

Ferrybank Parish Bulletin

22nd November, 2015.

Special Collection for Ossory Priests Society

This weekend there will be a Special Collection for The Ossory Priests Society which is responsible for making suitable financial provision for sick and retired priests in the Diocese of Ossory. Currently 16 Priest in the Diocese are being provided for. The special collection will be taken up as part of the Offertory Collection . Your continued support and generosity is very much appreciated.

St. Mary's Cathedral Restoration Fund

Draw tickets are available at the Parish Office. €10 per month. The December Draw will be brought forward to **16th December**. If possible could the money for November and December be paid in November.

Youth 2000 Christmas Retreat 2015

“Here I am Lord, I come to do your will“. (Psalm 40: 7-8)

Newbridge College, Newbridge, Co. Kildare

18th to 20th December 2015

Strictly 16 to 35 years of age

This promises to be a special retreat!!

Great CRAIC!!, Excellent Speakers, Inspiring Talks & Workshops, Fantastic music, Group activities, Youth Masses, Adoration, Reconciliation, prayer, Drama, Games & plenty of time to chill out, meet new people and find out what it means to be young & Catholic today!!

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.

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

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Pilgrimage Chaplain Fr. Kieran O'Shea

St. Mary's Cathedral Restoration Fund

Super Auction

Saturday, November 28th, 2015

O'Loughlin Gaels Sports Complex,

Hebron Road, Kilkenny

Original paintings, garden and household furniture, antiques, firewood, crockery, lamps, toys, etc.

Viewing - 10am. Auction begins 11.30am

Catalogue €3. Enquiries re. advertisements in catalogue please contact 086 828 3478 (quarter page - €40; half page - €60; full page - €100)

South Kilkenny Historical Society Lecture

World War I - An Overview

Dr. Pat McCarthy

Thursday, November 26th at 8pm

Mullinavat Parish Hall (opposite church)

Admission: €5 (members and students free)

All welcome

Christmas Fayre

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!

Slieverue & District A.R.A.

Annual Mass on **Wednesday, Dec. 2nd at 2.15pm.** All are welcome. Usual refreshments afterwards in St. Mary's Parish Centre. "Chairobics" continues **next Wednesday at 12.45pm. €3p.p.** Christmas Dinner at The Athenaeum Hotel on **Friday, Dec. 11th. €25 p.p.** **Please have money in an envelope with your name on any Wednesday up to 2nd Dec.**

A.G.M. on Wed. Jan.13th. Membership fee of **€20** to be paid at the meeting.

Thank You

The Parent's Association of Our Lady of Good Counsel Girl's School would very much like to thank everyone who came and supported their recent Quiz Night. Thanks to all who bought tickets or donated spot prizes. A special thanks to our Quiz Master and Score Keepers and to Flynn's Bar. €960 was raised for the School and a great night was had by all!

Ferrybank Ladies A.R.A.

There will be no meeting this month. We will see you all in Dooley's Hotel on Thursday 3rd December before 7.15pm for Dinner followed by the Joe Dolan Tribute Act.
