

OUR LADY QUEEN OF PEACE PARISH

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MASS TIMES

Monday-Saturday 10.30am
Saturday Vigil: 6.30pm
Sunday: 10.30am and 12 Noon

INTENTIONS

Sat 23rd July 6.30 pm Margaret, John & Liam Collins
Anthony Beirne
Sun 24th July 10.30am Delia, Maureen & Margaret
Mulrooney
12.00 Noon George Clack
Tues 26th July 10.30am Cissie & Bridie O'Connor and
Family
Special Intention
Wed 27th July 10.30am Joe Kelly
Thurs 28th July 10.30am Fiona Byrne
Fri 29th July 10.30am Una Kelly
Sat 30th July 10.30am Anita Smith

Office Closure

We wish to advise that the Parish Office and Villa Pacis Centre will be closed from Monday 1st August until Friday 5th August and will re-open as usual on Monday 8th August. We will be open for our evening classes as normal.

Perpetual Adoration

Can you spare one hour a week to sit quietly with the Lord in our Church? Please fill out a card (in church porch) or give your name to our Sacristan, Chrissie.

We are blessed to have Perpetual Adoration in our Parish.

Legion of Mary

We invite you to join us to pray the Rosary in the Church on Monday—Saturday mornings at 9.55am

All are Welcome

If you have unwanted Catholic Magazines please leave them in the bookstand at the back of the Church, for our members to distribute to Nursing homes. Thank you

Lourdes 2016

Our Annual Lourdes pilgrimage will take place from the 7th to 12th of September. Booking through the Parish office Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday mornings only. Price €719. Please see posters in Church porches.

Parish 70th Birthday Celebrations

If you have ideas, both spiritual and social, please drop them into our Suggestion Box at back of Church.

Martha of Bethany

The 29th. July is the feast of Martha of Bethany. She is the patron saint of active, practical women, perhaps unfairly contrasted with her more laid back and "contemplative" sister Mary. Both were sisters of Lazarus of Bethany. Martha is also a woman of faith, who said "I believe that you are the Christ, the Son of God, the one who was to come into the world"

Hospitality Rota

The September Hospitality rota is now available from the Sacristy

Midsummer Dues

Thank you to all those who returned their midsummer dues and to those who

helped to deliver them. There are spare envelopes in the church porches for anyone who did not receive one.

Bugisi Sunday

Sunday August the 7th is when we celebrate our ties with our twin parish in Bugisi, Tanzania. Sr. Anne McCormack will speak at the mass about the wonderful work they are able to achieve with our support.

On-going Groups at the Villa

Vevay Active Retirement meet every Friday morning and do a number of activities from chair yoga to crafts. Pop in for a chat and a cup of tea. New members always welcome.

The Monday Club meet once a week to assist those coping with Alzheimers. We also have a number of Pilates classes and a Yoga class and religious groups from the Legion of Mary to Lectio Divina. Community groups such as Over-Eaters Anonymous, Aware and Alcoholics Anonymous meet each week.

We also have groups that meet for a set term such as art classes and drama. If you have any enquiries please call into the Villa. Should you require a room, we currently have some availability.

Grow Community Mental Health Movement

Meets every Tuesday at 11am in the Villa Pacis parish centre. Why not come and learn a practical psychology of mental health. Contact Leo on 086 8033124.

ACCORD (Bray)

ACCORD offers a professional counselling service which facilitates couples and individuals to explore, reflect upon and work to resolve difficulties in their marriages and relationships in a confidential, sensitive, respectful and non-judgemental setting.

Appointments can be arranged by telephoning 01 2867712.

St Fergal's Parish / Bray Churches Together

Trip to St. Mel's Cathedral, Longford., Sat. 20th. August. Coach departs at 09.15am from St. Fergal's. Stop for morning coffee in the Greville Arms Hotel, shopping time in Athlone, visit to St. Mel's in the afternoon. A four course evening meal in the Greville Arms at six o'clock will be followed by entertainment until departure at nine o'clock.. Price depending on numbers, max €67. Please contact Deirdre Butler on 0868223046

Pope Francis Prayer for Year of Mercy

Lord Jesus Christ, You have taught us to be merciful, like the Heavenly Father And you have told us that whoever sees you, sees Him. Show us your face and we will be saved...

Send your Spirit and consecrate every one of us with its anointing so that the Jubilee of Mercy may be a year of grace from the Lord, and your Church, with renewed enthusiasm may bring good news to the poor, proclaim liberty to captives and the oppressed, and restore sight to the blind.

We ask this through the intercession of Mary, Mother of Mercy, you who live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit for ever and ever, Amen.

Scholarship News

Bray Credit Union are offering one lucky member aged 16 or over, an educational Scholarship towards their college, university or apprenticeship fees for the duration of their course. Closing date for applications is on 8th. of August, 2016. Our education Scholarship reflects our values as being a first choice financial service provider for our members and supporting the education of a member in our community. You can pick up an application from the Credit Union or download it from www.braycu.ie

Hymns for July 3rd to 31st 2016

Morning has Broken

Morning has broken like the first morning, blackbird has spoken like the first bird. Praise for the singing! Praise for the morning! Praise for them, springing fresh from the Word!

Sweet the rain's new fall sunlit from Heaven, like the first dew-fall on the first grass. Praise for the sweetness of the wet garden. spring in completeness where his feet pass.

Mine is the sunlight. Mine in the morning born of the one light Eden saw play! Praise with elation, praise ev'ry morning God's re-creation of the new day!

Oh the Love of my Lord is the Essence

Oh the love of my Lord is the essence of all that I love here on earth. All the beauty I see, he has given to me, and his giving is gentle as silence.

Every day, every hour, every moment have been blessed by the strength of his love. At the turn of the tide he is there at my side, and his touch is as gentle as silence.

There've been times when I've turned from his presence, and I've walked other paths, other ways. But I've called on his name in the dark of my shame, and his mercy was as gentle as silence.

Eat this Bread (Taizé)

Eat this bread, drink this cup, come to me and never be hungry, Eat this bread, drink this cup, trust in me and you will not thirst.

Anyone who eats this bread will last forever.

Give me Joy in my Heart

Give me joy in my heart, keep me praising, give me joy in my heart I pray. Give me joy in my heart, keep me praising. Keep me praising till the end of day.

Sing hosanna! Sing hosanna!
Sing hosanna to the King of kings!
Sing hosanna, sing hosanna!
Sing hosanna to the King!

Give me peace in my heart, keep me resting

Give me love in my heart, keep me serving ...

Walk in the Light

Let's all join together in communion sweet, walk, walk in the light, and love one another till our Saviour we meet, walk, walk in the light. Walk in the light (3) walk in the light of the Lord.

The Spirit lives to set men free, walk, walk in the light. He binds us all in unity, walk, walk in the light.

When Jesus died on Calvary, walk, walk in the light, he saved the lost like you and me, walk, walk in the light.

And Jesus did just what he said, walk, walk in the light, he healed the sick and he raised the dead, walk, walk in the light.

He left his Spirit our friend to be, walk, walk in the light; he prays in you and he prays in me, walk, walk in the light.

All over the World

All over the world the Spirit is moving, all over the world, as the prophets said it would be. All over the world there's a mighty revelation of the glory of the Lord, as the waters cover the sea.

All over the land ...
All over the church...
All over us all...
Deep down in my heart...

Peace is Flowing Like a River

Peace is flowing like a river, flowing out through you and me, spreading out into the desert, setting all the captives free.

Love is flowing like a river ...

Joy is flowing like a river ...

Hope is flowing like a river...

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