



FERRYBANK & SLIEVERUE PARISHES

Sunday 4th February 2024 Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time



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The Church of the Sacred Heart Ferrybank



The Church of the Assumption Slieverue



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He went to her, took her by the hand and helped her up.



Remembering our loved ones who have died ...

Recently Deceased

Catherine (Kitty) Hartley, Slieverue Village

Very Rev. John Nolan, Parish Priest, Duncannon, Co. Wexford

Month's Mind

Sat. 6.00pm May Haberlin (née Fitzpatrick), Glasshouse

Valius Paulauskas

Anniversaries

Sat. 6.00pm Michael Walsh, Fíodh Mor

Nicholas, Philomena & John Kavanagh

Maxi Atkins, Nicholastown & Peggy O'Reilly, Nicholastown/Tramore

Sat. 7.00pm Redmond & Mary Power and Michelle Casey

Tommy, Maura, Neil & Angela Burns and Noel Kirwan

Sun. 10.30am Jim Barrett
Larry & Jim Ryan and deceased members of the Ryan Family, Glenmore

Margaret Haberlin, Drumdowney

Sun. 11.30am Nicholas Power
Chrissie & Paddy McLoughlin & their son Tommy

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

Wed. 10.00am Charlie & Jenny Drennan, John Mullane & Conor Shanahan

Thurs. 10.00am Annie & Joe O'Connor

Fri. 10.00am Kay Curran (née O'Dwyer)

Margaret Freyne, Kilbride, Glenmore
Wattie Power, 3 Airmount, Slieverue (30th Anniv.)
Margaret (Peg) O'Brien
Nellie Dunphy
Teresa Doyle, Belmont Road
May they rest in peace ...

The Pope's Intention February 2024

For the Terminally Ill: We pray that those with a terminal illness, and their families, receive the necessary physical and spiritual care and accompaniment.

This Week's Calendar

Mon. 5th Feb. St. Agatha, virgin & martyr
Tues. 6th Feb. Ss. Paul Miki and Companions, martyrs
Wed. 7th Feb. St. Mel, bishop
Thurs. 8th Feb. St. Jerome Emiliani
Sat. 10th Feb. St. Scholastica, virgin

St. Mary's Cathedral Restoration Draw Results for Jan. 2024

1st Prize €2,000 1055	Josie McElwee	Rosbercon
2nd Prize €1,000 0356	Ted Brophy	Borris-in-Ossory
3rd Prize €500 0672	P&K Fitzgerald	Clara
4th Prize €300 0606	Elaine Dermody	Callan
5th Prize €300 1191	Murray Family	Thomastown
6th Prize €200 0221	B&P Thornton	Lisdowney
7th Prize €200 1064	S&B Waters	Rosbercon
8th Prize €100 1364	Kathleen Flynn	Ballyragget
9th Prize €100 0188	Catriona O'Grady	St. Mary's
10th Prize €100 0092	Mary Walton	St. Mary'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!**

Pope John Paul II Award

The Diocese of Ossory is keen to develop its youth ministry and is reintroducing this Award over the coming months into the Autumn. This Award is a faith achievement one for young people between the age of 16 and 18. Its key goal is to encourage and help participants to take an active part in the life of the Church and the wider community. It seeks to do so in ways that are 'noncompetitive, inclusive, flexible and voluntary'. The Award involves candidates committing to one hour per week in their parishes and one hour per week in their communities over eight, fourteen to twenty weeks depending on which Award level they are undertaking. If you would like to enrol for the Award, you can register your application with your School TY Coordinator. Hopefully all who engage will have a positive and enriching experience and in turn encourage others in the future to participate.

Sanctuary Lamp



The Sanctuary Lamp burns in our Church every hour of every day this week before the Blessed Sacrament in ... **Ferrybank**
Special Intention - B & L & R

Ferrybank - Ministers of the Eucharist February 2024

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

10th & 11th February 2024

Sat. 7.00pm Barbara Wells
Sun. 9.30am Mary Griffin
Sun. 11.30am Eileen Slattery

Slieverue - Ministers of the Eucharist

10th & 11th February 2024

Sat. 6.00pm Peter Dunne
Sun. 10.30am Patricia Drennan & Mary Walsh

Slieverue - Ministers of the Word

10th & 11th February 2024

Sat. 6.00pm Keira Doyle
Sun. 10.30am Kay Howard

Anam Cara South East - Monthly Parent Evening for Bereaved Parents

Anam Cara South East will host its monthly Parent Evening for bereaved parents on Tuesday 13th February at 7:15pm in the Brandon House Hotel, New Ross. This event is free and open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age your child died, the circumstances of their death, or whether their death was recent or not. Please contact us on info@anamcara.ie or 085 2888 888 for any queries.

Ossory Diocesan 2024 Pilgrimage to Lourdes

22 May 2024 5 Nights from €929 per person Led by the Bishop of Ossory, Most Rev. Niall Coll

The annual Ossory Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes 2024 is now available to book! The departure will take place on 22nd May 2024 from Cork flying direct to Lourdes with accommodation available in the hotels La Solitude, Padoue or Agena. With capacity being limited this year, it is strongly advised that pilgrims wishing to travel to Lourdes book as soon as possible. Should you require any additional information on the pilgrimage, please contact us on 01 410800 or info@joewalstours.ie. Assisted Pilgrims contact Fr. Anthony O'Connor 087-2517766 maoc50@me.com

Slieverue & District A.R.A.

We would like to thank Maria Condon for her help with making St Brigid's Crosses. We had a very enjoyable time and we were joined on the day by 6th Class Slieverue Primary School. It was lovely to see the young mix so well with the elderly. Tai Chi continues on Saturdays at 11.00am in St Mary's Hall and all participating are really enjoying it.

Wednesday 7th February Chair Yoga at 11.30am in St Mary's Hall

Wednesday 7th February for 12.50pm Bingo and tea/coffee

Family Carers Ireland

Are you caring for a loved one at home with additional needs? A spouse, partner, child, close relative or neighbour? Then you are a family carer! Become a member of Family Carers Ireland, the national charity supporting Ireland's 500,000+ family carers nationwide. Contact 057 93 70221 and hear how we can support you or for more info visit www.familycarers.ie.

St Brigid's prayer - February the month of St. Brigid

You were a woman of peace. You brought harmony where there was conflict.
You brought light to the darkness. You brought hope to the downcast.
May the mantle of your peace cover those who are troubled and anxious,
and may peace be firmly rooted in our hearts and in our world.
Inspire us to act justly and to reverence all God has made.
Brigid you were a voice for the wounded and the weary.
Strengthen what is weak within us. Calm us into a quietness that heals and listens.
May we grow each day into greater wholeness in mind, body and spirit. Amen.
(author unknown)



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