

# CHRIST CHURCH, BRAY

Sunday 19th June 2022

## Holy Communion 2

	<i>BCP</i>	<i>Large Print</i>
<b>Opening Hymn: 606</b> <i>'As the deer pants for the water'</i>		
<b>Holy Communion</b>	<b>201</b>	<b>125</b>
<b>Collect</b> God, the strength of all those who put their trust in you: Mercifully accept our prayers and, because through the weakness of our mortal nature we can do no good thing without you, grant us the help of your grace, that in the keeping of your commandments we may please you, both in will and deed; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen		
<b>First Reading:</b> Galatians 3:23-29		
<b>Gospel Reading:</b> Luke 8:26-39		
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## Readings

### Galatians 3: 23-29

<sup>23</sup> Now before faith came, we were imprisoned and guarded under the law until faith would be revealed. <sup>24</sup>Therefore the law was our disciplinarian until Christ came, so that we might be justified by faith. <sup>25</sup>But now that faith has come, we are no longer subject to a disciplinarian, <sup>26</sup>for in Christ Jesus you are all children of God through faith. <sup>27</sup>As many of you as were baptized into Christ have clothed yourselves with Christ. <sup>28</sup>There is no longer Jew or Greek, there is no longer slave or free, there is no longer male and female; for all of you are one in Christ Jesus. <sup>29</sup>And if you belong to Christ, then you are Abraham's offspring, heirs according to the promise.

### Luke 8:26-39

<sup>26</sup> Then they arrived at the country of the Gerasenes, which is opposite Galilee. <sup>27</sup>As he stepped out on land, a man of the city who had demons met him. For a long time he had worn no clothes, and he did not live in a house but in the tombs. <sup>28</sup>When he saw Jesus, he fell down before him and shouted at the top of his voice, 'What have you to do with me, Jesus, Son of the Most High God? I beg you, do not torment me' — <sup>29</sup>for Jesus had commanded the unclean spirit to come out of the man. (For many times it had seized him; he was kept under guard and bound with chains and shackles, but he would break the bonds and be driven by the demon into the wilds.) <sup>30</sup>Jesus then asked him, 'What is your name?' He said, 'Legion'; for many demons had entered him. <sup>31</sup>They begged him not to order them to go back into the abyss.

<sup>32</sup> Now there on the hillside a large herd of swine was feeding; and the demons begged Jesus to let them enter these. So he gave them permission. <sup>33</sup>Then the demons came out of the man and entered the swine, and the herd rushed down the steep bank into the lake and was drowned.

<sup>34</sup> When the swineherds saw what had happened, they ran off and told it in the city and in the country. <sup>35</sup>Then people came out to see what had happened, and when they came to Jesus, they found the man from whom the demons had gone sitting at the feet of Jesus, clothed and in his right mind. And they were afraid. <sup>36</sup>Those who had seen it told them how the one who had been possessed by demons had been healed. <sup>37</sup>Then all the people of the surrounding country of the Gerasenes asked Jesus to leave them; for they were seized with great fear. So he got into the boat and returned. <sup>38</sup>The man from whom the demons had gone begged that he might be with him; but Jesus sent him away, saying, <sup>39</sup>'Return to your home, and declare how much God has done for you.' So he went away, proclaiming throughout the city how much Jesus had done for him.

## Thanks and Praise 83

Let us talents and tongues employ,  
reaching out with a shout of joy:  
bread is broken, the wine is poured,  
Christ is spoken and seen and heard.

*Jesus lives again; earth can breathe again.  
pass the Word around: loaves abound!*

Christ is able to make us one,  
at his table he set the tone,  
teaching people to live to bless,  
love in word and in deed express.

Jesus calls us in, sends us out  
bearing fruit in a world of doubt,  
gives us love to tell, bread to share:  
God (Immanuel) everywhere!

*Fred Kaan (1929-2009)*

**Next Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> June**

11am Morning Prayer

**Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> July**

11am Holy Communion

Services are in-Church and also available to view live stream or watch a recording later at [www.churchservices.tv/christchurchbray](http://www.churchservices.tv/christchurchbray) or via our website [www.christchurchbray.ie](http://www.christchurchbray.ie)

### **Announcements**

#### **Welcome to our confirmation candidates**

We welcome our recently confirmed young people who will receive Holy Communion for the first time this morning.

#### **Parish Fete and Raffle**

The Church will be open from 7pm – 9pm on Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> , Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> and Friday 24<sup>th</sup> June to accept items for the Fete. Please return raffle tickets to the Church Wardens or to the Parish Office as soon as possible. For any fete queries, please contact the Parish Office – ph. 286 2968

#### **Fete Donations for Bottle Stall and Plant Stall Requested**

We are appealing for donations for the bottle stall and the plant stall. Donations can be left to the parish office (**closed Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> June**) or to the church at the times specified above.

### **Contacts**

The Parish Office is closed Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> June, open Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday this week from 9am-1pm. Please contact Tracey in the first instance for routine matters - 01 286 2968 or email [christchurchbray@gmail.com](mailto:christchurchbray@gmail.com)

Baden is on indefinite sick leave. Please contact David Reynolds at 087 918 7792 in emergencies. David can liaise with Rev. John Marchant or neighbouring parishes as required.

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# GARDEN FETE

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SATURDAY 25TH JUNE 10.30-2.30

GRAND RAFFLE - LIVE MUSIC  
BBQ - TEA - COFFEE - CAKES  
FACE PAINTING - BOUNCY CASTLE

PLANTS, TOOL SHARPENING, GIFTS, CRAFTS, HANDBAGS, COSMETICS,  
JEWELLERY, BOOKS, TOYS & GAMES, FURNITURE  
FUN FOR ALL THE FAMILY

