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Kilronan Parish Newsletter

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The Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year C)



Jesus goes on to teach his followers that discipleship is not about fame and honour. It is about living Gospel values and will involve suffering, but that suffering will be a prelude to a new life. When have you found that living Gospel values was indeed costly but that you were glad you had paid the price?

Anniversary Masses Arigna

Sun. 23rd Pat & Mary Conway

John & Bridget Reynolds

Michael Mulhern, Mary & Pdraig Duignan
& Christine McManus.

Sun. 30th Breege, Mary & Pat McPartland
& D.M.F..

Anniversary Mass Keadue

Sat. 22nd Pdraig & Una Phelan

Anniversary Mass Ballyfarnon

Sat. 22nd Enda Emmett (Months Mind)

Masses Vigil Saturday: Keadue 7p.m. Ballyfarnon 8.30p.m. Sundays: Arigna 10.30a.m. & Keadue 12 Noon. **Confessions** after Vigil Masses.

Ordination to the Priesthood: On Sunday this 23rd June Rev. Anthony Gilhooly, Drumshanbo will be ordained to the Priesthood for the Diocese of Ardagh & Clonmacnois by Bishop Colm O'Reilly in St. Patrick's Church, Drumshanbo at 3p.m.

Congratulations and best wishes to Susan Barry, Cork and Andre Meiring, South Africa, who were married today Saturday 22nd June in Keadue Church.

Keadue: Ministers of Holy Communion: Sat 29th. Sean Martin, Sun. 30th. Florence Flynn, Readers: Sat. 29th Sean Martin, Sun. 30th. John Coonan. Collectors: Sat 29th. Moira Doyle, Sun. 30th. Brendan Kelly. Altar Society: Moira Doyle, Fiona O'Neill, Kathleen Mattimoe, Lelia McDonagh, Mary Cox.. Church Grounds: Noone Family. Offertory Collection: €605.00

Arigna: Minister of Holy Communion: Sun 30th Sean Guihen, Reader: Sun 30th. Belinda Gallagher Altar Society: Bernie Christie, Catherine McManus. Offertory Collection: €535.00

Ballyfarnon: Minister of Holy Communion: Sat 29th. Teresa Shivnan. Reader: Sat. 29th John O'Connor Altar Society: Pauline Flynn, Nuala McNamara. Collectors: Peter Kerrigan, P.J. Healy. Counters: Teresa Lavin, Suzanne Quigley. Church Grounds: Michael Bruen, Ray Lynam. Offertory Collection; €555.45

Kilronan Parish Pastoral Council Meeting on Tuesday 2nd July at 8.30pm. In the Parochial House, Keadue

Taize Prayer An hour of Taize Prayer will take place in Galilee Community on Friday, June 28th from 9 - 10pm. Please join us and share the word with others, especially young people who might like this form of prayer

R.I.P. +

Maura Faughnan, Annaduff, mother of Fr. Cathal, Funeral Mass in Drumsna, Sunday 12 noon

Ann Flynn, Luton, England and Knockvicar, sister of Pdraig Flynn and Margaret McNiff, funeral arrangements later.

St. Ronan's Lotto: There was no winner of the Lotto jackpot when the draw was held last weekend. The numbers drawn were 14, 21, 23, 24. Consolation prizes were won by the following: €70: Teresa Duignan, Ballyfarnon, €30: Phil Daly, Arigna, €15each: Marie McKiernan, Derreenasoo, Carmel Bourke, Drumsna, Catherine Holland, Keadue. The jackpot this week will be €8,200 and the draw will be held in Roddy's Bar, Keadue.

Kilronan Parish Pro Life Group members are asking all people of the Parish, and further afield, to please contact the T.Ds of this constituency to express your opposition to the Government's plans to introduce abortion into Ireland. This legislation, if passed into law will deny girls and boys of future generations the most basic of human rights- the right to life. Please make your voice heard by contacting the following representatives, Frank Feighan 086 88831234, 071 9662608, Denis Naughton 086 1708800, 0906 627557, Luke Flanagan 086 3685680 094 9620464.

Pro Life meeting this Monday 24th at 9p.m in Keadue Hall. Everyone welcome. Please come.

Bonus Ball Bash: Last week's winners of €45 each were Edward Noone & Leanne Hennessy. To win €45 get your €2 entry at The Harp & Shamrock or O'Donnell's.

Bingo in St Ronan's Hall Keadue every Wednesday 9 pm Jackpot €500. Your support would be appreciated.

Valley Rovers FAI Summer Soccer School in Geevagh 22nd -26th July. Book now online. Book your place early to get tickets to an Ireland game at Aviva. www.summersoccerschools.ie

St Ronan's GAA Club: We will be doing a sponsored Croagh Patrick climb in August and are looking for volunteers to climb with us. The aim is to raise much needed funds for the club and also for a charity which is yet to be confirmed. To volunteer or get more details please contact a club official or email secretary.stronans.roscommon@gaa.ie

Kilronan Community Playschool, Ballyfarnon: Family Fun Day 2pm-4pm this Sunday in Kilronan Park, Ballyfarnon. Playbus, bouncy castles, face painting etc. Sponsored toddle just before the funday at 1.45pm. Funday admission €5 per child max €10 per family. All proceeds go to the new building. Special thanks to St Ronan's for allowing us to use their grounds.

The O'Carolan Summer School, which takes place from July 29th to August 2nd has once again been given approval by the Department of Education. This is a major boost to the Summer School which is in it's 17th year. The Summer School has increased in popularity over the years with tuition provided in Set Dancing, Sean Nós Dancing and on Harp, Flute, Bodhran, Button Accordion, Banjo, Tin Whistle, Fiddle, Concertina, and Traditional Singing. Enquires to; 0719647247

O'Carolan Festival meeting at 9 o'clock Monday night all welcome

Thank you to all who contributed to the Annual Alzheimer's church gate collection in Arigna. The amount raised was €229.80

Arigna Community Development Company are holding a meeting for all members of the Community to discuss the future of the Enterprise Centre. It will take place in the Enterprise centre on Tuesday 25th June 2013 at 8pm. Everyone welcome.

Irish Wheelchair Association Church gate collection will be held on the weekend of July 5th-6th at the churches of the Parish. Your support will be appreciated