



# Sixmilebridge + Kilmurry Parish Newsletter



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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 Margaret Deasy, Shannon Road, on the death of her sister **Carmel McMahon**. Also to Tom Rice, Deerpark, on the death of his sister **Katherine Alam**. We remember all our loved ones and especially those whose anniversaries occur at this time. **Rest in Peace.**

Sat. 11th	7.00 p.m.	Stephens Family R.I.P.
Sun. 12th	10.00 a.m.	Joan + Peter Meehan
Sun. 12th	11.00 a.m.	Denis Lee
Mon. 13th	9.30 a.m.	Richard Dundon
Wed. 15th	7.00 p.m.	Dolly + Timmy Devanney
Thurs. 16th	7.00 p.m.	Fr. Joe + Sr. Mary Bede Quin
Fri. 17th	7.00 p.m.	Maureen O'Flynn+Catherine Mulready.
Sat. 18th	7.00 p.m.	Tom + Michael McInerney
Sun. 19th	11.00 a.m.	Dawn Roughan

**Mass times this week: Mon.+Tues. 9.30 a.m. Wed - Fri. 7.00 pm.**

### Thank You!

The Sweeney Family would like to thank everyone who helped in any way with the recent fundraiser. All who sold tickets or bought tickets and all who attend the function. Your help is really appreciated in making the function a great success. Our sincere thanks.

Sacristans Mary and Puff thank sincerely everyone who contributed to their collection last weekend and wish everyone a very Happy Christmas.

**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



## New Eucharistic Ministers

Seven new Eucharistic Ministers were installed in Kilmurry last Sunday. They are ..

This is but another step in our build up of a model of Church with a big emphasis on lay participation.

The Eucharist is at the very heart of our gatherings. That is why we gather. Reverence for the Eucharist is vital as an indication of our respect for all people. Ministers of the Eucharist play an important part in building up this community and its sacredness in our lives.

We are delighted that so many of different age groups are now participating in different areas of our Parish. We would like to encourage more and more participation. If you feel you would like to become a Eucharistic Minister, Reader or indeed any other area, please let us know.

## Reconciliation

Next Tuesday evening at 7.30pm we are having what is called a Reconciliation Ceremony in the Church in Six-milebridge. We will pause, reflect, pray. We will listen to a short talk from Joe O'Keeffe which might help us identify something in our lives we would like to get rid of. We then have the opportunity to ask God for forgiveness. We will have a few priests in the Church who will give us absolution. All of this is by way of renewing ourselves spiritually. It is by way of finding Peace of Mind and a clear conscience. These are precious gifts.

**Try and spare the time take part.**

### Christmas Mass Times

**Christmas Eve: Sixmilebridge: 6.00pm and 9.00pm**  
**Kilmurry 7.30pm**

**Christmas Day: 10.00 am Kilmurry + 11.00 am SMB**  
**Sunday 26th Dec: 10.00 a.m. Kilmurry + 11.00 am SMB**

### S.A.A. Club Lotto

Numbers drawn were  
 4 8 11 28

**Jackpot Next Week**



### Advent Blessing

Lord,  
 May the light of your face shine on us even as it shone in the face of Mary.  
 May her joy be ours in greeting your message.  
 May her peace be ours in trusting in you.  
 May we see and recognise the wonders you work in Mary, in so many, today. Amen.

### Glenwood Ambush Appeal.

Please support the financing of a suitable memorial at the Glenwood Ambush site in Belvoir to mark the 90th anniversary which takes place on Jan. 20th. Fund now open for donations at BOI Tulla A/C no.64455004, sort code 904480. Also a presentation on the proposed memorial plus a Traditional Session takes place at Donnellans, Kilkishen on Sat. Dec.18th from 9pm. Contact Patsy 087-9691415 or Sean 087-2265342. 45 Drive Card Game in Pumphouse this Sun. @ 6pm

**Scor na nOg** takes place in Cois na hAbhanna on Sun. Dec. 12th @ 2pm. Call Sean Corbett @ 061-369089

### Rota Next Weekend:

	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers.	Servers
Sat. 18th 7.00 p.m	Mike Glynn	B	B
Sun. 19th 10.00 am	Diane Murray	Martina McNamara	B
Sun. 19th 11.00 am	Joe O'Keeffe	D	B

Basket Collection last weekend - €1,550.45 - Thank You!

### Our Remembrance Tree



We remember all those who cannot be here with us this Christmas. We invite you to take a card and write the names of absent family and friends and place it on our Remembrance Tree in Six-milebridge Church.

## Annual Newsletter

The Annual Newsletter is being distributed to every house in the Parish during these days. We live in a communications age. We are bombarded from all sides every day with news and current affairs. We are discovering, more and more, that most of life - religious, social, political, economic - is local. Our newsletter is an effort to communicate some of what is happening in our parish and, more important, why it is happening. Make sure people you know who may not be Church-goers have a copy.

**Hope you enjoy reading it.**