



# FERRYBANK & SLIEVERUE PARISHES

**4<sup>th</sup> May 2025**

**Third Sunday of Easter**

**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 Ferrybank 10.30am Slieverue 11a.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**



**The Church of the Sacred Heart Ferrybank**



**The Church of the Assumption Slieverue**



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**Remembering all our loved ones who have died ...**

## Recently Deceased

Pat Foran, Abbey Lawn, Ferrybank

Geraldine (Ger) O'Keeffe (née Galvin), St. Haberlin Park, Waterford City/Ferrybank

Bridget Cheasty (née Cowman), Roanmore Park, Waterford City

## Anniversary

Sat. 6.00pm

Bridget Roche, Drumdowney Upper

Kitty Murphy, Waterford

Larry & Stasia Roche, Curraghmore

Hannie & Tom O'Connell, Curraghmore/London

Mary & Patrick Walsh, Luffany

Michael Larrissey and his parents Michael & Ellen and his sisters Anne & Sr. Joan Larrissey, RSHM, Kilmurry

Sarah Purcell, Drumdowney

Sat. 7.00pm

Mamie Roche, Newrath

Sun. 10.30am

Richard O'Shea, Ballyvaring (1<sup>st</sup> Anniv.)

Sun. 11.30am

Joe Irish

Diarmuid O'Flynn

Jean Aylward (née Treacy) and her parents Mary & Richard Treacy

Mon. 10.00am

Noel Griffin & his brothers Michael & Tom

Tues. 10.00am

All on our Anniversary Lists

Thurs. 10.00am

Sr. Eileen Purcell, RSHM Peter Power

**May they rest in peace ...**

**The Annual Cemetery Mass 2025 & blessing of the graves for all those interred in our cemeteries will take place as follows:**

**Slieverue Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> June 2025 at 7.30pm**

**Ferrybank Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> June 2025 at 7.30pm**

**Rathpatrick Date to be decided**



## **May is the month of Mary**



An opportunity for a May Altar in your home or class room and also an opportunity to pray the Rosary. We encourage you to pray the Rosary, (even one decade), particularly during May.

## **Ferrybank Parish - New Weekly Envelopes for 2024/2025**

This weekend (3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> May) is the first weekend in the new Ferrybank Church Envelope year. Parishioners will have received a new box of envelopes. **Please tear up any remaining envelopes from last year's box.** If you have not received a box of Church Envelopes and would like to please contact the Parish Office on 051-830813. Huge thanks to all Parish Envelope Distributors who help distribute the parish envelopes each year.

## **Ferrybank Cemetery**

Thank you for looking after and maintaining your family graves and keeping them up to a standard that is an expression of our respect for our departed loved ones. It is important that any dead flowers/wreaths are taken home by you and disposed of in an environmentally sensitive manner. It is not acceptable to leave dead flowers/wreaths etc. strewn around the cemetery. Signs will be erected to remind everyone of this. We ask you to continue to respect the resting place of your loved ones by taking away any rubbish from the graveyard. Thank you.

*Fr. Roderick Whearty P.P.*

## **Sanctuary Lamp**

The Sanctuary Lamp burns in our Church every hour of every day this week before the Blessed Sacrament in ...

**Ferrybank Thanksgiving – M.M.**





**Slieverue  
Ferrybank  
Slieverue**

**Confirmation  
First Holy Communion  
First Holy Communion**

**Friday 16<sup>th</sup> May 2025 at 11.00am  
Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> May 2025 at 11.00am  
Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> May 2025 at 11.00am**

**Please note there will be No 10.00am Mass in Slieverue on Friday 16<sup>th</sup> May 2025 – Confirmation Day**

### Thank You

Thanks to all who supported or helped out in any way with our recent Coffee Morning in aid of the Alzheimer's Society. A lovely morning was had by all and €370.00 was raised.

