

Sixmiledridge + Kilmurry Parish Newsletter

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≶ 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 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. 14th	7.00 p.m.	James + Mary Collins Dominic Murphy Joe McInerney
		Michael + Mary O'Halloran
Sun. 15th	11.00 a.m.	Willie Chaplin
		Paddy Hayes
		Wallace + Hoban Families R.I.P
Fri. 20th	7.00 p.m.	Mary Ryan (Months Mind)
Sat. 21st	7.00 p.m.	Hugh Kelly
		Josephine Ward + Family R.I.P.
		Mary + James Kelly
Sun. 22nd	10.00 a.m.	Michael + Margaret Sheedy
	11.00 a.m.	Bridget Begley
		Ciss McMahon

Mass times during the week: Monday, Wednesday + Thursday 10.00 a.m. Tuesday 9.30 am Friday 7.00 p.m.

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We welcome Gareth Heagney who begins his new role as Principal in Sixmilebridge School this week. We wish him well.

Community Games - interested in taking part in gymnastics and swimming call Margaret 087-9756197

Bridge Utd. Girls Soccer - interested in playing
U12,U14,U16 Training Fri. 5.30 - 6.30 in Soccer Field

CONFIRMATION

Sixty-seven young people from our parish will be confirmed next Saturday at 3.00p.m. The two gifts we have been emphasising for them at this critical stage of their lives is:

Courage and Wisdom

It's a critical stage because they will move this year from the familiar surroundings of schools within the parish to schools outside. This will mean new friends, new teachers etc. They will also be moving through a new stage of life which we call Teenage years - years of questioning, of growing up - physically, mentally, spiritually. They will be exploring, searching to find their feet in these new experiences. And in that they will be exposed to some challenges and dangers.

So, the gifts of **Courage** and **Wisdom** are vital.

Wisdom to be able to distinguish right from wrong and **Courage** to make the right decisions.

This week, in a very special way we pray for the young people and their families.

We thank their teachers for the work of preparation. We wish them well on Saturday and into the future and we encourage them to deepen their commitment to their homes and their local Christian Community as they move into their new stage of life.

The 9.30 a...m Mass on **Tuesday** morning will be a special Mass offered for the young people and their families as a prayerful preparation for the day.

All are encouraged to attend.

"Don't forget to return you Trócaire box to the Church as soon as possible."

"First Area Gathering

will be held in the Mart on May Day. Preparations have begun. Don't forget to put it into your diary."

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URGENT NOTICE

The Irish Blood Transfusion Society are low in blood and will hold a clinic in The Oakwood Arms Hotel on this Sunday 15th April from 12 - 3pm

"French For Fun - Weekly classes for 3-12 year olds. 6 week term commencing Sat April 28th 2012 at Glor, Ennis, Co.Clare". To book, please contact Rhona on 086-8262500

Mother and Baby Pilates at Quin Community Hall. Commencing Tuesday 24th of April 11am. For further information contact Deirdre 087-2093006

GAA Child Development Program

The GAA club will launch their 'Child development program' for 2012 in the GAA hall this Thursday evening by means of an information workshop in the GAA hall @ 7:30pm. The program aims to ensure that every child (boy or girl) in the age 6-12 category continue to experience a positive, consistent and progressive experience of the GAA/Camogie club. All coaches, parents and anyone else with an interest in the development of children in this age category are invited to attend the workshop which will be delivered by Peter Casey (Clare GAA games development officer).

Table quiz in aid of Sixmilebridge Tidy Towns will be held in the Mill Bar next Thursday, April 19th, at 9 pm sharp. €5 per person entry. Spot prizes on the night. Please support

FESTIVAL OF PRAISE AND THANKSGIVING Roscrea Sunday 22nd

April 4pm As part of our preparation for the forthcoming Eucharistic Congress the choirs of the Brendan and Cronan Clusters are holding a 'Songs of Praise' type celebration on Sunday 22nd April in Mount St Joseph Abbey, Roscrea at 4pm. The liturgy will feature choirs, soloists, organ, orchestra and brass quintet. There will be lots of hymns that are familiar to everyone, with some readings on Eucharistic themes and concluding with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. All are welcome.

Choirs or singers that would like to participate are invited to come to a rehearsal before the service, from 2.30 -3.30, in the monastery Church.

Rota Next Weekend		Readers	Eucharistic Ministers	Altar Servers
Sat. 21st	7.00 pm	Noel Ryan	C	A
Sun. 22nd	10.00 am	Gwen Quinlivan	Carmel + Collette	F
Sun 22nd	11.00 am	David Deighan	В	Α