

Ferrybank & Slieverue Parishes

Mass Schedule

Newsletter 30th May 2021

The Most Holy Trinity

Daily Mass

Monday to Thursday

10.00 am Mass from **Ferrybank**
& Friday - 10.00am from
Slieverue

Saturday Vigil

6pm **Slieverue** and 7pm

Ferrybank

(please note Saturday evening
change of time in **Ferrybank**)

Sunday

9.30am in **Ferrybank** 10.30am in
Slieverue 11.30am in **Ferrybank**

Eucharistic Adoration

every Friday in **Ferrybank** from
11.30am to 4pm

(except on the occasion of a funeral)

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

every Wednesday
in **Slieverue Church** from
2.30pm – 3.30pm

Remembering those who have died...

Recently Deceased

Mary Ryan, (née O'Neill),
Bishopsgrove/Poleberry

Jennifer Foley, Lisduggan

Kathleen Wall (née Murphy),
late of Henry St., Waterford and
Mooncoin Residential Care Centre

Moya Byron (née Carroll),
Portnahully, Carrigeen,
Mooncoin/Ferrybank/Glenville,
Cork

Anniversaries

James Doyle, New Houses,
Slieverue
(Slieverue – Sat. 6pm)

Jimmy Rochford, Airmount,
Slieverue
(Slieverue – Sat. 6pm)

James Hogan and Bridget Griffin
(Slieverue – Sun. 10.30am)

Catherine (Kitty) Mernagh
(1st Anniv.)
(Slieverue – Fri. 10am)

Nicky Walsh and deceased
members of the Walsh Family,
Davidstown, Slieverue

Joseph & Mary Peacock and their
son Joseph and Grandson Brian
(Ferrybank – Sat. 7pm)

Jossie Coady (née Roche)
(Ferrybank – Sun. 11.30am)

Martina Walsh
(Ferrybank – Sun. 11.30am)

May they rest in peace.



*Glóire don athair,
agus don Mhac, agus don Spiorad Naomh, mar a bhí ó thúis,
mar atá anois agus mar a bheas go brách, le saol na saol. Áiméan.*

**ALL MASSES AND SERVICES WILL CONTINUE TO BE
LIVE STREAMED ON OUR PARISH WEBCAMS AND
AVAILABLE ON PARISH RADIO**

Ferrybank 103.9 fm/Slieverue 106.8 fm

**Lets keep each other safe and abide by some simple measures
when coming to church...**

- If you are sick stay at home
- Wear a face mask, this applies whether you are vaccinated or not.
- Sanitise your hands on entering and leaving
- Follow the advice and directions of the ushers,
- When the church has reached capacity of 50 or pod capacity admission will not be possible.
- Directions for the reception of the Eucharist will be given during Mass
- The Eucharist can only be received in the hand
- Please leave the Church without gathering in small groups inside.

**Collection boxes will be available at the entrance of the Church*



**Rosary & Crowning of Our Lady
Monday 31st May 2021**

<https://www.mcmedia.tv/camera/st-pauls-s>

**Live Streamed from St. Paul's Church,
Lisduggan, Waterford at 7pm**

Trinity SUNDAY

Pope's Intentions - June 2021

Intention for evangelisation–
The beauty of Marriage

Let us pray for young people who are
preparing for marriage with the
support of a Christian community:
may they grow in love, with
generosity, faithfulness and patience.

Weekly Church Collections 15th & 16th May 2021

Ferrybank

Envelopes €705.50

Offertory €215.00

Trócaire Total to date €2,927.00

Slieverue

Envelopes €1,012.00

Offertory € 137.80

Diocesan Collections €60.00

Feast of the holy Trinity

This weekend we celebrate the feast of the holy Trinity or we could say God's feast day! It is a feast of thanksgiving to God for being our Creator, for being our Saviour as Jesus Christ, and for eternally being present to us through the Holy Spirit.

In the Holy Trinity we encounter the God who is all in all. Our God is not just a lone ranger. Our God is a divine family who creates, saves and loves the human family and who is immersed in the world.

God our Creator wants us to share in the work of creation and to look after creation too.

