



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

Sun. 17th 11.00 a.m. John + Lana O'Connell
 Tony + Paul Merriman
 Sat. 23rd 7.00 p.m. Andrew O'Dowd
 Jimmy Mulready
 Sun. 24th 10.00 a.m. Matthew Touhy

Masses: Mon—Wed 10.00 a.m. Friday 7.00 p.m.

Though We Are Many

**Though we are many, we are One Body,
 We who come to share this Living Bread;
 Cup of salvation, shared among all nations,
 Nourishing us now and evermore.**

We gather in this place
 Round the table of the Lord.
 Christ's presence is revealed
 In our Communion and His Living Word.

Now our Communion recalls
 Christ's death and resurrection.
 This living sacrifice
 Is our salvation now and evermore



And through this shared Eucharist
 We are the Living Church
 We witness to Christ's love
 His living Body active in Our World.

NEXT AREA GATHERING 21st June in Begley's Field

Our 2nd Area Gathering of the year will take place next Thursday evening at Begley's Field, Fortwilliam at 8.00 p.m. These gatherings have become a very significant part of Community Building in our Parish over the last number of years.

The homes in Fortwilliam, Castlecrine, Ieverstown, Mt. Ievers, will be visited and get a special invitation. However, this like all other gatherings is for the whole community. As in all the others the history of the area has been written up and represented by gifts which will be brought up at the Mass - Spinning Wheel, Threshing Mill - People like Paddy Begley will be remembered. So we will connect into the past - ways of life of the past - with the present - with our neighbours - our music - our stories.

Above all we'll be remembering the meaning of John's night through the lighting of the fire.

The significance of these Gatherings has deepened. In many ways they replace the old Station Gatherings.

One again we'll make every effort to make this a very special occasion in local area and in our community as a whole.

Events This Week

End of School Year Mass:

Tuesday 19th 6.30 p.m. Kilmurry School
 Thursday 21st 2.00 p.m. Sixmilebridge School

Finance Meeting - Monday 18th at 7.30 p.m.
Parish/Pastoral Council - Tuesday 19th 8 pm
Ballysheen Clean up every Tuesday night at 7pm. -
 All are welcome to help out.

S.A.A. Club Lotto

Numbers drawn 3 6 7 19
 Jackpot



International Eucharistic Congress

The Eucharistic Congress comes to an end this weekend. However, we will continue to pray that the fruits of the Congress will be very much part of our individual - community lives and the life of our Country. Everyone agrees that our Church and our Country needs renewal. It needs economic recovery but above all it needs spiritual renewal. It's an old saying :

"WITHOUT VISION PEOPLE DIE"

I think the Congress gave us a renewed vision of the place of Christ in our lives. The Celebration of the Eucharist is central to who we are.

We were delighted to have linked in with the Congress in our local Parish. It is very special to know that our Parish is being represented at the Opening and Closing Ceremonies. During the week we connected also with different themes of the Congress at Mass. They too were very special and we were delighted to see so many turnout each day.

We call on God's Blessing on all the Congregation represented and commit ourselves to witness to Christ in our lives - our homes and our community.

Mother and Baby Pilates commences Tuesday 19th of June at 11am. 6 week course to restore your core. Booking is essential, please contact Deirdre 0872093006.

SMB FOLK CLUB are celebrating national music day Thurs 21st June with a double bluegrass act featuring the Curtis Blackwell bluegrass band from the states in the mill bar at 9.00pm adm €10 on the door.

Scouts are holding **Cash for Clothes Fundraiser** to cover cost of renovating new Scout den from June 18th - June 24th. Bag drop off places are:

School + Station House: Mon 6.30-8pm Thurs 6.30-7pm Fri: 7-9pm
Station House Only Sun. 24th 4-6pm. Or contact 087-2158191, 086 3716234 or 086-8514189.

This weekend we remember with love and gratitude all our Dads living and dead on Father's Day.

Rota Next Weekend	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers	Altar Servers
Sat. 23rd 7.00 p.m.	Tracey Pyne	C	B
Sun 24th 10.00 a.m.	Marie Neenan	Martina + Tom	C
Sun 24th 11.00 a.m.	Sean Corbett	C	B