

# Tradaree Pastoral Area Newsletter

## The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ 7th June 2026

### Parishes of Newmarket on Fergus, Shannon & Sixmilebridge

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## Tradaree Pastoral Area Mass Schedule

### Newmarket on Fergus Parish

**Newmarket Church:** Tue - Fri @ 9.30am. Sat @ 6pm .

**Carrigerry Church:** Sun @ 9am. **Wells Church** Sun @ 10.30am

### Shannon Parish

**Mary Immaculate :** Mon - Communion Liturgy @ 10am.

Tue - Fri @ 10am. Sat @ 11am. Sun @ 10.30am

**Ss. John & Paul Church:** Mon & Fri @ 7pm. Sat @ 6.30pm.

Sun @ 12 noon.

### Sixmilebridge

**Sixmilebridge Church:** Mon, Wed to Fri @ 9.30am.

Tue - Communion Liturgy @ 9.30am. Sat @ 7.30pm.

Sun @ 12 noon. **Kilmurry Church :** Sun @ 9am

## Tradaree Parish Offices

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Open Mon - Thur 10am to 2.30pm

Parish Offices



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Open Tue - Fri 10am to 1pm & 2pm to 5pm

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Open Tue - Fri 10am to 12 noon

**Newsletter Deadline:** Please note that the deadline for items to be included in the newsletter is Wed 12 noon

## Cemetery Masses in the Tradaree Pastoral Area

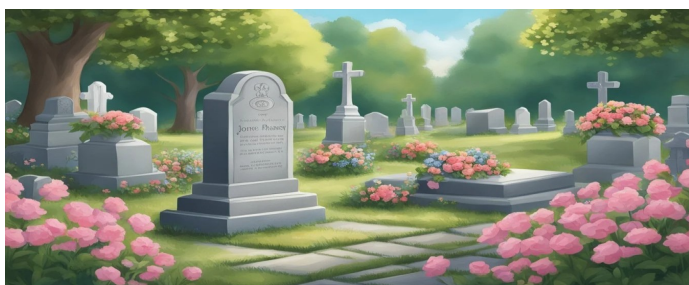
**Newmarket : Cemetery Masses** will commence on this Tuesday June 9<sup>th</sup> at 7pm when Fr Albert will be in Drumline Cemetery. It would be very much appreciated if parishioners who are local could set up a simple Altar for the mass.

Cemetery masses will continue on the following Tuesdays, at 7pm.  
16<sup>th</sup> June in Lemenagh with Fr Tom Whelan.

Fr Albert will celebrate mass in the other cemeteries on the following dates 23<sup>rd</sup> June in Fenloe, 30<sup>th</sup> June in Bunratty, 7<sup>th</sup> July in Clonloghan, 28<sup>th</sup> July in Kilconry, 11<sup>th</sup> August in Kilnasoolagh, 19<sup>th</sup> August in Kilmaleery. There will be no 9.30am mass on these Tuesdays except for June 16<sup>th</sup> when the morning mass in Newmarket will go ahead as usual. There will be a mass offered for all those buried in the Kileens of the parish on Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> November at 9.30am in Newmarket chapel.

**Sixmilebridge:** Fr. Damien will celebrate Mass in Ballysheen Graveyard at 7p.m. on this Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> June

**Shannon:** Fr Tom will be in Lemenagh on June 16<sup>th</sup> at 7pm. Illaunamanagh date to be confirmed.



## St Anthony's Novena

The Novena continues each day this week in the Friary Ennis at 10am and 7.30pm . Petitions can be sent to St Anthony's Novena Franciscan Friary Francis Street Ennis Co Clare V9.5 A4N2. Fr Tom Ryan is the preacher this year.

