

Ferrybank & Slieverue Parishes

26th September 2021 Twenty Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time



Mark 9:38-43,45,47-48

Do not stop anyone from working a miracle in my name.

John said to Jesus, 'Master, we saw a man who is not one of us casting out devils in your name; and because he was not one of us we tried to stop him.' But Jesus said, 'You must not stop him: no one who works a miracle in my name is likely to speak evil of me. Anyone who is not against us is for us.'

'If anyone gives you a cup of water to drink just because you belong to Christ, then I tell you solemnly, he will most certainly not lose his reward.'

'But anyone who is an obstacle to bring down one of these little ones who have faith, would be better thrown into the sea with a great millstone round his neck. And if your hand should cause you to sin, cut it off; it is better for you to enter into life crippled, than to have two hands and go to hell, into the fire that cannot be put out. And if your foot should cause you to sin, cut it off; it is better for you to enter into life lame, than to have two feet and be thrown into hell. And if your eye should cause you to sin, tear it out; it is better for you to enter into the kingdom of God with one eye, than to have two eyes and be thrown into hell where their worm does not die nor their fire go out.'



Remembering those who have died

Recently Deceased

Stase -Ona-Igariene

Month's Mind

Catriona Parnell Moran, Ferrybank (7.00pm Sat.)

Anthony (Tony) Kelly, (Ferrybank – (Sunday 11.30)

Anniversaries

Bridget (Biddy) & Jimmy Grace, Glenmore/Slieverue and parents Nellie & Georgie Jones & Jimmy Barry (Slieverue – Sat. 6pm)

Tommy Phelan Curraghmore, (Slieverue Sat - 6pm)

Patrick Forristal, Kilmurry Slieverue. (Sunday -- 10.30)

Patrick (Paddy) O'Shea (1st A.), (Ferrybank – Sat. 7pm)

David Roche, (Ferrybank – Sat. 7pm)

Ella Kinsella (1st A.), (Ferrybank – Sun. 11.30am)

Jimmy Scanlon, (Ferrybank – Tues. 10am)

Nancy Cummins Waterford (50th) A. Slieverue (Fri. 10.0am)

Ann & Patrick Manning Rathpatrick

Ann Burns. Danny O'Neill, and Kathleen O' Neill

Michael l & Lena Connolly Milepost, and their sons

Michael & Richie.

Eileen Byrne (Birthday Remembrance)

Very Rev. Kieran O'Shea P.P.

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Ms. Marie Cashin/Ms. Anaela O'Brien

Mass Schedule

Daily Mass Monday to Thursday 10am Mass - Ferrybank

Friday - 10.00am - Slieverue

Saturday Vigil 6pm Slieverue & 7pm Ferrybank

Sunday

9.30am in Ferrybank

10.30am in Slieverue

11.30am in Ferrybank

Eucharistic Adoration - Ferrybank

New Time – Wednesday 6.30 pm – 7.30 pm

Eucharistic Adoration - Slieverue

Every Wednesday from 2.30pm – 3.30pm

Weekly Church Collections

Many thanks to all who contribute weekly, monthly & yearly and to those who donate online and by Standing Order. Your support is very much appreciated!

Slieverue - Ministers of the Eucharist

25th & 26th September 2021

Sat. Vigil Mass 6.00pm – Martin Quilty

Sun. 10.30am -Mary Walsh

Ferrybank - Ministers of the Eucharist October 2021

Saturday Vigil 7.00pm Eileen Long & Br. Joe Killoran

Sunday 9.30am Ann Gleeson & Bessie Doherty

Sunday 11.30am Claire Devine & Paul Lyons

Ferrybank -Ministers of the Word

2nd & 3rd October 2021.

Saturday 7.00pm Bríd Mallon

Sunday 9.30am Cléir Tierney

Sunday 11.30am Moira Meaney

Safeguarding Our Children

Our Parish Safeguarding Representatives are

Ferrybank - Breda Freyne & Jerry Hughes

Slieverue - Mary Kenny.

Ms. Kathleen Sherry is the **Diocesan Director of Safeguarding and Designated Liaison Person**. Telephone: 085 802 1633

Email: safeguarding@ossory.ie

Slieverue Pastoral Council

Padraig 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 Reps: Keira Doyle & Jerry Forrest

Pastoral Area Reps: Breda Lynch & Síle Grant

Ferrybank Pastoral Council

Sr Patsy Butler, Jacinta Byrne, Bríd Fetton (Secretary), Eileen Fitzpatrick, Jerry Hughes, Mary Keane, Paschal Kennedy, Br Joe Killoran, Moira Meaney, Michael O'Brien (Chairperson), Kieran O' Shea, Eileen Slattery & Barbara Wells,

Southern Deanery Reps: Eileen Slattery & Jacinta Byrne

Pastoral Area Reps: Michael O'Brien & Jacinta Byrne

Confirmation 2021

Confirmation will be celebrated on the following dates and at following times.

