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Kilronan Parish Newsletter

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Work for a cause, not for
applause.
Live to express, not to
impress.

Anniversary Masses, Keadue.

Sat. 27th Hannagh & Harry Benson

Sun. 28th Cemetery Sunday Mass
at St. Lasair's Well 12 noon.

Sun 4th. Lilly Harte and Oliver Keaveney (Months Mind)

Anniversary Masses, Arigna.

Sun. 28th Fr. Frank Gaffney, Months Mind.

Wed. 31st Josephine & Myles McPadden

Sun. 4th. Ita Keaveney & Mary McPadden & D.M.F (Greaghnafarna)

Weekday Masses: 10a.m. Monday, Keadue; Tuesday & Wednesday, Arigna; Thursday and Friday, Ballyfarnon. **Week-end Masses:** Saturday Vigil, Keadue 7p.m & Ballyfarnon 8.30p.m. Sunday Masses: Arigna at 10.30p.m. and Keadue 12noon. Confessions after Saturday evening Masses.



Congratulations and best wishes to Roísín Shields, Burren, Co. Down and Kenneth O'Brien, Newport, Tipperary who were married in Keadue Church on Saturday 27th August 2016.

First Friday Communion Calls on Wednesday 31st August.

Ardagh and Clonmacnois Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock led by Bishop Francis Duffy, Takes place on Sunday 4th September. Ceremonies begin at 2.30p.m with the anointing of the sick. Mass will begin at 3p.m.



Cemetery Sunday takes place in Kilronan next Sunday 28th August at 12noon. Mass at St Lasair's Well will be followed by the blessing of the graves. Please note that the Parish Pastoral Council has agreed that any coins and notes given in the Offertory Collection at this Cemetery Sunday Mass will be given to the St. Lasair's committee to upgrade the St. Lasair's Well area. (The contents of the collection Envelopes will be for the various Churches as usual and will not be part of the collection for the St Lasair's upgrade.)

Arigna: Minister of Holy Communion: Sun 4th. Tommy Earley, Kevin Wynne, Reader: Sun 4th. Aoife Duignan, Altar Society: Rose McGuckian, Eithne McGuire. Offertory Collections, Sunday & Holyday €805.

Keadue: Ministers of Holy Communion: Sat 3rd. Paul Kelly. Sun 4th Florence Flynn. Readers: Sat. 3rd Declan/Ceara Noone, Sun. 4th. Elizabeth McCabe. Collectors: Sat 3rd. Margaret Kelly. Sun. 4th. Tom Quinn. Altar Society: Kelly Family, Carrowbeg. Grounds: Vincent McCabe, Sean McMorrow, Offertory Collections, Sunday & Holyday €800.

Ballyfarnon: Minister of Holy Communion: Sat 3rd. Veronica Sheeran. Reader: Sat 3rd. John O'Connor. Altar Society: Mary Gunning and Sharon Duggan. Collectors: Miceal McCawley & Eamon Keavney. Grounds: Gerry Travers, Declan Killoran. Offertory Collection, Sunday & Holyday €400.

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

Anniversary Masses, Ballyfarnon

Sat. 27th. Florence & Don Lean
Tommy Gunning.

Sat. 3rd. Joe & Annie Gaffney

Ballyfarnon N S re-opens on Thursday, September 1st at 9. 20 a.m.

St Ronan's Lotto There was no winner of the lotto jackpot when the draw was held last weekend. The numbers drawn were 1,3,18 and 19. Consolation prizes were won by the following €70 Paul Finnegan, London, €30 Francis McKiernan, Keadue, €15 each Kathleen Adams, Geevagh, Joe McGreevy, Keadue, Peter Haran, Keadue. The jackpot this week will be €9,600 and the draw will be held in McRanns

Kilronan Community Games: The National Finals of the Community Games took place over the last 2 weekends in Athlone. There were 5 children from Kilronan Parish representing Roscommon in the finals over both weekends. Well done to Carrie Earley, (Ball Throw) Aoife Duignan (Solo Singing) and Eoghan Rynn (Swimming) who put in a great effort and did themselves and the county proud and a special mention and Congratulations to Clodagh Daly who got 3rd place in the U12 Solo Music competition and Brendan Rynn who got 3rd in U12 Solo Singing.

Beginner Sean Nós dancing classes with Eimear Mulvey starting Saturday 3rd of September from 11:30am-12noon in the Geevagh Resource centre. Learn traditional Sean Nós steps, barrel and broom dancing as well as performance techniques. To book a place in the class please contact Eimear (086)2584465

Drumshanbo Enterprise Centre: New Classes Week Starting 5th of September. There are limited places still available for our part-time improvers computer (Information and Communication Technology Skills Class QQI level 4), and our beginners computer course (General Learning Class QQI level 3). These courses are funded by Sligo Mayo Leitrim ETB. For more information or to book a place contact Michael on 0719641577, 087 6177071 or mbruen@drumshanboenterprise.ie

The Arigna Youth Club is re-opening on Saturday 3rd September. The club runs from 6.30pm until 8.30pm. It is for the youth of the area aged 10 years and over. New members are welcome.

Re-opening of Arigna Hall. A public meeting is being held on Friday next, Sept. 2nd at 8.00pm to discuss the re-opening of Arigna Hall. The meeting will take place in the Enterprise Centre. Please make the effort to attend as the re-opening will only proceed if the local community demonstrates a willingness to get involved.

Lough Derg is open for One Day Retreats which continue on certain days until Saturday 24th September. The Retreat offers the opportunity to go to the sacred Island, cross the threshold of the Holy Door of Mercy in St Patrick's Basilica and follow the programme of prayer and reflection. A light lunch is served and pilgrims keep footwear on. Booking is essential. For information & bookings contact 071 9861518 or email info@loughderg.org. Dates September 3,4,6,7,10,12,13,17,18,24.

A black Cat with red collar found. Owner can contact 086-8922828.

Volunteer Tutors needed: Age Action runs beginner/refresher computer classes for people aged 55+ who have little or no computer experience or who are apprehensive of technology. Classes will be run in the Drumshanbo Enterprise Centre on Thursdays 10:30am – 12:30pm and each course will last for 4 weeks. Participants are taught on a one to one basis. Training provided. Please contact Helen Murray at 087 1956047.