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Kilronan Parish Newsletter

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If you don't stand for
something, you will fall for
anything
Gordon Eadie



Thirty-third Sunday of Ordinary Time Years C

In today's Gospel there is talk of plagues and famines, persecution and imprisonment, betrayal and death, as Jesus alerts his followers to the dangers ahead. It is an intense monologue, and no doubt an upsetting one for his disciples.

But it culminates with a reassuring image. In spite of all this hardship, Jesus promises a reward for our patience and endurance.

In fact, he puts it like this: 'Not a hair of your head will be lost.' Though we worry that we may not be strong enough to stand up to opposition,

Jesus promises to be with us in times of trial, and to give us 'eloquence and a wisdom' to deal with whatever is thrown at us. That's quite a promise. Do we believe it? If we truly believe that God knows us so intimately that he knows exactly how many hairs we have on our heads, we must believe that he cares enough to give us the strength to face whatever obstacles we encounter. (Triona Doherty, Intercom)

Anniversary Masses, Keadue.

Sat. 12th Padraig Keaveney

Sun. 13th Barbara Doyle

Sat. 19th Hugh & Josie Gibbons
Ethna McGowan

Anniversary Masses, Arigna.

Sun. 13th Margaret McManus, Months Mind

Sun. 20th John, George, & Kevin Guihen &
D.M. of the Guihen Families.

Charlie & Kathleen McDermott & D.M.
of the McDermott & Reynolds families
John & Mary Earley

Anniversary Masses Ballyfarnon

Sat. 12th James Shivanan

Sat. 19th Carmel Costello, Months Mind

Weekday Masses: 10a.m. Monday, Keadue; Tuesday & Wednesday, Arigna; Thursday and Friday, Ballyfarnon. **Saturday, Vigil Masses:** Keadue 7p.m. & Ballyfarnon 8.30p.m.

Sunday Masses: Arigna at 10.30p.m. and Keadue 12noon. Confessions after Saturday evening Masses.

The 'Do this in Memory Programme' takes place next Sunday 20th November during the 12noon Mass in Keadue Church.



Baptism: Grace Frances Frazer, daughter of David & Sinead, Corrigeenroe was welcomed into the Christian Community recently.

Arigna: Minister of Holy Communion: Sun 20th. Sean Guihen, Margaret McPadden, Reader: Sun 20th. Belinda Gallagher. Altar Society: Maureen Guihen, Bernadette Duignan. Offertory Collections (All Saints & Sunday 6th), €810.00.

Rest in Peace †

John McPartlan, Derrnavoggy

James Curran, California. husband
of Margaret Curran, (nee Shivanan,
formerly Crosshill)

This weeks November Masses, 10a.m.

Monday, Keadue;
Wednesday, Arigna
Friday, Ballyfarnon.

Keadue: Ministers of Holy Communion: Sat 19th. Paul Kelly. Sun 20th Margaret Kelly. Readers: Sat. 19th Sinead Irwin, Sun. 20th. Paul Kelly. Collectors: Sat. 19th. Margaret Kelly. Sun. 20th. Colm O'Donnell. Altar Society: Boyle Family. Grounds: Paul Kelly, Arthur Boyle. Offertory Collections (All Saints & Sunday 6th), €850.00.

Ballyfarnon: Minister of Holy Communion: Sat 19th. Tony McDonagh. Reader: Sat 19th. Tony McDonagh. Altar Society: Bridie McCawley. Collectors: Ronan Glynn & Micheál Killoran. Grounds: Micéal McCawley Eamonn Keavney. Offertory Collection (All Saints & Sunday 6th), €500.00

Bonus Ball Bash: Last week's winners of €45 were Mary Roddy & Phil Joe/Mary Guihen Get your €2 entry at The Harp & Shamrock or O'Donnell's.

St Ronan's Lotto There was no winner of the lotto jackpot when the draw was held last weekend. The numbers drawn were 5, 12, 26, and 27. Consolation prizes were won by the following: €70 Paul Nangle, Geevagh. €30 Laura Cronin, Ballinamore. €15 each Teresa & Padraig, Ballyfarnon. Petie & Geraldine, c/o Fowleys Bar. Eileen Carty, Arigna. The jackpot this week will be €10,700 and the draw will be held in Killoran's

As the Jubilee Year of Mercy comes to an end, Holy Doors that have been opened will close around the world. There is still time to visit the Holy Door of Mercy in St. Mel's Cathedral before Sunday 20th November. While the Jubilee year of Mercy draws to a close we need to continue to show mercy, to forgive and to be compassionate.

There will be an **Advent Retreat** in Galilee Community on Sat. November 26th. The presenter is Fr. Jim Noonan ODC. The theme is "Mary model for Advent, Woman of courage, tenderness and Pathfinder." Day begins at 10:30 am and concludes with Mass at 4:00pm. A light lunch of soup and brown bread will be served. Cost- €20.

FREE Agri-Digital Skills training for farmers and farm family members on Thursday 17th November at 8pm in the Enterprise Centre, Arigna. View Herd Profiles; Birth registration & animal movements; Agfood website including minimizing and eliminating the Blue Book; Learn essential skills of making payments online and staying safe online. All welcome.

Keadue Branch CCE are hosting a Trad for Trocaire music session in Roddy's Bar, Keadue on Friday night 18th of November at 9pm. All Welcome.

Drumshanbo Enterprise Centre; Traditional Basket making for beginners. A Traditional Basket Making course for beginners will start on Friday the 18th of November. The course is funded by Sligo Mayo Leitrim ETB and will run on Friday evening and Saturday for two weekends. For more information or to book a place contact Michael on 0719641577, 087 6177071 or mbruen@drumshanboenterprise.ie

Arigna IFA AGM will be held in McCabe's Bar, Keadue, on this Monday night 14th November at 9.00 p.m. All welcome

Faith Renewal Witness to Hope Knock, November 26th, Living in Hope. Details on www.knockshrine.ie/faithrenewal