FERRYBANK & SLIEVERUE PARISHES

Sunday 6th August 2023



The Transfiguration of the Lord

Very Rev. Roderick Whearty P.P. Website <u>www.ferrybankslieverueparishes.ie</u> 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/ferrybank@ossory.ie*

Remembering our loved ones who have died ...

Recently Deceased:

Nancy Rochford (née Henrick), Airmount, Slieverue, Co. Kilkenny/Waterford

Ellen (Nell) Connolly (née Daly), St. Joseph's Home, Little Sisters of the Poor and formerly of Ard Mhuire, Ferrybank/Kilkenny

Jim Caulfield, Tramore/Waterford

| Mon. 10.00am | Margaret Smith, Wales and formerly of Rockenham |
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| Wed. 10.00am | Lois Chartemagne Ruiz |
| Month's Mind | |
| Sun. 11.30am | Davy Walsh, Ard Mhuire |
| <u>Anniversaries</u> | |
| Sat. 6.00pm | Mary Lee and her mother Christine Doherty and her brother John Doherty |
| | Tommy Knox, Drumdowney |
| | Patrick Atkins, London/Nicholastown |
| Sat. 7.00pm | Elizabeth, James & Paddy Sinnott |
| | Maurice Byrne |
| Sun. 11.30am | Ann Quealy |
| Tues. 10.00am | Jim & Mai Brennan and their daughters Betty, Alice, Mary, Kit & Joan and their son Jim |
| Thurs. 10.00am | Bridget & Thomas Hennessy |
| Mary O'Brien | |
| Michael Healy | |
| Mary Murphy | |
| Kay Cunningham | |
| Gretta Butler | 11 1 (01) |
| John Fitzgerald, Sallypark/Slieverue | |
| May their souls and the souls of all the faithful | |

May their souls and the souls of all the faithfu departed rest in peace. Amen.

Mass Schedule

<u>Daily Mass</u> Monday to Thursday 10am Mass from *Ferrybank* & Friday - 10.00am from *Slieverue*

<u>Saturday Vigil</u> 6pm *Slieverue* and 7pm *Ferrybank*

<u>Sunday</u> 9.30am in *Ferrybank* 10.30am in *Slieverue* 11.30am in *Ferrybank*

<u>Eucharistic Adoration</u> Every Wednesday morning in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel *Ferrybank* Church from 10.30am to 12 noon

<u>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</u> Every Wednesday in *Slieverue* Church from 2.30pm – 3.30pm

We welcome all our visitors at this time and pray that you will have a restful and enjoyable visit among us. May you keep safe on land, at sea and on your travels.

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.

World Youth Day



Pope Francis celebrates Mass this weekend with all the young people from around the world who have gathered in Lisbon, Portugal for World Youth Day.

Franciscan Missionaries of Mary

Next weekend (Sat. 12th & Sun. 13th Aug.) we welcome Sr. Nuala Glynn and Sr. Mary Shanahan from The Franciscan Missionaries of Mary to both Ferrybank & Slieverue Parishes. They will be speaking at all Masses about their work and there will be a collection for the Missions after the Masses.

National Novena at Knock Shrine - 14th - 22nd August

The National Novena to Our Lady of Knock offers you the opportunity to step away from everyday life and immerse yourself in prayer in the beautiful, peaceful grounds of Knock Shrine. Our theme for this year is 'Caring for Creation'. Family Day will take place on Sunday, 20th August from 11.00am - 3.00pm. Find out more at <u>www.knockshrine.ie</u>

Melleray Grotto

Boola, Cappoquin, Co. Waterford Tuesday, August 15th Feast of the Assumption Prayers 3.00pm – 5.00pm Benediction 3.00pm Celebrant Fr. Thadeus Doyle Music by Mairead Cullinane Prayers 8.00 – 9.30pm Fr. Thadeus Doyle Candlelight Procession 9.00pm Music by Mary Burke 'My Message is Peace and Prayer, Tell the People the Water is Blessed' August 1985 38th Anniversary of the Apparitions at Melleray Grotto 16th – 24th August 2023 All prayers from 8.00pm – 9.30pm every night of the anniversary Concluding with Mass at 8.00pm on 24th August Bishop Alphonsus Cullinan Candlelight Procession at 9.00pm Music by Mount Melleray Music Group directed by Fr. Richard Purcell, Mount Melleray Abbey Our Lady's Birthday Friday 8th September 2023 Mass 8.00pm Fr. Francis Candleight Procession 8.30pm Music by Waterford Marian Group

May the Lord Jesus Christ, Our Lord and Saviour, Who has been Transfigured in glory at Mount Tabor, continue to shine His light upon us and help us in our journey and dedication towards Him, now and always, that we too may be the shining beacons of His light and truth, in every occasions and opportunities. Amen.

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

Tickets are available from the Parish Office. The annual prize fund is $\notin 60,000$ and the subscription is $\notin 120$ per annum or $\notin 10$ per month. We encourage your support for St. Mary's Cathedral Restoration. *Be in to win!*

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/

Church Collections 29th & 30th July 2023

Slieverue

Envelopes €125/Offertory €486.05/Pope €5/July Online & S.O.'s €184.40

<u>Ferrybank</u>

Envelopes €749.50/Offertory €634.50/July Total S.O.'s €522

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 12th & 13th August 2023

Sat. 6.00pm Alice Irish Sun. 10.30am Deirdre Roche & Adam Roche

Slieverue - Ministers of the Word 12th & 13th August 2023

Sat. 6.00pm Michael Shalloe Sun. 10.30am Orla Power

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 12th & 13th August 2023

Saturday 7.00pm Bríd Mallon Sunday 9.30am Mary Griffin Sunday 11.30am Mary Walsh

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: <u>safeguarding@ossory.ie</u>

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

Towards Peace Spiritual Support Service 01 505 3028 www.towardspeace.**i**@

Interested in Theology or Philosophy

Postgraduate Programmes in Theology and Philosophy at St Patrick's Pontifical University, Maynooth. Applications will be accepted up until 14th August.

For more information contact pgadmissions@spcm.ie or call 01 708 3391. Visit sppu.ie/postgraduate for more details.

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

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.

Lough Derg 2023 Pilgrimage Season

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

The Priests in Concert

The Priests from the Diocese of Down & Conor in Northern Ireland, will perform in the Cathedral of the Assumption, Thurles on Friday September 29th, 2023. Their superb concert in September 2019 was an outstanding success. We look forward to another notable night in aid of the Cathedral Reroofing Project. TICKETS NOW AVAILABLE in the Parish Office, Thurles (0504 22229) & Bookworm, Liberty Square, Thurles (0504 22257). Tickets also available in Holycross Parish Office (0504 43124) and Cashel Parish Office (062 62200). Ticket Donation: €35.

Waterford City Branch of Comhaltas

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

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 18th August.

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 Service. Full training and support provided. If interested please sign up at www.alone.ie For more information, contact Aoife at 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.

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