

Ferrybank & Slieverue Parishes

2nd July 2023

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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



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Mon. -Fri. 10am to 1pm

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Remembering our loved ones who have died ...

Recently Deceased

Margaret (Rita) Lavin (née Fleming),
Ballytruckle/Butlerstown/Slieverue/Athy

Marianne Fitzpatrick (née O'Donohoe),
late of Noremount, Kilkenny and formerly of Rockenham,
Ferrybank

Anniversaries

Sat. 6.00pm Kathleen Roche, (1st Anniv.)
Drumdowney, Slieverue/Southport, England

Lorraine Fitzpatrick, Kilmurry Lane

Mary Larkin, Ballinlaw

Sat. 7.00pm Margaret (Peggy) Wall

Anna Gale and her parents
William & Mary Harrington

Sun. 9.30am Alice Frances O'Keeffe

Sun. 11.30am Ellen Sheila Dunphy (1st Anniv.)

Elizabeth Butler (née Sheehan)
(Birthday Remembrance)

Mon. 10.00am Bart O'Mahony

Fri. 10.00am Deceased members of the
Lynch & Wall Families

Marie O'Donovan, Curraghmore

May they rest in peace ...

Sanctuary Lamp

The Sanctuary Lamp burns in our Church every hour of every day this week before the Blessed Sacrament in ...

Ferrybank

Private Intention – M.F.

Slieverue

Special Intention – Birthday Remembrance



Cemetery Masses 2023

Thank you to all who prepared for and took part in our Cemetery Mass in Ferrybank on Friday evening last and thanks once again to all who helped out in any way with the Rathpatrick & Slieverue Masses.

Pilgrimage to Knock

Unfortunately our Pilgrimage to Knock has been cancelled due to a shortage in numbers. Apologies to those who had signed up to go and are disappointed.

The Priory Institute "The one who saw it has borne witness"

The Priory Institute two week online Summer School: on the Gospel of John will run from 14th-28th August. The course includes eight recorded presentations and two on-line zoom discussions and is very flexible as it is delivered entirely online. Find out more and register go to prioryinstitute.com

Monthly Mass for those on our anniversary lists

Every week parishioners send in the names of loved ones just to be included in our anniversary lists & to be prayed for without booking a particular mass for them. Occasionally people include an offering for a Mass to be offered at some stage. A monthly mass will be offered for all on our Anniversary list.

St Mary's Cathedral Bookshop

St Mary's Cathedral Bookshop, situated in the grounds of the cathedral in Kilkenny, is open Monday to Friday 9.30am to 5.00pm. Offering a selection of Religious Gifts, Prayer Books, Rosaries, Crosses, Holy Water Fonts and other popular goods. Please support.

Pope's Intention for July 2023

For a Eucharistic life

We pray that Catholics may place the celebration of the Eucharist at the heart of their lives, transforming human relationships in a very deep way and opening to the encounter with God and all their brothers and sisters.

Ossory Adult Faith Development Holy Land Pilgrimage 2024

Ossory AFD Holy Land Pilgrimage - 19th to 26th February 2023. Led by Fr Dermot Ryan and Fr Kieran O'Shea. Cost - €1,615p.p. sharing. Return flights from Dublin via London with BA - 23kg check-in luggage - In-flight catering - Three nights in Bethlehem - Three nights in Nazareth - Buffet breakfast and dinner daily - Extra breakfast included on day of arrival - all coaching and tours - Full religious programme organized. For Booking contact Kieran and Laura Troy, Newtown, Rahan, Tullamore, Co. Offaly on 057 935 5050 or info@myriam.ie. Fill out your booking form and return with a deposit of €300pp. Please note: this itinerary is not suitable for anyone with mobility issues.

Use QR Code to go to our parish website, facebook page & newsletter online



St. Mary's Cathedral Restoration Draw Results for June 2023

The June draw took place in Slieverue Parish Centre on Wednesday night last June 28th. Thanks to the parish of Slieverue for hosting this draw and mile bufochais to all who have supported this important source of income for the work in our Cathedral.

The June Results were as follows:-

1st Prize €2,000	1009 L&M Byrne	Tullaroan
2nd Prize €1,000	0098 Tom Morkan	St. Canice's
3rd Prize €500	1339 J&M Power	Callan
4th Prize €300	1442 St. Mary's Goodwill Club	St. Mary's
5th Prize €300	0346 Donnie O'Neill	Castlecomer
6th Prize €200	1477 Jimmy Hayden	Lisdowney
7th Prize €200	1091 Declan Meighan	St. Mary's
8th Prize €100	0986 David Molloy	Tullaherin
9 th Prize €100	1504 S&M Mansfield	Clogh
10th Prize €100	1516 Teresa Maher	Durrow

Congratulations to all!