God's son our Saviour Jesus Christ wants everyone to be saved, wants everyone to know the Good News and know God's Love.

God the Holy Spirit gifts us with all we need to remain in loving communion with God and with one another. Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit as it was in the beginning is now and ever shall be world without end. Amen

Pathways to Ministry Course

Best of luck to all who have enrolled for our Pathways to Ministry Course. All who signed up should have received an email with login details from Fr Dermot and the Aspal team by now. Hope you enjoy the course! Nearly 30 people have registered from our pastoral area!

Novena to the Sacred Heart of Jesus

The church in Ferrybank is dedicated to the Sacred heart of Jesus so it is appropriate that we would pray the Sacred Heart Novena leading up to the feast of the Sacred Heart on June 11th. Our Novena prayers will be recited at all our Masses in Ferrybank and Slieverue beginning on Thursday next 3rd June.

June Collection - Thank You!

The June Collection for the support of the Priests of the Parish is being taken up next weekend. Sincere thanks to all for your continued generosity to our parishes in these difficult times. Many thanks to all who contribute weekly, monthly and annually, as well as those who pay by Standing Order and on our Website Donate Button.. Your support is very much appreciated.

Resuming Visitation of the sick and housebound

First Friday of June Friday next 4th June is the First Friday. With the return to public worship, it is now possible for Fr. Kieran to visit housebound parishioners with the sacraments. The following will apply until further notice in relation to visitation of the sick.

Those sick at home or who are no longer able to come to Mass.

Firstly ask the sick person if they would like to be visited by the priest and receive the Sacraments. **If they consent then contact the Parish Office to arrange a visit. Please give name and address of the person to be visited along with eircode.** After the first visit the person can be placed on the monthly visitation list if they so wish.

In the old days there was a tendency to call the priest at the last minute to anoint the person before death. This is no longer our understanding of the celebration of the Sacraments for the sick & dying. **When a person becomes ill, receives a serious diagnosis or because of frailty is no longer able to attend Mass that is the time to contact the priest so that they can be strengthened by the Sacraments and prayer of the Church community.** It should also be remembered that because of the many commitments of priests today there is no guarantee that they can be available at a minutes notice. The rule of thumb is - DO NOT LEAVE IT UNTIL THE LAST MINUTE.

Those in hospital

At the moment it is not possible to visit those in hospital. A chaplain is available at all times to administer the Sacraments. Nonetheless Fr Kieran would appreciate if you would tell him if your loved one is in hospital so that they can be added to our prayer list.

Those in nursing homes.

If you have a loved one in a nursing home who would like a pastoral visit please inform the parish office so that it can be arranged with the nursing home and family.

In all cases...

Please be aware that Fr Kieran can only visit the sick having received a request from the family himself or via the parish office & not on second hand information from others. This is in line with GDPR regulations now in force. More detailed information on Pastoral care of the Sick can be found in our leaflet on care of the sick available in our churches and on our website.

First Communion & Confirmation

Our Diocesan Apostolic Administrator Bishop Denis Nulty has asked that all celebrations of First Communion and Confirmation would not take place in May or June and that parishes do not set any dates until further clarity is offered.

Baptisms

Individual Baptisms can take place with a maximum of **five** people attending. Contact the Parish Office for details.

St. Mary's Cathedral Restoration Fund

The Diocesan Draw took place on Wednesday last, 26th May 2021. There were five draws held ie. Jan., Feb., Mar., April & May. Ferrybank had one winner of €100 in the March Draw and we are delighted to congratulate **Ms. Frances Dunne** on her win. All the results of each of the Draws are on display in the Ferrybank/Slieverue Parish Office. If you wish to be a member/subscriber in next month's fundraiser, you're most welcome to join at the Ferrybank/Slieverue Parish Office. The annual prize fund is €60,000 and the subscription is €120 per annum or €10 per month. We encourage your support for our Diocesan Cathedral and thank everyone who has given their support in the past.

Ferrybank G.A.A.

