

Ferrybank Parish Bulletin

4th November, 2018.

Thirty First Sunday in Ordinary Time

A few thoughts from Fr. Kieran!

In the gospel this weekend Jesus clearly reminds us that love of God and love of Neighbour go hand in hand. You can't have one without the other. Many people experience the love of God and Neighbour at the time of bereavement. The death of a loved one leaves us in a vulnerable place, with the pain of loss only being eased by the support of family, friends, neighbours - through the kindness of others we see the loving face of God.

This Sunday at 3 pm we gather to show our love for our neighbours who have been bereaved and to remember their loved ones who have died. Remembering is not only a sign of our love for our departed family members and friends but also an expression of faith in the resurrection of the dead.

Being a member of the Christian community is also about loving God and Neighbour. During the coming week I will meet the Pastoral Council, our safeguarding Representatives and the Finance Committee of the Parish. May the Lord bless all who are involved in the various ministries and all of you our parishioners and friends and help us to discern the road he is calling us to travel as a parish community.

Annual Commemoration Service

The Annual Commemoration Service for all who are buried in our cemetery will take place today Sunday, November 4th at 3.00pm in Ferrybank Church. All are welcome to attend!

November Offerings

The November Offering Collection for the support of the Priests of the Parish is being taken up this weekend. 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.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

The Little Sisters of the Poor will have Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament this Sunday, Nov. 4th, beginning at 3pm and concluding with Evening Prayer & Benediction at 5.30pm in their Chapel. All are most welcome!

Ferrybank Parish Pastoral Council

There will be a meeting of The Parish Pastoral Council on Wednesday next, November 7th at 7pm in the Parish Office.

Parish Finance Committee

There will be a meeting of the Parish Finance Committee on Thursday next, November 8th at 7pm in the Parish Office.

Meeting of Parish Safeguarding Representatives

Meeting at 12 noon on Friday 9th November in the Parish Office.

St Mary's Cathedral Restoration Fund

The eighth Draw of the St Mary's Cathedral Restoration Fund took place and the Draw Results are as follows:-

1st Prize €2000

0117 Kathleen Conway, Tullaherin

2nd Prize €1000

1581 M. & P. Egan, Windgap

3rd Prize €500

0246 Bernadeete Smyth, Callan

4th Prize €300

0538 Leo McAdams, St. Patrick's
5th Prize €300

0608 Rita Jones, Borris in Ossory
6th Prize €200

1377 Cathedral Fund, Ballyragget
7th Prize €200

0164 James Hollohan, St. Canice's
8th Prize €100

0751 Luke Connery, St. Mary's
9th Prize €100

0959 Norah Reilly, St. Mary's
10th Prize € 100

0604 Fr. J. Robinson,
Borris in Ossory

If you wish to accept the invitation to be a member/subscriber in the fundraiser, you're most welcome to join at the Ferrybank Parish Office.

World Day of Remembrance for Road Traffic Victims

Sunday 18th November, 2018 at 2.30pm

Tower Hotel, Waterford

Giving us an opportunity to remember those who have died on our roads and the families, friends and communities who have been devastated by their loss and also we remember those who have survived with life altering injuries. For thousands of families around the country, their lives are forever changed as a result of a collision.

Éigse Sliabh Rua - Uí Deá

9th - 18th November, 2018.

Fri. 9th Nov. - Official Opening at The Rhu Glen Hotel with Bishop of Waterford & Lismore

Sat. 10th Nov. - Historical Tour for Children - leaving Slieverue School at 10am

Sun. 11th Nov. - Éigse Mass in Slieverue Church at 10am

Concert with Various Musicians The Rhu Glen at 8pm

Tues. 13th Nov. - An Historical Recall, Rower Parish Hall 8pm

Thurs. 15th Nov. - War of Independence & Civil War in Co. Kilkenny - John O'Donovan Centre, Slieverue at 8pm

Sat. 17th Nov. - Guided Tour of the unique clustered form villages of Mooncoin & Carrigeen - meeting at Carrigeen Church Carpark at 2.30pm
For more information on all of the events contact 051-832482.

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. Chairbics every Wednesday at 12.45.

Lost/Found

There was a Key found in the Rockenham Area. For more information contact the Parish Office.

Ferrybank G.A.A. Club Annual Greyhound Benefit Night

Saturday November 17th Kilcohan Greyhound Stadium starting at 7.45pm.

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Tickets from any committee member! With fantastic Door Prizes