**Alzheimer's Clare Branch** is holding an information Café on June 17<sup>th</sup> in the Shannon Family resource centre. 11am to 1pm. All are welcome. Guest speaker is Dementia Advisor Melissa Kenny

Ennis Blood Donation Appeal: West County Hotel : Sunday 7th June : 11:50am - 3:10pm. New donors are very welcome – it only takes about an hour, but could save a life. Call 1800 222 111 to book



Cast your vote on the AIB community funds giveaway, by voting for Saint Vincent De Paul (SVP), charity number CHY6892. Voting ends on the 19th June 2026. The public vote really does make a difference in deciding where the support goes, so it's well worth taking a moment to do the vote. <https://aib.ie/community-fund>

## Clare branch of the Irish Kidney

**Association** wish to thank all those who contributed so generously to the recent church gate collection held across the Tradaree Pastoral Area. Your support is greatly appreciated.



## Mass Intentions



### Newmarket-on-Fergus

**Sat 6<sup>th</sup> June: 12 noon: Carrigerry:** Bernadette Glynn (1<sup>st</sup> A)  
**Sat 6<sup>th</sup> June: 6pm: Newmarket:** Michael Donnelly, Denis and Lena Mc Inerney and their son James, Leonard Mc Namara, Seán and Joan O'Driscoll, Seán Mc Namara, Louis and Celine Quinn, John Arthur and his parents Michael and Ann.  
**Sun 7<sup>th</sup> June: 9am: Carrigerry:** May and Joe Donlon  
**Sun 7<sup>th</sup> June: 10.30am: Wells:** Michael and Merlyn Quinn, Pa Crowe, Eileen Woulfe  
**Wed 10<sup>th</sup> June: 9.30am: Newmarket:** Joan Duggan, (1<sup>st</sup> A)  
**Sat 13<sup>th</sup> June: 6pm: Newmarket:** Brian Maxwell (1<sup>st</sup> A), Phil Delaney (1<sup>st</sup> A), Gina Shanagher (1<sup>st</sup> A) Bríd and Anna Grogan, Gerry Fitzpatrick. Mark Mc Coy  
**Sun 14<sup>th</sup> June: 10.30am: Wells:** Margaret Collins: (M M), Liam Hogan (1<sup>st</sup> A),

**Recent Deaths:** Pray for the repose of the soul Brian Weir, father of Avia Costello, Rathfoland. May he rest in peace.

### Sixmilebridge

**Sat. 6<sup>th</sup> June 7.30 p.m.** Anne Whelan (M.M.), Vincent Whelan  
**Sun. 7<sup>th</sup> June 12 Noon.** Teresa and John McNamara  
**Sat. 13<sup>th</sup> June 7.30 p.m.** P.J. Keane, Carmel Cosgrove  
**Sun. 14<sup>th</sup> June 9.00 a.m.** (KM), Stephen Kiely, Marian Meehan, Eileen Quin (1<sup>st</sup> A.) and deceased members of Quin family.  
**Sun. 14<sup>th</sup> June 12.00 Noon** Ian Keogh

We pray for the repose of the soul of **Noel Devanney**, Cappa Lodge, who died during the week and we extend our sympathy to all his family, friends and neighbours. May he Rest in Peace.

### Shannon

**Sat. 6<sup>th</sup> June 11am M.I.:** Anne Geraghty and Stella Carroll  
**Sat. 6<sup>th</sup> June 6.30pm SS J&P :** Mary Brosnan, remembering Shirley and Brian Ahern, Diarmaid Ó'Donnabháin, Tomas MacCormaic, Geraldine McDonagh.  
**Sun 7<sup>th</sup> June 10.30am M.I.:** Julita Barrett  
**Sun. 7<sup>th</sup> June 12 noon SS J&P:** Moira Noonan (1<sup>st</sup>A), Ann Meaney, Siobhan McGorrian.  
**Fri. 12<sup>th</sup> June 10am M.I.:** Albert Burke.  
**Fri. 12<sup>th</sup> June 7pm SS J&P:** Deceased members of the Pioneer Total Abstinence Association. Ger Regan.  
**Sat. 13<sup>th</sup> June 11am M.I.:** John Carey, Paddy Carrig, Patrick Christopher Fitzgerald and Maureen Fitzgerald.  
**Sat. 13<sup>th</sup> June 6.30pm SS J&P :** Patrick Coleman (1<sup>st</sup> A), Conor O'Brien.  
**Sun 14<sup>th</sup> June 10.30am M.I.:** Breda Keogh-Hendrick and Joe Hendrick.  
**Sun. 14<sup>th</sup> June 12 noon SS J&P:** Margaret Bannon (1<sup>st</sup>A), Frank Hourston.

