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# Kilbrittain Parish Bulletin

## **April 2012**

Now that our very successful Parish Mission comes to an end our focus is quickly changed to our Holy Week and Easter Celebrations. What so many who attended our parish mission experienced over the past week must not be put aside or forgotten but can lead us onward to experience the continuing out-pouring of God's Love, Mercy, and Healing; when Jesus took the bread, blessed it and broke it and said to his disciples, "Take this, and eat of it, for this is my body." and again when he took the cup and said to his disciples, "Take this, and drink from it, for this is the chalice of my blood, the blood of the new and eternal covenant, which will be poured out for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins, do this in memory of me." and when Jesus took the bowl of water and washed the feet of his disciples and told them, "If I, then, the Lord and Master, have washed your feet, you should wash each other's feet. I have given you an example so that you may copy what I have done to you." (Holy Thursday-Mass of the Last Supper) That same Love when God gave his only Begotten Son to die for us on the Cross (Good Friday- Way of the Cross and the Lord's Passion) That same Love when God raised Jesus from the dead. On the night of all nights when all faith communities come together and celebrate the new light of Easter. (Holy Saturday - The Easter Vigil and the beginning of our Easter season).

#### **Easter Timetable 2012**

Palm Sunday: Vigil Mass March 31st 8pm

Sunday Mass April 1st 10.30am- Do This In Memory Mass.

Stations of the Cross April 1st 8pm

### **Holy Week:**

## **Service of Light and Reconciliation:**

For all in our parish and for our Confirmation Candidates - Mon. April 2nd at 8pm.

### **Holy Thursday:**

Chrism Mass - April 5th at 10am is in the Cathedral of St. Mary and St. Ann, Cathedral Street, Cork. Everybody welcome.

## Visiting the sick and housebound

with Holy Communion Thursday morning.

Mass of the Last Supper - Thursday 5th April.at 8pm

**Good Friday:** The Way of the Cross (Stations of the Cross) April 6th 10am. Assembling outside (weather permitting) Celebration of the Lord's Passion at 3pm. Collection for Holy Places.

**Holy Saturday:** Vigil Mass at 9.30pm. Assemble outside.

**Easter Sunday:** Mass of the Resurrection at 10.30am.

**Easter Monday:** Mass at 10.00am.



St. Patricks Church

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#### **Tuesday Day off**

**Sunday Mass Times Vigil:** (Sat) 8.00 p.m. **Morning** 10.30 a.m.

Weekday Mass: Mon to Fri. excl. Tues. at 9.00 a.m.

**Tuesday:** Morning Prayer 9.00 a.m.

Saturday: Mass 10.00 a.m.

**Confessions** after Mass Sat. morning or by arrangement.

**Adoration** of the Blessed Sacrament First Friday of every month

#### Baptisms:

Baptisms are celebrated on Sunday 12.15 p.m. or by arrangement.

Vocations Sunday April 29th.

Diocesan Special Quarterly Collection Sun. April 29th.

Parish Assembly Meeting Mon. April 30th at 8pm.

**Confirmation Day** Fri. May 4th at 10.30am.

**Collection** for International Eucharistic Congress Sun May 6th.

**West Cork Wheelchair** Support Group wish to thank everybody who subscribed or gave of their time to the recent collecion which amounted to €411.55.

**St Josephs Young Priests Society** Easter Retreat to Myross Wood Sunday April 1st at 3pm. Bus leaving village at 1.45pm. Contact Gretta 8849738 or Maureen 021 4778218. Monthly meeting in the sacristy at 8.30pm on Tuesday April 17th. Book now for bus to Knock Saturday June 23rd



## **Kilbrittain Folk Group**

The Folk Group practices every Tuesday at 8.00pm in the Church. New members welcome.

## **Adult Choir**

The choir practices practice every Wednesday at 8.00pm in the Church. in the Church . New members welcome.

**Sacrament of Reconciliation** Bandon April 1st at 7.30pm.

**Thank**s to all who participated in the Praying the Mass series for Lent.

A sincere Thank You to the Mission Team, St. Patrick's Community.

Pioneer Total Abstinence Association: New members welcome. Contact Joan Sexton 8849644.



### **Spring Station Masses:**

- Thursday 12th April at 8.00pm for Ardacrow / Cloundereen Station Area in the home of Niall & Noreen O' Brien.
- Friday 13th April at 8.00pm for Ratharoon Station Area in the home of Pat & Helen Walsh. Saturday 14th April for Barleyfield at 11.00am in the home of Mary Moore.
- Friday 20th April for Granfeen Station Area in the home of Oliver & Susan Ahern.
- Friday 27th April for Ballymore / Ballybeg / Knopogue Station Area in the home of Kieran & Maureen Butler.
- Saturday 28th April at 11.00am for Clashreagh / Killeens / Knochaneroe / Hackettstown / Ballydonis / Currowrane Station Area in the home of David & Sally Simpson.
- Wednesday 2nd of May at 8.00pm in the Church for the Village Station area and any other Station Areas that did not have a mass in a home.

  Anybody wishing to host a station please contact Fr. John at your earliest convenience



**Organ Donor Awareness** Week March 31st- April 7th.

**Easter Sunday Steak BBQ** at Harrington's Inn at 2pm. Various sideshows and entertainment. All proceeds to Cancer Research.

**Alzheimers Tea Day** Thurs. May 5th-30th Anniversary this year.

**Kilbrittain Young at Heart** meet every Thursday. in the hall 2.30 - 4.30 Enjoy song, dance, chat and tea. New members welcome. Avail of Rural Bus facility. Rural Bus goes to Bandon every Friday leaving village at 10.00am. Contact Eileen Hayes 8849878.

**Kilbrittain Ladies Social Group** will meet at the hall on Easter Mon. at 7pm for a leisurely walk weather permitting.

**Congratulations** to the Musical Group from Kilbrittain NS who qualified as finalists in The Waltons Music for Schools Competition in association with Lyric FM. They are one of only six Primary Schools nationwide to perform in the National Concert Hall Dublin on Apr.16th 2012. Best of Luck to all concerned.

**Gurraneasig NS** enrolment evening Wed. April 18th at 7pm. All welcome to view the school. Enrolment forms and information leaflets available on the night.

**Mobile Library** will visit the Church car park at 10.30am and Harbour View platform at 11.45am on Fri. 16th and Fri. 30th March.

**Carbery Camogie:** Well done to Kilbrittain/Timoleague who defeated Newcestown recently in the West Cork Senior Camogie Championship.

## **May Bulletin**

Entries for May Bulletin to be submitted on or before Sunday 29th April to Denis 086 3580444 or email killeenskilbrittain@yahoo.ie

**The Parish Financial Report** for 2011 has been posted on the Parish Website. The link to it is on the <a href="Home Page">Home Page</a>

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