

FERRYBANK & SLIEVERUE PARISHES

29th June 2025

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The Church of the Sacred Heart Ferrybank



The Church of the Assumption Slieverue



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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

Cemetery Masses 2025 - Thank You

A word of thanks to all who enabled the successful celebration of our annual Cemetery Masses. Thanks to all who came and joined us in prayer, to those who prepared altars, to those who read and distributed communion, to those who sang or played music and to those who collected or helped out in anyway. A special word of thanks to those who maintain the Cemeteries of our parishes. The fruits of their hard work is testimony to the value we as a community place on where we lay our loved ones to rest. May all our departed loved ones rest in the peace of Christ.

Slieverue Cemetery Improvements

Please be aware work on re-surfacing pathways in the Slieverue Cemetery will commence in the 2nd week of July and will be ongoing until the end of August. Please be aware that there will be some inconvenience during this time and we apologise in advance.

Visitation of the Sick and Housebound

Friday next, July 4th, is the First Friday and Fr. Roderick will visit the sick and the housebound in both Ferrybank & Slieverue Parishes. If you are already on our monthly visitation list we will be in contact with you during the week to arrange visitation.

If you have a family member who is sick or housebound and would like to receive Holy Communion at home please contact the Parish Office. Please remember visitation can only take place following a request from the person themselves or a family member.

Slieverue Church Webcam

We have our Webcam back up and running now in Slieverue Church. We thank you for your patience and apologise for any disruption that this may have caused. Please note that as a technical service there will be times when it may breakdown and this is beyond our control.

The Society of St Vincent de Paul - Ferrybank Collection

Our July monthly collection will take place next Sat. and Sun. 5th & 6th July. Many thanks as always for your continued support.



Newly Baptised ...

We welcome in to the Christian Community ... **Blake Shannon, Jefferson Ryan & Lilly Grace Cronin** who were baptised recently in The Church of the Sacred Heart, Ferrybank and **Cody Byrne, Laynie Byrne & Justin Dalton** who were baptised in The Church of The Assumption, Slieverue. Please keep them, their parents and their god-parents in your prayers.

STS. PETER AND PAUL



PRAY FOR US!



Remembering all our loved ones who have died ...

Month's Mind

Sat. 6.00pm Bridget (Bid) O'Rourke (née Larrissey)

Anniversary

Sat. 6.00pm Denis O'Rourke
Lorraine Fitzpatrick, Kilmurry
Mary Larkin, Ballinlaw
Sun. 11.30am Claire Devine
Jacqui Fitzgerald
Josie Hayes
Pat & Minnie O'Sullivan & Tessie & John Mailvaganam & Deceased members of the Barnes & Condon Families

Tues. 10.00am All on our Anniversary Lists

Thurs. 10.00am Alice Frances O'Keeffe

Marie O'Donovan, Curraghmore
Pat Roche, Silverwood
Billy Hendley
Thomas Hennessy

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 Intention – M.M.

Slieverue

Anniversary Remembrance

Ferrybank Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist – New Rota for Weekend Masses - July – December 2025

The new rota covers a six month period and Ministers are rostered for two consecutive Saturdays/Sundays.

The new Rotas are available from the Sacristy or the Parish Office so please pick up a copy as there are some changes to note.

The rota for the following Saturday/Sunday will be printed on the weekly newsletter as before. We welcome especially our new Ministers. We are very grateful to all who serve in the ministry at our weekday and Sunday Masses and we thank them for their service and commitment

Ferrybank Ministers of the Eucharist 5th & 6th July 2025

Saturday 7.00pm Eileen Long & Ray Ryan
Sunday 9.30am Michael/Breda Freyne & Mary McEvoy
Sunday 11.30am Paul Lyons & Michelle Byrne

Ferrybank Ministers of the Word 5th & 6th July 2025

Saturday 7.00pm Barbara Wells
Sunday 9.30am Robert Dunphy
Sunday 11.30am Mary Walsh

Slieverue Ministers of the Eucharist 5th & 6th July 2025

Saturday 6.00pm Deirdre Costello
Sunday 10.30am Patricia Drennan & Mary Walsh

Slieverue Ministers of the Word 5th & 6th July 2025

Saturday 6.00pm Paddy Drennan
Sunday 10.30am Catriona Forristal

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
An Garda Síochána: 1800 555 222 (or your local Garda Station).
TUSLA Waterford 053 9198201/TUSLA: Kilkenny 052 6177302

Schools Out!

As the school year draws to a close we say thanks to the Principals, Teachers and staff of all our Catholic Schools in the parish for their dedicated, hard work over the past year, in sharing their faith and their love with our children. We commend them for all that they do to inspire our children and form them in the values of the Gospel, just like SS Peter & Paul whose feast we celebrate this week. We wish all a very pleasant break in the Summer.

Slieverue Active Retirement Association

Wednesday 2nd July chair yoga at 11.30am in St Mary's Hall followed at 12.50pm by General meeting this is the last meeting before our Summer break and we would appreciate it if everyone could attend. We return from our Summer break on Wednesday 3rd September.

St. Mary's Cathedral Restoration Draw Results for June 2025

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| 1st Prize €2,000 | 0030 | Laura Scott | St. Mary's |
| 2nd Prize €1,000 | 0868 | Jimmy Dobbyn | Tullaherin |
| 3rd Prize €500 | 0543 | Teddy Breen | St. Mary's |
| 4th Prize €300 | 1203 | Patrick Bowden | Lisdowney |
| 5th Prize €300 | 0870 | Olive Morrin | Tullaherin |
| 6th Prize €200 | 1248 | Joanne Murphy | Muckalee |
| 7th Prize €200 | 0916 | Rene Delaney | Tullaroan |
| 8th Prize €100 | 1125 | Statia Dullard | Johnstown |
| 9th Prize €100 | 0985 | R. & A. Marum | Lisdowney |
| 10th Prize €100 | 0493 | Br. Joe Killoran | Ferrybank |

Hope - for our Pilgrim Journey

The Priory Institute two week on-line Summer School is reflective, informative and interactive and will run from 11 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 click [here prioryinstitute.com](http://www.prioryinstitute.com)

Want to get more confident using your smartphone?

Join us for friendly, hands-on sessions designed to help you learn how to make the most of your device. Tuesday 8th & Wednesday 9th at 10.00am – 12:30pm or 1:00pm – 3:30pm in Ferrybank Library. Booking required – Call 051 897200 or Ferrybank@kilkennylibrary.ie

Church Collections

Ferrybank

7th & 8th June 2025

Envelopes €1,205.00
Offertory € 506.50
Holy Father (Peter's Pence Coll.) € 559.00

14th & 15th June 2025

Envelopes € 729.00
Offertory € 654.50

21st & 22nd June 2025

Envelopes € 728.00
Offertory € 687.50

Slieverue

21st & 22nd June 2025

Envelopes € 297.00
Offertory € 408.80
Children Spec. Ed. Needs € 35.00
Holy Father Collection € 40.00

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.

Counselling Services Towards Healing Confidential

Helpline: 1800 303 416 www.towardshealing.ie

Towards Peace Helpline: 01 5053028 www.towardspeace.ie

Congratulations!

Congratulations to all and especially to Br. Joe! Thanks to all members in the draw for your support.

Tickets are available in the Parish Office at a cost of €10 per month or €120 for the year. Please consider supporting our Diocesan Cathedral. *Be in to Win!*



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