

# Ferrybank Parish Bulletin

Sunday 24th Sept., 2017.

**Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

## Dates for the Diary - 2018

**Saturday April 14th, 2018 - Sacrament of Confirmation**

**Saturday May 12th, 2018 - First Holy Communion**

## October Stations

The October Stations are being taken up next weekend. This collection is for the support of the Priests of the Parish. Thank you for your generosity.

## Mission Month

1st October marks the beginning of Mission Month, the annual worldwide Catholic celebration for the church's missionary activity. October gives us the opportunity to unite with our missionary brothers and sisters through spiritual and material support. The theme for 2017 is '*Reach Out and Spread the Joy*'.

## AIM HIGH Parish Ministry for Young People

The AIM HIGH Parish Ministry Programme was developed to encourage young people to take an active part in their Church, parish and community.

AIM HIGH is open to all young people 16 years and over. The award is flexible, non-competitive and requires an ongoing commitment. The program is coordinated through the Parish, in conjunction with parish organisations, second level schools and youth clubs. If you are interested or know someone

who would be interested please contact the Parish Office Tel. 051-830813 for more information!

## Found

Pair of Glasses found - for more information contact the Parish Office.

## Ossory Vocations

If you think God is calling you to the priesthood contact Fr. Kieran O'Shea, Ossory Vocations Director at [ossoryvocdir@gmail.com](mailto:ossoryvocdir@gmail.com)

## St. Mary's Cathedral Restoration Fund

Next Draw takes place on Wednesday next 27th Sept., at 8pm. Last month we had a Winner - this month it could be You! Tickets are available at the Parish Office.

## St. Vincent de Paul

The monthly collection for the St. Vincent de Paul will take place **next weekend Sat. & Sun. 30th Sept & 1st October, 2017.** Your support as always is greatly appreciated!

## Coffee Morning - Ferrybank Conference of the St. Vincent de Paul

The Social & Fundraising Committee will host a Coffee Morning on **Tuesday morning next, September 26th from 10.30am to 12 noon in the Ferrybank Parish Centre.** There will be a Sales Table and a Raffle. Adm. is €3 and all proceeds raised will be in support of the Ferrybank Conference of the St. Vincent de Paul. Please come along and bring a friend!

**Days of Recollection at St. Benedict's Priory, Cobh.**

Last Saturday of every Month. 9am - 3.30pm. Reflect on different themes guided by the spirituality of Servant of God Marie Adele Garnier. For more information contact Mother Prioress on 021 4811 354. Next one is 30th September - All Welcome

**Sacred Heart Church Choir**

The Sacred Heart Church Choir sing at **11am Mass each Sunday**. We practice on Monday nights from 7.30-8.30pm in the Church. If you sing and are interested in joining please contact any of the members or just come up to the Choir Gallery any Sunday at 11am. We look forward to welcoming you.

**Music Classes in Piltown**

The popular music classes will resume shortly on Thursday evenings in The Piltown Community Centre. These work shops are completely FREE of charge to adults and are sponsored by the Parish together with Kilkenny & Carlow Education and Training Board. Anyone interested, should contact Tutor Noel.oregan@kilkennycarlowetb.ie. Or 085 7063811

**South Kilkenny Historical Society Lecture**

The Origins of Waterford Glass

Speaker: Dr. Martin Hearne

Thursday, September 28th at 8pm

Mullinavat Parish Hall (opposite church)

Admission: €5 (society members and students free)

All welcome

**Ferrybank & District A.R.A.**

Our next meeting is Wednesday 4th October at 2pm. All are welcome!

**The Ferrybank Community - SPLIT THE POT Results (Week 38)**

**3rd Prize €20 - Eamon Walsh 2nd Prize €30 - Stephen Malone 1st Prize €91 - Billy & Bernie**

*Organised by Ferrybank Community Development Residents Group*

**Prayer for our Parish**

**O, God Our heavenly Father, we ask you to bless the people of our parish.**

**Keep us strong in our faith and willing to do your work as true followers of Christ.**

**We ask this through Christ, Our Lord. Amen.**