

Ferrybank Parish Bulletin, 28h October, 2018.

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Thursday - 1st November All Saints

Vigil Mass will be celebrated at **7.30pm** on Wednesday 31st Oct. and **10am & 11am** on Thursday 1st November, 2018.

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All Saints

In commemorating all the saints in heaven we give thanks to God for the inspiration which their witness continues to give us. Though not known to us by name, these are the women and men who showed perseverance and trust in their pilgrim journey of faith. They faced life with confidence and hope and now rejoice in God's presence.

Friday - 2nd November

The Commemoration of all the Faithful Departed (All Soul's Day)

Mass will be celebrated at 10am.

November Offerings

The November Offering Collection for the support of the Priests of the Parish is being taken up next Sunday. The Priests of the Parish offer an Octave of Masses during November for the Holy Souls and the Faithful Departed of the Parish. There are printed leaflets on which to write the names of your loved ones to be remembered during November. These may be placed in the intentions box before the altar.

Annual Commemoration Service

The Annual Commemoration Service for all who are buried in our cemetery will take place next **Sunday, November 4th at 3.00pm in Ferrybank Church.**

We remember in a special way those whose funerals were celebrated in the parish during the past 12 months.

If you have a family member who died outside the parish during the year please leave in their names to Angela in the Parish Office before 1 pm on Thursday 1st November and a candle will be prepared for them and their names remembered during the Liturgy.

The Pope's Intentions November 2018

Universal - In the Service of Peace

That the language of love and dialogue may always prevail over the language of conflict.

St. Vincent de Paul

The monthly collection for the St. Vincent de Paul will take place **next weekend Sat. & Sun. 3rd & 4th November, 2018.** As always your support is greatly appreciated!

Slieverue & District A.R.A.

Monthly meeting on Wednesday Nov. 7th preceded by committee meeting at 1pm. Guest speaker is Brian Corrigan who will give information on Cruises to Spain & Portugal. Please bring €40 in an envelope to cover cost of Coach to Newbridge & Kildare village & Dinner in Dolmen Hotel on Wed. Dec. 12th. Guided tour of Newbridge factory is €7(optional), Museum is €5.

Congratulations to our faithful member, Mrs. Lily Breen, who celebrates her 95th birthday this weekend!

A Few Thoughts from Fr Kieran!

In the gospel this weekend we hear Jesus ask Bartimaeus - What do you want me to do for you? Maybe as part of our prayer during the coming week we could sit quietly for a few moments and hear Jesus asking you

and me - What do you want me to do for you? Then speak to him, tell him your story and what you would like him to do for you in these days.

Last weekend you did a lot for the Missions by your contribution to our second collection. The amount collected was €1170. Thank you for your great generosity.

During this past week the Boys School said farewell to Ms. Bríd Powell who retires after forty years of service. We give thanks for her commitment and generous service to the school and community. Speaking of all things school - children have enjoyed a day off for the presidential election and all our schools are now heading on mid term. To students and staff have a great break!

We are also entering the month of November a time of prayer for all our loved ones who have died. All your dead will be remembered during our Masses and prayers throughout November. I am looking forward to celebrating with you (for the first time!) the Remembrance Service for your loved ones on Sunday 4th November.

Deise Draw 2018

Ferrybank G.A.A. Club would like to thank the people who bought tickets in the Deise Draw in 2018. Your generosity enables us provide the facilities to help many of the young boys and girls work toward a brighter sporting future.

The last Deise Draw of 2018 takes place on Wednesday next October 31st in Cappoquin. Best of luck to all our members! Thank you again and we look forward to your continued support.

Padraic Hayden won €200 in the September Draw and Tracey Whelan, Rockenham was the club members winner.

Night at the Dogs

Ferrybank G.A.A. Club Annual Greyhound Benefit Night in association with Surehaul and Rolor Commercials Ltd., takes place on Saturday November 17th at the Kilcohan Greyhound Stadium, starting at 7.45pm. Tickets are on sale from any committee member and we would ask all

members, players, supporters and families to come along and support this great night out. The main door prize will be kindly sponsored by Harvey Travel, Gladstone Street - a weekend away in the four star Castlerosse Hotel, Kilarney, which includes breakfast and one evening meal. The second prize, an attic stairs and fitting, is kindly sponsored by Murphy & Larkin Carpentry Services

Bridge lessons

Bridge lessons will commence in Ferrybank in the coming weeks - date and venue to be confirmed. Please contact Eileen at: 0876797407 for further information.

Edmund Rice English Classes

Mount Sion, Waterford.

Have you some free time? Would like to help people with little or no English? We are looking for volunteers. Please contact Jenny Egan 087-687 8706 for more information!

Ferrybank's SPLIT THE POT Results Week 43

3rd Prize €20 - Amy Kelly

2nd Prize €30 - Fr. Jim Crotty

1st Prize €72 - Ger Walsh

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