



# Sixmilebridge + Kilmurry Parish Newsletter July



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## Parish Office:

Mon - Fri. 10.00 a.m. - 12.00 Noon  
**For booking of Masses, Baptisms & Weddings.**

Baptisms take place at 12.00 Noon on Sundays in Sixmilebridge and Kilmurry.

We extend our sympathy this week to Fr. Albert McDonnell, former priest of this parish on the death of his father **JT McDonnell** in Kilmaley.

We remember all our loved ones and especially those whose anniversaries occur at this time. **Rest in Peace**

Sat. 17th 7.00 pm Katy + Michael Manning  
 Sun. 18th 11.00 am Wallace + Hoban Families R.I.P.  
 Mon. 19th 7.00 p.m. Tom Reidy (1st Anniversary)  
 Tues. 20th 7.00 p.m. Mike Gleeson (1st Anniversary)  
 Sun. 25th 11.00 a.m. Eileen O'Dwyer

**Mass Times this week:**  
 Mon Tues + Fri. 7.00 pm Wed + Thurs 9.30 am

If there is anyone in our Parish who is unwell at home or in hospital, or anyone who would like a visit for a chat with Fr. Harry, please contact the Parish Office.

## Ballysheen Graveyard

Work continues every Tuesday evening weather permitting in at Ballysheen Graveyard. It is hoped that as many volunteers as possible will turn up even if it is only for a short while. All help will be appreciated.

**A souvenir DVD** of the recent Area Gathering with Procession from Church, and Mass at Railway Station which includes the **Blessing of the Station** is available at the Parish Office. Price only €10

**Listening and Praying the Word of God**  
 Monday 10.00 a.m. - 10.30 am  
**Exposition of Blessed Sacrament**  
 Quiet time - Vigil of Prayer Fri. 3 - 7 pm



## People of Inishowen

The people of Inishowen, Donegal, woke up on Monday morning to the news of an horrific accident which took the lives of 8 people. The uncle of one the young lads killed caught the reaction of the local community when he said "they were mystified and magnanimous". Mystified in that it was impossible to understand a tragedy of this magnitude in a small community. Magnanimous in that as always, the local community responded so powerfully. It is one thing having to visit a one wake house whose people have experienced a tragedy but to have to visit 8 is simply beyond our understanding.

Will those people ever forget, certainly the tragedy will be spoken of by generations to come. The present generation, especially the mothers and fathers, brothers and sisters extended families are called on to carry heavy crosses.

I think it is true to say that the shockwaves went way beyond Inishowen and Donegal. We have been praying for them every day here in our own community. We said "just picture what this would have done to us if anything like it happened here".

It is certainly a stark reminder to value life. Gay Byrne put it well during the week when he said .. " it is a reminder that all our lives are suspended by a thin thread".

Our thoughts and prayers go out on this July weekend 2010 to those broken hearted people. We pray that the good God and our Blessed Lady will give them the strength and support they need at this time.

In a special way we remember them by name ...

**Mark McLoughlin Paul Doherty**  
**Ciaran Sweeney P J McLoughlin**  
**Hughie Friel James McEleney**  
**Eamonn McDaid Damien McLoughlin**

## Rest in Peace

We also remember in our prayers the lone survivor of the crash, Shaun Kelly, who is in hospital and we pray for his recovery.

**During these days of sorrow may the God of Love and Healing comfort all hearts that are broken and Bless you with his Peace.**



## Friends and Neighbours Area Gathering

The next Area Gathering will take place at Teereen Loch, in early August, incorporating the townlands of Drumullin, Rathluby, Kilcornan and Shandangan. A meeting will take place at the lake next Wednesday night at 7.30pm to organise the event. All welcome

**Congratulations!** to **Clare Minors** who won the Munster Final last weekend and especially to all our local participants.

## Fishing Competition

Junior Fishing Competition on the river this Sunday from 2-6 pm. Under 12 and under 16's. Please have your membership got for insurance purposes. Trophies, monies and refreshments.

**Register at Kearney's Tackle Shop at 1.30.**

Contact 061-369633

**Annual Pilgrimage to Croagh Patrick Sun, 25th July. On 'Reek Sunday'** many thousands of people will climb Croagh Patrick, the Holy mountain in Mayo. On this sacred mountain St. Patrick spent time praying and fasting.

**Bus to Croagh Patrick** on Sun July 25th. Contact: MI Meere coach hire at 086 8458922

## Sixmilebridge Vintage Day Sunday 18th July 2010

**A fun day for all the Family**

Vintage Display Cars, Tractors and Stationery Engines.

Location: The Old Mill Yard (opposite Greyhound Bar) @ 12 Noon

Proceeds: to provide Day Care Facilities for Elderly. Info contact PJ @ 086 2507958 or Sean @ 087 3746944

## S.A.A. Club Lotto

Numbers drawn were  
**1 4 17 21**

**Jackpot Next Week**

**€14,800**

## Rota - Next Weekend

	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers.	Servers
Sat. 24th 7.00 p.m	Tracey Pyne	B	B
Sun. 25th 10.00 am	Linda Carey	Maura Newe	E
Sun. 25th 11.00 a.m.	Mike Glynn	C	B

Basket Collection last weekend €1,427.80 - Thank You!

