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### **A month of Sundays.**

For the next four Sundays we will be celebrating the Feasts of the Ascension, Pentecost, Trinity Sunday and Corpus Christi.

**The Ascension** - The Feast itself commemorates when, on the fortieth day after His Resurrection, Jesus led His disciples to the Mount of Olives, and after blessing them and asking them to wait for the fulfilment of the promise of the Holy Spirit, He ascended into heaven.

**Pentecost** - Pentecost Sunday is one of the most ancient feasts of the Church, celebrated early enough to be mentioned in the Acts of the Apostles (20:16) and St. Paul's First Letter to the Corinthians (16:8). It is the 50th day after Easter (if we count both Easter and Pentecost), and it supplants the Jewish feast of Pentecost, which took place 50 days after the Passover and which celebrated the sealing of the Old Covenant on Mount Sinai. Trinity Sunday, also known as Holy Trinity Sunday, is celebrated a week after Pentecost Sunday in honour of the most fundamental of Christian beliefs—belief in the Holy Trinity. We can never fully understand the mystery of the Trinity, but we can sum it up in the following formula: God is three Persons in one Nature. The three Persons of God—Father, Son, and Holy Spirit—are all equally God, and They cannot be divided.

**Corpus Christi** - or the Feast of the Body and Blood of Christ (as it is often called today), goes back to the 13th century, but it celebrates something far older: the institution of the Sacrament of Holy Communion at the Last Supper. While Holy Thursday is also a celebration of this mystery, the solemn nature of Holy Week, and the focus on Christ's Passion on Good Friday, overshadows that aspect of Holy Thursday.



**St. Patricks Church**

**Fr. John Heinhold Adm.**

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**Tuesday Day off**

**Sunday Mass Times**

**Vigil:** (Sat) 8.00 p.m.

**Morning** 9.00 a.m. and 11.30

**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.



**Kilbritten 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.

**Ascension** of the Lord-World Communications Day Sun.June 5th.

**Corpus Christi** Eucharistic Procession will take place on Sun.June 26th after 11.30 Mass. A meeting to organise volunteers takes place on Thur. June 16th in the Parochial House at 9pm. A representative from each organisation in the parish is requested to attend.

**Trinity Sunday** June 19th. Rosary will be recited at Trinity Well Rathclaren at 8pm. It is the only known Holy Well in the parish.

Sunday June 19th is also **Father's Day**.

**Mass** will be celebrated in Rathclaren Cemetery on Wed. June 15th at 8pm..

**St. Josephs Young Priests Society**

St. Joseph's Young Priests Society will hold their meeting in the sacristy on Tues. June 21st at 8.30pm. St. Josephs National Retreat Day on Sat. 25th June in Knock Shrine. Bus leaves village at 6.00 a.m. for day pilgrimage.

**Pre-Marriage Courses.**For further information contact NAOMI 119 Patrick St. Cork021 4272213.

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**Kilbritten Young at Heart** meet every Thursday in the hall 2.30pm-4.30pm.

**Rural Transport Bus** goes to Bandon every Friday. leaving village at 10.00am. Contact Eileen Hayes 8849878.

**Gurraneasig N.S.** are participating in a beach clean up in Howe strand on Fri. June 10th. It also incorporates HB ice-cream day in aid of Down's Syndrome Ireland. Congratulations to former pupil Harry Marquart (previously from Rathclaren) on winning Head Chef onTV3. Sports evening will be held on Wed. June 22nd at 7.30.

**102nd Kilbritten Scout** Troup Fund Raising Kayak Challenge from Innishannon To Kinsale Sat. June 11th. Enquires Christine Barry 087 2467057 .

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**Kilbrittain Festival Committee**

will hold a Barn Dance on Sat. June 11 at Tony O'Mahony's Cripple Hill. Contact 086 1785025  
Strictly over 18s. ID required. Music by the Irish Weavers.

**Kilbrittain Welfare Group**

annual sponsored walk in aid Cystic Fibrosis takes place on Sun. June 12 at 2pm from the church.  
Please support.

**Kilbrittain Ladies Social Group**

meet on Mon. June 13th under Timoleague Abbey at 7.45pm sharp. Walk to Courtmacsherry and back.  
Light Refreshments on return. Contact Mary Fehilly 8849703.

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**Brendan and May Kearney** invite you to a Tea/Coffee evening in their home on Fri. June 17th from  
7pm onwards in memory of their son Justin. proceeds to Heart Education and Research Trust Fund  
CUH.

**Family Fun Day** at West Cork Secret on Sun. June 5th from 2pm. free admission. Great day assured.

**Kilbrittain Macra na Feirme**

May saw the re-establishment of Kilbrittain Macra.

Officers elected:

Chairman John Flynn, Secretary Conor Kingston, Treasurer Declan Flynn, PRO Dinah O'Mahony.

Wishing you all the best! Next meeting Mon. June 27th in the hall at 9pm. New members welcome.

**Camogie Club**

Well done to the U14 Team that travelled to Killeagh on May 20th and were victorious after a close  
game. They also played Newcestown in a challenge and won. Best of luck to Aine Crowley, Ailbhe  
Dowling, Sarah Burke, Eileen O'Neill and Niamh Butler who travel to Mallow with Cork U14s this  
weekend for Blitz.

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