Tickets are available from the 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 St. Mary's Cathedral Restoration. **Be in to win!**

Church Collections 24th & 25th June 2023

Slieverue

Envelopes €222/Offertory €422.60/Cemetery Mass €2,297.45/
Pope €15

Ferrybank

24th & 25th June Envelopes € 611.00/Offertory €623.50

17th & 18th June Envelopes € 642.00/Offertory €630.00

10th & 11th June Envelopes €1,060.50/Offertory €580.00

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 8th & 9th July 2023

Sat. 6.00pm Kiera Doyle

Sun. 10.30am Deirdre Roche/Adam Roche

Slieverue - Ministers of the Word 8th & 9th July 2023

Sat. 6.00pm Michael Shalloe

Sun. 10.30am Breda Lynch

Ferrybank - Ministers of the Eucharist July 2023

Saturday 7.00pm Eileen Long & Br. Joe Killoran

Sunday 9.30am Bessie Doherty & Ann Gleeson

Sunday 11.30am Maria Ronan & Elizabeth O'Mahony

Ferrybank - Ministers of the Word 8th & 9th July 2023

Saturday 7.00pm Sr. Patsy Butler

Sunday 9.30am Catherine Howard

Sunday 11.30am Una Hayden

Our Parish Safeguarding Representatives

Ferrybank - Jerry Hughes & Mary Griffin

Slieverue - Mary Kenny & Catherine Manning

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

Gluten Free Hosts



Ferrybank & Slieverue Parishioners are reminded that a gluten free host is available from the priest at communion time.

If you are gluten intolerant please indicate that you wish to receive this host when you come forward for communion.

Visitation of the Sick and Housebound

If you wish to be visited by the Priest or have a loved one who would like a visit on a monthly basis please contact Fr Kieran directly (kieranoshea@ossory.ie) or through the Parish Office. As it is a private family matter a request for visitation must come directly from the sick person or a family member. Information provided by third parties about parishioners who are sick or housebound cannot be processed.

ACCORD

If you have a positive attitude towards marriage in the Catholic Church. If you have the enthusiasm to be part of the ACCORD team in supporting couples who are preparing for the sacrament of Marriage. JOIN ACCORD and train as a Marriage Preparation Programme Facilitator. Please contact Aisling on 01 5053112 or email: marriagepreparation@accord.ie

South Kilkenny Historical Society

Members of the society will join locals and others, on July 9th, for the annual climb of Tory Hill on Fraochan Sunday. This ancient tradition pre-dates Christianity and is associated with the ancient festival of Lughanasa. Michael Fortune of Folklore.ie will give a talk, on the summit of the hill, on the traditions associated with Fraochan Sunday at 2pm. Climbing/walking to the summit takes, on average, one hour. The society would like to thank Kilkenny County Council for financial assistance received for this event, under the Community Events Grants Scheme 2023.

All-Ireland Pollinator Plan

Local communities can lead the way in creating an Ireland where pollinators can thrive. Our bees and other pollinating insects are in trouble. The good news is that you can help by making your garden pollinator friendly. Every garden, no matter its size, can be a haven for hungry pollinators. Download the set of pollinator friendly garden guidelines www.pollinators.ie

Diocese of Ossory Prayer for Vocations

Lord Jesus we believe that you continue to scatter the seeds of vocation in the hearts of young people today.

Help us to nourish those seeds with encouragement and support so that they will take root, grow, & bear fruit.

Give to all who are called the courage they need to take a first step on a journey of discovery which will lead them to that place where they will encounter you Lord & discern the road you invite them to follow.

Lord fill young hearts with a spirit of loving service care and respect for themselves and others.

Provide your Church in Ossory with humble shepherds who will work with their Sisters & Brothers in a spirit of co-responsibility for your Church.

Pastoral Area Pilgrimage to Medjugorje for the four parishes of Ferrybank, Slieverue, Glenmore & Rosbercon

Oct. 18th - 25th €775 pps.

Bookings are now being taken. €100 deposit secures place.

To book contact Tom 087- 270 1311 or Sile 086-859 0394



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