

Fossa Parish Pastoral Council and Finance Committee offer "C ad M le F ilte" to all our visitors. We invite you to consider supporting the upkeep of our Christ, the Prince of Peace Church and grounds by means of our "Donate a Slate" campaign as outlined in the Porch. M le buiochas.

PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL

Priest: : As we pray to the Father for our needs, we pray in the name of Jesus, the Son, and the Holy Spirit who prays with us.

- For Christians: that they may be united in praising and honouring the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit. *Lord hear us.*
- For the nations and races of the earth: that they may see themselves as members of one family under God. *Lord, hear us.*
- For those who are imprisoned by doubt, fear, depression, or addiction, that the Holy Spirit may set them free. *Lord, hear us.*
- That the sick and those who care for them may be supported by our prayers for their healing and encouragement. *Lord, hear us.*
- For our deceased relatives and friends that they may dwell in the house of the Lord for ever. *Lord, hear us.*
- For our own special needs. *Lord, hear us.*

Priest: Father, source of all life, be our guide when we stray, our strength when we are weak, and our comfort when we are downhearted. We ask this through your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

MASS IN THE CHURCH THIS WEEK.

Tuesday	-	7.00pm
Friday	-	7.30pm
Saturday	<i>Vigil</i>	- 7.30pm
Sunday	-	10.00am

The Irish Catholic is available at the back of the church. Price €3.00

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED

SACRAMENT Tuesday evening at 6pm before 7pm Mass

OFFERTORY COLLECTION: Fossa Finance Committee thank you for your contribution of €656.48 for last week €750.00 for the previous week in support of our Parish. *M le Buiochas.*

A SCATTERY ISLAND TURAS ORGANISED BY KERRY'S CUMANN NA SAGART will take place on Wednesday 5th June. Pilgrims meet at Kilrush Pier at 12.30pm sharp for the one hour guided island tour followed by Aifreann D  in honour of St. Senan (Clergy to bring Alb and Stole). This is a 2   hour Turas. Booking with €30 fee by May 31st to Fr. Eoghan O'Cadhla S.P. (087 6951318) or Fr. Tom s O'Luanaigh (087 2213799). F ilte Roimh C ch.

N.B. The Tarbert to Killimer Ferry is on a half hourly schedule – Contact 065-9053124.

PARISH MASSES /ANNIVERSARIES

Gene Moriarty (1st Anniv)	- Sat 25th May 7.30pm
Dan O'Meara & Ger & Maureen Cronin	- Sat 25th May 7.30pm
Seamus & Jimmy Falvey & Nellie Twomey	- Sun 26th May 10.00am
Eamon Clifford	- Tues 28th May 7.00pm
Peggy Sugrue (1st Anniv)	- Fri 31st May 7.30pm
Con Dennehy	- Sat 1st June 7.30pm

DIOCESAN EUCHARISTIC ADORATION ANNUL RETREAT REMINDER: takes place on next Friday 31st May 2024 at Our Lady's and St Brendan's Centre/ Church. Registration 9.15p.m. Presenters: Fr. Jim Lenihan Deacon Thady O'Connor Mass Celebrant: Bishop Ray Brown. Booking: Margaret: 087 2976304 Breda: 087 6742306

REFLECTION

Nowadays, thanks to the security camera, we are frequently being watched by a cold, dispassionate eye, intent only on catching us in wrongdoing. The feeling that someone is watching us is not a pleasant feeling. But the feeling that someone is watching over us is a lovely feeling. God is not watching us: God is watching over us. This conviction gives us strength in times of weakness, Comfort in times of sadness, and hope in times of despair.

FINAL BLESSING

May the Lord surround you with his favour as with a shield.
May the Lord be a refuge for you in times of distress, and a fortress in times of danger.
May you live in such a way that the love and peace of God will reign among you.

PRAYER

Jesus, our brother and friend,
open our hearts to love like you love:
Feeling the pain of the sick,
embracing those hurting,
moved by the despair of a bereaved parent,
outraged by violence,
disgusted by greed.
Let us live lives of love. Amen

"Happiness is the art of making a bouquet of those flowers within reach".

