

# FERRYBANK & SLIEVERUE PARISHES

**25th January 2026**

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time Cycle A  
Sunday of the Word of God

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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**

### **Slieverue Parish New Monthly Envelopes for 2026**

Sincere thank you to the parishioners who collected/distributed the 2026 Parish Envelopes last weekend. Your help is much appreciated.

Any parishioner not already on our Envelope List, who would like to be included, please contact the Parish Office with your name and address.

### **Ossory pilgrimage to Lourdes**

The Ossory pilgrimage to Lourdes will take place from May 25 to May 30, 2026.

All bookings should be made through Joe Walsh Tours by telephone

01-2410800, or online [www.joewalshtours.ie/pilgrimages/group-diocesan-pilgrimages/](http://www.joewalshtours.ie/pilgrimages/group-diocesan-pilgrimages/) or by post to JWT 89 Harcourt Street, Dublin 2,

D02WY88. SPECIAL ASSISTED/SICK SECTION. Pilgrims who would like to travel with the Special Assisted Section should apply to Anna Colleton at [a.colleton@cbskilkenney.ie](mailto:a.colleton@cbskilkenney.ie) This special assisted/sick section is accommodated at the Accueil. Acceptance for travel with the special section for the sick is subject to the approval of the Pilgrimage Medical Board.

Early booking is advisable as space is limited to one plane load.

### **Recently Baptised**

We welcome to the Christian Community ... **Neansai Power** who was baptised recently in the Church of the Sacred Heart, Ferrybank and **Sadie Sheehan & Dylan Keating** who were also baptised recently in the Church of the Assumption, Slieverue.

Please keep them, their parents and their god-parents in your prayers.

### **Coffee Morning**

**in support of**

**St. Mary's Boys' National School, Ferrybank**  
**Tuesday 27th January 2026 at 10.30am,**  
**Hill's Field Community Centre, Belmont Rd., Ferrybank.**  
**All are most welcome!**



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

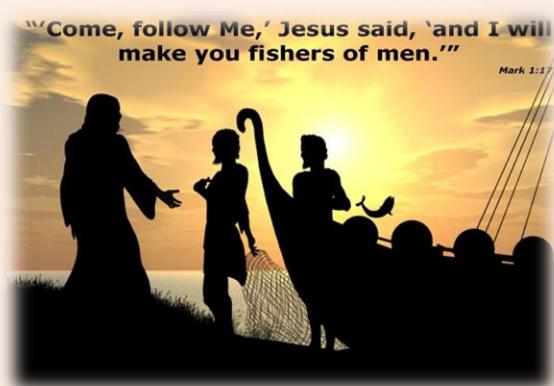
**Ferrybank Special Intention - M.E.D.**

**Slieverue Special Intention - B.H.**



**The Church of the Assumption Slieverue**

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



<b>Remembering all our loved ones who have died ...</b>	
<b>Recently Deceased</b>	
Sun. 11.30am	Larry Keogh St. Killian's Place, Ferrybank and late of Connolly Place, Waterford.
	Teresa Grace (née Keaney) Glengariff Crescent, Phibsboro, Dublin/Ferrybank.
	Esther Flynn (née Kavanagh), Dominick Place, Waterford.
	Martin Kirby, Larchville, Waterford.
Wed. 10.00am	Margaret Conafrey
<b>Month's Mind</b>	
Sat. 7.00pm	Johnny Treacy
<b>Anniversary</b>	
Sat. 7.00pm	Patrick & Margaret O'Reilly and their daughters Mary, Nellie & Peggy and their son Patrick (Futter) and sons in law Larry & Nicky
	Thomas (Tommy) O'Keeffe
	Paddy & Peggy Kennedy
	Maura, Gerry & Gary Cunningham
Sun. 9.30am	Pat Davin
	Chrissie & Paddy McLoughlin and their sons Tommy & Bernard
Sun. 10.30am	Michael & Lily Frisby, Ballinamona, Slieverue
	Richard & Catherine Kent, Ballymountain, Slieverue
Sun. 11.30am	Patrick Higgins
Mon. 10.00am	Patrick, Moira, Miriam & Eamon Cass
Tues. 10.00am	Dan & Mary Hurley and Tommy & Mary O'Leary
Fri. 10.00am	Austin Curtin (1 <sup>st</sup> Anniv.) Newrath/Slieverue
	Kay Dowling
	John Boco Drohan
	Mary Grey
	Michael & Jack Murphy, Killaspy
	<b>May they rest in peace ...</b>

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

Our February monthly collection will take place on **Saturday and Sunday the 7th & 8th February 2026**. Many thanks as always for your continued support.

## **St. Mary's Cathedral Restoration Draw**

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!*

## **Annual St. Brigid's Day Service at St. Canice's Catholic Church, Kilkenny.**

The Annual St. Brigid's Day Service will take place in St. Canice's Catholic Church, Dean Street, on Sunday, February 1st at 7.30 pm. Blessed red flannel, prayer cards, and water from St. Brigid's Well in Kildare will be available on the night. St. Brigid's Crosses will also be on sale. A collection will be taken in support of the Kilkenny Gospel Choir Outreach Programme.

## **Spiritual Exercises: Men's 5 Day Silent Ignatian Retreat**

Led by Benedictine monks from France on April 30<sup>th</sup> – Benburb Priory, Tyrone (1.5 hrs from Dublin) €450  
Visit [www.https://soutenir.clairval.comretreat-benburb-priory](https://soutenir.clairval.comretreat-benburb-priory)

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## **Slieverue Active Retirement Association**

Wednesday 28th January Chair Yoga at 11.30am in St Mary's Hall Slieverue followed by Bingo at 12.50pm and also knitting and crochet. Our Crafts are starting on Tuesday 20th at 2.00pm in St Mary's parish Hall. As usual we are looking for new members Male and female so why not come and join us and remember we are on the bus route and at suitable times.

## **South Kilkenny Historical Society Lecture ... A Kilkenny Man Looks Back**

Speaker: Liam Burke on Thursday, 29th January 2026 at 8pm in Mullinavat Parish Hall (opposite St. Beacon's church) Liam will look back at some social and sporting events.

## **Ferrybank Ministers of the Eucharist 31<sup>st</sup> Jan. & 1<sup>st</sup> Feb. 2026**

Saturday 7.00pm	Br. Joe Killoran & Angela O'Brien
Sunday 9.30am	Eileen Fitzpatrick & Margaret O'Driscoll
Sunday 11.30am	Paul Lyons & Michelle Byrne

## **Ferrybank Ministers of the Word 31<sup>st</sup> Jan. & 1<sup>st</sup> Feb. 2026**

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

## **Slieverue Ministers of the Eucharist 31<sup>st</sup> Jan. & 1<sup>st</sup> Feb. 2026**

Saturday 6.00pm	Alice Irish
Sunday 10.30am	Patricia Drennan & Mary Walsh

## **Slieverue Ministers of the Word 31<sup>st</sup> Jan. & 1<sup>st</sup> Feb. 2026**

Saturday 6.00pm	Keira Doyle
Sunday 10.30am	Kay Howard

## **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, Fintan Fanning 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**

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



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