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## Kilronan Parish Newsletter

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"Every believer in the world must become a spark of light." Pope John xxiii

## The Most Holy Trinity Sunday.



What was the Incarnation, if not God's compassion in human form? Today, the Feast of the Trinity, we hear one of the most well-loved passages from John's Gospel: 'God loved the world so much that he gave his only Son.' In giving Jesus, God immersed himself fully in our world and in our humanity. Not only that, but he experienced humanity in its most broken form, all the way to suffering and death. And all of this, he did out of love and compassion for us. We have only to look at how he treated those who were most marginalised in his own time. He was with people in their

brokenness, in their fear and suffering. He became weakness itself. We are called to do the same. True compassion means entering into the brokenness of the world. You will have heard the expression that we can't truly understand another person until we have walked a mile in their shoes. Before we judge others for their choices or their situation in life, we must really understand them, be with them, and share in their experiences. That is true compassion. Tríona Doherty Email trionad@gmail.com

Anniversary Masses Arigna Sun. 7th Michael Mulhern, Mary & Padraig Duignan. Christina McManus Nee Mulhern; Nuala Carroll, Nee Mulhern.

Sunday 14th

John & Philomena Wynne & D.M.F. John Francis Daly, Glan. Tom & Agnes Lehany. Ballyfarnon Anniversary Masses Sat 6th Martin, Patrick & Mary Ellen Lenehan & D.M.F. Aggie, Sonnie & Sean Flynn.

**Sat. 13th** Susan & Patrick McTiernan & Linda & Tommy Grimes & D.M.F.

**Keadue Anniversary Masses Sun 7th** Tommie Walsh, Tullytawen.
Months Mind.

Sun. 14th Kathleen Noone,

Galilee Spirituality Centre; Online Active Hope Workshop: Please join us for our free online Active Hope workshop hosted by our good friend Dr Connie Nell, June 11th, 11.00 -12.00. We live in challenging times and Connie will guide us through some steps that will give us the opportunity to make connections, be inspired and take meaningful action. All welcome! Numbers limited, booking essential info@galilee.ie.

Online Retreat with Sr Nellie McLaughlin: Light: The Gift of Divine Radiance Those who met Nellie at our Advent Retreat will be very pleased to hear that she is coming back to us for a free online summer retreat. This has two phases. One is a recorded session which will be on our website,18th June, and the other will be a 'live' session with Nellie via Zoom on June 20th 12.00. Booking will be needed for the live session so we can send you the Zoom link: info@galilee.ie.

**Community of Prayer:** We gather as a virtual community of prayer each Thursday 9.00-9.30pm to pray for all affected by the current pandemic. We are also continuing our Taizé Prayer on the last Friday of each month 9.00-10.00pm. We invite you to join with us

(virtually) at those times, and let us know you are there, and anything you would like us to hold in prayer. **Zoom:** We know that many people are new to the online world (we are learning fast ourselves!) so if there is something you would like to access but are having difficulties do get in touch. We will never record you in sessions, and if you don't want to be seen or heard you can switch off your microphone and camera. We are happy to help!

On Sunday 28th June the 10a.m Mass in Arigna will be offered for all who are interred in Arigna Cemetery and the 11.30a.m Mass in Keadue will be offered for all who are interred in Kilronan Cemetery.

**Roscommon Co.Co. COVID-19 helpline** Freephone 1800 200 727 at any time or any day.



My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the most Blessed Sacrament. I love You above all things and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot now receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You have already come, and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen".

Masses: All Masses in the Parish can be seen on Facebook. Type "Kilronan Parish" into your Facebook page for the link. Also Masses are broadcast live on local Radio in each Church area. Mass Times Vigil Mass, Ballyfarnon Saturday 7p.m. Sunday; Arigna 10a.m and Keadue 11.30a.m. Weekday Masses @ 10a.m.; Monday, Keadue; Tuesday & Wednesday, Arigna. Thursday & Friday, Ballyfarnon.

**Anniversary Masses:** Anniversary Masses which have been booked before the Covid-19 virus will take place on the day they were originally booked, unless the family wish to reschedule for another day. Priority is given to Months Mind Masses and to First Anniversary Masses. First Anniversary Masses should always be booked around the time of the Months Mind.

Free online Self Care to Wellness Programme - next programme commences on Thursday 18th of June from 10.30 am to 1pm. If you are living with a long term heath condition you may be interested in doing the Living Well Programme. This is a six week programme delivered in 2.5 hour weekly sessions where you will learn new skills to manage your health condition on a day to day basis. More now than ever it is important we look after are mental and physical health.

This Programme will commence on Thursday 18th of June from 10.30am to 1 pm and free of charge. Please note you do not have to disclose your health condition on the programme. Please contact Olga on 087 7096443 or by email olga.maguire@mayocil.ie