



Kilbrittain Parish

Weekly Bulletin

No 216

Final Sunday of the Church's Year
FEAST OF CHRIST THE KING

26 Nov 2017

Masses This Week

Owing to the painting of the church, there will be no Mass until Thursday night.

Eucharistic Adoration is also suspended for this Monday and Wednesday. I will also be absent until Wed night.

Thursday (General Station) 8.00 pm.

Friday 9.00 am

Saturday 10.00 am.

FR MICHAEL O'MAHONY, COURCEYS, WILL BE HAPPY TO ATTEND TO ANY NEEDS PARISHIONERS WILL HAVE WHILE I'M AWAY. 021-477 8055

First Friday and First Saturday

Friday next is the First Friday of December.

Calls to the sick and housebound will be made as usual. Final First Saturday devotions in honour of Our Lady of Fatima as the Centenary Year comes to a close. 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.

Stations

For Farnagark, Rathclaren and Lisheenaleen in the home of Dermot and Ita Hayes on Fri week, 1st December at 8.00 pm.

GENERAL STATION

Note: This station has been brought back to Thurs night to facilitate the Farnagark

station.

For areas which have not had a station this Autumn. Thurs next, 30th November, at 8.00 pm in the church.

Clashreagh, Killeens, Knockanroe, Hackettstown, Ballydonis and Currowrane Coolmain and Granassig Cripple Hill, Kielnamoul, Maulnaskinlehane and Maulmane Garrendruig Glenduff Granreigh and Glounavaud Kilshinihan and Ballycatten Knockbrown and Baurleigh Maryboro (Cloncailla Mor agus Beag) Ratharoon Village

Lectio Divina

Lectio Divina will be held every Thursday night at 8:00 in Granreigh for the month of November. Everyone welcome. Contact Bernie on 0877722673

Remembrance Ribbons

Kilbrittain Scouts Remembrance Ribbons. Remember your loved ones on a Ribbon on the Village Remembrance Tree this Christmas. Ribbons available in all of the local shops. Donations please for the Red Cross and Kilbrittain Tidy Towns. Ribbons will be placed on the tree at the turning on of the Christmas lights after the Immaculate Conception Vigil Mass on December 7th.

Websites: www.kilbrittain.org
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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Remembrance Mass

Families for whom doves were hung on the cross in the church may take the doves home to keep if they wish.

Bingo

In aid of Christmas Lights on this Sun, 26th December, at 3.00 pm in the Hall.

Tidy Towns Calendar on Sale

The Kilbrittain Tidy Towns Calendar 2018 featuring photographs of the parish by local photographers is now available for sale in Hickeys Foodstore, The Post Office and The Creamery. Price €10.

Society of St Vincent de Paul

The annual St Vincent de Paul collection will be taken up at they Masses on Sat 9th/Sun 10th Dec. Your continued support and generosity is greatly appreciated and we emphasise that all donations given are used in the Bandon and local parish communities. Also if you need help now or coming up to Christmas, phone 086-8255092 or write a note with your name and address and send it the the Shop in Weir St, Bandon, where it will be dealt with in confidentiality.

St Josephs Young Priests' Society

A huge thanks to everybody who supported St Josephs Young Priests' Society's Table Quiz in Hall on 11th Nov; the sponsors of prizes, Barry O Sullivan MC and question organiser and all those who worked behind the scenes. A Happy and Holy Christmas to All our generous supporters

Anam Cara Parent Evening

Anam Cara, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding its next monthly Parent Evening on Wednesday 6th of December from 19:30 to 21:00 in the Clayton Hotel, Silver Springs, Tivoli, Cork. This event is open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age your child died, the circumstances of their death, or whether the death was recent or not.

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A RECENT EMAIL FROM FR JOHN HEINHOLD

It's hard to believe. I am back in Kenya over a month and a half. I finished my language course today so my head is full of Kiswahili. As you all know, with any language,

the real work starts now as I have to take all that I learned and put it into practice. I hope and pray the people will be understanding! I plan to travel to Nakuru at the weekend to take up my new post. It's all very different from Ireland but with the help of God, and your continued prayers, I will settle into the work and life here in Kenya again. I am so grateful to you all for the wonderful farewell you gave me that Sunday morning. It was so nice to see and catch up with so many. All I can say is thank you, it's hard to express appropriately how important it is to me to know that I have you all praying for me in Kilbrittain. It gives me great courage and conciliation.

God willing I will be in contact again for Christmas. Thank you so much and lets keep each other in prayer.

YOU ARE INVITED TO SHARE IN THE SINGING OF THE RECEPTIONAL HYMN

O Lord my God,
When I in awesome wonder,
Consider all the worlds
Thy Hands have made;
I see the stars, I hear the rolling thunder,
Thy power throughout the universe displayed.

Refrain:

Then sings my soul,
My Saviour God, to Thee,
How great Thou art,
How great Thou art.
Then sings my soul,
My Saviour God, to Thee,
How great Thou art,
How great Thou art!

And when I think,
that God, His Son not sparing;
Sent Him to die,
I scarce can take it in;
That on the Cross,
my burden gladly bearing,
He bled and died to take away my sin.

Refrain

Items for the Bulletin can be given or emailed to Denis and Margaret Collins: killeenskilbrittain@yahoo.ie or to Fr Cremin: mail@frcremin.com. Deadline for receipt of submissions each week is Thurs night 9.00 pm. Weekly Bulletin online at <http://www.frcremin.com/news.html>