**Also Remembering:** Nora Browne and Martin Fitzgerald.

**We extend our prayers and sympathies to the friends and families of :** Cordelia Foley, Cork, daughter-in-law of Brendan and Ronnie Foley, Fearnog, Shannon. May she rest in eternal peace.

## Parish Notes

### Newmarket-on-Fergus

**Church Collections:** We wish to thank you for your generosity to our parish collections each week. Last weekend's collection realised €1374.04

**Fatima Hour:** Sat 6<sup>th</sup> June 1.30pm to 2.30pm in the chapel in Our Lady of the Rosary Church, Newmarket

**Prayer for Priests:** Mon 8<sup>th</sup> June at 7.30pm in Our Lady of the Wells Church, Clonmoney.

**Parish Walk:** Saturday June 13<sup>th</sup> depart Fair Green @2.00 pm Toll House Ardsolus @2.30 pm For Ballykilty: Race Park River Crossing at Ardsolus Railway Bridge and Children's Burial Ground.

**Active Age Classes:** Classes continue each Friday morning at 11.30am in the Community Hall, Newmarket on Fergus. The final class before the summer break will take place on Friday, 18<sup>th</sup> July.

**Please note that there will be no 9.30am mass on Tue 9<sup>th</sup>, Thur 11<sup>th</sup> or Fri 12<sup>th</sup> June. Please see mass times on the opposite page in the other parishes in our Pastoral Area**

### Sixmilebridge

**Eucharistic Ministers** next week Team A

**Sixmilebridge G.A.A. Lotto:** 5 6 14 26 Congratulations! to the winner. Next **Jackpot: €3,3,00**

**St. Anthony Feast Day - Next Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> June.** We invite you to bring lilies for Blessing at the 7.30 p.m. Mass.

**Reintroduction of Altar Servers.** A meeting on the possible reintroduction of the ministry of Altar Serving has been arranged for **Thursday, June 11<sup>th</sup> @ 7.00 pm** in the Parish Hall to which everyone is warmly invited. At this meeting what's being proposed and what's involved will be outlined in detail. There will be no commitment required at this stage and the meeting is open to parents of children wishing to become Altar Servers in the Parish and to any adult wishing to learn about or support the initiative.

**Huge Congratulations!** to Clare U20 Hurling Team and especially to our locals, **Mark Sheedy and Matthew O'Halloran**, on winning the All Ireland U20 Hurling Final last Sunday. It is a really great achievement. Well Done to all.

### Shannon

**Prayer for Priests Group:** There will be Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Prayer next Saturday, June 13<sup>th</sup> from 9:15am to 10:15am in the Adoration Chapel, Shannon. All are welcome to come together to pray for our Bishops, Priests and each other.

**Shannon Active Retirement:** The next Meeting will be on Wednesday, June 10<sup>th</sup> in the Conservatory of the Oakwood Hotel at 11am. All are welcome.

**Shannon Senior Citizens flag day** will be held in Skycourt Shopping Centre next Friday, June 12<sup>th</sup> from 9pm – 5pm. Please support this event if you can.

**Last Sunday's collection was €1,936.** As ever, we thank you for your continued support and great generosity. The Priests' Summer Collection will be taken up at all Masses this weekend the 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> June.

**St. Anthony's Novena** will be celebrated next Saturday, June 13<sup>th</sup> at 11am in Mary Immaculate Church. We have a tradition of inviting parishioners to donate lilies for this Mass. You are welcome to bring your lilies along on the day or to any Mass during the week.

**Apostolic Work's** 71<sup>st</sup> and final annual display of Mission Work will take place on Saturday June 13<sup>th</sup> in the Maria Assumpta Hall, Ennis from 2pm - 4pm. All are welcome to attend.