

PALM SUNDAY
10TH APRIL 2022

FERRYBANK & SLIEVERUE PARISHES

MASS SCHEDULE

Daily Mass Monday to Thursday 10am Mass in *Ferrybank* Friday 10.00am in *Slieverue*

Saturday Vigil 6pm *Slieverue* & 7pm *Ferrybank*

Sunday 9.30am *Ferrybank* 10.30am *Slieverue* 11.30am *Ferrybank*

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament *Ferrybank* Wednesday morning in Blessed Sacrament Chapel *Ferrybank* Church 10.30 am - 12 noon

Eucharistic Adoration *Slieverue* Every Wednesday from 2.30pm – 3.30pm

Today's Readings

Is 50:4-7

Ps 21:8-9, 17-20, 23-24 R/ v 2

Phil 2:6-11

Lk 22:14-23:56

HOLY WEEK IN OUR PARISHES

Visitation of the Sick and Housebound

Visitation of the sick and housebound will take place during Holy Week.

If you are not already on the visitation list and would like Fr Kieran to call please contact the parish office.

Passion (Palm) Sunday - Branches will be blessed at all Masses

6 pm *Slieverue* Church / *Ferrybank* Church 7pm: Vigil Mass of Palm Sunday

9.30 am *Ferrybank* Church / 10.30 am *Slieverue* Church / 11.30 am *Ferrybank* Church:

Monday of Holy Week

10am *Ferrybank* Church : Mass

7.30 pm *Slieverue* Parish Centre: People of the Passion: Evening prayer of the Church & an opportunity to reflect on the people who were part of the drama of the Passion

Tuesday of Holy Week

10 am *Ferrybank* Church: Mass

7 pm *Ferrybank* Church: Evening Prayer of the Church- Sacrament of Reconciliation

Wednesday of Holy Week

10 am *Ferrybank* Church: Mass

7.30 pm St Mary's Cathedral, Kilkenny: Chrism Mass

Holy Thursday

10 am *Ferrybank* Church: Morning Prayer of the Church

5.30 pm *Ferrybank* Church: Celebration of the Lord's Supper

7.30 pm, *Slieverue* Church: Celebration of the Lord's Supper

Vigil of silent prayer until 10 pm in both churches concluding with night prayer of the Church

Good Friday

10 am *Slieverue* Church: Morning Prayer of the Church

12 noon *Slieverue*, 7 pm *Ferrybank*: Stations of the Cross (Outdoor)

3 pm *Ferrybank* Church, 7.30 pm *Slieverue* Church: Celebration of the Lord's Passion

Holy Saturday

Ferrybank Church 7 pm: Easter Vigil

Slieverue Church 8.30 pm: Easter Vigil

(Please bring your own bottle of water to be blessed)

Easter Sunday

9.30 am *Ferrybank* Church, 10.30 am *Slieverue* Church, 11.30 am *Ferrybank* Church: Mass of the Resurrection

Remembering those who died ...



Recently Deceased

Joe Lynch,

'Quarrymount', *Slieverue*/
Lisdowney, Co. Kilkenny

John Flynn,

Wexford Town/*Ferrybank*

Joseph (Joe) Wall,

Hillview, *Waterford* City

Month's Mind

Seamus Mallon

(*Ferrybank* – Sat. 7pm)

Mary Connolly

(*Ferrybank* – Sun. 11.30am)

Bernie Dunphy

(*Ferrybank* – Sun. 11.30am)

Anniversaries

Alan Lyons

(*Slieverue* – Sat. 6pm)

Michael & Ellen Doyle

(*Ferrybank* – Sat. 7pm)

Jim O'Shea &

George & Maisie Troy

(*Ferrybank* – Sat. 7pm)

Rosemary Norris (1st Anniv.)

(*Ferrybank* – Sun. 9.30am)

John Roche, *Kilmurry*

(*Slieverue* – Sun. 10.30am)

John Cummins (1st Anniv.)

(*Ferrybank* – Sun. 11.30am)

Tom Power and his parents

Martin & Mary Power

(*Ferrybank* – Sun. 11.30am)

Vincent Ryan

Gerard Ryan

Jane Larkin

James McGavock

May they rest in peace

Recently Baptised

We welcome into the Christian Community ... Rhea Roche, Darragh O'Brien & Lorcan Freyne who were baptised recently in the Church of the Assumption, *Slieverue* and we also welcomed ... *Amaya Akanni*, *Grayson Geary*, *Callum Jordan*, *Callie Ellis* & *Diana Das* who were baptised recently in the Church of the Sacred Heart, *Ferrybank*.





JOHN 18:1-19, 42

'I have told you that I am he. If I am the one you are looking for, let these others go.'

