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# Kilronan Parish Newsletter

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Experience is what you get  
when you don't get what  
you want

## Anniversary Masses Keadue.

**Sun 9th** Mary, Joe & Cathal McManus & D.M.F.  
Sarah Tarpey

**Sun. 17th** Bernie Joe Mattimoe.

## Anniversary Masses Arigna

**Sat. 10th** John, Margaret & Pat Niff.  
Patsy & Gerry Christie.

Michael Reynolds, Kilkee.

**Sat 17th** John & Mary Earley & D.M.F (Strabraggan)  
Charlie & Kathleen McDermott & D.M.  
of the McDermott & Reynolds Families.  
Mary & James Cull Tullynaha

## Anniversary Masses Ballyfarnon.

**Sat. 9th** Joe Gaffney  
Mickey Lenihan  
Mary O'Donnell

**Thurs. 14th** Mary Cullen & D.M. F.  
Gregnageera & Glen.

**Sat. 16th** John Francis Gaffney

### Rest in Peace †

Mary Ellen Gilmartin (Nee  
McManus) late of Lower Rover  
who died in London.

**Weekday Masses 10a.m:** Keadue, Monday, Arigna; Tuesday & Wednesday;  
Ballyfarnon, Thursday and Friday. Saturday, Vigil Masses: Keadue 7pm & Ballyfarnon  
8.30pm. Sunday Masses: Arigna 10.30am and Keadue 12noon.



**Congratulations and best wishes** to Lisa Reilly, Carnacon, Mayo and Andrew  
McHugh, Donegal Town who were married in Keadue Church on Friday 8th  
September.

**Arigna:** Minister of Holy Communion: Sun 17th. Tommy Earley, Kevin Wynne, Reader:  
Sun. 17th. Linda Gallagher. Altar Society: Rose McGuckian, Eithne McGuire. Offertory  
Collection, €445.00.

**Ballyfarnon:** Minister of Holy Communion: Sat 16th Veronica Sheeran. Reader: Sat  
16th. Damien Killoran. Altar Society: Ann O'Connor, Carmel O'Connor. Collectors:  
Michael McCawley, Eamon Keaveney. Grounds: Damien Killoran, Tommie Shivnan.  
Offertory Collection, €315.00.

**Keadue:** Ministers of Holy Communion: Sat 16th. Sean Martin. Sun 17th. Florence Flynn.  
Readers: Sat. 16th. Sinead Irwin, Sun. 17th, Paul Kelly. Collectors: Sat. 16th. Margaret  
Kelly. Sun. 17th. Tom Quinn. Altar Society: Mary McCabe, Brid McMorro, Mai Fearon,  
Berna Gibbons, Viola Durka. Grounds: Vincent McCabe, Sean McMorro. Offertory  
Collection, €725.00

**Grandparents National Annual Pilgrimage** September 10th 2017, Knock Shrine  
2.30p.m. Everybody welcome to honour & thank Grandparents alive & dead for all they  
have done for us down through the ages. Chief Celebrant Archbishop Eamon Martin -  
Ballina School Choir - Dana sings 'Our Lady of Knock'.

**St. Ronan's Lotto:** There was no winner of the lotto jack when the draw took place last  
weekend. The numbers drawn were 3, 23, 24, and 25. Consolation prizes were won by  
the following €70 Mary Keaveney, Arigna, €30 Margaret McDonagh, Geevagh, €15 each  
Rita McGreevey, Keadue, Tommie Lynch, Arigna, Tony McCabe, Keadue. The jackpot  
this week will be €3,800 and the draw will be held in Roddy's.

**Bonus Ball Bash:** Last week's winners of €45 each were Michael Gilbane & . Get your  
€2 entry at The Harp & Shamrock or O'Donnells / O'Carolan Bar

**Annual Diocesan Pilgrimage and Pattern in Clonmacnois** All Parishioners are invited  
to the Diocesan launch of the One Year Programme of Preparation for the **World  
Meeting of Families, 2018**. This launch will take place at the annual Diocesan  
Pilgrimage and Pattern in Clonmacnois at 3.00pm on this Sunday 10th September. Fr  
Pat Murphy and Mrs Sharon Connon will speak on the theme of family. During the Mass  
a WMF candle will be presented to a representative from each parish in the diocese.

**Fr Martin Marenja, Pallottine Fathers in Thurles** wishes to acknowledge the generosity  
of the people of the parish who donated €1,106.44 in aid of their mission in East Africa.

**Coffee morning** in aid of north west hospice Monday 11th at 12 noon why not drop in for  
a coffee? All welcome. New classes starting early October. Dinners delivered daily to  
your home, or join our active age group Monday & Wednesday and enjoy a 3 course  
meal along with activities provided. For further details contact Julie on 0719647777 or  
0861749816

**Sean Nos Dancing** are back with Eimear Mulvey in the Morrison Cottage Riverstown on  
Sunday 24th September. Beginners 11:30 -12. Intermediate 12:00 to 12:30. Advanced  
10:15 - 11:15. Registration night Monday 11th September 7- 8 pm. More Info Please call  
086 2584465.

**Beginners & Advanced Jiving Lessons** starting Wednesday 13th Sept in the Lough  
Allen hotel, Drumshanbo, Beginners 8-9pm and Advanced 9-10pm. Contact Colin  
0863083416 for more info.

**Novena of Hope** at St. Therese's Church Ballintogher, Co Sligo from Sunday 24th  
September to Tuesday 3rd October 2017. **Sunday 24th** September at 7.30pm. Mass with  
Guest Speaker Eleanor Shanley. **Monday 25th** September at 7.30pm, Mass with Guest  
Speaker, Catriona Meehan. **Tuesday 26th** September at 7.30pm, Mass with Guest  
Speaker, John Gallagher - Black Sod. **Wednesday 27th** September at 7.30pm Mass with  
Guest Speaker, Catherine Corless. **Thursday 28th** September at 7.30pm, Mass with  
Guest Speaker Jimmy Smith - Addiction Counsellor HSE. **Friday 29th** September at  
7.30pm, Mass with Guest Speaker Mary Forte, Volunteer Co-ordinator North West  
Hospice. **Saturday 30th September** at 7.30pm, Mass With Celebrant and Guest  
Speaker Archbishop Dr Diarmuid Martin, Archbishop of Dublin. **Sunday 1st October**  
at 7.30pm, A healing night around the Blessed Sacrament and the relics of St Padre Pio  
with Guest Speaker George Hook. **Monday 2nd** October at 7.30pm, Mass with Guest  
Speaker James Cawley. **Tuesday 3rd October** at 7.30pm, Mass with Guest Speaker  
Cora Sherlock — Pro Life Movement

### Our Greatest Need

If our greatest need had been information, God would have sent us an educator;  
If our greatest need had been technology, God would have sent us a scientist;  
If our greatest need had been money, God would have sent us an economist;  
If our greatest need had been pleasure, God would have sent us an entertainer;  
But our greatest need was forgiveness, so God sent us a Saviour. (Source unknown)