### Glenmore Pantomime Society

Join us for Our Open Workshops. We are thrilled to kick off our next exciting project by inviting you to special workshops—a chance to meet the production team, get a feel for the show and find out how you can get involved. Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> May Adult Workshop 7 to 9pm. Includes refreshments €10.00, open to all adults interested in being part of the production. Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> May and Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> May Youth Workshop from 10am to 4pm both days. For young people aged 8 to 18. €40.00 per child. Concessions for more than 2 from the one family. 12 hours of creativity activities and introductions to the world of show. Booking essential as places are limited. Email [glenmorepantosociety@gmail.com](mailto:glenmorepantosociety@gmail.com). Come along, meet the team and find out how you can be part of something amazing.

### Slieverue & District Active Retirement Association

Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> May chair yoga at 11.30am in St Mary's Hall followed by our monthly meeting.

For those who are planning on going on our autumn trip to Killarney please remember €50 deposit needs to be paid next week. Many thanks to Martina Avery on her wonderful talk on Heart Health also to Greg and Susan for the lovely health bites and Christine and all who helped organise it. As usual we are looking for new members male and female and remember we are on the bus route and at suitable times.

### Lough Derg 2025 Pilgrimage Season - Sanctuary of Saint Patrick

Diocese of Ossory: Jubilee Year of Hope Pilgrimage to Lough Derg, led by Young Adults

*Theme: Finding Our Way in the Wilderness* “Led by the Spirit into the wilderness” (Matthew 4:1)

Most Rev. Niall Coll, Bishop of Ossory, extends an invitation to join him on Pilgrimage

Friday 30<sup>th</sup> May – Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> June 2025 Pilgrimage is organised by the Diocesan Youth Ministry Team

For further information please contact the Diocesan Office Tel. 056 776 2448 or email [admin@ossory.ie](mailto:admin@ossory.ie) (over 18's only)

### Nenagh Pilgrimage to Medjugorje 2025: Joe Walshes

Join us for a **special pilgrimage** to Medjugorje during the **Jubilee Year of Hope 2025**, a journey of faith and renewal.

**Dates:** 2nd July to 9th July 2025 **Departure:** Cork **Arrival:** Dubrovnik. This year marks the **44th Anniversary** of the apparitions—a time to gather in prayer and grace. All are welcome. With **Father Rixon** as our Spiritual Director, we will share moments of reflection, prayer, and the sacraments. **Price:** €879 For details, contact **Seán & Elaine Connolly:**

**Phone:** 089 453 1273 or 067 32178 Come, be part of this **journey of hope**.

### Ferrybank Ministers of the Eucharist May 2025

Saturday 7.00pm Maura Moore & Elaine Searson & Ray Ryan

Sunday 9.30am Bride Doyle & Susan Freeman

Sunday 11.30am Margaret Hughes & Br. Frank Brennan

### Ferrybank Ministers of the Word 10<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup> May 2025

Saturday 7.00pm Yvette Purdue

Sunday 9.30am Cléir Tierney

Sunday 11.30am Mary Keane

### Slieverue Ministers of the Eucharist 10<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup> May 2025

Saturday 6.00pm Martin Quilty

Sun. 10.30am Deirdre Roche & Adam Roche

(New Rota available from Sacristy)

### Slieverue Ministers of the Word 10<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup> May 2025

Saturday 6.00pm Martin Quilty

Sunday 10.30am Susan O'Neill

### Church Collections 26<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup> April 2025

#### Ferrybank

Envelopes	€ 519.00
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Offertory	€ 604.00
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Trócaire (Total to Date including Coffee Morning)	€3,286.00
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Total Standing Orders April	€ 502.00
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#### Slieverue

Envelopes	€ 685.00
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Offertory	€ 500.75
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Lenten Alms Total	€ 419.00
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Holy Places Total	€ 147.00
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Emigrant's Total	€ 187.00
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Total Trócaire To Date	€1,895.00
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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.

### 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 085 802 1633 or Email: [@ossory.ie](mailto:@ossory.ie) An Garda Síochána: 1800 555 222 (or your local Garda Station). TUSLA Waterford 053 9198201/TUSLA: Kilkenny 052 6177302

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