When we read the Passion story we see clearly who Jesus is and what his mission is. Encountering the suffering and crucified Jesus we are faced with making a decision. If he is the one in whom we see the face of God, if he is the one we are really seeking as the answer to our questions then there are things we must let go of in our lives so we can embrace the one who truly makes us free.

REFLECT

Where do I look for peace, for joy for hope? Where do I look for Jesus? where do I find him? During this Holy Week are there things in my life I need to let go of so I can truly find Jesus and recognise God at work in him ?

PRAY

Lord, may times you have told me who you are and yet I seek truth and happiness in all the wrong places. Help me to let go of everything that keeps me from you and from love of my sisters and brothers. May I always seek you in prayer, in reflection on your Word, in the Eucharist and your gentle presence in the events fo my life.

ACT

Each day of Holy Week look for signs of Jesus presence in your own life, in our broken world and in creation. Find an opportunity to let go of something in your life that changes your relationship with another person and brings them joy.

SLIEVERUE PASTORAL COUNCIL REPORT

The effects of the Covid pandemic on peoples lives in our community was discussed and it is hoped to find an appropriate way to remember, encourage healing, and give thanks for all who reached out.

A schedule of celebrations for Holy Week was presented and the current synodal process ongoing in the diocese and church worldwide was discussed. Gratitude was expressed to all who supported the recent cake sale for Ukraine which to date has raised €3707. It was great to see the community response and it was felt that the funds raised should go the most direct route possible. Given the changing nature of the Church and our baptismal calling the involvement of people in leading prayer through various ministries will be further explored. During the upcoming Easter season opportunities will be provided for prayer & growing in faith as we journey towards Pentecost. The Pastoral Council agreed to fix Friday 17th June as the date for the Cemetery Mass 2022.

SLIEVERUE PARISH CEMETERY MASS

This years Cemetery Mass will be held on **Friday 17th June at 7.30 pm**

PRAYER SERVICE FOR PEACE IN UKRAINE

A prayer service for peace in Ukraine and all war-torn areas in the world will take place this Sunday 10th of April at 3pm in St. James's Church, Glenmore. Tea and light refreshments will be served afterwards in the Community Centre. Everyone is welcome to attend this special event.

ANAM CARA WATERFORD

Anam Cara Waterford is hosting a monthly Parent Evening for bereaved parents on Tuesday 12th April at 7:15pm in the Woodlands Hotel, Waterford. This event is free and open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age your child died, the circumstances of their death, or whether their death was recent or not. Please contact us on info@anamcara.ie or 085 2888 888 for any queries.

CHURCH COLLECTIONS

2ND & 3RD APRIL 2022

SLIEVERUE

Envelopes €399.50/Offertory €255.60/Lenten Alms €62/Emigrants €20/Lourdes €10/Holy Places €30/Children Sp. Nds. €40/Ukraine €30

FERRYBANK

Envelopes €600.26/Offertory €456.42/Ukraine Collection €2,318.32
Many thanks to all who contributed to the Ukraine National Collection and thanks as always to all who contribute weekly, monthly & yearly and to those who donate online and by Standing Order. Your support is very much appreciated!

EASTER OFFERING

The Easter offering collection for the support of the Priests of the parish will be taken up next Sunday. Thank you.

SLIEVERUE MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST EASTER

Holy Thursday 7.30pm – Martin Quilty
Good Friday – 7.30pm Mary Walsh
Easter Vigil 8.30pm – Martin Quilty
Easter Sunday 10.30am – Jim Doyle

FERRYBANK MINISTERS OF THE WORD

Sunday 9.30am 17th April – Catherine Howard
Sunday 11.30am 17th April – Moira Meaney

FERRYBANK MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST APRIL 2022

Saturday Vigil 7.00pm Eileen Long & Br. Joe Killoran
Sunday 9.30am Bessie Doherty & Ann Gleeson
Sunday 11.30am Claire Devine & Paul Lyons

FERRYBANK PARISH CEMETERY MASS

This years Cemetery Mass will be held on **Friday 24th June at 7.30 pm**



SAFEGUARDING OUR CHILDREN

If you have a Safeguarding concern contact Ms.Kathleen Sherry, Diocesan Director of Safeguarding and Designated Liaison Person. Telephone: 085 802 1633 or Email: safeguarding@ossory.ie

OUR PARISH SAFEGUARDING REPRESENTATIVES ARE :-

Ferrybank - Breda Freyne, Jerry Hughes & Mary Griffin
Slieverue - Mary Kenny

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, Br Joe Killoran, Moira Meaney, Kieran O' Shea, Eileen Slattery & Barbara Wells
Southern Deanery Reps: Eileen Slattery & Jacinta Byrne
Pastoral Area Rep: Jacinta Byrne

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