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Kilronan Parish Newsletter

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"It is better to light a candle than curse the darkness"

Anniversary Masses Keadue

Sat. 25th Tom & Kathleen McGirl, Keadue East.

Sat. 1st Lily Harte
Eugene Tansey

Anniversary Masses Arigna

Wed 29th Ita Keaveny & D.M.F. & Mary McPadden

Sun 2nd Dermot Dooley

Week Day Masses: 10am Monday Keadue, Tuesday & Wednesday Arigna. Thursday & Friday Ballyfarnon

Vigil Masses: Keadue 7p.m. Ballyfarnon 8.30p.m. Sunday Masses; Arigna 10.30a.m. & Keadue 12 noon. Please note that evening Mass in Keadue will continue until the end of September.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will resume this Monday.

Mass in the Phoenix Park. The Bus from Drumshanbo Car Park will depart on Sunday morning at 6a.m. Croke Park Celebrations, Knock and the Phoenix Park Papal Mass will be broadcast on RTE.

Please note there will be no Sunday Mass tomorrow in Keadue or Arigna. There will be **Mass in Drumboylan at 10 am, and in Cootehall and Drumshanbo on at 11.30a.m.**

Vigil Mass in Keadue There will continue to be a Vigil Mass in Keadue until the beginning of October. This gives the Parish Pastoral Council an opportunity to consider the possible adjusting of Mass times in the Parish and announce all the changes together.

Parish Pastoral Council meeting on Tuesday evening at 9p.m. in the Parochial House, Keadue.

Ballyfarnon: Minister of Holy Communion: Sat 1st. Tony McDonagh. Readers: Sat 1st. Hannah Martin. Altar Society: Bridie McCawley, Mary Keaveney. Collectors: Michael McCawley, Eamon Keaveney. Grounds: Micéal McCawley, Eamon Keaveney. Offertory Collection, (August 15th & Sunday 19th) €420.00

Keadue: Ministers of Holy Communion: Sat 1st Moira Doyle, Sun 2nd. Imelda McCabe. Readers: Sat 1st. Berna Gibbons, Sun 2nd. Elizabeth McCabe. Collectors: Sat 1st. Moira Doyle. Sun 2nd. Brendan Kelly. Altar Society: Imelda McCabe, Stephanie McCabe-Butler, Rita McGreevy, Joan Connolly. Grounds: Paul Kelly, Keadue Tidy Towns. Offertory Collection, (August 15th & Sunday 19th) €1,290.00.

Arigna: Minister of Holy Communion: Sun 2nd. Sean Guihen, Margaret McPadden. Reader: Sun. 2nd. Rose McGuckian. Altar Society: Rose McGuckian, Rose McGuckian. Offertory Collection, (August 15th & Sunday 19th) €735.00.

Keadue Church Grounds. The laying of the Tarmacadam has been completed. It is important that all cars are parked in the Car Park in front of the Church or along the road in the vicinity of the church. Cars should **not be parked or driven on the newly laid Tarmacadam until further notice.** Your co-operation will be greatly appreciated. **Work on Arigna Church grounds** will be completed during the week.

Anniversary Masses Ballyfarnon

Sat. 25th Florence & Don Lean

Jim & Annie May Gallagher
Sat. 1st Tommy Gunning

Knock Annual Diocesan Pilgrimage takes place on Sunday 2nd Sept. Ceremonies begin with the Anointing of the Sick at 2.30pm. Concelebrated Mass at 3pm.

Cemetery Sunday in Kilronan. There was a large gathering of people for the Mass at St. Lassairs well and for the Blessing of graves in Kilronan Cemetery. Thanks' to all the helpers and stewards and to all who were involved in the liturgy. A special word of thanks to an Garda Síochána for their help with traffic management. Thanks' to Tommy for the amplification at St Lasair's well and to Vincent, for looking after the amplification in the cemetery. Thanks also to those who tidied up their own plots and to those who in addition to looking after their own plots, tidied up many other graves throughout the cemetery. We were blessed with the weather. Many people commented on the rubbish around the gate. People are reminded that they should bring home their rubbish after they tidy up their family plot.

St. Ronan's Lotto: There was no winner of the lotto jackpot when the draw was held at the weekend. The numbers drawn were 5, 14, 21 and 27. Consolation prizes were won by the following €70 Tadhg Guihen, Arigna, €30 Garreth Corcoran, Ballyfarnon, €15 each Joe Matthews, Keadue, Barry Cooney, Ballyfarnon, Mike Joe McLoughlin, Arigna. The jackpot this week will be €8,800 and the draw will be held in Roddy's

Scoil Cill Ronain, Keadue will re-open on Thursday 30th August at 9.20am. We look forward to welcoming everyone to our new school year.

Bonus Ball Bash: Last week's winners of €45 were Pat Bruen & Joe Matthews. Get your €2 entry at The Harp & Shamrock or O'Donnell's / O'Carolan Bar.

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 / Email carrickonshannon@nln.ie

Missing Car Keys: Lost in the vicinity of St Lassar's Well and the Cemetery. If the finder could please contact 086-2691806 who will pass on the information to the owner

Congratulation to Clodagh Daly, Arigna who came first in the under 12 All-Ireland Tin Whistle Competition at the All Ireland Flead Ceoil in Drogheda.

Western Alzheimers are currently recruiting for Healthcare Assistants in the community throughout County Roscommon and the West. These positions are available on our Community Employment Project. If you would like to find out more, please call us on 090 66 27816 or email us at westalzroscommon@gmail.com

You Tube Safety Settings. Many Parents at my Online Safety Workshops have expressed concerns relating to the content which Children can be exposed to on YouTube. YouTube needs to do better at filtering and Safety Settings, one thing while not perfect which Parents can do is enable Restricted Mode. We've created a handy How To video for Parents & Guardians. If would like to see this Video, please contact kilronan1@gmail.com and it will be forwarded to you.