

6th January, 2018. The Epiphany of the Lord

# Ferrybank Parish Bulletin



*We remember in our Masses  
this week ...*

## Month's Mind

**Josie Harney (Sun. 10am)**

## Anniversaries

**Josephine & John McDonald and  
their sons Jim & Paddy  
(Sat. 7.30pm)**

**Hughie O'Neill (1st Anniv.)  
(Sun. 11.30am)**

**Maureen Culleton & Family  
(Sun. 11.30am)**

**Mike & Mary Dooley and their son  
Michael and daughter in law Kay  
(Sun. 11.30am)**

**Christie Murphy (Tue. 10am)**

**Michael & Kathleen O'Keeffe  
(Wed. 10am)**

**Josephine Minogue (Thurs. 10am)**

**O'Keeffe, McGrath & Norton  
Families and Charlotte Welch  
(Fr. 10am)**

**Tom Morrissey**

**Brendan Hughes**

**Hannah (Patsy) McGavock**

**Krystyna Niedbala**

**Peter Larkin**

**Bridget O'Keeffe**

*May they rest in peace ...*

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*We welcome into the Christian  
Community through  
the Sacrament of Baptism ...*

**Leon Moore & Griffin Freeman**

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## New Mass Times

Saturday Vigil 7.30pm

Sunday 10am & 11.30am

Daily Mass Monday to Friday  
10am

## Sacrament of Confession

Available each Saturday  
evening after Vigil at 7.30pm

## Sacrament of Baptism

Celebrated on First & Third  
Saturday of every month at  
4pm

The Feast of the Epiphany is celebrated on 6th January. This feast is also called Little Christmas and Women's Christmas (Nollaig na mban). The Three Kings have arrived from the East to honour the Infant Jesus. They were directed by a star to Bethlehem. They knew that a King was born who deserved homage and respect and they knelt to worship Him and offered Him precious gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh.  
**May God guide us and set us on the right course. Amen**

## Weekly Church Collections

Christmas Offertory Collection €2,115

Offertory Collection € 855

Envelope Collection € 1,145

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

## Priests' Christmas Collection

Our thanks to all who contributed to the Christmas Collection for the priests of the parish. If you were away or forgot, your contribution can be left in the collection box at the end of the Church or at the Parish Office.

## Parish Contributions by Direct Debit

Anyone who wishes to make their contribution to the Church by direct debit are welcome to do so. Forms are now available in the Parish Office and you can either collect one there or ring Angela on 051-830813 and a form will be forwarded to you.

## Safeguarding Our Children

If you have a safeguarding concern contact the

Diocesan Designated Liaison Person:- **Mr. Cathal Cullen on 087-100 0232.**

The Parish Safeguarding Representatives are:- **Breda Freyne & Gerry Hughes**

## Visiting the Sick

If you or someone you know is housebound and would like a visit from Fr. Kieran, please let us know.

## Slieverue & District A.R.A.

A G M on Wednesday next at 2pm preceded by committee meeting at 1pm.

Please bring € 22 in an envelope for annual membership.

Croke Park outing will be on Wednesday April 10th 2019. If you intend travelling please bring €26 in a separate envelope!

Full details on local papers or Contact 0863257743.

## Ferrybank's SPLIT THE POT Results Week 1

3rd Prize €20 - Ruth Carberry

2nd Prize €30 - Claire Smith Baldwin

1st Prize €50 - Charlotte Daniels

*Organised by Ferrybank Community Development Residents Group*

## A Prayer for the New Year

May you awake each morning with 'thank you' on your lips and in your heart, recognizing that all is gift, that all is blessing.

May your friendship with God be strong and healthy.

May that love be both a comfort and a challenge as you struggle to find your way in the New Year May you be the one with welcome in your smile

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**Fr. Kieran, Fr. Jim & Fr. Liam would like to wish everyone a Happy New Year with many blessings on you and your families.**