

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.joewalshstours.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@cbskilkenny.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 in to the Christian Community ... **Neansaí 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 Sacred Heart
Ferrybank



The Church of the Assumption
Slieverue



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

"Come, follow Me," Jesus said, "and I will make you fishers of men."

Mark 1:17



Remembering all our loved ones who have died ...

Recently Deceased

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

Month's Mind

Sat. 7.00pm Johnny Treacy

Anniversary

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 (1st Anniv.)
Newrath/Slieverue

Kay Dowling

John Boco Drohan

Mary Grey

Michael & Jack Murphy, Killaspy
May they rest in peace ...

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 Ignation Retreat

Led by Benedictine monks from France on April 30th – Benburb Priory, Tyrone (1.5 hrs from Dublin) €450

Visit www.soutenir.clairval.comretreat-benburb-priory

Radio Maria

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Why not drop a line to our Spiritual Director, Fr Des Farren by text on 089 467 2000, by phone on 01 412 3456, or come and pay us a visit at Radio Maria Ireland, St. Anthony's Business Park, Ballymount Road, Dublin 22. D22 R7W2.

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 31st Jan. & 1st 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 31st Jan. & 1st Feb. 2026

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

Slieverue Ministers of the Eucharist 31st Jan. & 1st Feb. 2026

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

Slieverue Ministers of the Word 31st Jan. & 1st Feb. 2026

Saturday 6.00pm	Keira Doyle
Sunday 10.30am	Kay Howard

Church Collections 17th & 18th Jan. 2026

Ferrybank

Envelopes	€ 668.50
Offertory	€ 788.50

Slieverue

Envelopes	€ 80.00
Offertory	€ 373.25

Once again many thanks to all 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, Fintan Fanning at 085 802 1633 or Email: @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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