

FERRYBANK & SLIEVERUE PARISHES

3rd August 2025

Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C

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Mass Schedule

Daily Mass

Monday to Thursday 10am Mass from Ferrybank

Friday - 10.00am from Slieverue

Saturday Vigil 6pm Slieverue and 7pm Ferrybank

Sunday 9.30am Ferrybank 10.30am Slieverue 11.30am Ferrybank

Eucharistic Adoration Every Wednesday in the Blessed Sacrament

Chapel Ferrybank Church from 10.30am to 11.30am

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Every Tuesday in Slieverue Church from 7.30pm – 8.30pm

Every Wednesday in Slieverue Church from 2.30pm – 3.30pm

Every Friday in Slieverue Church from 10.30pm – 11.00am



We welcome all our visitors at this time and pray that you will have a restful and enjoyable visit among us.

The Pope's Intentions August 2025

For Mutual Coexistence

Let us pray that societies where coexistence seems more difficult might not succumb to the temptation of confrontation for ethnic, political, religious or ideological reasons.

Kilkenny Gospel Choir

A huge thank you to Fr. Willie Purcell and the Kilkenny Gospel Choir for singing at our 11.30am Mass in Ferrybank last Sunday. The choir sang beautifully and made the day extra special for all of us and we very much hope to have you all back again soon!

St. Mary's Cathedral Restoration Draw Results for July 2025

1st Prize €2,000	1373	Mary Phelan	Borris-in-Ossory
2nd Prize €1,000	1211	E&M Fitzpatrick	Borris-in-Ossory
3rd Prize €500	0072	Sr. Betty Cagney	St. Mary's
4th Prize €300	1302	Christopher Ellis	Borris-in-Ossory
5th Prize €300	0080	Cagney Sisters	St. Mary's
6th Prize €200	0644	J&A Shore	Muckalee
7th Prize €200	1313	Paddy Kehoe	Muckalee
8th Prize €100	0955	Liam Mahony	St. Mary's
9th Prize €100	0723	Matt O'Brien	Rosbercon
10th Prize €100	0608	E&K Keher	Inistioge

Congratulations to all! Thanks to all members in the draw for your support. Tickets are available in the Parish Office at a cost of €10 per month or €120 for the year. Please consider supporting our Diocesan Cathedral. *Be in to Win!*

A Special Prayer for ... anyone travelling this holiday season

Watch over us as we travel, Lord.

Build a hedge of protection around us and keep us safe.

Guard us against illness and mishaps.

Help us see and flee from any dangers we can avoid and stand boldly against any threats we can't. *Amen.*

The Pro Life Campaign Annual Church Gate Collection

The Pro Life Campaign will hold its annual church-gate collection next weekend 9th/10th August 2025. Your support would be greatly appreciated.



The Church of the Sacred Heart Ferrybank

The Church of the Assumption Slieverue



Use QR Code to go to our parish website, facebook page & newsletter online



**THEN HE SAID TO THEM,
"WATCH OUT! BE ON
YOUR GUARD AGAINST
ALL KINDS OF GREED;
LIFE DOES NOT CONSIST
IN AN ABUNDANCE OF
POSSESSIONS."**

Luke 12:15



Remembering all our loved ones who have died ...

Anniversary

Sat. 6.00pm Anna Nancy Rochford, Airmount Villas

Murt O'Donovan, Carriganurra

Sat. 7.00pm Sr. Nuala Mullins, RSHM (1st Anniv.)

Ann Quealy

Maurice Byrne

Sun. 10.30am Richard Walsh, Killaspy

Sun. 11.30am Paddy McDonald

Tues. 10.00am All on our Anniversary Lists

Norah Ryan

Mary O'Brien

Josie Flynn

James Hennessy

Bridget Hennessy

May they rest in peace ...

Sanctuary Lamp

The Sanctuary Lamp burns in our Church every hour of every day this week before the Blessed Sacrament in ...

**Ferrybank
Special Intention – S.W.**

**Slieverue
Special Intention – M.W.**



The Blessed Statue of the Sacred Heart - Diocese of Ossory

Monday, 4th - 16th August 2025 Moneenroe, Co. Kilkenny Church of the Sacred Heart, Moneenroe, Co. Kilkenny.

