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# Kilronan Parish Newsletter

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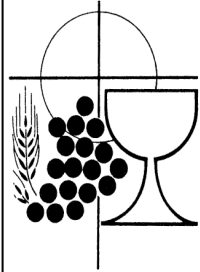
Go for it now, the future  
is promised to no one.

## The Body and Blood of Christ.

Jesus tells us that to have life we need more than physical nourishment. How have you been aware of deeper hungers? What has met that deeper longing in you?

Jesus tells us that it is not just something he gives us which will give us life, but himself in his life, death and resurrection. How has your faith in the person of Jesus fed you?

Jesus speaks about 'drawing life' from him. In day to day living what are the practices which support your faith and help you to draw life from Jesus?



The Eucharist is one of the ways in which we draw life from Jesus. Recall with gratitude how the Eucharist has been a source of nourishment and life for you.

Perhaps you can also think of human examples of people drawing life from one another. From whom have you drawn life? Who has been able to draw life from you? (Intercom)

### Anniversary Masses Keadue.

**Sun. 22nd** Missa Pro Populo

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### Anniversary Masses Ballyfarnon.

**Thurs 26th** Frank & Bretta McDonagh, 7.30pm

### Anniversary Masses Arigna

**Sun. 22nd** Mary Ellen Wynne, Carrowanalt

**Sun. 29th** Pat and Mary Conway.

John Mary and Tony Kelliher and D.M. of the Kelliher and McGovern Families.

Breege, Pat, Mary McPartland & D.M.F.

**Weekday Masses:** 10am Monday, Keadue; Tuesday & Wednesday, Arigna; Friday, Ballyfarnon. Ballyfarnon on Thursday 7.30pm.

**Vigil, Saturday:** Keadue 7p.m. & Ballyfarnon 8.30p.m. Sunday: Arigna 10.30p.m. & Keadue 12 Noon. Confessions after the Vigil Masses.

**Do this in memory Programme on Sunday:** This is the last Sunday of the "Do this in memory" programme for this years First Communion Class

**Arigna:** Minister of Holy Communion: Sun 29th Mary Guihen, Reader: Sun 29th. Brian Flannery. Altar Society: Tess Flynn. Offertory Collection €1,055.00.

**Keadue:** Ministers of Holy Communion: Sat 28th Sean Martin, Sun. 29th. Margaret Kelly, Readers: Sat. 28th Berna Gibbons, Sun. 29th. Geraldine Keaveney. Collectors: Sat 28th. Peter McNiff, Sun. 29th. Tom Quinn. Altar Society: Una O'Donnell, Mary Guihen, Liz McCabe, Mary Kelly. Church Grounds: Paul Kelly, Arthur Boyle. Offertory Collection €665.00.

**Ballyfarnon:** Minister of Holy Communion: Sat 28th Veronica Sheeran. Readers: Sat. 28th Liz Travers. Altar Society: Kathleen Gaffney, Carmel Costello. Collectors: Gerry Travers, Tony McDonagh. Counters: David Flanagan, Mary Flanagan. Church Grounds: James Shivanan, Martin Lavin. Collection €320.00.

**Bingo** every Wednesday night in Keadue Hall. Generous prizes on every page, Jackpot €500.

**Bonus Ball Bash:** Last week's winners of €45 each were Patrick McManus & Peter Mattimoe. To win €45 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 6 11, 19, 24. Consolation prizes were won by the following: €70: Aisling Earley/Philip Casey, Arigna. €30 Claire Glynn, Arigna, €15each: Michael Gallagher, Arigna, Marie/Mary Shivanan, Ballyfarnon, Sinead Earley, Arigna. The jackpot this week will be €13,400 and the draw will be held in McCabe's Bar, Keadue.

**Western Alzheimer's Roscommon** is recruiting for the position of *Care Assistant* on their Community Employment Project. Contact Western Alzheimer's Office in Roscommon for a job description and full details, Tel: (090) 66 27816. Closing date for applications Friday 27<sup>th</sup> June. *Please note – Employment Services/DSP CE Eligibility Criteria Apply.*

**Collection in aid of Cystic Fibrosis** takes place on Saturday 21st June at Ballyfarnon.

**Arigna Alzheimer's collection:** amount raised €396.25, thanks to all who contributed.

**Stained Glass Report:** The following report was received from Abbey Stained Glass Studios. Fortunately you have acted just in time as the next progression would be for the individual glasses to start to break up. Whilst the panels are badly buckled, some by some three to four inches out of line, the individual glasses are still intact. You will notice eighty years of grime on the stained glass. Work is now underway and we will keep you advised on progress.

You can view some photos of the buckled stained glass from Keadue Church on the Parish Website. www.kilronanparish.ie. Go to "Our Parish" and choose Photo Gallery

**Cemetery Sunday 2014:** Arigna Sunday 27th July. Kilronan Sunday 31st August.

**Roscommon GAA Social Initiative** are running the Club Rossie bus to Foxford Woolen Mills and the Heritage Centre, Museum in Turlough, Castlebar on 25th July 2014. €30 per person including dinner. For further details please contact Social Initiative Officer, Sean Mannion on 086 8388756 or St Ronan's Secretary (Gráinne) 0894273711.

**St Ronan's GAA Club** need women to volunteer to be "on duty" at training on Friday evenings as it is compulsory to have a female presence when girls are taking part in GAA. We have three ladies vetted but need one or two more as they aren't always available. Vetting is currently coming through very quickly so we will be able to slot volunteers in almost immediately. Please contact the secretary on 0894273711.

**Congratulations to Ballyfarnon N.S.** team who won the Cuman na mBunscoil final in mixed rounders

**A meeting of the O'Carolan Harp Festival Committee** will be held on Monday night 23rd June at 9.30pm. The committee would be anxious to hear from anybody who would be able to provide three rooms to accommodate the Harp classes for the week of the Summer School. This would be very much appreciated.

**The person who sows a single beautiful thought  
in the mind of another, renders the world  
A greater service than that rendered  
By all the fault finders combined.**