

KILBRIDE, BARNDARRIG & BRITTAS BAY

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

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Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time -Year C
16th February 2025



Feeling Peace—at the centre of the Beatitudes Donal Neary SJ

On one of my first visits to a Jesuit house, I felt a huge peace - maybe the beginning of a vocation. In bereavement there can be a moment of peace, which seems to come from nowhere: peace of being totally loved by a good friend or spouse, peace, just peace with the children.

There is a peace that comes from faith and love and that is prayer: peace that comes from knowing I am heard, understood and loved. There is a huge need for listening now, for knowing that people care in our world of suicides, addictions to alcohol. We can feel we live in an impersonal world of anxiety and isolation. We need the peace of honest conversation and openness, and the peace of being forgiven.

Peace is not evading difficulty. You are mad worried about a child - somewhere in the middle, like gold in the mud, you find the peace of knowing God's love for you and for him or her. That needs time and a bit of prayer.

It is good to sit each day in silence. Allow this peace to get into you. Breathe in and out, just saying the word 'peace'. That is God's gift to you.

There is also a peace from God in doing good and doing the right thing. Jesus knew it was the best gift he could give. It comes from love.

Back to my first visit that day - what caused the peace? I don't know fully. We can be surprised when we will be graced with the peace of Jesus Christ which the world cannot give.

Give each of us O Lord, that peace beyond all understanding.



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	Donal Kearns (MM) Alice Bolton (A) John Bolton (A) Alfie Greene (A)	
SUNDAY KILBRIDE 9.00AM	Gary & Pat Hurley (A)	
SUNDAY BRITTAS BAY 12Noon	Seamus, Terence & Kathleen O'Donnell (A), Ellen & Edward Greene, Nuala Staunton (A)	Miriam MacMahon
WEDNESDAY BARNDARRIG 10AM		

KILBRIDE, BARNDARRIG & BRITTAS BAY PARISH

9th February 2025

ENVELOPE/ CHURCH COLLECTION - goes towards maintaining our parish - € 55
1ST COLLECTION / COMMON FUND - pays salaries of Priests of Diocese - € 200
2ND COLLECTION / SHARE FUND - goes towards Diocesan Administration - € 90

NEXT WEEKEND'S READINGS

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

FIRST READING: 1Samuel 26:2,7-9,11-13,22-23

PSALM: 102

SECOND READING: 1 Corinthians 15:45-49

GOSPEL : Luke 6:27-38

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Ashford: 1st Friday after Mass
Wicklow: Mondays and
Thursdays after Mass
Kilbride: 1st Thursday at 7pm
(Divine Mercy)
Brittas Bay: Thursdays at 9am

*The Rosary continues
every Friday morning
in St Mary's Church,
Barndarrig at 10am.*



**TRAINING FOR
EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS
OF HOLY COMMUNION
7.00pm - Tuesday, February 18th**



Presented by: Peter Siney—Office for Mission & Ministry, Dublin Diocese

Venue: St. Anne's Parish, Dublin Road, Shankill, D18 AW68

Tea & Coffee – 7.00pm (Resource Centre)

Training Session 7.30pm – 9.30pm (Church)

This training is for all current and new Extraordinary Ministers
To register please call (01) 282 2277
or use this link <https://forms.gle/Vza4uqB6V7dkrMDy5>



**Accord will hold its
annual collection
this weekend,
15th and 16th February,
at all masses.
It will replace the Share
Collection.**

Please support.

Popes Intention for February

For vocations to the priesthood and religious life
Let us pray that the ecclesial community might welcome the desires and doubts of those young people who feel a call to serve Christ's mission in the priesthood and religious life.



PARISH OFFICE

The Parish Office is located in the De La Salle Pastoral Centre and is open Monday through to Friday from 10am till 12.30 pm for all general parish enquiries, to book masses, to arrange baptisms / weddings bookings, enquiries, to drop in envelopes, buy mass cards etc. We would be very happy to help you - in person or on the phone. The contact number is 61699.

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.

Be sure to get in touch with the Parish Office to make arrangements to complete wedding papers at least 3 months before the date of the proposed wedding.



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

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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1 Peter 5:7

Cast all your anxiety on him because he cares for you.