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# Kilronan Parish Newsletter

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A flower does not think of competing with the flower next to it, it just blooms.

## Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary time



There's certainly something to be said about "being in the right place at the right time." Zacchaeus, a rich and unpopular tax collector, climbed a convenient tree to be able to catch sight of Jesus. Not only was Zacchaeus able to get a better view of Jesus, but Jesus saw him and told him to come down from his perch. The crowd wasn't happy to see that Jesus had spoken to Zacchaeus, a sinner in their estimation. More in-credible, Jesus told Zacchaeus that he intended to stay at his house.

Now the crowd was grumbling, "he has gone to stay at the house of a sinner."

The best part of this story is how Zacchaeus hopped down from the tree and received Jesus with joy. He said yes to Jesus and repented for his sins by promising to give half his possessions to the poor and repay four times over anyone he had extorted.

### Anniversary Masses, Keadue.

**Sat. 29th** Margaret Kelly & D.M.F.

Tom & Peggy Campbell.

**Sun. 30th** Mass for people of the parish

**Sat 5th** Packie & Eileen Beirne, Cornagee

### Anniversary Masses, Arigna.

**Sun. 30th** Hannah McManus.

Tom, Bridie & Michael Joe Guihen.

Margaret, John & Pat McNiff.

**Tues 1st** Florence & Patrick Faughnan.

**Sun. 6th** Lena Conway.

**Weekday Masses: 10a.m.** Thursday and Friday, Ballyfarnon. Sunday Masses: Arigna at 10.30p.m. and Keadue 12noon. Confessions after Saturday evening Masses.

**Feast of all Saints Masses:** Monday 31st Vigil in Keadue at 7p.m

Tuesday Arigna 10.30a.m. & Ballyfarnon 8.30p.m.

**Feast of All Souls: Wednesday 2nd: Masses** Arigna 10.30a.m & Keadue 7p.m

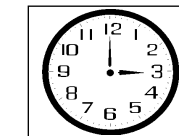
**Thank you:** World Missions Ireland would like to thank most sincerely all in the parish for the very generous contributions to last week's Mission Sunday collection. Monies raised will be an invaluable resource for the continuing work of missionaries throughout the world. We are asked to continue to pray for our missionary brothers and sisters as they bear witness to God's message; offering hope to the hopeless and a voice to the voiceless. World Missions Ireland is the primary supporter of our missionaries abroad, both spiritually and financially.

**Mass of Remembrance** for Parishioners who died since the 13th of November 2015 will take place in Keadue Church at 7.30p.m. on Friday 11th November.



**Baptism:** Jaylon William McGann, son of Emma & Joseph, Ballyfarnon was welcomed into the Christian Community recently.

**The 'Do this in Memory programme'** takes place on Sunday next 6th November during the 12noon Mass in Keadue Church.



**Clocks go back one hour tonight, Sunday 30th October at 2am**

**Keadue:** Ministers of Holy Communion: Sat 5th. Joan Connolly. Sun 6th Florence Flynn. Readers: Sat. 5th Sean Martin, Sun. 6th. John Coonan. Collectors: Sat. 5th. Paul Kelly. Sun. 6th. Tommy Daly. Altar Society: Boyle Family. Grounds: Patrick McManus, Sean McDonagh. Offertory Collections, €515.00.

**Arigna:** Minister of Holy Communion: Sun 6th. Tommy Earley, Kevin Wynne, Reader: Sun 6th. John Reynolds. Altar Society: Maureen Guihen, Bernadette Duignan. Offertory Collections, €610.00.

**Ballyfarnon:** Minister of Holy Communion: Sat 5th. Nuala McNamara. Reader: Sat 5th. Julie Corcoran. Altar Society: Bridie McCawley. Collectors: Ronan Glynn & Micheál Killoran. Grounds: Micéal McCawley Eamonn Keavney. Offertory Collection, €275.00

**Bonus Ball Bash:** Last week's winners of €45 were Peggy Rogers & Fr. Cathal Faughnan. 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 2, 19, 20 and 22. Consolation prizes were won by the following: €70 Ronan Torsney, Drumahaire, €30 Pdraig Flynn, Knockvicar, €15 each Seamus Cooney, Ballyfarnon, Michael McGovern, Drumshanbo, Jackie Costello, Keadue. The jackpot this week will be €10,500 and the draw will be held in Roddy's

**Kurdish Community:** You are invited to Galilee on Tuesday, November 8th at 8pm to meet and experience the journey of the Kurdish Community from Refugee Camp life to settlement in Ireland. **PLACE** – Galilee Community **DATE** – November 8<sup>th</sup> **Time** – 8-9 pm

**Thanks:** Ann Marie McNiff and Seamus Carr would like to thank everyone who sponsored them for the North West Simon Community Sleep Out in Sligo recently. They raised €550 and over €10,000 was raised by all who took part in the sleep out.

**County Roscommon disability support group** are holding a collection outside Arigna and Keadue Churches on 29th & 30th October 2016.

### Norms for Indulgences at the Commemoration of All Souls

1. From twelve o'clock noon on 1st November until midnight on 2nd November, all who have confessed, received Holy Communion and prayed for the pope's intentions (one Our Father and Hail Mary, or any other prayer of one's choice) can gain one plenary indulgence by visiting a church or oratory, and there reciting one Our Father and the Apostle's Creed.

This indulgence is applicable only to the souls of the departed. Confession may be made at any time within the week preceding or the week following 1st November. Holy Communion may be received on any day from 1st November to 8th November.

2. The faithful who visit a cemetery and pray for the dead may gain a plenary indulgence applicable only to the Holy Souls on the usual conditions once per day from 1st to 8th November. The conditions mentioned above apply also for this.

**Youth 2000 are holding a retreat** in Sacred Heart College, Westport, Co. Mayo from Friday 4th November to Sunday 6th November. Programme consisting of workshops, testimonies, music, drama, prayer, talks and chill out time. For information, visit [www.youth2000.ie](http://www.youth2000.ie) or contact 086-2150607 (on-line booking recommended).