



Kilbrittain Parish

Weekly Bulletin

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Third Sunday of Lent

Weekday Masses this week

Monday, 9.00 am: NO VIGIL
NO MASS Tuesday (St Patrick)
Wed, Thurs and Fri. 9.00 am.
Saturday 10.00 am

Stations of the Cross

Continuing every Sunday during
Lent at 8.00 pm.

Ratharoon Station POSTPONED.

Lenten Talks in Courceys Parish CANCELLED

Historical Society Talk POSTPONED

Trocaire

Boxes for the Trócaire Lenten
Campaign are in the porches now.

KILBRITTAIN GAA

Lotto 05 - 13 - 16 - 26
Results for 08/03/2020:

There was no winner for the €3,200
Jackpot. Winners of €30: Kieran
Madden, Lorraine Walsh,
Marieanne Coughlan, Fintan
Crowley, Paul Crowley. Next
week's jackpot is €3,400 Please
Support!

PUBLIC WEEKEND MASSES TO BE DISCONTINUED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

The Government announcement requires
that the attendance at any event including
Mass must not exceed 100 people. While
today's Norms from the Irish Bishops'
Conference allowed for the continuation
of weekend Masses, it is not feasible to
restrict the numbers in this way.
In light of this in the Diocese of Cork
and Ross, all public Weekend Masses
will be discontinued until further notice.
This also refers to Masses for St.
Patrick's Day. Funerals, weddings,
baptisms and weekday Masses may
continue as long as the attendance does
not exceed 100 people.
Note: no weekday Masses in Bandon.

Websites: www.kilbrittain.org
www.frcremin.com

BAPTISMS:
Sat and 11.30 Sun or by arrangement.

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

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Norms

- All non-essential pastoral gatherings and meetings, such as formation gatherings, retreats and seminars are cancelled.
- All Confirmations are postponed until further notice.
- Every Catholic is entitled to a dignified Christian burial. Attendance at Funeral services and Masses should be limited to close relatives and must not exceed 100 attendees within the church building.
- Similarly, Church weddings and baptisms may be celebrated on condition that the attendance in church does not exceed 100 people.
- In these difficult and uncertain times, people find strength, consolation and hope in prayer. Churches should remain open for prayer each day.
- In the current emergency situation, all are dispensed from the obligation to physically attend Sunday Mass. Parishes should inform parishioners of the local possibilities to participate in Mass via local radio and online. It may be possible for some parishes to facilitate attendance at Mass while still observing the health authority's limit of 100 people.
- This is an occasion for all of us – especially in families - to pray more intensely for each other and especially for those who have succumbed to the illness. We should pray also for those at the frontlines – especially doctors, nurses and medical staff and other carers, including clergy – that the Lord will protect them as they place their own wellbeing at risk in the service of all.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION Continues as normal

Prayer to protect against the Coronavirus

Our Father, we trustingly pray to you, asking that the coronavirus may do no more harm, that the epidemic may be swiftly got under control and that you restore the health of those affected and peace to the places where the virus has arrived.

Welcome into your kingdom the people who have died from this illness and comfort their families.

Sustain and protect the healthcare personnel who are fighting it and inspire and bless those working to control it.

Lord Jesus, doctor of our bodies and souls, we feel impotent in the face of this international health emergency but we trust in You. Give us peace and health.

Mother Mary, protect us and continue to take care of us and lead us through your love to your Son, Jesus. Amen.

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.
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