

# FERRYBANK & SLIEVERUE PARISHES



## 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

### Pope's Intention for August 2023

#### For World Youth Day

We pray the World Youth Day in Lisbon will help young people to live and witness the Gospel in their own lives.

### Welcoming Fr. Roderick Whearty

We look forward to welcoming Fr. Roderick Whearty as our new Parish Priest to Ferrybank and Slieverue Parishes. We thank him for coming to minister to our communities and we hope he will be very happy here.

### Thank You and Farewell to Fr. Kieran

As we say our farewells to Fr. Kieran O'Shea we thank him for his dedicated service as Parish Priest over the last near on 5 years. We thank him for all he has done. We wish him every happiness and joy in his new appointment as Team Leader in St. Patrick's parish, Kilkenny.



Society of St. Vincent de Paul

### St Vincent de Paul

Our monthly collection will take place on Saturday & Sunday next 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> August. As always your support is much appreciated!

### Youth 2000 Summer Festival

**YOUTH 2000** Join 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 10th August to Sunday 13th August 2023.

The festival includes inspiring talks, music, prayer, concert, workshops, dramas, share groups, reconciliation and healing service and Mass. Donation only and we have buses going from all over Ireland. For more information and to book your place go to [www.youth2000.ie](http://www.youth2000.ie)

### St. Mary's Cathedral Restoration Draw Results for July 2023

1st Prize €2,000	0132 Fr. Noel Maher	Aghaboe
2nd Prize €1,000	1082 Paddy Delaney	Borris-in-Ossory
3rd Prize €500	0834 Anne O'Sullivan	Rosbercon
4th Prize €300	0773 Margaret Murphy	Muckalee
5th Prize €300	1161 Ann Cullen	St. Mary's
6th Prize €200	1454 Eugene Dillon	Castlecomer
7th Prize €200	1196 Barbara Piert	St. Mary's
8th Prize €100	0238 Gabrielle Treacy	Ballyhale
9th Prize €100	0666 Neil Lyng	Inistioge
10th Prize €100	0073 Philip O'Halloran	St. Canice's

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!

### Reek Sunday

This Sunday is known as Reek Sunday when the traditional pilgrimage takes place on Croagh Patrick. Mass will be celebrated hourly on the summit from 7am to 2pm with the opportunity of individual confession.

**Very Rev. Roderick Whearty P.P.**

**Website** [www.ferrybankslieverueparishes.ie](http://www.ferrybankslieverueparishes.ie)  
[www.ossory.ie](http://www.ossory.ie)

**Ferrybank/Slieverue Parish Office**

**Tel. 051-830813**

**Mon. -Fri. 10am to 1pm**

**Ms. Marie Cashin/Ms. Angela O'Brien**

**email** [Slieverue@ossory.ie](mailto:Slieverue@ossory.ie)/[ferrybank@ossory.ie](mailto:ferrybank@ossory.ie)



## Remembering our loved ones who have died ...

### Month's Mind

Sun. 10.30am Josie Power, Belmont Road

### Anniversaries

Sat. 6.00pm Murt O'Donovan, Carriganurra, Slieverue (1<sup>st</sup> Anniv.)

Liam Ryan

Sun. 11.30am Leo & Elsie Hughes

Paddy McDonald

Tues. 10.00am Monthly Mass for all on our Anniversary Lists.

Wed. 10.00am Elizabeth Butler (née Sheehan)

Norah Ryan

Michael McDonagh

Anne Daly

Charlie O'Brien

Tommy & Jack McGuire, Ballinlaw

John Martin, Co. Kildare

**Those we love don't go away,  
they walk beside us every day.  
Unseen, unheard, but always near!  
Still loved, still missed and very dear.  
May they rest in peace!**

### 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 and 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 on the first Tuesday of every month.

### St. Mary's Cathedral Restoration Draw

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### All-Ireland Pollinator Plan:

Avoid using insecticides, fungicides and herbicides These potent chemical cocktails are designed to kill various organisms Insecticides have been found to kill, harm, and disorientate pollinators. Herbicides kill the 'weeds' that provide them with important food. [www.pollinators.ie/top-ten-ways-to-help-pollinators/](http://www.pollinators.ie/top-ten-ways-to-help-pollinators/)

### Church Collections 22<sup>nd</sup> & 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2023

#### Slieverue

Envelopes €172/Offertory €509.40/Pope €20

#### Ferrybank

Envelopes €871.50/Offertory €713

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 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> August 2023

Sat. 6.00pm Peter Dunne

Sun. 10.30am Maria Condon & Harry Condon

### Slieverue - Ministers of the Word 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> August 2023

Sat. 6.00pm Johnny Quilty

Sun. 10.30am Kay Howard

### Ferrybank - Ministers of the Eucharist August 2023

Saturday 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 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> August 2023

Saturday 7.00pm Bríd Mallon

Sunday 9.30am Robert Dunphy

Sunday 11.30am Bríd Fetton

### 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](mailto:safeguarding@ossory.ie)

### 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 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.

### Counselling Services

#### Towards Healing

#### Confidential Helpline

1800 313 316

[www.towardshealing.ie](http://www.towardshealing.ie)

Towards Peace Spiritual Support Service 01 505 3028

[www.towardspeace.ie](http://www.towardspeace.ie)

### 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 14<sup>th</sup>-28<sup>th</sup> 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](http://prioryinstitute.com)

### Ossory AFD Holy Land Pilgrimage

#### 19<sup>th</sup> to 26<sup>th</sup> 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](mailto: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.

### Lough Derg 2023 Pilgrimage Season

One Day Retreat – August Sat 19<sup>th</sup> / Tue 22<sup>nd</sup> / Sun 27<sup>th</sup>. September Sat 2<sup>nd</sup> / Wed 6<sup>th</sup> / Sat 9<sup>th</sup> / Tue 12<sup>th</sup> / Sat 16<sup>th</sup> / Sun 17<sup>th</sup> / Sat 23<sup>rd</sup> / Sun 24<sup>th</sup>. Admission: €45. Booking Essential. Concessions available for groups.

### Waterford City Branch of Comhaltas

Now enrolling for Traditional Music Classes in September. All instruments catered for. Adults welcome. For more information please contact Martin Forristal on 086-087 4409.

### Deise Draw

Congratulations to Philip Malone, Thomas Street, who won €250 in the July Deise Draw. The winner of the club's monthly draw was John Keating, Green Oaks, Ferrybank. The next draw takes place on Thursday August 10.

### Slieverue Community Housing Association Ltd

Slieverue Community Housing Association Ltd wishes to announce a vacancy for a tenant in The Orchard, Slieverue. Application forms are available from Katherine Grant, Curraghmore, Slieverue, Co Kilkenny. Applications close on Friday 18<sup>th</sup> August.

### Volunteering at Alone

Would you be willing to provide companionship to an Older Person for 1-2 hours per week? ALONE are currently seeking volunteers for both their Visitation Support and Befriending Service, and Telephone Support. Full training and support provided. If interested please sign up at [www.alone.ie](http://www.alone.ie) For more information, contact Aoife at [Aoife.dennehy@alone.ie](mailto:Aoife.dennehy@alone.ie) or 086 0120221. If you are over 60 and would like to know more about the services ALONE can offer you, please call 0818 222 024.'



### Pastoral Area Pilgrimage to Medjugorje for the four parishes of

**Ferrybank, Slieverue,  
Glenmore & Rosbercon**

**Oct. 18<sup>th</sup> - 25<sup>th</sup> - €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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