Saturday, 16th August 2025:

Bishop Niall will celebrate Mass at 6.00 p.m. in the Church of the Sacred Heart, Moneenroe, Clogh, Co. Kilkenny, after which the Statue will leave the Diocese of Ossory.

KNOCK NOVENA 2025 'Pilgrims OF Hope' National Novena to Our Lady of Knock 13-21 August 2025

Novena Ceremonies 3pm & 8pm in Knock Basilica

Workshops: 12.45pm daily in St. John's Welcome Centre.

Themed Guided Prayer: 11.15am & 5.15pm daily in Prayer Centre

Witness Walk: Thursday, 21st August at 6.45pm

Men's Jubilee Camino

Men's hike - Sat Sept 13th 20kms, on greenway, from Dominican abbey (ruin) in Carlingford to Newry (St Catherine's) via Newry Cathedral (Jubilee Indulgence). Mass, Adoration, Rosary, Confessions & Fraternity. Registration & details on www.dominicans.ie/events/. €70 (Lunch, dinner & bus), over 18's male event. Enquiries to op.evangelisation@gmail.com.

South East Regional Family Support Network Bereavement Group 2025

The bereavement support group provides a safe space for family members who have experienced the death of a loved one because of problem substance use or related issues. The group is facilitated by two trained psychotherapists and will include respite and other opportunities that may be relevant. This is a free service specific to the South East Family Support Network. Commencing on Tuesday, 26th August 2025 from 10:30am to 12:00pm, and will continue for 8 weeks at the Millenium Building, Church Road, Lisduggan, Waterford, X91 FN5V. For further information email: info@serfsn or phone Riona: 086-6045805 / Catherine: 083-016206

Hope - for our Pilgrim Journey

The Priory Institute two week on-line Summer School is reflective, informative and interactive and will run from 11 August. The course includes eight recorded presentations and two on-line zoom discussions and is very flexible as it is delivered entirely online. Find out more and register click [here prioryinstitute.com](http://here.prioryinstitute.com)

Youth 2000 Summer Festival

The Youth 2000 Summer Festival 2025 for 16 – 35 year olds will take place from 7th - 10th August at Dominican College, Newbridge, Co Kildare. Excellent workshops, time for prayer and to meet new people and experience the best of what it means to be young and Catholic today! Free buses from around the country. Donation only. Book now at: www.youth2000.ie

Ferrybank Ministers of the Eucharist 9th & 10th August 2025

Saturday 7.00pm	Mary White & Imelda Kennedy
Sunday 9.30am	Bride Doyle & Susan Freeman
Sunday 11.30am	Maria Ronan & Eileen Heffernan

Ferrybank Ministers of the Word 9th & 10th August 2025

Saturday 7.00pm	Yvette Purdue
Sunday 9.30am	Cléir Tierney
Sunday 11.30am	Arjun James

Slieverue Ministers of the Eucharist 9th & 10th August 2025

Saturday 6.00pm	Peter Dunne
Sunday 10.30am	Patricia Drennan & Mary Walsh

Slieverue Ministers of the Word 9th & 10th August 2025

Saturday 6.00pm	Jerry Forrest
Sunday 10.30am	Susan O'Neill

Church Collections

Ferrybank 26th & 27th July 2025

Envelopes	€ 730.00
Offertory	€ 646.00

Slieverue 26th & 27th July 2025

Envelopes	€ 235.00
Offertory	€ 468.75

Many thanks to all our parishioners in both Ferrybank & Slieverue parishes who contribute weekly, monthly & yearly and to those who donate online and by Standing Order.

Our Parish Safeguarding Representatives

Ferrybank - Jerry Hughes & Mary Griffin

Slieverue - Mary Kenny & Catherine Manning

If you, or anyone you know, has a Safeguarding concern please contact: Diocesan Director of Safeguarding and Designated Liaison Person, DLP, Ailish Higgins at 085 802 1633 or Email: @ossory.ie An Garda Síochána: 1800 555 222 (or your local Garda Station). TUSLA Waterford 051-301450 Wexford 053-9198201/TUSLA: Kilkenny 052 6177302

Counselling Services

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