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Kilronan Parish Newsletter

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Once you've accepted
your flaws, no one can
use them against you.

The Eighteenth Sunday of the Year.

Anniversary Masses, Arigna.

Sun. 31st Cemetery Sunday; Arigna 2p.m.
Tues 2nd Sheila Killelea
Sun. 7th Frank McLoughlin, Seltannaveeny

Anniversary Masses, Keadue.

Sat. 30th For the people of the Parish.
Sat. 6th For the people of the Parish

Anniversary Masses, Ballyfarnon

Sat 30th Edel, Eleanor and Tommy Lavin
Sat. 6th Bridie Keavney, Months Mind. & also James & Ned Keavney.

Weekday Masses: 10a.m. Monday, Keadue, Tuesday & Wednesday, Arigna; Thursday & 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 Vigil Masses.



Cemetery Sunday takes place in Arigna, next Sunday 31st July, beginning with Mass in Arigna Church at 2p.m followed by the blessing of the graves. Please note that there will be no 10.30a.m. Mass in Arigna on Sunday 31st July.

Friday next is First Friday: Please note that Holy Communion calls will be on Thursday next 4th August.

Arigna: Minister of Holy Communion: Sun 7th. Sean Guihen, Margaret McPadden, Reader: Sun 7th. Sally Ann Earley, Altar Society: Beatrice Rynn, Maureen Guihen. Offertory Collections €405

Keadue: Ministers of Holy Communion: Sat 6th. Moira Doyle. Sun 7th Margaret Kelly Readers: Sat. 6th Chloe McCabe, Sun. 7th. Eileen Barry. Collectors: Sat 6th. Moira Doyle. Sun. 7th. Brendan Kelly. Altar Society: Margaret Grimes, Josephine Leydon, Mollie Guihen. Grounds: Patrick McManus, Sean McDonagh. Offertory Collections €460.

Ballyfarnon: Minister of Holy Communion: Sat 6th. Teresa Shivnan. Reader: Sat 6th. Veronica Sheeran. Altar Society: Peggy McTiernan & Aisling Lowe. Collectors: Peter Kerrigan & P.J. Healy. Grounds: Darragh Healy, Peadar Healy. Offertory Collection €400.

Drumshanbo Portiuncula Mission; Sat. July30th—Tues. Aug 2nd. Inclusive. Mass: 12 noon and 8pm each day. Sunday: 9am and 11.30am. **Sacrament of Reconciliation:** Sunday@7pm. **Anointing of the sick** during each Mass on Monday. Night Prayer and Benediction: 10pm each night.

Bishop Francis Duffy thanks the people in every parish of the diocese for their very generous response to the two unscheduled collections held in April and May, the Pope's appeal for Ukraine and the National Collection for the World Meeting of the Families.

Rest in Peace †

Jimmy Curran, California son of Margaret Curran, Nee, Shivnan formerly Crosshill
Francis O'Donnell, Buncrana, brother of Colm, Keadue

A Year of Mercy pilgrimage to St. Mel's Cathedral, Longford will take place on Saturday 6th August 3pm-5.30pm. Guest speaker Fr Peter McVerry. The theme of the pilgrimage is "JOURNEYING TO NEW LIFE". All welcome.

St Ronan's Lotto There was no winner of the lotto jackpot when the draw was held last weekend. The numbers drawn were 11, 17, 21 and 23. Consolation prizes were won by the following €70 Gillian Smith, Keadue, €30 Brenda McGreevy, Keadue, €15 each Michael Kerrigan/Catherine Murray, Ballyfarnon, Seamus Doyle, Drumshanbo, Lora Spellman, Keadue. The jackpot this week will be €9,200 and the draw will be held in Shivnans

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

O'Carolan Harp Festival 2016.: Dance on Saturday night with **Patrick Feeney & Band, preceded by the selection of the King & Queen of the festival.** Crafts, Foods & Art displays on Sunday. Festival parade at 3.00p.m. Official opening of festival by Eugene Murphy, T.D. Music on the street with **Brian Mostyn & friends (Marshy Ridge).** **Stockton's Wing** in concert, in St. Ronan's Hall, Keadue at 9.00p.m.

Monday at 11.00a.m. visit to O'Carolan's Grave, Kilronan cemetery. 12noon lecture in Kilronan Castle by May Moran, Local Historian, entitled "Fr. Michael O'Flanagan (1876 – 1942) – Priest, Republican, Social Activist & Scholar" 3.00p.m. street entertainment with Youth Members of Keadue C.C.E followed by traditional music with **Cúig.** 7.00p.m. Door Dancing competition with **Liam Purcell & Friends.**

Deborah Leonard thanks all those who supported Pieta House West collection in Arigna and Keadue which took place on the 16th and 17th of July 2016. Also a special thanks to the collectors that helped to take up the collection. The amount collected was €430.00. Your generosity is much appreciated.

St Ronan's GAA Club are looking for secondary school or college students who have played GAA to join our coaching group as mentors to our young players. As in the past we will be able to give the students a character reference over the coming years. We would particularly welcome former St Ronan's girls who have gone on to play with other clubs when we could no longer offer them football as we have a huge number of girls playing and hope in the future to be able to start a girls team. Please contact secretary.stronans.roscommon@gaa.ie or any of our coaches.



Fundraising 5k Family Fun Walk/Run/Stroll 7th August @ 3pm. Assemble: 'The Castle' Castle Street, Manorhamilton. Admission: €10 per adult. Primary school Children Free. Family Rates on request Refreshments served after walk.

Eight ways to Declutter your mind.

Accept what is.

Forgive your enemies.

Let go of resentments and regrets.

Visualise what's important to you.

Be kind to your fears.

Allow yourself to be vulnerable.

Exercise your body.

Love yourself the way you are.