

Sixmilebridge + Kilmurry Parish Newsletter

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Baptisms take place at 12.00 Noon on Sundays in Sixmilebridge and Kilmurry.

We extend our sympathy this week to Phil Healy, Kilmurry on the death of her mother Lena Conroy - Tubber We remember all our loved ones and especially those whose anniversaries occur at this time. **Rest in Peace**

Sat. 25th	7.00 p.m.	Kathleen + Martin Murray
Sun. 26th	11.00 a.m.	Tom Casey
Mon. 27th	7.00 p.m.	Eileen Broe (Months Mind)
Tues. 28th	9.30 a.m.	Stephen Gavin + Josie Foster
Thurs. 30th	7.00 p.m.	Ollie Shannon (Months Mind)
Fri. 1st	7.00 p.m.	Andrew O'Dowd
Sat. 2nd	7.00 p.m.	Teresa McNamara (Months Mind)
Sun. 3rd	10.00 a.m.	Pat + Tadhg Corbett
Sun. 3rd	11.00 a.m.	Michael Hannon

This week: Mon, Thurs + Fri Mass at 7pm Tues. 9.30 a.m. Wednesday: Communion Liturgy at 9.30 a.m.

The **First Friday** visitation for July has been postponed. This will resume in August. However, if any body who is housebound and would like to receive Holy Communion please contact the Parish Office.

All **Friends & Neighbours Area Gatherings** have been postponed until further notice.

Please Note ...

all alternative arrangements for Masses or other Church related events in the near future are to be made at the Parish Office 10-12 noon and after office hours contact Puff at 087-2204820

Exposition of Blessed Sacrament Quiet time - Vigil of Prayer Fri. 3 - 7 pm



Body and Blood of Christ

Last Tuesday was the longest day of the year - 21st June. We have moved into the Summer. We have come to the end of another school year. We hope people will enjoy the Summer and the Summer holidays.

The seasons change and we are experiencing a lot of change. Last weekend at Masses we reminded ourselves that technological change has outpaced or wisdom and common sense. We got so focused on the internet, twitter, etc., etc.., including money, fame, celebrity that the real serious issued are out of control. We often talk here about Christian values as a foundation for a Christian Community. In focusing on these 'other things' a lot of people in 'high' places forgot what it means to tell the truth - a basic Christian value.

Another major issue is health - why is cancer so prevalent, we ask. Peace of mind is a special gift.

We need urgently to return to a simpler way of life. We simply cannot do without one another and without a Power above and beyond ourselves.

In the midst of all the change we need Permanence. And there is no permanence like the Presence of Jesus in our lives. He is ever-present but at this time we have two special reminders:

- 1. Feast of Corpus Christi: Body and Blood of Christ. We celebrate it today. God sent His son to save the World, to save the world from itself. We need one another and so we gather as a community because He took Bread and Wine and said These are *My Body and My Blood. Do this in Memory of Me.*
- 2. Today we light a candle A Eucharistic Candle as we join with people all over Ireland to rekindle that flame of faith in our hearts in the Eucharist and in our gatherings to celebrate.

 Remember a return to Him is vital.

Best of Luck to Girls U14 Camogie who are taking part in All Ireland Feile this weekend in Clarinbridge.

5.A.A. Clab lotto Numbers drawn were 2 5 22 28 Jackpot Next week



WORLD YOUTH DAY PILGRIMAGE - MADRID

We are delighted that Ciara Meere will be representing our Parish at the World Youth Day Pilgrimage in Madrid in August. We are lucky in this parish to have so many youth participating in Church activities.

Eucharistic Congress - Parish Launch

Today at our 11.00 a.m. Mass we will officially launch the National Eucharistic Congress which will take place in Dublin in 2012. Ciara who will be taking part in World Youth Day in Madrid, will light the Eucharistic Congress Candle.

The logo, entitled "People in Communion" is based on the idea of people "from every nation, race, tribe and language being drawn together in Communion as "One Body" formed by faith in the person of Jesus Christ, the Lamb of God, and the sacrifice He made upon the cross. The people with their arms outstretched capture our sense of Community, belonging, celebration and acceptance. The Choir will sing the Anthem / Congress Hymn entitled "Though We Are Many" 'specially composed for the Congress.

Sixmilebridge Mart

The words and reflection on this hymn are at Church doors.

A Shareholders only Meeting will take place on Wednesday evening at 9.00 p.m. in GAA Hall for all shareholders of the Mart. The purpose of the meeting is to

- 1) Happenings to date
- 2) Planning for the future.

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Sat.	2nd	7.00 pm	Angie Togher	С	Α
Sun.	3rd	10.00 am	John Mellett	Anne Marie	F
Sun.	3rd	11.00 am	Christy O'Connor	С	Α