



HOLY REDEEMER PARISH BRAY

COMMUNITY OF FAITH, WELCOME AND SERVICE

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DATE FOR YOUR DIARY 24TH JUNE 2018 We will celebrate our Annual Feast Day on Sunday 24th June with a special Mass at 11am. Further details to follow in the coming weeks.



FIRST HOLY COMMUNIONS We welcome the 48 Children who will make their First Holy Communion during the **12 noon** Mass **TODAY**. May they always feel welcome at the table of our Lord.



NEW CHURCH BAND We are looking for musicians and singers to form a new church band to play contemporary music. Guitars, keyboard, drums... In fact any instrument and all voices are welcome! If you are interested please email: sheila@holyredeemerbray.ie. Further details are still in God's hands but will be revealed in due course!



EVENING MASS There will be evening Mass on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday of this week. On Monday and Friday a liturgy replaces the 7pm Mass.

REGULAR MASS TIMES IN HOLY REDEEMER

Sundays	9:00am Irish language Mass 10:30am, 12:00pm, 6:00pm
Monday to Friday	10:00am and 7pm.
Saturday	10.00am

PRAYER OPPORTUNITIES

- **Prayer group with Exposition—Monday**
The Presbytery 8pm
- **Lectio Divina Group—Tuesday**
The Presbytery 11-12noon
- **Holy Face Devotions—Tuesday** immediately after the 7pm Mass main church (Prayer booklets available for new members)
- **Bray Gathering Charismatic Prayer Group—Wednesday**
Little Flower Hall 8pm
- **Silent Holy Hour — Friday**
Side Chapel 11am to 12 Noon

CHILD PROTECTION OFFICERS We have two designated Child Protection Officers here in Holy Redeemer. They are - **Eamonn Burgess** and **Niamh Grist**. If you need to speak with one of them you will find their numbers in the Church Porch or by calling in to the Sacristy after Mass.

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL Holy Redeemer parish Pastoral Council is made up of 11 parishioners. Their names and contact details are available through the Parish Office or through the Sacristy.

HOLY HOUR FOR LIFE At the request of the Archbishop, we will hold an Hour of Prayer for Life dedicated to the protection of life, in the main Church **TODAY** from **8 to 9pm**. All are welcome.

WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES 2018 If you have not previously registered your interest in transport to the Final Mass for World meeting of Families, with Pope Francis, there is a final opportunity to do so **TODAY** with one of our volunteers at door at the back of the Church. The Final Mass is on Sunday 26th August 2018.



CEMETERY SUNDAY You are invited to the Annual Blessing of Graves & Mass of Remembrance which will take place at **3pm** in **Shanganagh** on **Sunday 27th May**.



GENERAL DATA PROTECTION REGULATION A new European Data Protection law, the General Data Protection Regulation ("GDPR"), is being introduced on the **25th of May 2018**. This new law applies to any organisation, including our parish that manages and processes people's personal information.

We are now working on ways of ensuring that what we do with your information is compliant with this new law. It is a work in progress and over the next few months we will keep you informed through the parish website and in the newsletter as policies are put in place. If you have any questions about this please do not hesitate to contact the parish office.

ALZHEIMERS TEA DAY is a national day of celebration and fundraising that honours people affected by Alzheimer's and Dementia. Each year, thousands of generous people gather together, drink tea, eat cake! Holy Redeemer will be hosting a Tea Morning on Friday 25th May in the Coffee Dock after the 10am Mass. All are welcome!



CHOOSE LIFE 2018 The Choose Life 2018 newsletter promotes the Church's position on unborn human life and encourages family discussion on this important subject. Printed copies of this newsletter are available to read on the tables at the doors of the Church. If you wish to download your own copy please go to: www.catholicbishops.ie/2018/02/07/choose-life-2018-newsletter/



ROSARY There is a Rosary and Prayers for the protection of Mothers and the Unborn every Tuesday from 8—9pm in the Side Chapel. **All are welcome.**



WHISTLE BLOWER Life, Death, Hope and the Eighth Amendment, "**The Whistle Blower**" by Pádraig McCarthy is now available on our book Rack. "A whistle-blower Blows the whistle on matters of deep concern, not to cause trouble but to draw urgent attention to a matter which so far has not been properly addressed."



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