



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 Kevin O'Loughlin, on the death of his sister **Ann** in Newmarket-on-Fergus. Also to Pauline Quin, on the death of her mother, **Susan O'Brien** in Kilfenora.

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

This Week we Remember in our Masses .

Sat. 10th	7.00 p.m.	Rafferty Family Toomey Family, Cappa
Sun. 11th	10.00 a.m.	The Clune Family
	11.00 a.m.	Baby Michael Lillis
Fri. 16th	7.00 p.m.	Noreen Donnellan-Months Mind
Sat. 17th	7.00 p.m.	Catherine Mulready Mary O'Flynn Pat + Mary Moylan Teresa McNamara Nancy + Jim Burns
Sun. 18th	10.00 a.m.	Joan + Peter Meehan
Sun. 18th	11.00 a.m.	Canon Joe Quinn+Sr. Mary Bede Christy Moloney + Family

Mass or Communion Liturgy 10.00 a.m. Mon - Thurs.
 Friday Months Mind Mass in Kilmurry at 7.00 p.m.

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 Sixmilebridge Church.

The Sacrament of Reconciliation will take place in Sixmilebridge Church on Mon. 19th

Exposition of Blessed Sacrament Fri 3 - 7 pm.

Our Schools

We are very aware that without volunteers this country would come to a standstill. They are the people who give their time and talents to keep many of our services going. They do this through a variety of organisations and indeed outside organisations and as good neighbours. They play a very special part in our schools. They do it through Parents Councils, fund raising, in a variety of different ways, but in a special way on Boards of Management.

The new Boards of Management are now in place in both schools. We want to take this opportunity to thank Noel Ryan, and Sean Hogan, outgoing Chairmen of Sixmilebridge and Kilmurry schools. In thanking them we want to acknowledge that they took on an extraordinary responsibility and took it on in a way which ensured the smooth running of the schools. We are indebted to them, as a Community. In a very special way Parents, Teachers and Children acknowledge their contribution to our schools.

Angie Togher has taken over the Chair of Sixmilebridge and Deirdre Frawley of Kilmurry school. We want to thank them for agreeing to take on this responsibility. We wish them well as we do to all Board members.

Once again we, as a Parish Community want to let everyone involved in our schools know how much we value them. They are special centres at the heart of our community. They are coping with growing numbers each year for the quality of formation in both schools is special.

We wish all involved a very Happy Christmas!

Bishop Kieran will lead **Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes** on 26th June to 1st July. Direct from Shannon €670. Tel .. 01-240810

Minor Club Calendars will be on sale after all Masses in the Parochial Hall this weekend.

S.A.A. Club Lotto
 numbers drawn 8 16 18 19

Jackpot Next week

€11,000

Christmas Carol Service

On this Wednesday 14th December a cluster Carol Service will take place in Newmarket church at 7.30pm. For the last few years we have been part of the Tradaree cluster of parishes which also includes Newmarket and Shannon. On that night the choirs of our three parishes will come together to sing the traditional Christmas Carols and help create an atmosphere of joyful hope and expectation as we look forward to the birth of our saviour. The parish choirs will also be joined by the children of Scoil na Maighdine Mhuire, St. Conaire's and St. Tola's. We invite you to come along to reflect on the Christmas story and to focus our attention on the one who gives meaning to the festive season, namely, the Lord himself.

Last Chance to be in for the draw for the "Ride On Battery Operated Police Car"

donated by John Crowe. All proceeds go to **Cahercalla Community Hospital**. Tickets are only €2 and can be bought at Centra Supermarket. Only this week left to get your ticket. Draw takes place next Saturday. **So hurry!**



AnneMarie and Puff sincerely thank all who contributed to the Sacristan's Collection last weekend. It is really appreciated.

Christmas Card Workshop for Children aged 7 to 12 years on Wed. 14th Dec. at 3.00p.m. in Kilfinaghty Library, Sixmilebridge.

"The Measure of Love is to Love without Measure"

	Rota Next Weekend	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers	Altar Servers
Sat.	17th 7.00 pm	Noel Ryan	C	A
Sun.	18th 10.00 am	Theresa O'Dea	AnnMarie	F
Sun.	18th 11.00 am	Marie Cooney	C	A