: "Happy are they who have not seen and yet believe," (v.29). In other words, those who have faith in Him just like us are blessed indeed.

What can we say about faith? how can we define faith? St. Paul gave a very good definition about faith in his letter to the Romans: "faith is when we don't have any evidence but we still believe."

This faith must bear fruit. St. James said: "Faith without work is dead" (Jas 4:17). Always remember, faith is always faith in a person and not in a thing.

Christian faith as believing is our deep and personal knowledge of Jesus Christ our Lord and God. Faith is also entrusting oneself into God's hand. This trusting faith lives and grows through prayer and worship which finds their inspirational source and summit of perfection in the liturgy. So let us not only ask ourselves these questions: 'What can I know and what should I do?' – but also 'what may we hope for?'

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Sat and 11.30 Sun or by arrangement.

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Mon 9 to 1; Wed 2 to 8

Items for the Bulletin can be given or emailed to Denis and Margaret Collins: killeenskilbrittain@yahoo.ie or to Fr Cremin: mail@frcremmin.com. Deadline for receipt of submissions each week is Thurs night 9.00 pm. Weekly Bulletin and archive since 2013 online at <http://www.kilbrittain.org>