



# 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 + Kilmurry**

We extend our sympathy to John Kiely, Ballymulcashel, on the death of his brother **Liam Kiely** in Cork during the week.

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

Sat. 26th	7.00 p.m.	Thomas, Ellen + Joe Sheehan
Sun. 27th	10.00 a.m.	Bridget O'Loughlin
Sat. 2nd	7.00 p.m.	Billy Kiely
		Tess Flatley
		John Keane
		Martin + Brigid O'Neill + Family
		Chrissie + Jim Casey
		Bernie + Tommy O'Reilly
		Christy Moloney + Family
Sun. 3rd	11.00 a.m.	Noel Deasy (1st Anniversary)



**Mass times this week: Tues - Thurs 11.00 a.m.**

**New Year's Day - First Friday 7.00 p.m.**

**Eucharistic Adoration will take place as usual from 3 p.m.**



## The Solemnity of Mary, the Mother of God.

On **New Year's Day**, the Church celebrates the Solemnity of the Holy Mother of God, the divine motherhood of the Blessed Virgin.

Next Friday is also World Day of Prayer for Peace

Mass will be celebrated in Sixmilebridge Church at 7.00 p.m

## FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY

God, you gave us families to love us into life, and we are grateful for them.

We treasure each person in our family, even though at times we are less than ideal together.

Make your presence felt within our family. Bring goodness and love from our pains and struggles, as well as from our happy times.

To all parents and guardians, please give ...

**Vision Generosity, Forgiveness and Courage.**

**VISION** - so they can see how you are present and working in their family.

**GENEROSITY** - so they can love with great hearts,

**FORGIVENESS** - so they can heal the inevitable wounds of family life, and

**COURAGE** - for the long haul. **AMEN.**



One Hundred Years from now it will not matter what kind of car you drove - what kind of house you lived in - how much you had in your bank account, or what your clothes looked like, but the world may be a little better because you were important in the Life of a Child.



## Pilgrimages 2016

**Lourdes 2016:** The 60<sup>th</sup> Pilgrimage from the Killaloe Diocese to Lourdes will take place from 26<sup>th</sup> June to 1<sup>st</sup> July 2016.

**The Diocese of Killaloe is organising a pilgrimage to Rome during the Holy Year from 1 August to 6 August 2016.**

**Diocesan Pilgrimage to the Holy Land:** Sunday 23rd October 2016 and returning direct to Shannon on Monday 31st October.

**Sixmilebridge GAA Gala Celebration Banquet.** 1st Jan in Radisson Blu at 7pm. Begin 2016 on a high note and enjoy a social gathering of our community. Tickets €40. High demand so order today. Available from Louise or Laura, or by texting 0872155042 or through the Club Facebook.

**The Sixmilebridge/Kilmurry Mens Shed** would welcome donations of unwanted functioning woodwork tools such as saws, carpenters benches, vices, planes, sanders etc., from individuals or organisations. Donations of these tools would be greatly appreciated. Contact 087-6672566 or 086-3596355

**Third Age - Senior Help Line:** 'Do you need someone to talk to?' Senior Help Line is a confidential listening service for older people provided by trained older volunteers for the price of a local call anywhere in Ireland, **Lo Call 1850 440 444.** Senior Help Line is open every day of the year, including Christmas Day, from 10 am to 10 pm.

### Readers of the Word

All Readers of the Word are asked to collect their Missals in the Sacristy after all Masses this weekend.

We wish everybody a Happy New Year.  
 May we, with God's help, be able to carry our sorrows and celebrate our joys during 2016



Congratulations! to  
 Megan Bourke + Neil Ryan  
 who were married last week



**Sixmilebridge G.A.A. Club LOTTO**  
 Numbers drawn 4 10 12 28

**NEXT JACKPOT**

**€2,200**

Rota Next Weekend	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers	Altar Servers
Sat. 2nd 7.00 p.m.	Niamh	A	B
Sun. 3rd 10.00 a.m.	Gwen	Kay/AnneMarie	E
Sun. 3rd 11.00 a.m.	Claire	A	B