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Kilronan Parish Newsletter

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Do not wait for leaders. Do it alone, person to person.
Mother Teresa

Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

In each moment of our lives, God is always present. The invitation is to be alert and discover the symbols, the signs, that indicate God's daily and continuous presence in our lives. A certain intimacy, and burning search is needed, to be in perfect understanding (harmony) with God. God does not allow himself to be outdone in generosity. He gives a hundredfold and will manifest his glory and his power by giving us a new reason to exist.



Anniversary Masses Ballyfarnon

Sat. 17th James Shivnan.
Eileen & Packie Beirne.
Etna McGowan.

Fri. 23rd Tom, Bea & James Shivnan

Sat. 24th Stephen Sheeran
James & Mary Earley.

Masses Keadue

Sun. 18th Hugh & Josie Gibbons
Rose Ann Barry.

Mon. 19th Missa Pro Populo

Sun. 25th Michael Regan
Patsy Guihen.

Anniversary Masses Arigna

Sun. 18th Cecelia McLoughlin, Seltanaveeney; Months Mind.

Sun. 25th May & Bernard Kelly, St. Ronan's Park.
Mickey Daly.

November Masses, this week: Monday, Keadue, Tuesday Arigna.

Sunday Masses: Vigil: Ballyfarnon 7p.m. **Sunday:** Arigna 10.00a.m. & Keadue 11.30a.m. Confessions after the vigil Mass or on request. **Weekday Masses**, 10.am. Monday, Keadue. Tuesday & Wednesday, Arigna. Friday only, Ballyfarnon.



Congratulation and best wishes to Damian Wright Toronto, Canada and Tara Wright, Toronto Canada who were married in St. Patrick's Church, Ballyfarnon on Saturday 17th November 2018.

Parish Choir Practice for Christmas on Thursday night from 9 to 10 p.m. New Singers are welcome to join.

"Do this in Memory Programme" Takes place on Sunday next, 25th November

Ballyfarnon: Minister of Holy Communion: Sat 24th. Veronica Sheeran. Readers: Sat 24th. John O'Connor. Altar Society: Mary Shivnan, Ann Healy. Collectors: P.J. Healy & Miceál Killoran. Grounds: Ben Costello, Tony McDonagh. Offertory Collection, €335.00.

Arigna: Minister of Holy Communion: Sun 25th. Mary Guihen, Maureen Guihen. Reader: Sun. 25th. Brian Flannery. Altar Society: Maureen Guihen, Bernadette Duignan. Offertory Collection, €635.00.

Keadue: Minister of Holy Communion: Sun 25th. Paul Kelly. Reader: Sun 18th. Bill/Joan Connolly. Collector: Sun 25th. Margaret Kelly. Altar Society: Mary McCabe, Bríd McMorrow, Mai Fearon, Berna Gibbons, Viola Durka. Grounds: Vincent McCabe, Keadue Tidy Towns. Offertory Collection, €420.00.

Bonus Ball Bash: Last week's winners of €45 each were Jimmy Gray & Sean McSharry. Get your €2 entry at The Harp & Shamrock or O'Donnell's / O'Carolan Bar.

St. Ronan's Lotto: There was no winner of the lotto jackpot when the draw was held at the weekend. The numbers drawn were 14, 16, 17 and 20. Consolation prizes were won by the following €70 Marian O'Connor, Keadue, €30 Grace & Emily Quinn, Keadue, €15 each Jim Maidment, Keadue, Ronan McManus, Arigna, Pat Bruen, Keadue. The jackpot this week will be €10,000 and the draw will be held in McCabe's. This week to celebrate the jackpot reaching €10,000 we will have five €100 consolation prizes if there is no jackpot winner

Keadue Day Centre, 25 Card Drive in St Ronan's Hall, Tuesday 20th November at 8pm. Tickets €10. Prizes €100, €50 & €25. Raffle on the night with good prizes. All welcome!

World Meeting of Families Collection: Thanks to all who contributed so generously to World Meeting of Families last week end in Keadue, Arigna and Ballyfarnon, €700.00

Fundraiser 25 Card Drive Keadue Day Centre St Ronan's Hall Tuesday 20th November at 8pm 25 Card Drive Tickets €10. Prizes of €100, €50 & €25. Raffle on the night with good prizes! All Welcome!

The A. G. M. of the O'Carolan Harp Festival & Sumner School will take place in St. Ronan's Hall, Keadue on Monday, 19th November, 2018 @ 9.00pm. New members welcome.

Pilates: Pilates continues in Keadue Hall on Thursday Night at 8.30 p.m.

National Learning Network, Carrick-on-Shannon has a number of vacancies on our Employer Based Training course, 12 month duration, offering QQI certification and work placements in a range of sectors with on-going coordinator support and good employment opportunities. For more information contact Noel at 086-2481383 or 071 9650693 / E-mail carrickonshannon@nln.ie

The students of Lough Allen College presents the musical "Grease" in Lough Allen College on the 21st, 22nd and 23rd of November. Tickets may be purchased from the school, Breffni Stores Drumkeeran and Scollans' Gala Drumshanbo. The Parents association of Lough Allen College will run a raffle nightly and any donations towards the raffle would be greatly appreciated. Donations can be left into Lough Allen College.

Free Public Information Presentation sponsored by Citizens Information Service on Wills and Inheritance on Monday 19th November Hannon's Hotel, Roscommon Town commencing at 6.45pm. The presentation is by Justice Media award-winning journalist and legal trainer Anne O Carroll BCL. MA, of Cascade Training Consultancy. All welcome.

Mass of Remembrance: There was a large attendance at the annual Mass of Remembrance for all who died in the parish over the past year. Let us continue to remember them and their families in our prayers. A special Word of thanks to the Parish Pastoral Council: who organised and participated in the Mass. Thanks to the sacristan, the Altar Server, the Altar society, who prepared the Church. A very special word of thanks to the organist, the choir and the musicians whose music and hymns added so much to this special occasion. Thanks to all who were involved in providing refreshments and all those who did the catering in Keadue Hall after the Mass. Thanks also to the St. Ronan's Hall Committee for the use of the Hall and their facilities.