Ferrybank Parish

Former pupils of Our Lady of Good Counsel NS - Tuesday 12th October at 7 pm

Former Pupils of St Mary's Boys NS - Wednesday 13th October at 7 pm

Slieverue Parish

Former pupils of Our Lady of Lourdes NS - Thursday 14th October at 7 pm

Five tickets per family (including child) for both parishes.

Children are free to wear whatever they wish to Confirmation. There is no need for families to go to any expense for Confirmation.

Preparations for Confirmation

A ceremony of light for all Ferrybank candidates will be held on Wednesday 6th October at 7 pm

A ceremony of light for all Slieverue candidates will be held on Thursday 7th October at 7 pm

The child's sponsor (if possible) and one other adult only is to accompany each child to the ceremony of light.

Full information regarding the ceremony will be available & distribution of tickets will take place at the ceremony of light. Children to be confirmed will be required to present the following information at the ceremony of light - Confirmation Name and Sponsor's name. This information can be submitted to ferrybank@ossory.ie / slieverue@ossory.ie before the 6th 7th October if you wish.

Parish Centre Bookings

Bookings for our church halls - St Mary's Parish Centre, Slieverue and St Killian's Parish Centre, Ferrybank are now being taken for the coming year. The main hall and room one is available in Slieverue and only a small part of the main hall in Ferrybank remains available for booking from mid-October.

All users are required to complete the necessary documentation and provide evidence of insurance and safeguarding policies. Enquiries to the Parish Office.

Cemetery Masses

Ferrybank Parish Cemetery Mass will be held on Sunday 24th October at 2 pm. There will be no other Masses celebrated in the Parish on that day. Full details to follow.

Slieverue Parish Cemetery Mass will be held on Sunday 31st October at 2 pm. There will be no other Masses celebrated in the Parish on that day. Full details to follow.

Adoration in Ferrybank

Friday Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Ferrybank will be replaced by **Evening Prayer of the Church and Adoration every Wednesday evening beginning at 6.30 pm – 7.30 pm**

Mass Rock for Slieverue Cemetery

For some time, consideration has been given to the erection of an Altar for the annual cemetery Mass. It has been decided to place a Mass Rock in the Cemetery and the Rock has been sourced. Please God, we will have it installed before the cemetery Mass. However, there is one small problem! The Rock is very large and heavy and it is proving difficult to source a means of moving it from the site to the cemetery. If anyone might be familiar with the moving of heavy materials or know of anyone who might be in a position to assist with the moving operation Fr Kieran would be delighted to hear from you.

Pathways to Ministry Course participants - Meeting

A meeting for all who took part in the pathways to ministry course in Ferrybank and Slieverue earlier this year will be held on Tuesday 5th October at 7 pm in St Mary's Parish Centre, Slieverue.

Parish Finance Committees

Advance notice that a meeting of Ferrybank Parish Finance Committee will be held on Tuesday 26th October at 7 pm & Slieverue Finance Committee will meet on Wednesday 27th October at 7 pm.

All members will be notified in writing in the coming days.

Ferrybank GAA

Full notes and news can be found on <https://facebook.com/FerrybankGAA/>



INTERMEDIATE HURLING:

Our Intermediate hurlers qualified for the Eastern final of the Gerry Kennedy Crash Repairs sponsored competition last Sunday afternoon with a late, late performance over a spirited Erin's Own team at Walsh Park on a scoreline of 2-16 to 1-15. Trailing by three points with a minute of normal time remaining, a scoring burst of 1-04, saw the team back in our first Eastern final since 2016.

INTERMEDIATE CAMOGIE:

Our Intermediate Camogie team played their opening game in the Hooper Doolan sponsored Competition last Saturday evening when they made the trip to play Butlerstown. Despite a brave second-half effort, the girls fell short at the final whistle on a scoreline of 3-13 to 3-10. A crucial spell from the homeside just before half-time, which yielded 2-03, proved the difference in the end.

UNDER 7s:

Our U7 boys and girls made the trip to Gracedieu last Wednesday night to play in the De La Salle blitz, where over thirty players turned up, and produced some fine skills on the night, and competed very well.

DÉISE DRAW:

The third Déise Draw will take place this coming Wednesday night, and hopefully we will have a couple of winners on the night. Congratulations to Donal Howard who was the confined winner from the club draw.

CLOTHES 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.

COVID-19:

Just a quick reminder to all Parents/Guardians that if any of their children are notified by their school to isolate for up to 10 days due to Covid or being a close contact, to notify Ferrybank GAA club Covid Officer Tony Power 086-4169215. All calls will be treated with the strictest level of confidentiality.

Kilkenny County Council Mobile Library Service

The mobile library is returning following an absence of eighteen months. On Sept 16th, Oct 14th Nov 11th and Dec 9th it will visit Slieverue from 11.00-11.30, Glenmore NS from 11.50-12.30 and Shanbogh NS from 12.40-1.20.. Membership is free. Just bring ID.

Applications are welcome for vacancies on the Community Employment Scheme in Kilmacow

If you would like further information please contact the CE Office (087 286 4982) or Email: kilmacowcentre@live.com