



# Kilbrittain Parish

## Weekly Bulletin

No 182

Fourth Sunday in Lent

26 March 2017

### Masses During the Week

Mon 9:00 am.  
Tue: No Mass.  
Wed, Thurs and Fri 9:00 am  
Sat 10.00 am.

### Stations

Spring Stations traditionally begin with Lent. Please consider taking a Station for your townland.

### Saturday: First Saturday Devotions

in honour of Our Lady of Fatima.  
To facilitate those who wish to undertake the First Saturday Devotions there will be confessions before Mass, with the Rosary being recited in public at the same time, while there will be 15 minutes of meditation after Mass.

### Fatima Statue

To commemorate the centenary of Our Lady's apparitions in Fatima May to Oct 1917, Kilbrittain Parish, through our Legion of Mary Praesidium, is offering the Processional Statue of Our Lady of Fatima to people who would like to take it to their home. A special leaflet has been printed with information and prayers. You are welcome to take the statue to your home for as many days as you feel appropriate. We recommend that you set aside a particular time each day to pray together in front of the statue. Better still if you can invite neighbours, friends and relatives to join you.

### Stations of the Cross

Each Sunday night during Lent at 8.00 pm.

### PILGRIMAGE OF THE STATUE OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA

At the beginning of this year Pope Francis blessed a statue of Our Lady of Fatima before launching it on its pilgrimage to dioceses across the continent of Europe. We are privileged to be hosting the statue on 26th and 27th March as follows:

Sunday 26th March 4:30pm statue arrives in Cathedral of Ss Mary and Anne when Consecration to the Immaculate Heart of Mary will take place. Mass at 5:30pm. Veneration until 7:30pm  
Monday 27th March 9:00am statue arrives in Clonakilty Parish Church followed by Consecration to the Immaculate Heart of Mary. Mass at 10:00am Veneration until 3:00pm

### Myross Retreat Palm Sunday

St. Josephs' Young Priest Society to Moyross Woods Sunday 9th April. Bus departing from Kilbrittain at 1.45 and from Clonakilty at 2pm. €10 per person. For bookings call Cormac O'Connor 023-8849196.

### History Talk

On next Tuesday, 28th of March, at 8 p.m. in the Parish Hall, The Kilbrittain Historical Society present a talk on local involvement in the The Battle of Jutland, by Mr. Tony McCarthy. This was the largest naval battle of WWI and was decisive in the outcome of the

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[www.frcremin.com](http://www.frcremin.com)

BAPTISMS:  
Sat and 11.30 Sun or by arrangement.

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

### ST PATRICK'S CHURCH, KILBRITTAIN

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war. Mr. McCarthy will highlight the involvement of men from Kilbrittain, Courtmacsherry and Kinsale in his illustrated talk. This promises to be a very interesting and entertaining evening. New members are welcome to join on the night. All are welcome. Admission Free

A Kilbrittain man, Paddy Keohane from Barleyfield, took part in this battle and returned to live in Kilbrittain. His son, Paddy, will be at the talk and will bring his father's medals.

### Life in The Spirit Seminars.

A series of seven Life In The Spirit seminars will be given in Timoleague church each Sunday afternoon from 2.30 pm to 5.00 pm, beginning on next Sunday, 26th March and ending on 7th May. All welcome. Enquire to Msgr O'Leary [olearyt@gmail.com](mailto:olearyt@gmail.com)

### Youth 2000 Munster Retreat

Youth 2000 will be hosting a Catholic youth retreat in St. Brendan's College, Killarney, Co. Kerry from 7th-9th April for ages 16-35. The weekend will consist of inspiring talks, music, prayer, workshops & time to chill out & meet new people. Please bring a sleeping bag if staying on site. Donation only event. For more info contact Marie 0879361812 or check out [www.youth2000.ie](http://www.youth2000.ie)

### Knock and Lough Derg Pilgrimages

Knock and Lough Derg Three Day Trip. Owing to the success of last year's one-day Retreats to Lough Derg, there are three different date choices on offer for 2017-  
May 13th-15th  
Aug. 22nd-24th  
Sept 5th-7th  
Day 1: Visit Knock and overnight in Bundoran.  
Day 2: Retreat on Lough Derg and overnight in Bundoran.  
Day 3: Visit two attractions on return journey. This is an all-in package including meals, Lough Derg and Coach.  
For Details on bookings etc. contact 023 8849196, Cormac 087 6167835 or Denise 087 7688561

### Annual Parkinsons Mass

The Annual Parkinson's Mass for People With Parkinson's, their families and friends will take

place at St. Patricks Church, Rochestown Road, Cork on Wednesday 5th April 2017 at 7.00 pm. The ceremony will include The Sacrament Of The Sick.

### Facebook

Keep an eye on parish events past and future in Kilbrittain Parish Assembly Facebook pages @kilbrittainparish

*Raise Up Your Hearts and Voices!*  
Please join in with this weekend's Recessional Hymn:

### Amazing Grace

Amazing grace! How sweet the sound  
That saved a wretch like me!  
I once was lost, but now am found;  
Was blind, but now I see.

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,  
And grace my fears relieved;  
How precious did that grace appear  
The hour I first believed.

Through many dangers, toils and snares,  
I have already come;  
'Tis grace hath brought me safe thus far,  
And grace will lead me home.

Items for the Bulletin can be given or emailed to Denis and Margaret Collins: [killeenskilbrittain@yahoo.ie](mailto:killeenskilbrittain@yahoo.ie) or to Fr Cremin: [mail@frcremin.com](mailto:mail@frcremin.com).  
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