

## **Ferrybank Parish Bulletin 29th April, 2018.**

### **Fifth Sunday of Easter**

#### **The Missionary Sisters**

Sr. Imakulata of the Holy Spirit Missionaries wishes to thank the people of Ferrybank Parish for their very kind welcome recently, the assurance of remembrance in prayer and for their generosity. It is very much appreciated. The collection in support of the Missions came to €1,100.

#### **New Weekly Envelopes**

Next weekend, **May 5th/6th** sees the start of a new Envelope Year. Parishioners will receive a new box of weekly envelopes. **We would ask that you tear up any remaining envelopes from last years box.** If you do not receive a box of Church Envelopes and would like to, please contact the Parish Office on 051-830813.

If you are new in the Parish and would like to subscribe to Parish Funds please fill in the slip at the back of the Church and hand it in to the Parish Office or the Sacristy. Your box of Envelopes will be ready in a few days.

We ask anyone who kindly distributes the new envelopes each year to please call to the Parish Office during the coming week to collect their envelopes.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank all those who work so hard to help organise and distribute the envelopes each year and also to thank people for their continued generous support of the parish and its work.

#### **Music Ministry Together 2018**

A five day residential Summer School for youth and adult leaders. This is an intergenerational for all those who have a passion for liturgical music and the desire to serve as ministers in their parishes, schools and communities. It is led by well known Composer, Teacher and Liturgical Musician, Ian Callinan. The cost is €320 which includes meals & accommodation. For more information contact Therese 087-679 0336 or Ian 086-249 0779.

#### **CanCare4living**

The charitable organisation CanCare4living is hosting an important meeting for survivors of childhood and adolescent cancer, which is to be held in the Talbot Hotel, Carlow on the evening of May 3rd next. We would like to reach as many survivors, their families and interested healthcare workers in the region as possible. Please contact Helen on 086 313 0352 or email [cancare4living.ie](mailto:cancare4living.ie)

#### **St. Vincent de Paul**

The monthly collection for the St. Vincent de Paul will take place **next weekend Sat. & Sun. 5th & 6th May, 2018.** As always your support is greatly appreciated!

#### **Charity Garden Open Day**

Abbey Road Gardens, Abbey Road has a very special event on Saturday May 12th in aid of the Pinegrove Centre for Alzheimer's and

Dementia. Gates open from 11 a m to 3 p m . Come and see this lovely garden , enjoy a cup of tea and cake and browse the stalls. Suggested donation €5 which includes tea. Please come and support this great cause .

Monies raised this year will be used to purchase a large screen television for the Centre.

**Slieverue & District A.R.A.**

Monthly meeting on Wednesday next May 2nd at 2pm preceded by Committee Meeting.

There are some places left on the Coach to Faithlegg House Hotel on Wednesday May 16th. Cost to include Coach Fare is €30.

Coach departure times as follows:-

**Kilmacow at 2pm**

**Grotto at 2.15pm**

**Slieverue at 2.30pm**

‘Chairobics’ continues on May 2nd; 9th; 23rd and 30th at 12.45pm.

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

Our next meeting will be held on Wednesday May 2nd at 2pm in the Ferryfun Childcare Centre. Hope to see you all there!

**Volunteer, Make a Difference!!**

Foróige Ferrybank Youth Services are hosting information evening on Tuesday 1st May 7.30-8.30pm in the Parish Centre to recruit new volunteers.

You may have the skills we require, from working with young people to fundraising to IT skills. Opportunities are limitless!

Why not call in for a chat to find out more?

Contact Aileen 086-6035457 or Karen 086-6478637.

**Ferrybank's SPLIT THE POT WK 17**

**3rd Prize €20 Albert Kearns**

**2nd Prize €30 Breda Russell**

**1st Prize €70 Benny Egan**

*Organised by Ferrybank Community Development Residents Group*

**St. Mary's Restoration Fund Draw**

The April Draw took place on Wednesday evening last April 25th. The results are as follows:-

1st Prize	€2,000	1254	Marian Fennelly	Thomastown
2nd Prize	€1,000	1593	Marie Fitzpatrick	Borris in Ossory
3rd Prize	€	500	0409 SVP Coon	Muckalee
4th Prize	€	300	0970 Mairead Corcoran	Inistioge
5th Prize	€	300	0152 Milo Maher	Ballyragget
6th Prize	€	200	0695 ‘Game Ball’	St. Mary's
7th Prize	€	200	1016 Sr. Pius Murphy	St. Mary's
8th Prize	€	100	0763 Mena Dwyer	St. Mary's
9th Prize	€	100	0902 Thomas Dermody	Callan
10th Prize	€100	0165	Jack McNamara	St.Canice's

If you wish to become a member/subscriber you are most welcome to join at the Ferrybank

Parish Office!