

# St. Peter's Parish Newsletter 3rd April 2022

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#### **MASS TIMES**

**Sunday:** 9.30am. (Irish Mass)

11.30am.

1st Friday: 11am.

To view Mass Visit:

www.churchservices.tv/braystpeters

( Google Chrome required to view mass )

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#### **TO BOOK A MASS**

Please call into the Parish Office or contact 01 2829467 Mass Cards are available from the Parish Office

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### **OFFICE OPENING HOURS**

Mon. & Tues.: 9.30am-12.30pm
Wednesday: Closed
Thurs. & Fri.: 9am-12.30pm.

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# **UKRAINE COLLECTION**

We would like to thank you all for your very generous contributions for the Special Collection held last Sunday 27th March for Ukraine which amounted to

€2229.77

You are invited to Synod Meetings on Thursday 24th & 31st March @7pm. Little Flower Hall Bray



Hosted by St. Peter's and the Holy Redeemer.

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## **Lectio Divina**

(which is sharing on the Sunday's gospel)
Commencing on the
8<sup>th</sup> March 2022 at 10.30am.
and every Tuesday
during Lent
St. Antony's Hall
in St. Fergal's .
Led by Fr. Jimmy & Sr. Patricia .
All are welcome



Trocáire Boxes are at the back of the church if you wish to take one.

# Fifth Sunday of Lent

Jesus started writing on the ground with his finger.

People have wondered and imagined what Jesus wrote when they asked him to condemn the woman.

Whatever he wrote encouraged the woman to stay with him and put some pressure on the accusers to move away.

Maybe he just doodled—wrote nothing sensible?

Or did he write —so that the woman could see 'Stay here, I am with you'
And the woman knew
like all of us know when we are in trouble,
that Jesus is on our side.

Or did he write so that the onlookers could see 'Change your hearts, be renewed, forgive in your hearts and come back—sin no more'

Maybe he wrote what he later said -'I do not condemn you, sin no more.' And all knew they were in the presence Of love, forgiveness and acceptance.

Some, like the woman, could take this and stayed to get to know this Jesus. Others, like the accusers, went away, but maybe they came back later to get to know this Jesus.

No Matter what, we know that he will stay with each of us, Eucharist each day forgiveness and acceptance all of the days of our life.

# PLEASE NOTE CAR PARK HOURS

9am.—12.30pm. Mon—Fri for parish business and at the weekends during church ceremonies. The Cemetery is accessible via Laneway for Pedestrians

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#### ST. PETER'S CEMETERY

There is strictly No Dumping
in any area of the
cemetery we request visitors
to the cemetery to take any
sort of rubbish home with them
to keep the cemetery tidy.

We appreciate your co-operation

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## **Useful Contact Numbers**

Accord: 01-2867712

A.A.: 01-8527000

Aware: 1890-303302

S.V.P 01-8550022

Samaritans: 1850-609090

Recovery: 01-2863423

**Bray Homeless: 0404-20100** 

**Bray Community Addiction:** 

01-2764692

Bray Women's Refuge:

01-2866163