

Ferrybank Parish Bulletin

29th November, 2015.

Advent Wreath

At all the Masses this weekend we will have the traditional blessing of the Advent wreath and the lighting of the first candle.

Christmas List 2015

We are now putting together the List of names of those you would like to have remembered at Mass this Christmas. If you would like to have someone included please drop the names in to the Parish Office.

An Evening of TAIZE

Friday 4th December at 8pm

Edmond Rice Chapel, Mount Sion

With the Island of Ireland Peace Choir.

All welcome.

World Youth Day 2016

World Youth Day 2016 will take place in Poland at the end of July 2016. Pope Francis will attend and will lead the Way of the Cross on Friday, the overnight vigil on Saturday and celebrating Mass on Sunday, 31st July. The Diocese of Ossory invite young people to attend. Young people (over 18's) are invited to make contact through wyd@ossory.ie or Fr. Richard Scriven(087 2420033) or Derek Dooley(087 9384242) for further information.

Ossory Diocese

Pilgrimage to Rome for the special Year of Mercy

August 29th - September 3rd 2016

For full details and booking contact

Ossory Adult Faith Development

Tel. 056-7753624

Email: afd@ossory.ie

Pilgrimage Chaplain Fr. Kieran O'Shea

Coffee Morning

St. Mary's Cathedral Restoration Fund.

The Social & Fundraising Committee will host a Christmas Coffee Morning on **Tuesday morning next 1st December** in the Parish Centre from 10.30am to 12 noon. Adm. €3 with Sales Table & Raffle. All proceeds in support of St. Mary's Cathedral, Restoration Fund. All are welcome and we look forward to seeing you there!

The Brothers of Charity

Christmas Craft Fair

Ferrybank Library

Thurs. 3rd December to Fri. 4th inclusive 10:00am – 4:00pm

Lots of lovely gift ideas - Christmas Logs, Wood Crafts, Plants, Kindling, Knitwear, Raffle and much more!

Annual Christmas Collection

Ferrybank Conference

Society of St. Vincent de Paul

Our annual Christmas Collection will take place outside the Church at Masses on **5th and 6th December**. Your support and donations are urgently needed and will be deeply appreciated. All monies received will be used to assist needy families in Ferrybank parish.

The Conference wish to make a correction to the total amount raised at their recent Coffee Morning held on 10th November last. The final figure was **€723** and not €700 as previously printed. Apologies for any confusion caused!

Christmas Fayre at St. Joseph's Care Home

The Little Sisters of the Poor at St. Joseph's Care Home, Ferrybank are hosting a Christmas Fayre on Saturday 5th December from 2pm with Christmas Crafts, Cakes and Raffle with lots of prizes. All are most welcome!

Waterford Citizens Information Centre

37 Lower Yellow Road, Waterford City

The clinic will be providing Free Confidential Information on many issues including, Social Welfare, Medical cards, employment law etc., no appointments necessary. Waterford CIS, 37 Lower Yellow Road, 0761 07 6580, email waterford@citinfo.ie.

Mooncoin Christmas Fair

Mooncoin Christmas Fair to take place on Sunday, 29th November @ 1.30pm in the Parish Hall, all the usual stalls and more;

Cakes/Toys/Fruit & Veg/Spinning Wheel etc etc. Santa will also pay us a visit!

Slieverue & District A.R.A.

A reminder that Annual Mass will be celebrated in **Slieverue Church on Wed. Dec. 2nd at 2.15 p m.** All are welcome. Members are requested to hand in cakes, tarts etc. to committee in St. Mary's Parish centre, between **1pm & 1.30pm.**

Christmas dinner at Athenaeum House Hotel on **Fri. Dec. 11th at 6.30pm and the cost is €25.** Don't forget to bring along **a little prize** for a raffle.

Ferrybank Scout Group

Members of the Ferrybank Scout Group will be selling 'Twelve Days of Christmas' tickets door to door from 5th to 12th December. Tickets are €2 each. As always your support is very much appreciated!
