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Kilronan Parish Newsletter

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26th Sunday of Ordinary Time

Anniversary Masses Keadue.

Sat. 28th Mary Gaffney (Months Mind.)

Sun. 29th John & Ellie McDonagh

& Linda, Annie Mae & Gerry.

Sun 6th Alan Curran

Anniversary Masses Arigna

Wed 2nd Martha Lavin Flynn

Sun 6th Gerard Flynn (Cartron)

Paddy Chris & John Creamer.

Frank Mulhern & D.M.F.

Rest in Peace †

Mary Cull (née Horan) Tullynahaw and her sister
Winnie McNama (née Horan) Drumkeeran.

Anniversary Masses Ballyfarnon.

Sat. 28th Mai OFlynn.

Week Day Masses 10a.m: Keadue, Monday; Arigna, Wednesday only, Ballyfarnon, Thursday & Friday. **Weekend Masses:** Vigil Saturday: Keadue 7p.m. Ballyfarnon 8.30p.m. **Sunday:** Arigna 10.30p.m. & Keadue 12 Noon. Confessions after Vigil Masses.



Congratulations and best wishes to Emma O'Brien, Sydney and Shane Dunne, The Naul, Dublin who were married on Thursday 26th September in Keadue Church.

"Do this in memory programme": Parents of Children for first Confession and First Holy Communion are invited to an important meeting in the Parochial House, Keadue this Thursday 3rd at 8p.m. The enrolment ceremony will take place on Sunday 13th at the 12 o'clock Mass.

First Friday Holy Communion calls on Wednesday



The Ordination of Fr. Francis Duffy as bishop of Ardagh and Clonmacnois will take place next Sunday 6th October at 3p.m in St. Mary's Pro-cathedral, Athlone. The ordination Ceremony will be available live on the Diocesan Website ardaghdiocese.com or longfordparish.com and/or on Shannonside Radio.

Keadue: Ministers of Holy Communion: Sat 5th. Moira Doyle, Sun. 6th. Rosaleen Boyle, Readers: Sat. 5th Sean Martin, Sun. 6th John Coonan. Collectors: Sat 5th Kathleen Mattimoe, Sun. 6th. Oliver McCabe, Altar Society: Una O'Donnell, Mary Guihen, Liz McCabe, Mary Kelly. Church Grounds: Peter McNiff. Offertory Collection; €800.00

Arigna: Minister of Holy Communion: Sun 6th Tommy Earley, Reader: Sun 6th. John Reynolds. Altar Society: Margaret McPadden, Mary Guihen, Dettie McNiff. Offertory Collection; €645.00

Ballyfarnon: Minister of Holy Communion: Sat 5th. Bridie McCawley. Reader: Sat. 5th Tony McDonagh. Altar Society: Peggy McTiernan & Aisling Lowe. Collectors: Gerry Travers & Tony McDonagh. Counters: Phil Gray. Church Grounds: Jimmy McGirl, Seamus McGirl. Offertory Collection €422.30

St. Ronan's Lotto: There was no winner of the lotto jackpot when the draw was held last weekend. The numbers drawn were 2, 19, 21, 29. Consolation prizes were won by the following: €70: Loretta Earley, Arigna, €30: Mary/Sarah Shivnan, Ballyfarnon, €15each: Jason Glynn, Arigna, Gerry Travers, Ballyfarnon, Sean O'Brien, Ballinaboy. The jackpot this week will be €9,600 and the draw will be held in Roddy's Bar, Keadue.

Bonus Ball Bash: Last week's winners of €45 each were Ray Conlon & Ella Gibbons. To win €45 get your €2 entry at The Harp & Shamrock or O'Donnell's

Parish Cell System of Evangelisation - The National Seminar 2013 takes place in St. Mel's Cathedral Centre, Longford and in St. Oliver's Cullyfad, Killoe on 4th, 5th 6th October. Guest Speaker Mr John Waters, Journalist & Writer. Contact Mary/Martina at 086 8067814. Cell groups are small faith groups who meet each fortnight. They help people come to a deeper and more personal sense of God present with them.

A fundraising Walk will be held on Sunday 29th of September for the St. Asicus Centre for older people in Keadue. Registration will take place at 2.30pm in St. Ronan's Hall in Keadue and the walk will commence at 3.00pm. This is a looped walk which is all on road and is about 5Km long. There is one steep downhill section of about 400 metres. Walking shoes are essential and participants are advised to bring along a rain jacket and a mobile phone and a bottle of water! All are welcome. There is a fee of 10.00 euro for adults. For more information please phone Julie Conneely on 071 9647279.

St Ronan's GAA Club: Connaught GAA Bursary Awards 2013/2014 are now available to full time third level students who are active members of their College GAA club. The award is €750. The student must be from the province but they may attend a college outside Connaught, students in receipt of other GAA or College scholarship/bursary are not eligible. For an application form please contact club secretary by e-mail at secretary.stronans.roscommon@gaa.ie

Invitation: Friday 4th October, the feast of St Francis of Assisi, the insignia of the new bishop, ring, mitre, pectoral cross and crozier will be blessed during the 7.30p.m. Mass in the Cathedral Centre, at St Mel's College, Longford. Anybody who wishes to attend will be most welcome.

Cathedral Open Day: The Restoration of St. Mel's Cathedral is progressing very well. An Open Day will be held on Sunday Oct 29th when you are welcome to come and view the progress for yourselves. The Cathedral will open from 1.30 p.m. to 4.30 p.m. and this event is free of charge.

Keadue Branch CCE, tickets available for Comhaltas celebration dinner and presentation to the Moylurg Ceil Band, winners of the senior All-Ireland Ceil Band competition 2013, in the Abbey Hotel, Roscommon on Saturday 5th of October at 8pm. Tickets 25euro each. A great night of music guaranteed. Contact Micheal on 087-7900361 or Carmel on 087-1461053.

Sligo Cancer Support Centre presents a Fashion Show with a message of hope from the women and men attending the Centre who will take to the catwalk to model the best of Sligo Fashion in Clarion Hotel on Fri. 11th Oct at 7.30pm. Tickets €15 available from Mary Shivnan, 086-2527627.

Church Gate Collection in aid of Western Alzheimers will be held in Ballyfarnon, Keadue and Arigna on the 5th & 6th of October 2013. Your support would be greatly appreciated.

Roscommon Sports Partnership are pleased to announce that the following events will be run, free of charge, as part of Positive Ageing Week: Dance celebration session, Tuesday 1st October, 12.30pm, in Quad, Roscommon Town. Refreshments will be served afterwards. Leisure walk in Moate Park, Thursday 3rd October at 11.30am leaving from girl guides centre, Moate Park. Refreshments will be served afterwards.