KILBRIDE, BARNDARRIG & BRITTAS BAY

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER 7th July 2024Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time RCN 20016166



Gospel Reflections In the Ordinary Donal Neary SJ

It's easy to think you know people. Then they can surprise you. We can find ourselves making opinions and judgements easily on people on colour, race or age. Or we know them for a long time and then something happens like a marriage or a death and we see another side to them.

We think the same even about Jesus – was Jesus a carpenter? No! He could work in wood, metal or stone! So immediately we are challenged by this gospel like they were. Here was the ordinary man, going every week to work in Sepphoris, a few kms from his home, now taking on the role of preacher and prophet. Nothing divine about that - or maybe it's one of the most divine things we can do! Work and family bring us close to God who is working all the time and who is loving all the time.

How might you see God today – creation, love, silence, care? A new baby in the family – God's creation of new life with us, or someone who is very ill but in weakness of the body is also finding peace in the prospect of heaven... that is God at work. God is around in the depth moments of life.

What does this gospel make of Jesus? He makes sense of our lives with us and for us, teaching and healing with compassion and love. We do not know him fully, we don't know all he said, but live by the echo of his words.

Think over yesterday – what gave you a lift in the heart, a sense of peace, the presence of God.

Lord, I thank you for the wonder of us all!



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Office opening times

Monday - Friday: 10am - 12.30pm

For all enquires and bookings

	THIS WEEK WE REMEMBER	NEXT WEEK WE REMEMBER
SATURDAY BARNDARRIG 7.30PM	NO MASS	
SUNDAY KILBRIDE 9.00AM	Bella Reburn - 40th Anniversary	
SUNDAY BRITTAS BAY 12Noon	William (Bill) Tighe –1st Ann Denis Tighe –12th Anniversary	Jim Conway
WEDNESDAY BARNDARRIG 10AM	Liturgy of the Word Service with Holy Communion	

KILBRIDE, BARNDARRIG & BRITTAS BAY PARISH 30th June 2024

ENVELOPE/ CHURCH COLLECTION - goes towards maintaining our parish - € 145 1ST COLLECTION / COMMON FUND - pays salaries of Priests of Diocese - € 835 2ND COLLECTION / SHARE FUND - goes towards diocesan administration - € 423

Many thanks for your continued support.

NEXT WEEKEND'S READINGS

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

First Reading: Amos 7:12-15

Psalm: 84: 9-14

Second Reading: Ephesians 1: 3-14

Gospel: Mark 6: 7-13



in the Star of the Sea Church, Brittas Bay. Tuesday mornings from 9am until 10am 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.

Congratulations to all couples planning their marriage

Don't forget to give 3 months notice to the parish where you live.

Your local parish is responsible for organising the paperwork necessary for the Sacrament of Marriage irrespective of where the wedding will take place.



Active Retirement Activities & Trips

Now with 105 members, we are one of the largest Groups in Ireland

Tuesday morning meetings 10.45am.

Conversational Irish Tuesdays at 10.00am

Line Dancing Tuesdays 12.00 to 1.00pm

Walking on the Murrough Wednesdays at 11.00am

Choir Fridays 3.00pm-4.00pm

Follow us on our facebook page: Wicklow Active Retirement

If you would like to join active retirement or find out more, please do feel free to ring Pauline on 087 227 6760

You will be sure of a Céad Mile Fáilte



BLESSINGS OF THE GRAVES 2024

Three Mile Water Cemetery: Monday, July 8th at 7.30pm

Castletimon Cemetery: Monday, July 15th at 7.30pm

Rathnew Cemetery: Wednesday 17th July at 7.30pm

Glenealy Cemetery: Saturday 20th July at 3.00pm

Killoughter Cemetery: Tuesday 23rd July at 7.30pm

PLEASE TAKE NOTE OF THE CHANGES IN MASS TIMES FOR THIS WEEKEND - 6th & 7th July/ & THE FOLLOWING WEEK

BARNDARRIG - NO VIGIL MASS ON SATURDAY 6TH JULY
RATHNEW - NO 9.00AM MASS ON SUNDAY 7TH JULY
GLENEALY - NO 10.30AM MASS ON SUNDAY 7TH JULY

Mass will be available in the following Churches at the following times:

Ashford Vigil Mass	6.00pm	(Saturday)
Wicklow Vigil Mass	6.00pm	(Saturday)
Kilbride	9.00am	(Sunday)
Wicklow	10.30am	(Sunday)
Wicklow	12.00pm	(Sunday)
Brittas Bay	12.00pm	(Sunday)

Difficus Day (Sunday)

MONDAY 8TH JULY - NO 7PM MASS IN ST JOSEPH'S RATHNEW

Wednesday 10th July at 10.00am - in St Mary's, Barndarrig Liturgy of the Word Service with Holy Communion

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

Parish Office or Sacristy

Name......

Contact Number.....

Address.....

You don't have to defend or explain your decisions to anyone.

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Live it without apologies.

- MANDY HALE