

# FERRYBANK & SLIEVERUE PARISHES

*The Start of Self-Denial*  
**TAKE UP YOUR  
CROSS**  
MATTHEW 16:24

3<sup>rd</sup> September 2023

Twenty Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Very Rev. Roderick Whearty P.P.**  
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## 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 11.30am

## Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

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



Remembering our loved ones who have died ...

## Month's Mind

Sat. 6.00pm Nancy Rochford (née Henrick), Airmount, Slieverue

Sat. 7.00pm Ellen (Nell) Connolly, (née Daly), Ard Mhuire, Ferrybank

## Anniversaries

Sat. 6.00pm Caroline Burke, Airmount, Slieverue

Sat. 7.00pm Seán Connolly and Catherine & Patrick Daly

Sun. 9.30am Jim & Mary Frawley

Jim & Maura O'Donoghue

Sun. 10.30am Thomas & Delia Grant, Curraghmore

Margaret & James Walsh, The Bullring, Slieverue

Sun. 11.30am James O'Keeffe

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

Wed. 10.00am Angela & James Sheridan and Bridget & Michael Kelly

Mattie Hennessy

Maryanne McLoughlin

Elizabeth Norton

Margaret O'Keeffe

Marty Walsh, Rathpatrick

Lizzie Walsh, Slieverue

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 Thanksgiving Intention**  
**Slieverue Family Intention**



## Season of Creation 1 September - 4th October:



Let Justice and Peace Flow" is the theme chosen for Season of Creation 2023, the ecumenical celebration we hold each year from September 1, World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation, to October 4th, the feast of St. Francis of Assisi.

The prophet Amos cries out, "But let justice roll on like a river, righteousness like a never-failing stream!" (Amos 5: 24), and so we are called to join the river of justice and peace, to take up climate and ecological justice, and to speak out with and for communities most impacted by climate injustice and the loss of biodiversity.

## Monthly Mass for those on our anniversary lists

On Tuesday next 5<sup>th</sup> September at 10.00am a Mass will be celebrated for all our loved ones remembered on our Anniversary Lists. All are most welcome to attend.

## Concert in St. Mary's Cathedral, Kilkenny

Concert by Leipzig University Choir on Friday, September 8th at 7.00pm Musical programme includes Bach, Mendelssohn, Reger, Timm, Walter, HaBler and others. Conductor: Musical Director of Leipzig University David Timm.

### Pope's Intentions for September 2023

For people living on the margins: We pray for those persons living on the margins of society, in inhumane life conditions; may they not be overlooked by institutions and never considered of lesser importance.

### Rosary Procession to honour Our Lady's Birthday Friday 8th September 2023

Leaving Ballybricken Green at 7.00pm and proceeding to the Cathedral for a short prayer service finishing with Benediction.

### Family Funday

Ferrybank GAA are hosting a Family Fun Day with free admission is a wonderful way to bring the community together and create a memorable day for families. On Sunday, September 10, from 11 am to 3 pm, at the club grounds (X91 AK30). Activities include Egg and Spoon Races: Great for all ages, these races are always a hit; Three-Legged Race: A fun and challenging activity that encourages teamwork.; Hurling and Football: Plenty of refreshments on offer for everyone, and much more!

### Slieverue & District Active Retirement Association

Tuesday 5th September Committee Meeting at 11 0'clock

Wednesday 6th September Chair Yoga 11.45 till 12.45 and General meeting 1 0'clock till 3

Looking forward to seeing you all again. New members welcome.

### Library News

Kilkenny Mobile Library will visit Little Sunshine Early Learning Centre, Ferrybank (10.00am), Slieverue (10.50am), Glenmore NS (12.10pm) & Shanbogh NS (13.10pm) on Thurs Sept 14th. All are welcome; the van stocks a great range of adult books in all genres. The full timetable can be viewed at [www.kilkennylibrary.ie](http://www.kilkennylibrary.ie).

### Higher Diploma in Theological Studies

St Patrick's Pontifical University, Maynooth, are running a one-year, evening/weekend, Level 8, 65 ECTS credits programme, which gives a foundation in Theological Studies to students who hold a primary degree in another discipline. This Higher Diploma meets all the Teaching Council of Ireland's Requirements for the teaching of Religious Studies at post-primary level. It entitles teachers holding Department-recognised degrees and teacher training qualifications to teach up to 15 hours' Religious Education per week in a secondary school. This programme combines online modules with some on-campus attendance to fit around your other life commitments. Visit [sppu.ie/courses](http://sppu.ie/courses) or contact us at [pgadmissions@spcm.ie](mailto:pgadmissions@spcm.ie) or 01 708 3391.

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

1st Prize €2,000	0664 Michael Lyng	Inistioge	2nd Prize €1,000	1481 Lisdowney Parish	Lisdowney
3rd Prize €500	1433 Fidalgo	Ballyragget	4th Prize €300	1561 Sheila Kinsella	Tullaherin
5th Prize €300	1132 Liam Mahony	St. Mary's	6th Prize €200	0764 Andrew O'Brien	St. Mary's
7th Prize €200	0248 Teresa Doyle	St. Mary's	8th Prize €100	1023 Oliver Maher	Urlingford
9th Prize €100	0152 Bernadette Gray	Aghaboe	10th Prize €100	1483 Joan Bergin & Sean	Lisdowney

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!**

### Slieverue - Ministers of the Eucharist

#### 9<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup> September 2023

Sat. 6.00pm Martin Quilty

Sun. 10.30am Deirdre Roche & Adam Roche

**New Rota available for Collection from the Sacristy**

### Slieverue - Ministers of the Word

#### 9<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup> September 2023

Sat. 6.00pm Jerry Forrest

Sun. 10.30am Kathleen Phelan

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### Ferrybank - Ministers of the Eucharist

#### September 2023

Saturday 7.00pm Mary White & Angela O'Brien

Sunday 9.30am Eileen Fitzpatrick & Margaret O'Driscoll

Sunday 11.30am Maria Ronan & Elizabeth O'Mahony

### Ferrybank - Ministers of the Word

#### 9<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup> September 2023

Saturday 7.00pm Sr. Patsy Butler

Sunday 9.30am Julie Kelly

Sunday 11.30am Mary Keane

### Church Collections 26<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup> August 2023

#### Slieverue

Envelopes €140.00/Offertory €403.35

#### Ferrybank

Envelopes €676.50/Offertory €576.50/

Total Standing Orders for August 2023 €517.00

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!

### 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)



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