

# **Holy Redeemer Parish**

**Community of Faith Welcome and Service** 

2nd December 2018

# **IMPORTANT NOTICES \***

**EVENING MASS** There will be a **7pm evening Mass** every day this week. Saturday the 8th of December is the Feast of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary and is a Holy Day of Obligation. There will be a Vigil Mass at 7pm on Friday the 7th and Masses on the 8th will be at 10am, 12pm and 7pm.

Signed **MASS CARDS** are looked after by the Priests of the Parish and are available ONLY in the Parish office or in the Sacristy

**Office Hours** Phone (01) 286 8413 Email

Monday - Friday 9.30am-12.30pm Website www.holyredeemerbray.ie office@holyredeemerbray.ie

#### **PRAYER OPPORTUNITIES**

Holy Rosary Group - Monday after 10am Mass led by Antoinette Farrell in the Main Church



- Miraculous Medal and Rosary Monday after 7pm Mass in the side chapel
- Lectio Divina Group Tuesday The Presbytery 11-12noon
- The Nazarine Community Charismatic Prayer Group Wednesday - Little Flower Hall at 8pm
- Taizé Service Wednesday 19th December at 8pm Church
- Silent Holy Hour Side Chapel Friday 11am to 12 Noon

#### **CHRISTMAS CARDS**



The Parish Outreach Group will be selling Christmas Cards again this year to help fund

children's education fees in our Twin Parish, Ikanga

in Kenya. One packet of 6 cards for € 3.50 or 3 packets for €10. Other projects the Outreach Team has provided support to this year include, a new church and water well in Nigeria for Fr. John Moses and new housing for vulnerable women and children in Matisi Kenya. This is a Daughters of Charity Project headed by Sister Mary Holland.

#### HOLY REDEEMER YOUTH CENTRE OPEN NIGHT

Will take place after 6pm Mass this evening. They would like to welcome any new members who would like to join. Friendly, fun environment including movie nights, organised trips, baking and

much more. Open for 6th class on a Wednesday 3pm - 5pm - 6th class. Friday 6pm - 9pm - 6th class. 1pm - 5pm - 6th class. Saturday For 1st years open on a



Wednesday Friday

1pm - 5pm - 1st years. 6pm - 9pm - 1st years. 1pm - 5pm - 1st years. Saturday

The youth centre leaders will be at the doors of the Church after 6pm Mass this evening if you would like more information on the youth centre or you would like to visit the youth centre.



### CROSSCARE

Archbishop Diarmuid Martin seeks your support for a Parish Food appeal for Crosscare . There will be a collection point at the Crossroads inside the main Church TODAY.

Crosscare have identified items that are most needed at this time. These include: Shampoo & Hygiene Products, Soups, Tinned meats, Seasonal Biscuits and Cleaning Products.



# SERVICES THIS COMING WEEK

#### **READY FOR CHRISTMAS?**

Come Light a Candle for your family at our Advent Candlelight Service on Tuesday 4th December at 7pm in Holy Redeemer.



#### CAROLS FOR ADVENT

Join us at our annual sing - a- long Carols for Advent Service! Sunday December 9th at 4pm. Bray Concert Band, Beating Time



Barbershop Chorus and the Bray Comhaltas Harp Ensemble will perform. Along with children from St. Patrick's National School, and our own Folk Group.

Followed by refreshments in the Little Flower Hall. \*\*\*\*\*\*\*

# **ADVENT GATHERING**

Frs. John, Ben and their team invite you to join us as we gather to prepare, through parable, story and symbol, to welcome the Christ Child into our hearts this Christmas. Where...Side Chapel



When... Thursdays 6th, 13th and 20th December Time... 7.30p.m. to 8.30p.m.

#### **CONFIRMATION PREPARATION MASS**

At the 6pm Mass TODAY, we welcome all the Children and their parents who are preparing for their Confirmation in 2019.

#### **ST. VINCENT DE PAUL ANNUAL** COLLECTION



This collection will replace SHARE at all masses next Sunday 9th December. This Christmas, over 140,000 people in communities across the country will ask SVP for help with food, fuel and basic clothing. But they cannot say yes without you. Please support the SVP Annual Appeal .Your help can last a lifetime.

## **USEFUL PHONE NUMBERS:**

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