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The Paschal Mystery

We are just three weeks away from celebrating the most important event for all Christians, who follow the Latin Rite, throughout the world to remember the Death and Resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ. For the past weeks we have been preparing ourselves, through our Lenten Fast, for this great celebration.

We will begin our Easter Triduum on Holy Thursday with the Mass of the Last Supper. At this supper on the night was betrayed, the Lord Jesus, loving those who were his own in the world even to the end, offered his body and blood to the Father under the appearance s of bread and wine and gave them to the apostles to eat and drink.

On Good Friday morning we will recall the story of Jesus' suffering and death by following the Way of the Cross. We also have the celebration of the Lord's Passion when we will read St. John's account of the Passion and reflectively think about John's emphasis on Jesus' obedience to the Father's will. And the kingship of Jesus is asserted; the the crucifixion is a victory, the hour of death is also the hour of triumph. Christ gives his life. He is 'lifted up' on the cross, but willingly, and only in order to enter into his glory, a glory that is made visible even in this world to the confusion of unbelievers and ending in the defeat of Satan once and for all' (New Jerusalem Bible).

On Holy Saturday Night we will celebrate the Easter Vigil. This is the night when the Church keeps vigil, waiting for the resurrection of the Lord. This Passover Vigil, in which the Hebrews kept watch for the Lord's Passover which was to free them from Slavery, prefigured the true Pasch of Christ that was to come. For the resurrection of Christ, in which he broke the chains of death and rose triumphant from the grave, is the foundation of our faith and hope and through Baptism and Confirmation we are inserted into the paschal mystery of Christ, dying, buried and raised with him, and with him we shall also reign.



Clergy:

Fr John Heinhold Phone: 023 8849637 Mobile 087 1689292

Sunday Mass Times

Vigil: (Sat) 8.00pm. Morning 9.00am and 11.30am

Weekday Mass

Mon to Fri. excl. Tues. at 9.00am

Tuesday Morning Prayer 9.00am

Saturday Mass 10.00am

Confessions after Mass Sat. morning or by arrangement.

Baptisms Sunday: 12.15pm or by arrangement.



Easter Timetable

Holy Thursday Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper at 8.00 p.m.

Good Friday Way of the Cross at 10.00 a.m.

Celebration of the Lord's Passio at 3.00 p.m.

Holy Saturday Easter Vigil at 8.30 p.m.

Do This in Memory Mass

The Mass will be held on Sunday 17th April at 11.30 a.m.

Spring Stations - 2011

Stations have already been held in Granfeen, Bawnea and Clonbogue

Stations to be held:

Friday 1st April Farnagark and Rathclaren

Saturday 9th April Kilshinihan

Saturday 21st May Ratharoon

Friday 3rd June Burren

Anybody not from the above areas but willing to host a station
please contact Fr. John.

It would be valuable to maintain this tradition.



St. Josephs Young Priests Society

invite you to an evening of prayer at Myross Wood at 3.00pm Sunday April 17th. Bus leaving village at 1.45pm

Invitation:

Lenten Faith Development Series: Myross Wood A series exploring the Gospel of Matthew will be held on Tuesdays, April 5th and 12th 8.00pm - 9.30pm led by Fr. Sean O'Sullivan, Marian and Phil Mortell, and Fr. John Newman. Saturday 16th April 10.00am-1.00pm A Reading of the Passion of Jesus with Fr. Sean O'Sullivan. Suggested donation €15 per session. Contact Anne Francis 087 2282134

Kilbrittain Folk Group

Practice every Tuesday at 8.00pm in the Church. New members welcome.

Adult Choir

Practice every Wednesday at 8.00pm in the Church. New members welcome.



Kilbrittain/Timoleague Camogie Club

Training in school hall:

Under 10 Thursday nights in the School Hall.

Under 12 Thursday nights in the School Hall.

Under 14 Tuesday and Thursdays

Under 16 Friday in the Village pitch or Harbour View

Best of luck to Ailbhe Dowling, Áine Crowley, Sarah Burke, Eileen O'Neill, and Niamh Butler who travel to Thurles on Sunday 3rd April to play in a Blitz for Cork.

Race Night in Kilbrittain Inn Friday 16th April at 9.00 p.m.



Kilbrittain Young at Heart

meet every Thursday in the hall 2.30pm-4.30pm. Thurs. 5th May in aid of Alzheimers. Please Support.

Mother's Day Sunday 3rd April

Rural Transport Bus

goes to Bandon every Friday. Leaving village at 10.00am. Contact Eileen Hayes 8849878.

Alzheimers Tea Day

Bandon Town Hall Thurs. May 5th.

Kilbrittain Ladies Social Group

Held their A G M recently. Officers elected were;

Chair: Suzanne Shiels and Mary Fehilly

Secretary: Helen Ryan

Treasurer: Liz O'Connor

Next meeting Monday 11th April in the Hall at 9.00 p.m.



Kilbrittain Parents Association

are holding a Cake Sale in the hall on Sunday April 17th after 11.30 Mass. All donations of Baking welcome.

Gurraneasig National School

is holding a school fundraising sponsored 5 mile walk on Saturday 9th April. Registration at 1.00 p.m. in the Hall followed by walk at 2.00 p.m. Party and refreshments afterwards in the hall. Donations would be gratefully accepted on the day.

A dance

will be held in Harrington's Inn on Easter Monday Apr. 25th Food served.

Mobile Library

Dates Fri. April 1,15,29. Church Car Park 10.30am Harbour View 12 noon.

Kilbrittain Whale:

Voluntary Work has started in creating a permanent home for the skeleton of the whale. Any help - be it ideas, labour, materials or donations welcome. Many thanks to Brendan Kearney and family for the temporary lodgings, FÁS workers and festival committee. Contact John Hickey 087 2567084.
