

FERRYBANK & SLIEVERUE PARISHES

24th November 2024

**Our Lord Jesus Christ,
King of the Universe**

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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 Ferrybank 10.30am Slieverue 11.30am Ferrybank

Eucharistic Adoration

Every Wednesday in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel *Ferrybank Church*
from 10.30am to 11.30am

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Every Tuesday in *Slieverue Church* from 7.30pm – 8.30pm
Every Wednesday in *Slieverue Church* from 2.30pm – 3.30pm
Every Friday in *Slieverue Church* from 10.30pm – 11.00am

Ferrybank & Slieverue Annual Remembrance Masses

We welcome especially families who have been bereaved during the past year to our 7pm Vigil Mass of Remembrance in Ferrybank Church this weekend as we remember all our loved ones who have died. We pray that they may enjoy the just rewards which our Loving Father has promised his faithful in Heaven. As we come to the end of November, we pray that the Lord be merciful to all our departed and that He bring healing and consolation to all who grieve for them.

Retired Priests Collection - Feast of Christ the King, 24 November 2024.

The Annual Collection for this good cause takes place this weekend after Holy Communion in Ferrybank Church. Slieverue parishioners can use the yellow envelope which is included in yearly box of envelopes. Your contribution is an opportunity to show appreciation for the many years of service our sick and retired priests have given to God and to His people throughout the Diocese of Ossory. Your support is very much appreciated.

Ferrybank & Slieverue Parish Christmas Shared Mass Cards



Share the joy of Christ's birth with our Parish Christmas cards. Your recipients will be remembered in our Masses over the Christmas period in both Ferrybank & Slieverue Churches beginning on Christmas Eve. The cards will be available from the Parish Office from Monday 25th November. The cost of each card is €3 and please remember to include your special intentions/ list of the names of the recipient on a sheet of paper to be given in at the Parish Office.

Ferrybank Parish Pastoral Council

We are in the process of forming the new Parish Pastoral Council for Ferrybank for the next term of three years. Throughout the month of November, at weekend Masses, a box will be placed at the back of the Church seeking your nominations for positions on the Parish Pastoral Council. With thanks. *Fr. Roderick Whearty P.P.*

Ferrybank St.Vincent de Paul

Ferrybank St.Vincent de Paul wish to acknowledge and thank most sincerely the 'Coffee morning Ladies' and all who attended and contributed to the very successful Coffee Morning on Tuesday last. A fantastic total of €770.00 was raised and we are extremely grateful to all concerned. Our annual Christmas church gate collection which is vital to help us over the Christmas period will take place on **Saturday 7th and Sunday 8th December**. Many thanks to all for your continued support.



The Church of the Sacred Heart
Ferrybank



The Church of the Assumption
Slieverue



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



OUR LORD
JESUS
CHRIST,
KING OF THE
UNIVERSE



Remembering all our loved ones who have died ...

Recently Deceased

Francis Paul Malone, Ard Daire, Ferrybank, and late of the A Company 35th Battalion of the Irish Defence forces

Thomas (Tom) Irish, Crossabeg, Wexford / Ferrybank, Waterford

Joe Mylett, Mooncoin and formerly of The Bullring, Slieverue

Month's Mind

Sat. 7.00pm Denis (Denny) Cullinane

Anniversaries

Sat. 6.00pm Tracey Kelly (10th Anniv.)
Airmount

Mary Kate Roche,
Curraghmore

John Irish, Ballinlaw

Noel Mylett, Ashgrove

Sat. 7.00pm Johanna Forristal
William Aspel
Jack Fleming

Sun. 9.30am Terry Cremin (1st Anniv.)

Sun. 10.30am ÉIGSE Deceased
Members/Supporters

Mabel & Tom Walsh,
Slieverue

Sun. 11.30am Richard O'Neill (1st Anniv.)
Tess Slattery
Pakie Walsh

Tues. 10.00am Daniel & Ellen Murphy and
Mary Crowley (née Murphy)

Thurs. 10.00am Catherine & John Conway
Fri. 10.00am Karl Cummins and deceased
members of the Griffith
Family

Elizabeth Sinnott
Tim Crowe (12th Anniv.)

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 - Special Remembrance - C.R.**



Recently Baptised

We welcome in to the Christian Community ... **Bobby Tommy Macharia & Caoimhe Maureen Clarke** who were baptised recently in The Church of the Sacred Heart, Ferrybank and **Faye Elizabeth Barrett** who was baptised in The Church of the Assumption, Slieverue. Please keep them, their parents and god-parents in your prayers.

Our Lady of Good Counsel GNS

Now accepting admission applications for the school year 2025/2026. You can find the Admission Notice and Application Form for 2025/2026 on the school website www.goodcounselgns.ie (Policies Tab) or by calling the school office on 051-832984 and one will be sent out to you.

