



Kilbrittain Parish Weekly Bulletin

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33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Masses This Week

Monday: 9.00 am
Tuesday; NO MASS
Wednesday to Friday: 9.00 am
Saturday: 10.00 am

Station

For **Farnagark, Lisheenaleen, Rathclaren** in the home of **Willie and Ann McCarthy** on Friday next, Nov 23rd (postponed from last Friday as a mark of respect to the late Maurice McCarthy), at 8.00 pm.

Children's Choir

Practice on Thursdays at 7.00 pm.
Boys and girls from 1st to 6th Class are welcome to join us in Kilbrittain church. For any questions contact Colette Bergin. Spread the word!

Remembrance Tree

Ribbons are available in the Post Office and the Creamery now for the traditional Christmas Remembrance Tree in the Grotto

St Joseph's Young Priest Society

Monthly meeting in Sacristy on

Wednesday 21st. Nov at 8.00pm. Pray for Vocations during Eucharistic Adoration before meeting if possible .

Rathclaren Carol Service

Sunday next, 25th November at 7.30 pm. All parishioners are cordially invited to participate.

KILBRITTAIN GAA

The club AGM has been deferred until Sunday 25th November at 2pm. All are welcome.

Lotto 02 - 10 - 12 - 30

The Lotto Jackpot of €5,200 was not won. The €40 winners were B.H., Mary P O'Brien, 8849818, Clodagh Ahern, Denis & Mgt Collins. The jackpot for next weekend will be €5,400.

Underage GAA Cake Sale

Sunday 2nd December after Mass in Parish Hall. Cake Sale, Coffee Morning, Raffle. Donations of cakes welcome.

Christmas Lights Bingo

Hosted by Kilbrittain Tidy Towns on

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BAPTISMS:
Sat and 11.30 Sun or by arrangement.

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

Sun 9th December at 3.00 pm in the Parish Hall.

Scrap Collection

In aid of Kilbrittain 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

Knock: All Night Vigil of Atonement

Dec 7th & 8th. 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

Eucharistic Adoration Wilton

The annual Black Friday shopping frenzy is approaching. St Joseph's Church SMA Wilton, are having a day of Eucharistic Adoration on Black Friday 23rd November 2018 and would like to invite people and adorers from all parishes to join them in prayer at some stage during the day from 8.30am to 11.00pm. Come for as long as you like, leave when you want

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Who should be listening?

One of the main resolutions to emerge from the Bishops' Youth Synod in Rome last month was, rather predictably, that the Church should listen to our young people. Here in Ireland our children are anointed Priest, Prophet and King at their Baptism and confirmed in the Holy Spirit at their Confirmation, all before they reach adolescence. So they are not lacking in qualifications of a Divine nature. However,

being an active young Catholic involves cultivating those gifts by absorbing the Church's teachings as they grow up, meeting Jesus frequently in the Sacraments of the Mass and Confession and, with prayer and humility, trying to see what God is asking them to do in each important situation and even in life itself. This wouldn't describe all of our youth.

One can only too clearly envisage the Irish Church, in the hope of getting positive headlines from mocking media, pandering to those empty vessels, Godless sons and daughters of Godless parents, who make up a significant and vocal proportion of under-30s throughout the country.

In contrast, a Voice of the Family conference of active Catholic youth, some from Ireland reflecting the other side of the coin among their peers, also in Rome last month asked the following of bishops:

- > To be told the truth, not a watered-down version of it.
- > Protect our Catholic tradition because that is what Our Lord would want. He knows better than we do.
- > Do not listen to the world, but rather allow the world to listen to Christ.
- > We do not want the faith to be handing on to us what the world is handing on to us. We want to have the unique truth that is found only in the Church.

When the time for listening comes, would that bishops only lend an ear to those who have been listening themselves first!

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>