Clothing Collection: The clothing collection is continuing. If you have any of the following items, drop them down to the GAA grounds; Clothes, Paired Shoes, Belts. Please do NOT send down any DUVETS OR PILLOWS. Bags can be left at the entrance to the club's grounds on a weeknight, or between 10 am and 11 am on Saturday mornings.

Déise Draw

The 2021 Déise Draw will commence in July and will run until December, with six draws taking place. Each draw will cost €15, and once again, similar to last year, there will be twenty cash prizes up for grabs, with the top prize €10,000.

Again, we would appeal to everyone associated with the club to get involved and purchase a Déise Draw ticket for the year ahead, as 70% of the ticket sales are retained by the club, and this money goes towards the day-to-day running of the club.

Angela Burns Memorial

The 2021 Angela Burns Memorial will go virtual this year, and it will take place over the upcoming June Bank holiday weekend from Friday 4th to June 7th. With COVID-19 putting a spanner in the works, many similar events this year have gone virtual, so keeping this tradition tipping away, we are asking all people from inside and outside of the club to get involved and participate in a run, walk, jog, cycle of any route and distance of their choice.

This year, proceeds will go to the local **Ferrybank St. Vincent de Paul**, who have been badly hit for funds over the last 12 months and we are delighted to contribute to such a worthy cause. People can donate whatever they like, by either registering online at totaltiming.ie, where those who do register will be in with the chance to win some spot prizes, or, by dropping it into the Ferrybank/Slieverue Parish Office c/o Angela S.V.P.

Therefore, we are appealing to the Ferrybank diaspora around the country, and indeed worldwide, to take part by registering for the occasion, and send in their photos to ferrybankgaa@gmail.com. Also, people here taking part can send in their pictures as well over the dates in question. Keep an eye on www.facebook.com/AngelaBurnsMemorial10k for further information.

Ferrybank - Ministers of the Eucharist June 2021

Saturday Vigil Mass 7.00pm

Mary White & Angela O'Brien

Sunday 9.30am

Margaret O'Driscoll & Eileen Fitzpatrick

Sunday 11.30am

Maria Ronan & Br. Frank Brennan

Ministers of the Word

Sat. 5th & Sun. 6th June, 2021.

Saturday 7.00pm Yvette Purdue

Sunday 9.30am Robert Dunphy

Sunday 11.30am Una Hayden

Slieverue - Ministers of the Eucharist 5th & 6th June 2021

Sat. Vigil Mass 6.00pm Peter Dunne

Sun. 10.30am Liam O'Brien

New Rotas available for Collection in the Sacristy. Thank You.

Safeguarding Our Children

Ms. Kathleen Sherry has been appointed as the Diocesan Director of Safeguarding and becomes the Designated Liaison Person in relation to the safeguarding of children and vulnerable adults. She will also be Director of Safeguarding in the Diocese of Kildare and Leighlin
Tel. 085 8021633 or email safeguarding@ossory.ie
Our Parish Safeguarding Representatives are **Ferrybank** – Breda Freyne & Jerry Hughes /**Slieverue** - Mary Kenny.

Ferrybank Pastoral Council

Sr Patsy Butler, Jacinta Byrne,
Brid Fetton (Secretary),
Eileen Fitzpatrick, Jerry Hughes,
Mary Keane,
Paschal Kennedy, Br Joe Killoran,
Moirá Meaney,
Michael O'Brien (Chairperson),
Kieran O' Shea,
Eileen Slattery & Barbara Wells
Southern Deanery Representatives Eileen Slattery & Jacinta Byrne
Pastoral Area Representatives Michael O'Brien & Jacinta Byrne

Slieverue Pastoral Council

Pdraig Byrne, Maria Condon,
Keira Doyle,
Jerry Forrest, Síle Grant,
Breda Lynch (Chairperson),
Tom O' Dwyer, Kieran O'Shea,
Martin Quilty (Secretary),
Michael Shalloe,
Maria Tobin & Mary Walsh.
Southern Deanery Representatives
Keira Doyle & Jerry Forrest
Pastoral Area Representatives
Breda Lynch & Síle Grant

Very Rev. Kieran O'Shea P.P.
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Mon. -Fri. 10am to 1pm

Ms. Marie Cashin

Ms. Angela O'Brien