



# Kilbrittain Parish

## Weekly Bulletin

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### 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

#### Weekday Masses:

Monday: 9.00 am

Tuesday: NO MASS

Wed, Thurs & Fri 9.00 am.

No public Mass Sat morning.

#### Kilbrittain Cemetery Prayers

As explained in last week's Bulletin, I reluctantly cancelled the Kilbrittain Cemetery Mass for 2020. Practical difficulties in ensuring social distancing would be impossible to overcome, given the large crowds we have in the cemetery each year. The cemetery was blessed on Fri last, Vigil of the Assumption, and this weekend's Masses will include special prayers for the dead of Kilbrittain cemetery and for those who mourn them. Also there are little bottles of Holy Water available in the porches before and after Masses for

people to take one for each grave.

#### SACRAMENTS 2020

**Confirmations for 6th Class**  
Kilbrittain and Granassig next  
Saturday 22nd Aug at 11.00 am

**Confirmations for 5th Class**  
Kilbrittain and Granassig, Sat  
12th Sept at 11.00 am

**First Holy Communion for**  
Kilbrittain Saturday 19th Sept  
at 11.00 am

**First Holy Communion for**  
Granassig Saturday 24th Oct  
at 11.00 am.

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BAPTISMS:

Sat and 11.30 Sun or by arrangement.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:

Mon 11 to 1; Wed 2 to 8

#### Eucharistic Adoration

As normal this week

Monday 9.00 am to 1.00 pm.

Wednesday 2.00 to 8.00 pm.

#### Face Masks

In view of the recommendation that face masks be more widely used in public places, your cooperation in conforming with this during Mass attendance would be much appreciated.

#### KILBRITTAIN GAA

**Lotto 09 - 13 - 16- 25.**

Lotto results for 09/08/2020:

Jackpot: €4,600

There was no winner.

Winners of €30:

Ciara Jennings,

Colman O'Brien,

Theresa Cleary,

James Deasy,

Kieran Madden.

Next week's jackpot is €4,700

Please Support!

You can buy tickets for next

week's draw at the Post Office,

the Co-op, the Kilbrittain Inn or

on our website:

<http://www.kilbrittaingaa.com/su>  
[bscribe.html](http://www.kilbrittaingaa.com/su)

You can also contact any Club  
Officer to buy a yearly ticket.

#### A Prayer In A Cemetery

O God, this hour revives in us  
memories of loved ones  
who are here no more.

What happiness we shared when they  
walked among us!

What joy, when, loving and loved,  
we lived our lives together!

Their memory is a blessing forever.

Months or years may have passed,  
yet we feel near to them.

Our hearts yearn for them.

Though the bitter grief has softened,  
a duller pain abides,

for the place where once they stood  
is empty now.

The links of life are broken,

but the links of love and longing  
cannot break.

Their souls are bound up with ours forever.

O Lord, I thank You

for allowing me to have these  
very special people in my life.

I have been truly blessed by their presence,  
their words and actions, and their love.

I grieve not for them, but for myself,  
as I truly miss them.

We shared so much,  
and yet I feel our times together  
were fleeting.

Help me, O God,

to realize that the distance between us now  
is not so great and that one day,

I will be reunited with them in paradise.

Together, we will glorify You,  
Almighty Father, Your only Son,

Jesus Christ,

and Your Holy Spirit for all eternity.

Amen.