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Kilronan Parish Newsletter

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Outer Show is a poor substitute for inner worth.
Aesop

Anniversary Masses Arigna

Sun. 8th Johnny Gaffney
Mary, Pat & Breege McPartland

Tues. 10th Jimmy Guihen.

Sun. 15th Johnnie Christie, Months Mind

Weekday Masses 10a.m; Monday, Keadue;
Tuesday & Wednesday, Arigna;
Thursday & Friday, Ballyfarnon.

Vigil Masses: Saturday, Keadue 7pm & Ballyfarnon 8.30pm.

Sunday Masses: Arigna 10.30am and Keadue 12noon.

Confessions after Vigil Masses

Do this in Memory Mass; Keadue, Sunday 15th April at 12noon.

Keadue: Ministers of Holy Communion: Sat 14th Moira Doyle. Sun 15th. Imelda McCabe. Readers: Sat. 14th Bill/Joan Connolly, Sun. 15th Mary/Colin McCabe. Collectors: Sat. 14th. Margaret Kelly. Sun. 15th. Tom Quinn. Altar Society Mary McCabe, Bríd McMorrow, Mai Fearon, Berna Gibbons, Viola Durka. Grounds: Paul Kelly, Arthur Boyle. Offertory Collection, €730.00.

Ballyfarnon: Minister of Holy Communion: Sat 14th Tony McDonagh. Readers: Sat 14th. Veronica Sheeran. Altar Society: Maureen Cooney, Áine Cooney. Collectors: Peter Kerrigan, P.J. Healy. Grounds: Patsy McTiernan, Bobby Lowe. Offertory Collection, €270.00

Arigna: Minister of Holy Communion: Sun 15th. Tommy Earley, Kevin Wynne, Reader: Sun. 15th Niamh McNamara. Altar Society: Margaret McPadden, Mary Guihen, and Dettie McNiff. Offertory Collection, €775.00.

Please Support the Third National Collection for the World Wide Meeting of Families which will be taken up in our Parish this week end. Hosting this National and International event requires an enormous amount of planning and funding. An envelope for this collection is in your collection envelopes box. If you haven't a Collection Envelope you can put your donation into any envelope and write WMOF and drop it into the collection basket next Sunday.

School Open Afternoon: Scoil Cill Ronain, Keadue open afternoon on Thursday 19th April from 2.15pm-3pm. All new entrants and their parents are very welcome to come along. Should an alternative date and time be more suitable to meet with the teachers please do not hesitate to contact the school at 071 9647503.

Strabraggan N.S. Parents Association will hold a table quiz on Friday, April 13th at 9pm in The Miner's Bar, Arigna. Raffle and spot prizes on the night. Tables of 4 €20. Please come along for what will be a great night.

Bonus Ball Bash: Last week's winners of €45 each were Martin Roddy & Joe Matthews. Get your €2 entry at The Harp & Shamrock or O'Donnell's / O'Carolan Bar.

Anniversary Masses Keadue

Sun. 8th For the People of the Parish

Sun. 15th Maisie Dempsey, Keadue

Rest in Peace †

Linda Kelliher, sister in law of
Rose McPadden.

St. Ronan's Lotto: There was no winner of the lotto jackpot when the draw was held last weekend. The numbers drawn were 5, 9, 15 and 22. Consolation prizes were won by the following €70 Martin & Mia, Alderford, €30 Nuala O'Hara, Cootehall, €15 each Phil Christie, St. Ronan's Park, Donna Gilraine, Arigna, Monica Dowd, Keadue. The jackpot this week will be €6,800 and the draw will be held in Killorans.

Keadue Tidy Towns A meeting will be held on Monday night 16th April at 8.30pm in St Ronan's Hall to organise a clean-up of all roads leading to Keadue as part of National Spring Clean 2018 and also discuss the 2018 Entry Form for Tidy Towns Competition. Volunteers are the backbone of the SuperValu Tidy Towns Competition and your work is instrumental in improving and creating a strong sense of identity and pride in Keadue.

Ardagh & Clonmacnois Pilgrimage to Lourdes 2018; 27 May – 01 June - 5 nights - Fully Inclusive Price €739. Extra Places Available from Knock. Contact, Joe Walsh Tours 143 Lower Baggot Street Dublin 2. Tel: (01)2410812 (01)2410811. Pilgrimage Director: Rt. Rev Msgr. Bernard Noonan P.P. Moate Co. Westmeath. Tel: 090 64 81180. Director Special Section for Sick/Assisted Pilgrims: V Rev Michael Scanlon P.P. Cloghan Co Offaly. Tel 090 64 57122

Kilronan Operation Transformation: Due to popular demand, we will be running another round of circuit training on Tuesdays Nights at 8pm in St. Ronan's Hall Keadue. Weigh in will also be available from 7.30pm. This will run from April 10th through to May 15th. The cost will be €30 for 6 weeks. Everybody welcome.

St Ronan's GAA Mothers & Others are back on Wednesday 11th April at 8pm at Ballyfarnon GAA Pitch. You don't have to be a previous player to join. New members always welcome for an hours fun each week.

Living Humanely: Perspectives from Law, Morality and Science [Friday 13th April 2018, 9.30 am - 4.30 pm] in Loyola Institute, Trinity College Dublin. In keeping with Loyola Institute's academic mission - the creative intersection of theology, Church and society - we are hosting a forum to allow for reasoned informed debate of the issues around repealing the 8th. It is a forum to facilitate reasoned academic debate on issues of law, morality and science as they pertain to living humanely. The event is for people seeking a deeper understanding of the moral, medical and legal issues surrounding the issue of abortion. The speakers are all experts and have been invited to reflect on the issues from the perspective of their field of expertise. Speakers: Prof. Lisa Sowle-Cahill, (Boston College) Perspectives from theology; Prof. Neville Cox, (Trinity College Dublin) Perspectives from law; Prof. Joan Lalor, (Trinity College Dublin) Perspectives of a clinician; Prof. Paula Murphy, (Trinity College Dublin) Perspectives from developmental biology; Dr Patrick Riordan SJ, (Campion Hall, Oxford) Perspectives from philosophy. Chair: Prof. Shane Allwright, Fellow Emeritus, Public Health & Primary Care Trinity College. Cost: €25 (including tea/coffee and light lunch).

Booking on line: <https://www.eventbrite.ie/e/living-humanely-perspectives-from-law-morality-and-science-tickets-42784889757> Please note it is essential to book in advance for this event as places are limited. Further information call Helen at (01) 896 4790 Please share this invitation with others whom you think would be interested.