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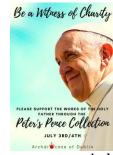
The Fifteenth Sunday in **Ordinary** 11th July 2021

World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly



Pope Francis has announced that July 25th will be the first World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly. We will begin the celebrations at 7pm on Friday 23rd and everyone is invited to get involved. Send us a drawing of your grandparent or elderly relative or neighbour and tell us why they are special to you. Or maybe you would like to compose a prayer? You could tell us what you like about being a grandparent! We will collect your tributes and prayers in a box at the back of the Church from this weekend. You can also email them to stfiniansparish@gmail.com or send them to our Facebook page (@RiverValleyParish). On 23rd at 7pm we will have prayers for the Elderly and a Holy Hour until 8pm. We will

share your tributes and prayers. Anybody, young or old, who would like to take part is invited to contact us. The service will be livestreamed on the webcam and on Facebook so you can invite your grandparents or grandchildren who might be far away to tune in. You can also drop into the Church anytime during 7-8pm with your Grandparents and light a candle.



Thank you to everyone in both churches for your kind donations to the annual Peter's Pence collection which took place last weekend. The Peter's Pence Collection provides Pope Francis with the funds he needs to carry out his charitable works around the world.



Adoration will take place every Friday 5pm to 6pm ALL WELCOME

TASK FORCE: BUILDING HOPE - PUBLIC CONSULTATION

Archbishop Farrell has set up a Task Force under the title of Building Hope. The Task Force aims to stimulate engagement with the whole diocesan family and shape an inclusive approach to a pastoral strategy appropriate to our times. It is intended to support parish communities to undertake a radical renewal, looking to the future with creativity, enabling the Archdiocese of Dublin to act now, so as to give effective witness and service in the vears ahead. You are invited to take part in this consultation. There is a video, a prayer and a form on the www.dublindiocese.ie website. Please watch the video from the Archbishop and join with your family to pray and to discuss the future of the Church together. It is hoped that vou might nominate one member of your family to return to the website and make a contribution by filling out the form. The consultation form will remain online until the 18th July 2021.

'Summer Dues'

Thank you to everyone for taking an envelope for Summer Dues to support the Common Fund .Your kindness and generosity from both churches is very much appreciated.



Monday 12th

Maura Donoghue (AN) Jack Lundy (RIP) Michael Malone (AN) Fr Tony Malone (AN) Tuesday 13th Joan Cleary (RD) Mass in thanksgiving to all who

supported Cyril & Margaret Greene on their bereavement of Oliver Green (RIP) & Eleanor Meally (RIP)

Wednesday 14th

Brian Pownall (RD) **Health Intention** John Kearney (RD)

Thursday 15th

Special Intention Friday 16th

Chris Higgins (RD)

Saturday 17th Vigil

5.30pm Frances Boshell (6th AN) Annie & Jack Barrett (AN)

Maureen Barrett (RIP)

6.30pm Patsy Kealy (AN) Vincent Blackwell (50th AN)

Sunday 18th

10am John Delaney (AN) Noeleen Mc Crohan (2nd AN)

11am Michael Scanlon (RD)

12midday Special Intention

