

# FERRYBANK & SLIEVERUE PARISHES

**31<sup>st</sup> August 2025**

**Twenty Second Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C**

**Very Rev. Roderick Whearty P.P.**  
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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**

### **St. Mary's Cathedral, Kilkenny - Restoration Fund Draw**

Bishop Coll asks for your renewed support as the new draw begins in September. 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!*

### **Visitation of the Sick and Housebound**

Friday next, September 5th, 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.

### **The Society of St Vincent de Paul - Ferrybank Collection**

Our September monthly collection will take place next Sat. and Sun. 6th & 7th September. Many thanks as always for your continued support.

### **Sisters of the Sacred Heart of Mary, Madonna House, Ferrybank**

The Sisters wish to recruit a Kitchen Assistant with cooking experience. For more information contact Sr. Kate Nolan 086-408 3741 or Miriam Grace 086-022 2586

### **Kilmacow/Slieverue Community Employment Scheme Vacancies**

**Glenmore Community Hall** - Cleaner/Caretaker  
*Care & Management of Communal Hall & facilities*

**Kilmacow Village** - Caretaker/Cleaner Support  
*Care and maintenance adjacent buildings*

**Gardener** - *Care and maintenance Kilmacow Church, Cemetery and Village Environs*

**Mooncoin Parochial Hall** - Caretaker

*Office Administrative Support, hospitality and caretaking/ Care and maintenance of C.E. office and adjacent buildings*

**Mullinavat Community Centre**

*Front of House - Management Support for Mullinavat Communal Centre*  
19.5 hours per week. For further information please contact:  
Carmen 087 2864982 or Clive 085 7858691



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

### Recently Deceased

Seán O'Halloran, Glentulla, Newrath, Waterford, late of Kiltullagh, Athenry, Co. Galway and ex Chief Superintendent, An Garda Síochána

Patrick (Gally) Galvin, Rockshire Terrace, Ferrybank and formerly of Shortcourse and Sallypark Waterford

Patricia McMullen (née Brett), Hamilton, Ontario, Canada and formerly of Ard Mhuire, Ferrybank

Michael (Mick) Weafer, Mohurry, Kiltaly, Enniscorthy, Co. Wexford.

### Month's Mind

Sun. 11.30am Petcharin (Pet) Kanjana Mullane

### Anniversary

Sat. 6.00pm Colin & Marie Maher, Milepost

Sat. 7.00pm Teresa O'Brien (1<sup>st</sup> Anniv.)

Peter & Maura Purdue

Mary Hynes Power

Sun. 10.30am Marty Walsh, Rathpatrick

Sun. 11.30am Eileen Fleming

Eamon Ronan

Tues. 10.00am All on our Anniversary Lists

Mary Ann McLoughlin

Mary Murphy

Edward Murphy

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



### **Newly Baptised ...**

We welcome in to the Christian Community ...

**Sibéal Rose Walsh**

who was baptised recently in The Church of the Sacred Heart, Ferrybank.

Please keep her and her parents and god-parents in your prayers.



### **Congratulations**

Every blessing and good wishes to ...

**Gary O'Neill & Karen Carpendale** who were married recently in the **Church of The Sacred Heart, Ferrybank**

## 1 September as an annual World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation.

"Future generations will never forgive us if we miss the opportunity to protect our common home. We have inherited a garden; we must not leave a desert for our children." Joint statement from Pope Francis, the Ecumenical Patriarch Bartholomew and Archbishop Justin Welby of Canterbury.

This year's Season of Creation has as its theme "Peace with Creation", inspired by the passage from Isaiah 32:14-18;

"My people will abide in a peaceful habitation, in secure dwellings, and in quiet resting places."

In a world of challenges and division, marked by war and climate change, how can we as people of faith create and work towards peace with creation? The Season of Creation is marked throughout the Christian world from 1 September to 4 October (Feast of Saint Francis of Assisi) and celebrates the joy of creation as well as encouraging awareness-raising initiatives to protect the natural environment.

### Prayer for the Season of Creation 2025

Prince of Peace, through your wounds, teach us to stand in solidarity with the woundedness of others, of creation, and of the world. Through your resurrection, make us people of hope—with a vision of swords turned into ploughshares and tears transformed into joy. May we come together as one family, to labour for your peace—a shalom where all your people may dwell in safety, and rest in quiet places. Amen.

### Rosary Procession Monday 8<sup>th</sup> September 2025 Feast of the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Leaving Ballybricken Green, Waterford at 7.00pm, processing to Waterford Cathedral for prayers and closing ceremony.



### Anam Cara, the organisation that supports bereaved Parents

Anam Cara, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, will hold its monthly Support Evening for bereaved parents on **Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> September at 7.30pm 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 how recent their death was. You do not need to register in advance. Our next meeting will be 9<sup>th</sup> September.

We also offer an online support group meeting. To find out more call 01 4045378 or email [info@anamcara.ie](mailto:info@anamcara.ie)

### Slieverue Active Retirement

Slieverue Active Retirement returns from our Summer break on Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> September with Yoga in St Mary's parish Hall at 11.30am followed by meeting at 12.50pm. Just a reminder of our raffle tickets €5.00.



### CONCERT Benildus Parish Centre, Newtown, Waterford, X91 W659

Thursday, 25<sup>th</sup> September 2025 at 8:00 pm Ticket Price: €20

Ticket Sales: Sacristy at SS. Joseph & Benildus Church before or after Mass/Sacristy at St. Mary's Church,

Ballygunner before or after Mass/Parish Shop at SS Joseph & Benildus Church/

Parish Office at SS Joseph & Benildus Church

### Ferrybank Ministers of the Eucharist 6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup> September 2025

Saturday 7.00pm	Eileen Long & Ray Ryan
Sunday 9.30am	Michael/Breda Freyne & Mary McEvoy
Sunday 11.30am	Margaret Hughes//Br. Frank Brennan

### Ferrybank Ministers of the Word 6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup> September 2025

Saturday 7.00pm	Barbara Wells
Sunday 9.30am	Mary Griffin
Sunday 11.30am	Mary Walsh

### Slieverue Ministers of the Eucharist 6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup> September 2025

Saturday 6.00pm	Maria Tobin
Sunday 10.30am	Maria Condon & Harry Condon

### Slieverue Ministers of the Word 6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup> September 2025

Saturday 6.00pm	Keira Doyle
Sunday 10.30am	Kay Howard

*(New Rota for Slieverue Ministers of the Eucharist/Ministers of the Word available from the Sacristy)*

### 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 051-301450 Wexford 053-9198201/TUSLA: Kilkenny 052 6177302

### Counselling Services

Towards Healing Confidential Helpline: 1800 303 416 [www.towardshealing.ie](http://www.towardshealing.ie)

Towards Peace Helpline: 01 5053028 [www.towardspeace.ie](http://www.towardspeace.ie)



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