

## FERRYBANK PARIS

15<sup>th</sup> September, 2019. Twenty Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

(Cycle C)

### The celebration of Baptism

Following a meeting of the Pastoral Council new dates and requirements for the celebration of Baptism have been agreed.

Parents who wish to have a child baptised are required to attend a pre baptism information evening which is held on the third Tuesday of every month except during July & August. To book a place contact the Parish Office 051 830813.

From October 2019 Baptisms will be celebrated on the first Sunday of the month at 1pm alternating with Slieverue every other month.

Baptism will also be celebrated on the third Saturday of the month at 3pm in Ferrybank and if the number of children to be baptised exceeds four a further time will be available at 4pm.

Baptism may also be celebrated at the last Mass on Sunday in the parish.

(However a funeral takes precedence.)

Baptism is celebrated **only** on the dates given.

The Parishes reserve the right to change dates if necessary.

Please circulate dates and times 2019/2020 to family members who wish to have a baptism in Ferrybank & especially those living abroad so that they can make travel arrangements to coincide with the dates available.

The dates of Baptism and the preparation meetings are available from the Parish Office and will be placed on our notice board and also published on our parish website.

### First Communion

A meeting for parents who wish their child to receive First Holy Communion will be held on Tuesday night (17th September) at 7pm. The dates of first confession, first communion and details of the communion preparation programme will be made available on the night.

### Altar Servers Needed!

We are blessed with the very good Altar Servers we have in our parish and the time has come to add to their numbers! **The ministry of Altar Server is open to Girls and Boys from third class upwards and even into secondary school.** If your child would like to become an Altar Server please call to the Sacristy after Mass for an application form or to the Parish Office during the week. Parents should be assured that safeguarding is taken very seriously and all who work with young people in the Church community are required to be Garda Vetted. It is hoped that if we get any volunteers a parents group could be formed to help with the Altar Servers.

### Ministers of the Eucharist September 2019

#### Saturday Vigil 7.30pm

**Michael Freyne, Angela O'Brien & Mary White**

#### Sunday 10.00am

**Mary Ryan, Margaret O'Driscoll & Eileen Fitzpatrick**

#### Sunday 11.30am

**Ann O'Neill, Maria Ronan & Paddy Grant**

### Ministers of the Word

**Saturday 21st September 7.30pm Yvette Purdue**

**Sunday 22nd September 10.00am Cléir Tierney**

**Sunday 22nd September 11.30am Christine Malone**

### Weekly Church Collections

Offertory Collection €671 Envelope Collection €1102

Many thanks to all who contribute weekly, monthly and annually, as well as those who pay by Standing Order. Your support is greatly appreciated.

### **National Hospice Coffee Morning**

The Ferrybank Hospice Support Group will hold a Coffee Morning on **Tuesday next, September 17th** from 10.30am to 12 noon in the Parish Centre. Sales Table & Raffle. Support your local Hospice by coming to Ireland's biggest Coffee Morning!

### **Legion of Mary Day Pilgrimage to Knock**

Legion of Mary Day Pilgrimage to Knock on Sunday 29th Sept. 2019. Bus Fare €30. MEALS EXTRA and a matter for Pilgrim. Bus departing - Super Valu/PTSB/Hypermarket/Sports Direct Entrance 6.30am. Bus will stop at Bridge House, Tullamore on way to and from Knock. Contact No. 087 7148100 (May) as soon as possible or any other Member of Legion. Other pick up points - Murphys Garage, Glenmore 6.15am, Slieverue Church 6.20am, Ferrybank Church 6.25 am, and Rising Sun, Mullinavat 6.50am.

### **Sacred Heart Church Choir**

We are looking for new members - both men & women. We sing at 11.30am 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 11.30am. We look forward to welcoming you.

### **Traditional Latin Mass at the Cathedral**

A Traditional Latin Mass with Gregorian Chant will be celebrated on Sunday 22nd September at 10am in Holy Trinity Cathedral, Barronstrand Street, Waterford City. All are most welcome.

### **Monthly Day of Recollection**

*Monthly Day of Recollection in the spirituality of the Servant of God*

*Mother Marie Adele Garnier.*

St. Benedict's Priory, Cobh, Co. Cork.

**Saturday 28th September.**

The theme is "Heart speaks to heart". First talk 11am. Mass at 9am at the Priory or 10am at the Cathedral. Lunch provided. Cost is Donation and ends with tea at 3.30pm

### **South Kilkenny Historical Society Lecture**

*'An immigrant family's memories of South Kilkenny who helped shape a modern Ireland'*

Speaker: Senator Ivana Bacik on Thursday, 26th September, 2019 at 8pm in Mullinavat Parish Hall (opposite church).

### **Badminton Mullinavat Hall**

New members welcome, all levels catered for. Monday nights, 8pm to 9.30pm. Cost €5.00. Good fun and exercise. Contact Eileen on 087 9378322 for queries or just come along and check it out.

### **Ferrybank Library**

FREE Computer Classes – In conjunction with Age Action we are running one-to-one training on computers, tablets and smartphones to people over the age of 55. If you have not attended this class already but would like to participate, please contact Ferrybank Library on 051 897200 to register. Irish Circle – Do you enjoy a chat as Gaeilge? Ferrybank's Ciorcal Cómhra meets every second Thursday at 11:30am in Ferrybank Library. Please feel free to come along and join in. You will be welcomed with a céad mile fáilte! The next ciorcal is Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> Sept @ 11:30am. All are welcome! For further details contact the library on 051 897200 or email [ferrybank@kilkennylibrary.ie](mailto:ferrybank@kilkennylibrary.ie)

### **SAFEGUARDING OUR CHILDREN**

**If you have a safeguarding concern contact**

**The Diocesan Designated Liaison Person, Mr Cathal Cullen, 087 100 0232 - email [dlp@ossory.ie](mailto:dlp@ossory.ie).**

**Our Parish Safeguarding Representatives are: Breda Freyne & Gerard Hughes**