



# 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**

## *In Loving Memory*

We pray for the repose of the soul of **Sadie Cullinan, R.I.P.** late of Rossroe, who died during the week. We extend our sympathy to all her family and friends. We remember all our loved ones and especially those whose anniversaries occur at this time. **May they Rest in Peace**

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| Sat. 25th | 7.00 p.m.  | Mary + Marty Murray              |
| Sun. 26th | 10.00 a.m. | Mary Griffin                     |
|           |            | Mick + Kitty O'Connell           |
|           |            | Eileen, Johnny + Kathleen Pewter |
|           |            | Eileen Fitzpatrick               |
|           | 11.00 a.m. | Geraldine Chaplin                |
|           |            | Nora, Katie + Anne Brouder       |
|           |            | Joe Mulpeter                     |
| Fri. 31st | 7.00 p.m.  | Pat Hassett                      |
| Sat. 1st  | 7.00 p.m.  | Michelle Clancy                  |
| Sun. 2nd  | 10.00 a.m. | Tom + Bridget Fleming            |
|           | 11.00 a.m. | Bridget Toomey                   |

**Mass this week: Tuesday - Thursday 10 a.m. Friday 7 p.m.**

**St. Brigid's Day Next Saturday 1st February** "As once you took in hand the wild rushes of the field and folded them in the manner of a cross, so now inspire us to be creative and to take the things of daily life and mould them into something beautiful for God."

**Sunday 2nd February - The Presentation of the Lord Candlemas Day.** Candles are Blessed on this day to remind us that Jesus is the Light of the World .

Blessing of Throats will take place after all Masses next weekend.  
**Feast of St. Blaise.**

## **Sacramental Talk**

We extend an **Invitation** to Parents of First Communion + Confirmation Class. Confirmation and First Communion are two big occasions in the lives of young people. We are all aware that these are great family and social occasions but above all they are significantly special occasions that nourish the spiritual dimension of life to all of us. A vacuum will always be filled. The spiritual is about values - about what's right and wrong and they shape us. Our Christian values are vital for all of us.

**Talk will take place on Tuesday February 4th in**  
**St. Finnachta's School Hall at 7.30 p.m.**

## **Important Dates**

**Confirmation** - March 7th

**First Confession:** Kilmurry - February 12th 7 p.m.  
 Sixmilebridge - February 18th 7 p.m.

**First Communion:** Sixmilebridge - April 25th  
 Kilmurry: May 16th

### **School Enrolment 2020 Sixmilebridge + Kilmurry**

Applications for Junior Infants 2020 are now being taken and should be submitted before **1st February**  
**Sixmilebridge** - www.sixmilebridgens.ie  
**Kilmurry** ..061-367623 or email secretary@kilmurryns.ie

### **The Sixmilebridge/Kilmurry Community Games AGM**

will be held on Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> January at 8.30 pm in the Bridge Complex. The Community Games provides young people with the opportunity to develop active, healthy lives through experiencing a wide range of sporting and cultural activities. If you are interested in joining the committee or would like to help out with any of the activities, please attend our AGM. For further details please contact Denise on 086 6038646.

**Appeal for Nurses** Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes takes place from Friday 26th June to Wednesday 1st July. To care for sick and assisted pilgrims, the Diocese is looking to recruit 20 volunteer nurses who would assist and care for these pilgrims. Nurses who would like to express interest in volunteering or to find out more information are asked to contact Michael Daly 086-3813677.

Home Instead Senior Care Ennis currently hiring Homecare Assistants. Call 0860126721

## **Sixmilebridge G.A.A. Club Lotto**

Numbers Drawn  
 11 28 35 33

**Next Jackpot**

**€6,300**

**The Shannonside Winter Music Festival Committee** would like to thank everyone for the incredible support and good wishes before, during and after the festival last weekend. We had record attendance throughout the weekend and we are very grateful for the support at the 80+ events in Sixmilebridge and Bunratty.

## **Thank You**

**St Vincent de Paul (SVP)** would like to express our sincere thanks to the people of Newmarket-on-Fergus and Sixmilebridge parishes for the wonderful generosity of their response to our recent Christmas Appeal. In excess of €3,000 was donated through our SVP Annual Collection and the many individual donations that are still being received. These monies will support our work throughout the year. In addition there was a wonderfully generous response by our schools to the Christmas Food Appeal. The parents, students and teachers of Clonmoney National School, Ballycar National School, Scoil na Maighdine Mhuire, Newmarket-on-Fergus, St. Finnachta's National School, Sixmilebridge and Na Realtaí Beaga Pre-school, Kilmurry collected and donated enough food to make in excess of 90 very generous hampers which were distributed to homes in Sixmilebridge and Newmarket-on-Fergus parishes. A special Thank You to the school staff for organising the Food Appeal in their schools at such a busy time of year. Similarly, at a time which is so expensive for families we were truly overwhelmed by the amount of food donated and the generosity of our school communities. We would like take this opportunity to wish you all a Happy and Healthy New Year. St Vincent de Paul (SVP) can be contacted on: 086 3024238 (local branch) New Members: We would welcome new members. If you have one/two hours per week to spare and would like to learn more about what we do, please contact us at the above number. In addition to above we wish to thank two donors, one for €40 and one for €10, which was dropped in the SVP box in the Church recently.

Rota Next Weekend	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers	Altar Servers
Sat. 1st 7.30 p.m.	Noreen	A	A
Sun. 2nd 10.00 a.m.	-	-	B
Sun. 2nd 11.00 a.m.	Claire	D	A