

Ferrybank & Slieverue Parishes

31st October 2021 *Thirty First Sunday in Ordinary Time*

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

All our Masses and Services are live streamed on our Parish Webcams and are also available on our Parish Radio
Ferrybank 103.9fm
& Slieverue 106.8fm



Mass Readings

Deut 6:2-6 Ps 17:2-4,47,51, R/v. 2 Heb 7:23-28 Mk 12:28-34

Slieverue Parish Cemetery Mass - Sunday 31st October at 2 pm.



There will be no other Masses celebrated in the Parish today. It is on our to do list to repair and resurface the paths in Slieverue Cemetery as they are in need of a lot of serious work. That project will cost a substantial amount of money and so our cemetery Mass collection this year will go towards the cemetery paths project. Please be as generous as you can as we begin to plan for this undertaking as it is important that family members have safe and easy access to the graves of loved ones at funerals and while visiting their graves afterwards.

People who gather for the Cemetery Masses are asked to be respectful of social distancing at all times.

Remembering those who have died ...



Recently Deceased

John Dowling, Rosslare
and formerly of Ferrybank

Geraldine Murphy,
Wellington St., Waterford

Dermot O'Reilly,
Church Rd., Tramore

Essie (Margaret) Collins (née Ryan),
Rockenham

Month's Mind

John Power, Belmont Road
(Ferrybank – Sun. 11.3am)

Anniversaries

Mary, William & James Hartley, Kilmurphy
(Slieverue – Sat. 6pm)

Elzbieta Szemiako (1st Anniv.)
(Ferrybank Sun. 11.30am)

Alicia Stanczk
(Ferrybank – Sun. 11.30am)

William & Catherine Murphy, Davidstown
David O'Brien

Joe O'Connor

John & Bridie Ryan

Chrissie & Willie Murphy

May they rest in peace ...



Mass Schedule for Monday 1st November ALL SAINTS HOLY DAY

10.30am Slieverue/7.00pm Ferrybank

Parish Office will be closed this Monday the Solemnity of All Saints (Holy Day)



Mass Schedule for Tuesday 2nd November ALL SOULS

10.00am Ferrybank/7.00pm Slieverue

Praying for our dead during November

As the month of November approaches we are reminded once again of our loved ones who have died and we remember them in a special way and pray for them in all our Masses and Prayers during the month.

Beginning on All Souls Day Tuesday 2nd November a Novena of Masses will be offered for your deceased relatives and friends. Below you will find an outline of how you can have them remembered.

- Phone the Parish Office 051 830813 with your list of names
- Email your list of names to the Parish Office ferrybank@ossory.ie or slieverue@ossory.ie
- Write out your own list and when you are visiting the Church for private prayer place it in the special box located in Ferrybank or Slieverue Church and we will include them.

Special Mass of Remembrance for the Families who have lost a loved one this past year.

The annual Mass of Remembrance for those who have lost a loved one in the last year will be celebrated on Wednesday 24th November in Ferrybank at 7pm and on Friday 26th November in Slieverue at 7 pm. Invitations will be sent to all who have lost a loved one this past year but you must register with the Parish Office to attend.

Preparing for our Remembrance Masses

In the lead up to our Masses of Remembrance families of those who have died since last November and whose funerals have taken place in our Churches will be contacted and invited to submit a photograph of their deceased loved on so that they can be displayed in our special Remembrance space in each Church. If you are a parishioner of Ferrybank or Slieverue and wish to have a family member who died outside our parishes during the year remembered you are also welcome to submit their names and a photo to the Parish Office for inclusion in the Mass. A candle will be lit for each family bereaved during the year & can be collected after the Masses by contacting the Parish Office. It is also hoped to produce a Remembrance video in time for the Masses. For further information on any of these Remembrance events please contact the Parish Office.



Monthly (First Friday) Visitation of the Sick and Housebound

If you are sick and unable to come out to Mass or if you have a family member who would like to receive Holy Communion at home please contact the Parish Office & Fr Kieran will put them on the monthly visitation list. Please remember visitation can only take place following a request from the person themselves or a family member.

Altar Servers

We are inviting applications for the ministry of Altar server in our Parishes. Altar Servers will have received their First Communion and will need the consent of their parents. Safeguarding policies will be complied with at all times and a parent's group will need to be formed. Parents of existing Altar Servers and parents of children who may be interested in serving are asked to contact the parish office for an application /consent form.