Ringville National School, Ballinlaw, Slieverue, Co. Kilkenny.

Ringville Mixed National School is taking enrolments for September 2025. Please contact Ringville Mixed National School on 051 832 635 or email secretary@ringvillens.ie for further information or enquiries www.ringvillens.ie

Christmas Carol Service in Piltown Church

Christmas is a time of special music. What a better way to celebrate the birthday of Jesus than to join together and raise our voices in the special songs of Christmas that we know and love so well. We invite you to join us for our journey to Bethlehem in our Christmas Carol Service in Piltown Church at 7.30 p.m. on Thursday 12th December. Those wishing to join in the choir "on-stage" on that evening please call 051 643112 for more information.

Slieverue & District Active Retirement Association

Wednesday 27th November chair Yoga as usual in St Mary's church at 11.30am followed by Bingo at 12.50pm.

We would like to thank everyone who attended our Mass for deceased members and also those who helped in anyway. Please note we need final numbers and balance of payment for our Christmas lunch on 13th December on or before our meeting on 6th December. As always we are looking for new members male and female and we are on the bus route at suitable times.

South Kilkenny Historical Society Lecture

Title: Freightling the River Blackwater, Co. Kilkenny with Andrew Doherty on Friday, November 29th at 8pm in Mullinavat Parish Hall (opposite St. Beacon's Church)

Sisters of Mary Morning Star – Christmas Craft Sale – The Friary, Lady Lane, Waterford Artisan Products made by the Sisters

Lemon Curd, Jams, Chutney, Biscuits, Soap, Incense, Christmas Cards, Rosaries, Candles, CD's

Fri. 29th Nov. from 1.00pm-5.00pm, Sat. 30th Nov. from 10.00am to 5.00pm & Sun. 1st Dec. from 10.00am to 2.00pm

Meals on Wheels, Lady Lane, Waterford

Currently looking for a volunteer driver for the Waterford/Ferrybank area.

The task involved is to deliver dinners which would take about an hour per week Monday to Friday. If you think you could help please call 051 874056.

Anam Cara Online Bereavement Information Evening Tuesday 3rd December at 7pm

This Bereavement Information Evening is open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age the child died, or the circumstances of their death. Our guest speaker for the evening will be David Tricky. David is a leading Consultant Clinical Psychologist who has specialised in working with traumatised children, young people and their families since 2000. [Register here for Anam Cara Online Bereavement Information Evening](#) If you have any questions, please contact us on info@anamcara.ie or call our information line 085 2888 888

Ferrybank Ministers of the Eucharist December 2024

Saturday 7.00pm Mary White, Imelda Kennedy & Ray Ryan

Sunday 9.30am Eileen Fitzpatrick & Margaret O'Driscoll

Sunday 11.30am Maria Ronan & Paul Lyons

Ferrybank Ministers of the Word 30th Nov. & 1st Dec. 2024

Sat. 7.00pm Yvette Purdue

Sun. 9.30am Mary Griffin

Sun. 11.30am Mary Walsh

Slieverue Ministers of the Eucharist 30th November & 1st December 2024

Sat. 6.00pm Alice Irish

Sun. 10.30m Patricia Drennan & Mary Walsh

Slieverue Ministers of the Word 30th Nov. & 1st Dec. 2024

Sat. 6.00pm Johnny Quilty

Sun. 10.30am Kathleen Phelan

Church Collections 16th & 17th November 2024

Ferrybank

Envelopes €676.00/Offertory 663.00

Slieverue

Envelopes €260.00/Offertory €638.95/Missions

€60.00//Retired Priests €10.00/Ossory Soc. Serv. €5.00

The 2023 statement of Income & Expenditure for Slieverue Parish is available on the notice board at the back of the Church.

Many thanks to all our parishioners in both Ferrybank & Slieverue parishes who contribute weekly, monthly & yearly and to those who donate online and by Standing Order. Your support is very much appreciated.

Counselling Services Towards Healing Confidential

Helpline: 1800 303 416 www.towardshealing.ie

Towards Peace Helpline: 01 5053028

www.towardspeace.ie



Our Parish Safeguarding Representatives

Ferrybank - Jerry Hughes & Mary Griffin

Slieverue - Mary Kenny & Catherine Manning

If you, or anyone you know, has a Safeguarding concern please contact: Diocesan Director of Safeguarding and Designated Liaison Person, DLP, Ailish Higgins at 087 802 1633 or Email: @ossory.ie An Garda Síochána: 1800 555 222 (or your local Garda Station). TUSLA Waterford 053 9198201/TUSLA: Kilkenny 052 6177302