***Keash/Culfadda Newsletter November 5th 2023***

 ***31st Week in Ordinary time***

***Year A, Weekdays Cycle 1***

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**Masses from Culfadda Church are Live streamed, please visit** [**www.keashparish.ie**](http://www.keashparish.ie)

**St Kevin’s Church Keash.**

**Saturday 4th 6.30pm**  Madeline Kearns, Carrigan’s Upper, Ballymote (20th Anniversary).

 Also, Mary Ellen & Jim McGowan, Knockanaher, their son

 Seamus and grandson John McGowan. Also,

 Kevin Cryan, Dernaskeagh (25th Anniversary) and the deceased

 members of the family.

**Wednesday 8th 10.00am**  People of the parish.

**Friday 10th 10.00am** Holy souls.

**Saturday 11th 6.30pm** Gerry Underwood, Birmingham and formerly Knockbrack

 (2nd Anniversary).

**Our Lady of the Rosary Church Culfadda.**

**Sunday 5th  10.00am** Seamus O’ Connor, Kiltytigue (2nd Anniversary) and his sister Kay

 Doherty. Also,

 Tommie Lyons, Dernaskeagh and the deceased members of the

 Lyons and Keville families. Also,

 Tom & Patrica McCormack, Drumineal and James & Mai

 McCormack, Listrush and their nephew Andrew Sloman

 (2ndAnniversary), Scotland.

**Feast of All the Saints of Ireland.**

**Monday 6th 10.00am** Holy Souls.

**Tuesday 7th 10.00am** Special Intention.

**Sunday 12th 10.00am** Margaret Higgins, Townaghmore (1st Anniversary). Also,

 Paddy Joe Hannon, Cloonshanbally (3rd Anniversary). Also,

 Francis & Tilly Kielty, Rooskeymore.

**Readers.**

**Saturday 4th** Ann Brehony. **Sunday 5th** Mary Hannon.

**Saturday 11th** Damien Carty. **Sunday 12th** John Higgins.

**Recent Death.**

Your prayers are requested for Pat Mahony, Kilsallagh. May his soul rest in peace. Amen.

**November Masses for the Holy Souls.**

“it is …. a holy and wholesome thought to pray for the dead”.

November envelopes are available in Culfadda Church, Please take one and fill in the names of your deceased relatives, friends and neighbours especially those who have no one left to pray for them, so that they can be remembered in the Masses for the Holy Souls which will be said during the month of November.

**Cemetery Rosaries.**

The rosary will be recited in Templevanny Cemetery on Sunday November 5th at 12.30am.

The rosary will be recited in Knockbrack Cemetery on Sunday November 12th at 12.30pm.

The rosary will be recited in Toomour Abbey on Sunday November 19th at 12.30pm.

**Annual Special Remembrance Masses for the Dead.**

Our Annual Special Remembrance Masses for the dead will take place on the weekend of the 18th /19th of November at both Masses. A member of each family will be invited to come forward to light a candle for their loved ones who have died. The names of those who have died during the past year will be read. If you have relatives or old neighbours who would like to come, please let them know, especially those who have lost a loved one recently.

**Keash/Culfadda Community Games.**

Keash/Culfadda community games are seeking additional volunteers to join the committee for the 2024 season.

We want to have all names gathered by November 24th as the Games vetting process can be lengthy. We are hoping by growing our committee that we can offer the children opportunities in new Sports (Both individual and Team events) in the 2024 community Games. Please contact Helen Clarke - Games Secretary - on 089 4494305 for further details.

**Eastern Harps - 50th anniversary Dinner dance.**

There are a limited number of tickets remaining for our upcoming dinner dance on the 4th November 2023 in the Landmark Hotel Carrick-on-Shannon. If you are interested in buying tickets please call or text Carmel on 087 2264955, Kevin 087 2112748 or Thomas 086 0522816.

**Annual Culfadda Tractor, Bike, Jeep and Vintage Car Run.**

The annual Culfadda Tractor, Bike, Jeep and Vintage Car Run takes place on Sunday November 5th 2023. Registration from 1pm at Culfadda National School with the run starting at 2pm sharp.

Route - Culfadda, Keash, Ballymote, Rathmullen Gurteen cross, through Gurteen village and then turn down Moydoo road and park at the community pitch in Gurteen. Refreshments for all participants will be served in the Roisin Dubh, Gurteen, after the run with live music by Roly Anderson from 4 30 to 7pm.

All proceeds in aid of Gurteen, Keash and Culfadda First Responder Group and Culfadda Community Centre. Please come out and support this event as the CFR group responds to 999 calls in the parishes of Gurteen and Keash. The run will be passing through Gurteen village from 2.45pm approx.

**Coleman Music Centre. Upcoming Events.**

Seán Keane and his band will perform his unique blend of traditional Irish and contemporary folk music and song in the intimate setting of the Coleman Music Centre, Gurteen on Saturday, November 4th at 8pm. Adm €25. For bookings please call 071 9182599 or visit our website at www.colemanirishmusic.com

For one night only at the Coleman Music Centre, Members of the well known Collis and Kearins Family from Sligo will come together to perform a live concert on November 11th at 8pm. This promises to be a lively evening of Traditional music and song with Award winning musicians. Early Booking Advisable. Tickets €15.00. For Bookings Call 071 9182599 or visit our website www.colemanirishmusic.com.

**Keash Church Renovation Fund.**

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| **Total received to date €19,924** |

We wish to acknowledge having received a donation of €200 towards Keash Church Renovation Fund. We have to raise approximately €65,000 to pay for the cosmetic works. Thank you to everyone for their ongoing generosity and support. ‘For all things come from you, and of your own have we given you’ 1 Chronicles 29:14b.

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