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Kilronan Parish Newsletter

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Anniversary Mass Keadue

Sat 11th Sheila Gaffney

James & Kathleen McManus

Sun. 12th Cathal McManus & Sarah Tarpey,

Joe McManus & D.M.F.

Sat. 18th Teresa & Harry Knibb

Anniversary Mass Ballyfarnon

Sat. 11th Mick & May Gaffney

& Michael White

18th Sean & Eileen Noone

Masses: No Masses this week **Week-end.** Vigil Saturday: Keadue 7p.m. Ballyfarnon 8.30p.m.

Sundays: Arigna 10.30a.m. & Keadue 12 Noon. **Confessions** after Vigil Masses.

Station Mass at the home of Arthur & Rosaleen Boyle Kilgarve, on Friday May 17th at 7.30p.m. for Keadue West and all townlands in that station area.

Keadue: Ministers of Holy Communion: Sat 18th. Moira Doyle, Sun. 19th. Rosaleen Boyle, Readers: Sat. 18th Chloe Mc Cabe, Sun. 19th. Eileen Barry. Collectors: Sat 18th. Moira Doyle, Sun. 19th. Brendan Kelly. Altar Society: Kelly Family, Carrowbeg. Church Grounds: Peter McNiff. Offertory Collection: €716.00

Arigna: Minister of Holy Communion: Sun 19th Sean Guihen, Reader: Sun 12th Maureen Guihen. Altar Society: Maureen Guihen and Bernadette Duignan. Offertory Collection: €663.00

Ballyfarnon: Minister of Holy Communion: Sat 18th. Teresa Shivan. Reader: Sat. 18th Julie Corcoran. Altar Society: Mary Shivan & Ann Healy. Collectors: Ronan Glynn & Michéal Killoran. Counters: Nuala McNamara, Pauline Flynn. Church Grounds: Ben Costello, Tony McDonagh. Offertory Collection; €440.10

St. Ronan's Lotto: There was no winner of the lotto jackpot when the draw was held last weekend. The numbers drawn were 10, 12, 21, 22. Consolation prizes were won by the following: €70: Declan Gilmartin, Ballinaglera, €30: Bernie Barry, Drumshanbo, €15each: Marlen Ablado, c/o Roddy's, Peggy Rogers, Keadue, Christina Simon, Highwood. The jackpot this week will be €7,600 and the draw will be held in The Miners' Bar, Arigna.

Bonus Ball Bash: Last week's winners of €45 each were Peggy Rogers & Seamus Gilmartin. To win €45 get your €2 entry at The Harp & Shamrock or O'Donnell's.

Fundraisers Required for Bag Pack in Tesco Roscommon on 17th & 18th May, 2013, from 1pm to 7pm. Transport Arranged .. Fun guaranteedProceeds in aid of Roscommon Social Car Scheme Contact please: Julie at St. Asicus on 071 9647279

Crossna Players Coming to Keadue. For those who missed out on a chance to see the play "My Wife's Family" staged by the Crossna Dramatic Group in Crossna Community Centre, the good news is that it is coming to Keadue on Saturday night May 25th. More details later.

Bright Light Festival 2013: Ardagh & Clonmacnois Diocese are inviting young adults 17—30 year olds to Kent, UK to share in a World Youth Day experience from 26th—30th July. [Taking place over the World Youth Day weekend.] If you are interested in hearing more contact info@aym.ie. or 0906473358. Large screen link up with World Youth Day in Rio. Live Bands, Catechesis, Guest speakers and more. See poster in porch.

Anniversary Masses Arigna

Sun. 12th James, Margaret and Mary McPartlan

John P. McManus. Patricia Mayo.

Sun. 19th Michael & Ann Rynn

Mary Ann & James Francis McLoughlin
(Seltinaveeney)

Irish Cancer Society Collection on this Saturday/Sunday. Your support will be appreciated.

The Diocesan Eucharistic Adoration Apostolate invite all who are involved in Eucharistic adoration in the parish and anyone who would like to attend a programme of prayer and adoration in St. Mary's Church, Carrick-on-Shannon at 3.30p.m on this Sunday, May 12th May. Fr. Merlin Kenny will lead a Eucharistic Adoration hour based on the scriptures. This will be followed by an Information Presentation in the Bush Hotel given by Mr Cialin Doran, Diocesan Chairperson, beginning at 4.45.p.m. followed by feed back from members and some light refreshments. The gathering will conclude at 5.45p.m.

Confirmation: Congratulations to the young people from the parish of Kilronan who received the sacrament of Confirmation from Bishop Colm O'Reilly in Keadue Church on Wednesday last the 8th May; Anna, Aibhe, Aine, Aoife, Daragh, Edel, Elizabeth, Eve, Katie, Lisa, Molly Rose, Niamh, Nina, Oisin, Rebecca, Saoirse, Sharon, Shauna L, Shauna M., Sophie, Tara. Thanks to Bishop Colm O'Reilly. Thanks to their parents and teachers who helped prepare these young people for this very important spiritual event. Thanks to the organist and parish choir for all the work and effort they put into practicing over the last few much for this parish occasion. Thanks also all our servers from secondary and primary schools and to all who prepared the church and the church grounds.

Year of Faith: An Hour of Adoration in union with Pope Francis. **Pope Francis** will preside at an hour of Adoration in St. Peter's Basilica on Sunday, 2nd. June beginning at 5 p.m. (4p.m. Rome time). All Parishioners are invited to join with the Holy Father and with people from around Ireland in adoration at the same time in Keadue Church from 4 – 5 p.m.

"Vision week—the Year of faith" will take place from 21st to 25th May in Killenumery & Killery. Tuesday 21st May 2013, Ballintogher: Prayer service, speaker Mike Rainsworth: Mental health and wellbeing and how we can promote Positive Mental wellbeing to those around us. Tuesday 21st May: Ballintogher: Mass. Speaker: Oisin McConville will share his story and educating on the dangers of gambling. Wednesday 22nd May, Killavoggy Prayer Service and Veneration of the Relics of St. Padro Pio, Speakers Sean and Ann Mulrine. Thursday 23rd May, Killavoggy Mass, Speaker: Tommie Gorman, who speaks of his battle with cancer. Friday 24th May, Ballinagar. Prayer Service, Speaker: Dr. Tony Bates (Clinical Psychologist) Founder of Headstrong, the national centre for youth mental health. Saturday 25th May 2013, Ballinagar Vigil Mass and close of Vision Week: Speaker Mark Harte. All ceremonies at 7.30p.m.

A new Parish website has been launched recently. Check it out on www.kilronanparish.ie. The new website has a direct link to the cemeteries in Kilronan and Arigna. Here you will find the names and the location of all graves. There is also access to many cemeteries all over Ireland. A map showing the location of each marked grave will be displayed in Kilronan Cemetery. The same will be done for Arigna cemetery. This will enable visitors to locate the grave of any family member whose name is given on a headstone in that cemetery. Before these signs are erected, anyone who has a loved one buried in Kilronan will be invited to visit Keadue Church to inspect the map and if there is any discrepancies or if they have any information regarding any unmarked grave they can fill in a form outlining what changes need to be made and the new information will be added to the final map. Those who have families buried in Arigna Cemetery will be able to check out the Maps in Arigna Church. For Kilronan cemetery the map can be inspected in Keadue Church. Further information later.