

# 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 **Grazyna Leszczynska R.I.P.**Lios Anama who died during the week. We extend our sympathy to her husband Rafal and all her family and friends in Sixmilebridge and Poland.

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

Sat. 11th	7.00 p.m	Mary + Michael O'Donoghue Eileen + Bill McNulty
		Maureen + Frank Cahill
Sun. 12th	10.00 a.m	Bridget Conlon (1st Anniversary)
	11.00 a.m	Dansie Reddan
Fri. 17th	7.00 p.m.	Jimmy Grady (Months Mind)
		Johnny O'Gorman (Months Mind)
Sat. 18th	7.00 p.m.	Maeve Frost
		Frank McAuley
Sun. 19th	11.00 a.m	Michael + Eileen Hannon
		Hauley Hannon

Mass times: Tuesday-Thursday 10 a.m. Thursday + Friday 7 pm.

**Annual Mass & Anointing** for people with disabilities and chronic illnesses in Ennis Cathedral on Wednesday, **15th May** from 2 to 3pm with Bishop Fintan Monahan as chief celebrant and homilist, assisted by many Priests for the anointing. All are welcome.

May is Safeguarding month in the Diocese of Killaloe. The Diocese ensures that all children involved in parish activities are safe and cared for. We have in place, parental / guardian consent forms for all activities, code of conduct for both children & adults, sign in and out registers, gardai vetting for all adult helpers / leaders.

## **Good Shepherd Sunday**

Today, the Fourth Sunday of Easter or Good Shepherd Sunday is a special day for everyone in our Parish. We celebrate World Day of Prayer for Vocations. We ask that we may be filled with joy and the Holy Spirit as we carry on the mission of Jesus, our Good Shepherd. Let us pray for one another that we may be strengthened in our Christian vocations as married and single people, priests, deacons, and religious. May our youth listen to God's call and be encouraged to respond generously. All Christians are called to spread the Good News and this happens in different ways. Parents have a very special calling to hand on the faith to their children.

### **Annual Pilgrimages**

Killaloe Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine will take place on Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2019. Led by Bishop Fintan. 2:30 p.m – Anointing of the Sick Mass at 3.00 p.m.

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*Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes;* will be led by Bishop Fintan who warmly invites you to join him in Lourdes from the 25<sup>th</sup> June to 30<sup>th</sup> June. The cost this year is €725 per person sharing. €20 discount for online booking

at <a href="www.joewalshtours.ie">www.joewalshtours.ie</a> Booking forms can be obtained from: Joe Walsh Tours, 143 Lower Baggot Street, Dublin 2. Telephone: (01) 2410810

A limited number of sick pilgrims will be accommodated in the Sanctuary of Lourdes at a cost of €626. Applications for sick pilgrims only to Fr. Tom Ryan, Pilgrimage Director, Cathedral House Station Road Ennis Co. Clare. Telephone: (065) 6824043. Families or individuals often sponsor a family member, parents, or a friend on the occasion of an anniversary or Jubilee with a visit to Lourdes. Sponsorship for sick people is always welcome. For more details, see poster in Church porch and on the Killaloe Diocese website <a href="https://www.killaloediocese.ie">www.killaloediocese.ie</a>

**Sixmilebridge Tidy Towns Committee** would like to thank all who contributed to their Annual Church Gate Collection last weekend. Also thanks to all who volunteer on Tuesday night clean ups and all who help in any way.

Sixmilebridge G.A.A. Club

Lotto:

Numbers drawn **3 9 26 29** 

Next Jackpot €8,400 Newmarket-on-Fergus
Agricultural Show
Annual Tractor Run
Sunday the 19th of May
All funds will be donated to
Pieta House and Irish
Heart Foundation.

Registration will take place in the green beside the church from 12 noon and the run will depart at 1pm sharp. Please support.

### A Better Sixmilebridge? Have Your Say!

Representatives from several community groups have come together to consult with residents of Sixmilebridge. We are circulating a survey that we hope you will complete. The results will form the basis of a plan that can improve life in the area.

It's available online at this link: <a href="http://bit.ly/Bridgesurvey">http://bit.ly/Bridgesurvey</a> or, you can get and return a paper copy at these locations: the P.O., Centra, Crowe's Gala, Gleeson's Bar and the Library. The closing date is 17<sup>th</sup> May.

Please ask everyone you know to complete the survey!

Clare Local Development Company (CLDC) is supporting this project under LEADER Rural Development

Free & Confidential Support Service on all aspects of Deafness and Hearing Loss in Adults and Children: Next clinic Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> May 2019, from 10:00am to1:00pm. in the Parish Centre in the Cathedral Grounds, on Station Road, Ennis. This is a free service where you can acquire information regarding hearing loss, guidelines for good communication.

**Apologies** to anybody who emailed Parish Office during the week as the service is down. Hoping it will be up and running in the coming week. **Thank You!** 

Rota Next Weekend		Readers	Eucharistic Ministers	Altar Servers
Sat. 18th	7.30 p.m.	Tracey	С	Α
Sun. 19th	10.00 a.m.	Gwen	Aoibhe/Maura	С
Sun. 19th	11.00 a.m.	Orla	D	Α