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 are 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.

Weekly Church Collections

Slieverue 23rd & 24th October

Envelopes €220.00/Offertory €187.40/Missions €305.00/
Ossory Soc. Serv. €7.00/Retired Priests €15.00

Ferrybank 23rd & 24th October. 2021

Envelopes €646.50/Offertory €147.00/Mission Sunday €100.00
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 6th & 7th November 2021

Sat. Vigil Mass 6.00pm - Alice Irish
Sunday 10.30am - Declan Power

Ferrybank - Ministers of the Eucharist Nov. 2021

Saturday Vigil 7.00pm Maura Moore & Elaine Searson
Sunday 9.30am Bride Doyle & Susan Freeman
Sunday 11.30am Margaret Hughes & Br. Frank Brennan

Ferrybank -Ministers of the Word 6th & 7th November 2021.

Saturday 7.00pm Yvette Purdue
Sunday 9.30am Julie Kelly
Sunday 11.30am Bríd Fetton

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, Sile 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 & Sile 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

Don't Forget ...
The Clocks Go Back
This Weekend For Daylight
Saving Time!

Taizé Youth Programme 2022

A youth trip to Taizé in France organised by Ossory Youth will take place from Sunday, 26th June to Sunday, 3rd July 2022. A week in the Taizé Community is an opportunity for reflection and contemplation and a little step back from daily life. But bringing people together is also the essence of Taizé and it is a week of meeting young people from different countries and cultures where new friendships are made. Tens of thousands of young people from around the world, including 25 from Kilkenny, will made the trip to Taizé next year.

The programme, which runs from December 2021 to July 2022 is open to Transition year, 5th year and Leaving Cert students. Closing date is Friday, 19th November. For additional information, including cost and application forms, contact Patrick Bookle, Ossory Youth at 056 776 1200, 087 212 9006 or pbookle@ossoryyouth.com

Trocaire Collection

The Bishops of Ireland have asked for a special collection on 6th/7th November to support Trócaire's work to alleviate the humanitarian crisis in East Africa. Bishops expressed support for the people of East Africa, where up to 30 million people in Somalia, Ethiopia, Sudan, South Sudan, Kenya, Uganda and the Democratic Republic of the Congo are currently face life-threatening food shortages.

St. Mary's Cathedral Restoration Draw

The annual prize fund is €60,000 and the subscription is €120 per annum or €10 per month. Draw tickets are available at the Parish Office. Your support is very much appreciated. **Be in to win!**

AGM of Eigse Sliabh Rua

The AGM of Eigse Sliabh Rua will be held in the Rhu Glenn on Tuesday November 2nd at 7.30 pm. It would be great to have a few new members join us. All welcome.

Slieverue St Vincent de Paul Conference

The conference of St Vincent de Paul in Slieverue wishes to thank all those who gave donations during the last 18 months when we were unable to hold our collections. Your support is very much appreciated.

We will resume our monthly collections at the masses on the weekend of Saturday and Sunday Nov 6th and 7th.

Team Hope Christmas Shoebox Appeal 2021

This Campaign delivers gifts straight into the hands of children affected by poverty. This year we are asking everyone to get their Christmas shoeboxes into our designated drop off points (listed on our website at www.teamhope.ie) by the 8th of November. You can also help by volunteering at our check in centre or by donating items such as pens, pencils, paper, colouring books, sharpeners, erasers, copy books, tooth brushes, wrapped soap (not liquid), toothpaste, hairbrushes, face cloths, hats socks, gloves, underwear, scarves, flipflops, sunglasses, small cuddly toys, stickers, skipping ropes, yoyos, small musical instruments, toy cars, dolls and sweets (no chocolate). If you would like more information you can contact Ann (087) 6859951 or Rita (087) 9970655

St. Vincent de Paul - Ferrybank Conference

The Ferrybank Conference of the St. Vincent de Paul Society will resume their monthly collections at all Masses on the weekend of Saturday and Sunday 6th and 7th November next.

Many, many thanks to all who gave in donations during the last eighteen months when we were unable to hold our collections, your support has been very much appreciated!

Very Rev. Kieran O'Shea P.P. Tel. 051-830813

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Mon. -Fri. 10am to 1pm Ms. Marie Cashin/Ms. Angela O'Brien