

Ferrybank & Slieverue Parishes

Newsletter 17th July 2022 Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



Remembering those who have died ...

Recently Deceased

Bobby Aylward, Knockmoylan, Mullinavat, Kilkenny/Ballyhale, Kilkenny

Month's Mind

Sat. 7pm Michael Bolger

Anniversaries

Sat. 6.00pm Dick Vereker and deceased members of the Vereker Family, Tinvacoose

Patrick & Nancy Cassin

Sat. 7.00pm Donal Fleming

Micheál & Siobhán O'Gráda

Sun. 10.30am Mary Finn

Tony Whelan, Ballinlaw

Sun. 11.30am Pat Fetton

Eileen O'Toole

Tommy Kirby

Mon. 10am Lucas Dauksas

Tues. 10am Seán Power

Thurs. 10am Margaret & Jim Robinson and deceased members of the Robinson Family

Tom Lane and deceased members of the Lane Family

Catherine Doyle, Belmont Road

Charlie O'Brien

May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

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 in *Ferrybank*

10.30am in *Slieverue*

11.30am in *Ferrybank*

Eucharistic Adoration

Every Wednesday morning in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel *Ferrybank* Church from 10.30am to 12 noon

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

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

Newly Baptised ...



We welcome into the Christian Community ... *Nikola Sanocja, Arthur Rockett, Cillian Walsh & Harvey Corcoran* who were baptised recently in The Church of the Assumption, Slieverue

Glenmore Annual Cemetery Mass

The Glenmore Annual Cemetery Mass will take place on Friday 29th July at 7.30pm.

Free, Gratis, For Nothing....

Here are eight gifts that do not cost a cent..

The Gift of Listening...but you must really listen. No interrupting , no day-dreaming, no planning your response—just listening

The Gift of Affection...Be generous with appropriate hugs, kisses, pats-on-the-back and handholds. Let these small actions demonstrate the love you have for family and friends.

The Gift of Laughter...Clip cartoons. Share articles, funny stories and incidents. Your gift will say, "I love to laugh with you."

The Gift of a written Note...A brief, handwritten note may be remembered for a lifetime, and may even change a life.

The Gift of a Compliment...A simple and sincere, "You look great in red!," "You did a super job!" or "That was a wonderful meal!," can make someone's day.

The Gift of a Favour...Every day go out of your way to do something kind.

The Gift of Solitude...There are times when we want nothing better than to be left alone. Be sensitive to those times and give the gift of solitude to others.

And finally...

The Gift of a Cheerful Disposition

The easiest way to feel good is to extend a kind word to someone, really it's not that hard to say, "Hello," or "Thank you.",

Season of Creation September 1- October 4.

Care of the earth and care of the poor are central to our faith and this is an invaluable opportunity to highlight this in our parishes. Resources will be available on <https://seasonofcreation.org/> *Listen to the Voice of Creation* is this year's theme. The burning bush is the symbol for 2022. Today, the prevalence of unnatural fires are a sign of the devastating effects that climate change has on the most vulnerable of our planet. Creation cries out as forests crackle, animals flee, and people are forced to migrate due to the fires of injustice.

Slieverue - Ministers of the Eucharist

23rd & 24th July

Sat. 6.00pm Martin Quilty
Sun. 10.30am Jim Doyle

Slieverue Ministers of the Word

Sat. 6.00pm Catriona Forristal
Sun. 10.30am Jim O'Dwyer

Ferrybank - Ministers of the Eucharist July 2022

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

Ferrybank - Ministers of the Word

Sat. 23rd & 24th July

Saturday 7.00pm Bríd Mallon
Sunday 9.30am Catherine Howard
Sunday 11.30am Bríd Fetton

Church Collections

Slieverue

9th & 10th July 2022

Envelopes €305.00/Offertory €392.00/Pope €700

Ferrybank

9th & 10th July 2022

Envelopes €857.20/Offertory €495.00

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!

Ferrybank Pastoral Council

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

Safeguarding Our Children

Our Parish Safeguarding Representatives are

Ferrybank - Breda Freyne, Jerry Hughes & Mary Griffin

Slieverue - Mary Kenny.

If you have a child safeguarding concern or wish to raise a matter from the past you may contact: **-Diocesan Director of Safeguarding and**

Designated Liaison Person

Ms. Kathleen Sherry, Tel. 085 802 1633 or

Email: safeguarding@ossory.ie

Reek Sunday 2022

The annual Reek Sunday pilgrimage takes place on Sunday July 31st at Croagh Patrick. Confessions on the summit 7:30am - 2:00pm. Mass hourly from 8:00am - 2:00pm

St. Mary's Cathedral Restoration Fund Draw



Tickets are available from the Parish Office and we encourage your support for our Diocesan Cathedral. The annual prize fund is €60,000 and the subscription is €120 per annum or €10 per month. *Be in to win!*

National Grandparents' Pilgrimage to Knock

Celebration of the World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly takes place at Knock Shrine on Sunday 24th July with Mass at 3pm followed by the Rosary. Anointing of the sick takes place at 2.30pm. Inviting all children to send a prayer and a hug to their Grandparents. Those unable to join us in person can take part online at www.knockshrine.ie/watch
'Grandparents this is your - day all are welcome'

The HUB at Knock Shrine

Parents – Need some time for yourselves?

Welcome to the HUB at Knock Shrine, open through July and August, the HUB offers a range of fun activities for children and young people visiting Knock Shrine. From the ARK Kid's Club for children aged 5 years and over to our drop-in centre with arts and crafts, prayer, music and much more. Don't miss our Family Day on 21st August, a day for families and children with a range of fun activities, all in the beautiful grounds of Knock Shrine. Learn more about summer fun at the HUB at www.knockshrine.ie or telephone us on 094 93 75321.

Kilkenny Bereavement Support

This is a voluntary organisation offering a free listening service to the bereaved since 1989. Our work has greatly increased since the lifting of Covid restrictions with the result that we now need to train a new group of volunteers. A training skills programme will be offered in September/October. For an application form please telephone 056 775 6538 or visit our website at www.kilkennybereavementsupport.com

Are you Living in Ireland Undocumented?

Do you know someone who may be an undocumented migrant? Undocumented people can apply for a legal status now. Applications for the new government undocumented scheme are open until 31st July. Don't miss this life changing opportunity. To check your eligibility and get support to apply for legal status visit the Migrants' Rights Centre Ireland website www.mrci.ie or email info@mrci.ie or contact 083 075 5387.

Summer Festival

Join over 1000 young people between 16 and 35 this August at the Youth 2000 Summer Festival. The festival takes place in Clongowes Wood College, Clane, Co Kildare from Thursday 11th August to Sunday 14th August 2022. For more information and to book your place go to www.youth2000.ie

Radio Maria Ireland

Radio Maria Ireland is an Irish run Catholic talk-radio station. Prayer, catechesis, uplifting music, talks, interviews and testimonies - all commercial free. Listen via free app "Radio Maria Ireland", streaming on www.radiomaria.ie or via phone – get live radio feed by calling 01 437 3277 (no extra charges). Please join our growing family!

Deise Draw

The July Draw took place last Wednesday and lady luck was with the local club, with three winners on the night. Robbie Carew of the Fairways won €2,000 and Jim Flynn, Kilmurry Lane scooped €500. The Roche/O'Meara children were lucky recipients of €100. The Next Draw is Wednesday August 10th.

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