



# Kilbritten Parish Weekly Bulletin

No 263

29<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time  
MISSION SUNDAY

21 Oct 2018

### Masses this Week

Rosary will be recited before weekday Masses during the month of October.

**Morning Mass only on MONDAY 9.00 am and SATURDAY 10.00 am this week.**

### Priest on Duty

**Fr Michael O'Mahony PP, Ballinspittle will be very happy to attend to any urgent need in this parish Monday to Friday of this week**  
Tel: 021-4778055.

### St Joseph's Young Priest Society

Coffee morning on Sunday next 28th October, in Parish Hall, after 10.30 am Mass

### November Envelopes

For offering for Novena for the Holy Soul are available in the porches from today.

### Irish Catholic

Price increase of 20c to €2.00 from first Sunday of November.

### Scrap Collection

In aid of Kilbritten Community Centre. Through the month of November metal may be dropped to rear of Community Grounds; larger items can be collected if necessary. Further details, phone Vincent 087-8122056 or Kieran 087-6310276

### Festival AGM

Kilbritten Festival are holding their AGM in the Parish Hall on Thursday 25th October at 8.30pm. All are welcome especially new members.

### Halloween Bingo

Bingo in aid of Tidy Towns on Tuesday week, 30<sup>th</sup> October at 8.00 pm in the Parish Hall.

**ST PATRICK'S CHURCH, KILBRITTAIN**

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BAPTISMS:  
Sat and 11.30 Sun or by arrangement.

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

### Knock: All Night Vigil of Atonement

Dec 7th & 8<sup>th</sup>. Packaged Bus Trip to Knock departing on Friday 7th December and returning Saturday 8th. €60 per person includes bus, lunch on route, breakfast on return journey. For Bookings call Cormac O'Connor 023-8849196 / 087-6167835 or email [cormac@oconnorbushire.com](mailto:cormac@oconnorbushire.com)

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*In East Africa, a family heard about a remote village where the people had not heard about Christ. They left their own village and moved there with a single purpose: to spread and live the "Good News" of the Lord.*

*An American priest was sent on mission to Jamaica in the West Indies. Today he is at the heart of many Church projects among the poor, an instrument of Christ's peace.*

*In India, a local Sister's main goal is to show Jesus to the poor. She and her Community do that through prayer groups, by bringing the Word of God into the lives of elderly and disabled persons, abandoned children.*

All of them — the family, the priest, the Sisters — are helping to heal a broken world through the power of Christ, through the gift of faith, and through the sacrifices of their daily lives. What about us?

Today's Scripture readings help us to see our role in the missionary work of the Church. In the first reading, Isaiah tells of the suffering servant. We see in Jesus this suffering servant of Isaiah. Through

our Gospel passage, we know that Jesus' disciples — His original disciples

and all of us today — are to share in His self-sacrifice, to serve others, to give our lives day by day "in ransom" for others.

To be a disciple of Jesus is inevitably difficult, challenging, sacrificial, even painful, as Jesus explains in the Gospel, but it is also a joy and, ultimately, our glory.

The first way we can be missionary is through our prayers. Everything that we do in the name of the Lord is based on our connection with God, on our prayer. Today, we pray for all who serve in the missionary task and for the people they are inviting to Christ through their words and witness to His love, their teaching and healing, their care of the elderly and orphans. They are there in person; we are with them in prayer.

Another means of missionary activity — personal sacrifice — joins us in a unique way with Christ and with the Missions. We all have burdens, limitations, trials, anxieties. Even as we struggle under the crosses in our lives, we can offer them in union with Christ on the Cross for missionaries and those they serve.

Items for the Bulletin can be given or emailed to Denis and Margaret  
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