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Kilronan Parish Newsletter

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Where is my thirst? Let
Christ fill it. In Lent
Give-Forgive-forbear

Sunday 8th March 2026 Mass Times

Saturday 7th Mar Ballyfarnon 7p.m. *Adoration 6-6:50pm*
Sunday 8th Mar Arigna 10.00a.m.
Sunday 8th Mar Keadue 11.30a.m.
Monday 9th Mar Keadue 10.00a.m.
Tuesday 10th Mar Keadue 10.00a.m.
Wednesday 11th Mar No Mass
Thursday 12th Mar Ballyfarnon 10.00a.m.
Friday 13th Mar Arigna 10.00a.m. *followed by Stations of the Cross*

PARISH OFFERTORY Collections: Thank you for your very generous support of the various Church Collections last weekend. Arigna €675, Ballyfarnon €275, Keadue €, Priest's Dues €1667.

St. Ronan's No winner of the lotto jackpot. The numbers were 1,15,16 and 20. Consolation prizes were won by: €70 K. O'Brien Sooeey, €30 Mary Dwyer Arigna, €20 Grainne Wallace Ballyfarnon, €20 Ann Lynch Geevagh, €20 Michael Gilcreest Keadue. Jackpot next week will be €16,700. The draw will be held on Sunday evening. Enter the lotto online at stronansgaa.com. Or purchase on Revolut.

Arigna Foróige Club Spring clean **14th March 2pm-3pm**. Tea/Coffee/Treats in the enterprise centre on the day.

KEADUE TIDY TOWN'S A meeting of Keadue Tidy Town's will be held on Tuesday night **March 10th at 7.30pm** in St Ronan's Hall. It's that time of the year again when planning for Tidy Town's Competition starts. We would like to ask the residents of the village for their continued support in 2026. A good turn out at meeting is expected, Tea/Coffee Scones and Biscuits will be provided

PRAYER ACROSS THE MILES There are some "Kilronan Parish Postcards" available if you would like to reach out to parishioners elsewhere. Did you know that if a person is resident in a Nursing Home or Care Centre in the Republic of Ireland, by writing FREEPOST above the address and including a return address (yours) all post and packages (under 1kg) go free. It would be nice to reach out to people. I hope to have a Global Maps (if it arrives in the post in time!) in which you can put coloured pin for loved ones across the Globe. We can connect them with prayer on March 17th.

CHOIR PRACTICE for St. Patrick's Day Tuesday 8pm-9pm. New Members Welcome.

Anniversary Masses

Sunday 8th March Arigna John & Margaret Guihen (Aughabehy) & their son Gerry
Sunday 8th March Keadue John James McNamara & McNamara & Gaffney DFM
Sunday 15th March Arigna Joseph McManus, Jane & Kathleen Reynolds.
Tuesday 17th March Arigna Vincent & Philomena Holohan (Aughabehy) Pat & Rosanne Wynne (Corgorman)
Tuesday 17th March Keadue Lizzie Gralton & DFM

First Confession for First Communion children Tuesday 10th March @7:30pm

STATIONS of the Cross Friday Arigna 10am

ADORATION of the Blessed Sacrament Saturday at 6pm Ballyfarnon

Confession available during adoration

House Station Masses available on request

TRÓCAIRE BOXES– Boxes available in all churches

Trócaire translating the Gospel into action Worsening storms and poor soil have caused crop yields to drop by over 50% in some regions. For farming families, this means more hunger and less income. Across Rwanda, women do 70% of agricultural work, as men are more likely to seek paid work in cities or towns. When climate change strikes, it is the work of mothers and grandmothers which is affected. Last year, Trócaire worked with over 40,000 people in at-risk communities across Rwanda, helping vulnerable families build resilience against climate change by: • Supporting over 2,500 women to receive training in sustainable resource management • Providing over 20,000 families with fuel efficient cookstoves to reduce firewood use • Planting over 320,000 trees across the country

Prayer for Peace *Gracious Lord, in times of uncertainty and fear, I seek your peace that transcends circumstances. Help me trust in your plan and find security in your promises. Quiet my anxious thoughts and fill my heart with your peace that guards my mind and soul. I surrender my worries to you, knowing that you are in control. In Jesus' name, I pray. Amen.*