

*Fossa Parish Pastoral Council and Finance Committee offer “Céad Mile Fáilte” 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.*

MASS IN THE CHURCH THIS WEEK		The Irish Catholic is available at the back of the church. Price €3.00
Tuesday	- 7.00 pm	
Friday	- 7.30 pm	
Saturday <i>Vigil</i>	- 7.30pm	
Sunday	- 10.00 am	

**OFFERTORY COLLECTION :** Fossa Finance committee thank you for your contribution of € 583.34 in support of our Parish for the last Sunday .

**SECOND COLLECTION**  
this weekend 17th/18th January for **The Needs of the Holy Land.**

**FOSSA CLIMATE ACTION GROUP .**  
Are holding a Sustainability Fair, in Fossa Community Centre on Sunday 25th January , from 3pm - 5pm .  
This include Information, Demonstrations and Exhibitions This is a community event aimed at raising awareness and encouraging action.  
Free entry. All are welcome

John identifies Jesus as the one ‘who takes away the sin of the world.’  
His mission is universal and not limited to any one group. As we pray for Christian unity, we must remember we are united by our shared need for this Lamb. We also share as Pope Francis taught, a witness in blood. Do I see other Christians first as competitors or as fellow sinners redeemed by the same, singular Saviour?

PRAYER

*May all we do, O God, be a song of thanksgiving for the gift of creation.  
May we recognise, O God, our need of the earth and its sustenance of our lives.  
God of life, teach us to care for the earth as a gift given for the good of all. Amen*

PARISH MASSES /ANNIVERSARIES	
Michael O Sullivan (1st Anniv.)	- Sat. 17th Jan. 7.30 pm
Elizabeth O’Doherty (1st Anniv.)	- Sun. 18th Jan. 10.00 am
Elizabeth Foley	- Tues. 20th Jan 7.00 pm
Deceased Members of Kelliher, Lynch & Teahan Families	- Fri. 23rd. Jan. 7.30 p m
Joan Coffey (month Mind)	- Sat. 24th Jan. 7.30 pm
Margaret, Danny, Gerry & Daniel Kissane, Killorglin	- Sun. 25th Jan. 10.00 am

REFLECTION

All of us are wounded by sin.  
The part of us which is most deeply damaged by sin is the heart .  
The heart is so beautiful, so innocent, but it can be betrayed, scornful and broken.  
Darkness of heart is the blackest night of all.  
Emptiness of heart is the greatest poverty of all.  
A heavy heart is the most wearisome burden of all.  
A broken heart is the most painful wound of all.  
Only love can heal the wounds of the heart.  
Lord, send your Holy Spirit to us,  
To heal the wounds of our hearts  
so that we may produce the fruits of love.

FINAL BLESSING

May the Lord keep you free from stumbling and your hearts from straying.  
May the Lord deliver you from your sins so that you may walk in the joy and freedom of the children of God.  
May the sufferings of Jesus, the innocent Lamb of God, help you to bear your sufferings with patience and fortitude.

God Bless, Fr. Noel 087-2935969







