

KILBRIDE, BARNDARRIG & BRITTAS BAY

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

17th November 2024

Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

RCN 20016166



Gospel Reflections Reminder from the Tree Donal Neary SJ

The tree was a big image for Jesus – he spoke many truths of his message pointing at trees,

~like mustard seeds which grew big,

~ vines that withered,

~ and the fig tree which was common to his hearers.

When asked about the signs of things to come, he gave no long homily, but just looked at the fig tree and said you know from this when summer and winter is coming. In the same way we can sense his presence in our lives in different ways. This may not help us to know about the end of time and the questions people had then, but it can get us to become aware of how God is present in our lives.

The word of God is spoken in the human words of many people. In kindly words, in forgiving and tolerant words, and also in the word of God spoken in the Mass, Jesus speaks to us today. Like the people looking at a fig tree, we can find his presence in the kindness and the helpful words of another. This is the word of God in human form. It will not pass away.

We are called to speak his word in our way of life:

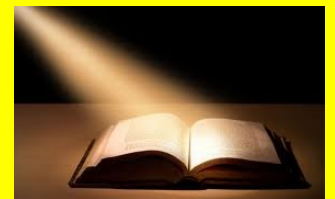
*to be friends of the earth,

*friends of all people, and

*friends of the poor. That's redemption, Jesus and ourselves working in unison.

God's book of compassion and love includes our names.

We can be thankful our names are in the book of life.



*Imagine a blank page of the Book of Life:
see your name on the page, and a list of the good you have done.*

Lord bring more good out of what I have tried to do in my life out of love.

PARISH CONTACTS

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Office opening times

Monday - Friday: 10am – 12.30pm

	THIS WEEK WE REMEMBER	NEXT WEEK WE REMEMBER
SATURDAY BARNDARRIG 7.30PM	Michael Kearns Mick Reburn (A) Peter Wall	Bridie Burke (1st A), & Jim Burke (A), Tommy, Michael & Andy Keogh (A), Tim Kelly
SUNDAY KILBRIDE 9.00AM	Marie Morris (50th A) Mary & Mick Bouchier Lou, Julia & Jim Breen Margaret & Albert Furlong	
SUNDAY BRITTAS BAY 12Noon	Jim, Ted & Ellen Brennan (A)	Paddy Duffy (16th A)
WEDNESDAY BARNDARRIG 10AM		

KILBRIDE, BARNDARRIG & BRITTAS BAY PARISH 10th November 2024

ENVELOPE/ CHURCH COLLECTION - goes towards maintaining our parish - € 700
1ST COLLECTION / COMMON FUND - pays salaries of Priests of Diocese - € 865
2ND COLLECTION / SHARE FUND - goes towards Diocesan Administration - € 400

NEXT WEEKEND'S READINGS

To reflect on the readings please check
catholicireland.net / sacredspace.ie / universalis.com



FIRST READING: Daniel 7:13-14
PSALM: 92:1-2,5
SECOND READING: Apocalypse 1:5-8
GOSPEL: John 18:33-37



Unit 2, First Floor,
of Boots Pharmacy,
Abbey Street, Wicklow

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*Have you, or a family member,
been diagnosed with Cancer?*

*We're here to help -
All our services are free of charge*

0404 32696 or 086 821 6694

Email info@wicklowcancersupport.ie

Open: Mon-Fri: 10.00-5.00.
Closed for lunch 1-2p.m.

*The Rosary
continues every Friday
morning in St Mary's
Church, Barndarrig at 10am.
Everybody is very
welcome to join us for some
beautiful time out while
sharing the Rosary with one
another.*

Baptism in the St. Mantan Pastoral Area

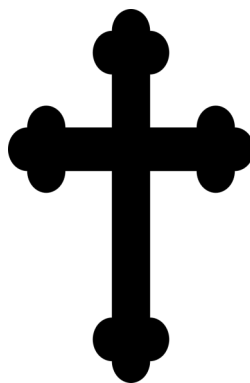
Wicklow	First Saturday	2pm
	Third Sunday	1pm
Rathnew	Fourth Saturday	2pm
Ashford	First Sunday	12 noon
Glenealy	Third Saturday	12 noon
BBK	Second Saturday	2pm



Baptism Meeting - De La Salle Centre at 8pm on Thursday 12th December

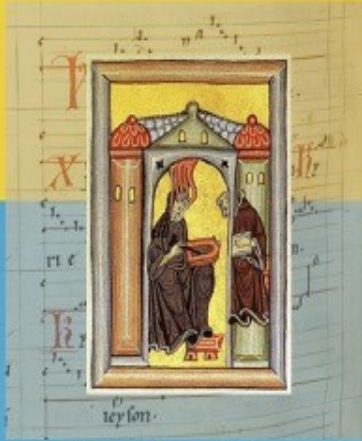
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

- Ashford: 1st Friday after Mass
- Wicklow: Mondays and Thursdays after Mass
- Kilbride: 1st Thursday at 9am (Divine Mercy)
- Brittas Bay: Tuesdays at 9am



In November We Remember
The Annual Mass for Deceased from
the Parish of Kilbride, Barndarrig and Brittas Bay
will take place this year in St Mary's Church,
Barndarrig on Tuesday 26th November 2024
at 7.30 PM.

SINGING HILDEGARD



Learn & sing a chant by Hildegard Von Bingen

Medieval Chant Weekend Workshop with Eilish Butler

7-8 December 2024
An Tairseach
Wicklow, Ireland

cost: €250
+onsite accommodation

For more info:
uncoveryourvoice@gmail.com

Your contribution to the Church is your appreciation for your parish. If you would like to become a regular contributor to the Parish, please fill in this slip and return to Parish Office or Sacristy

Name.....

Contact Number.....

Address.....
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Unwanted Gift Sale

in aid of
St. Patrick's Church, Wicklow
and
Wicklow Cancer Support



Date: 17th November, 2024
Time: 10am to 3pm
Place: De la Salle Pastoral Centre
Wicklow Town



Special Room

Full of Bags,
Purses, Hats, Scarfs



Pick up a Great Christmas Present and support
Wicklow Parish Church and Wicklow Cancer Support Services

There will also be
a cake sale
and coffee morning
so come along
and
support a great cause.

Be like a tree.

Stay grounded.

Connect with your roots.

Turn over a new leaf.

Bend before you break.

Enjoy your unique natural beauty.

Keep growing.

