



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.

Sat. 10th	7.00p.m.	Ned Shannon Evelyn Hickey
Sun. 11th	11.00 a.m.	Ann Quinlan Mary, Tim + Eolann Kelleher
Thurs 15th	7.00 p.m.	Remembrance Mass
Fri. 16th	8.00 p.m.	Noreen Donnellan (Kilmurry) (1st Anniv)
Sat. 17th	7.00 p.m.	Louise Butler
Sun. 18th	11.00 a.m.	JP + Ita Hassett



THIS WEEK

Mass:

Mon to Wed 10 a.m.
 Thursday 7.00 p.m.
 Friday 8 pm Kilmurry

Remembrance Mass

Thursday at 7.00 pm
 For all who have died in the past year.

Blessing of Graves

Sunday 18th Nov.
 after Mass

Kilmurry	10.45 a.m.
Ballysheen	12.00
Feenagh	12.15



Parents –First Comm - Conf. Children

There was a big turnout of parents on Thursday night for Mass and talk in preparation for First Communion and Confirmation. The talk was given by Gareth Heagney, Principal Sixmilebridge N.S. In his talk he outlined

1. An overview of preparation in schools for the sacraments with reference to Alive O Programme and Do this In Memory of Me.
2. The role of schools, parish and especially parents in that regard.
3. The special importance of community life not only in the lead up to the Sacraments but in the life of the children as a whole.
4. The special connection between the Christian Values they are encountering in programmes with general spirituality and morality.

He stressed that First Communion and Confirmation were monumental occasions for children, their families, the schools, the Parish. They are a major step in the overall development of a child. They are occasions which need to be taken very seriously and indeed are taken seriously in that the three big institutions within a parish, namely, family, school, parish community are all involved in preparing the children for these. At school, through the programmes, they learn what the Christian message is all about but he stressed that this makes sense only when it connects to the child's life in the home and in the community. He also stressed the importance of weekly Mass, Prayer, Daily Living and in general the role of a Catholic School in all of this. Finally, he said, at the end of the day all of this is by way of helping the child to grow into human values such as awareness of right and wrong, the wisdom to be able to distinguish between these, goodness, truth, sense of connecting to others, to forgive and to be forgiven.

We want to thank Gareth in a very special way for his excellent input and for sharing his own deep faith with us all.

The Eddie Murphy Memorial marathon and Ultra races will take place in Sixmilebridge on Sunday Nov 20th. The races are organized by B.M.O.H A/C and all proceeds will be donated to Milford Hospice. The events will not result in any closed roads however the organizers would very much appreciate the patience of local residents while the races are taking place. Please CTC Tom (083) 4340094 or Richie (086) 2320807 for further details.

Christmas Market

Sixty Five Craft Projects have been accepted for this Market to take place in the Mart Thursday Dec.6th 6pm - 9pm. No more space available. There is a separate area, however, for local traders to promote and advertise their business and there are still a few vacancies for these. Contact: Patricia Ryan at 087-8046806. This is a great Community effort and an extension of the co-operative spirit the Mart is based on. Volunteers are involved in this initiative. Proceeds will go to Charity, St. Vincent DePaul and other local charities. Sixmilebridge School and Adult Choirs, Kilmurry Choir and Trad Group will provide entertainment on the night. Another step in the evolution of our community as a place to be proud of.

On Tuesday 13th November Fidelma Cahill will be travelling to Tralee to get twelve inches of her hair cut for the **Repunzel Foundation**. (Her hair will make a wig for a child with cancer). All money raised will be donated to the Oncology Unit, Limerick.

The Ballysheen Graveyard Committee would like to thank all who helped with the recent cake sale. People who made cakes, donated money, and spot prizes for raffle. Winners of Raffle are Helen Corbett, Noreen Moroney, Nora O'Halloran, Aiden Whelan, Denis Hogan, Joan Murphy, Mary Glynn, Christina Mulready, Kay McCormack, Maureen Gallagher, Noreen Keogh.

Parish Pastoral Council Meeting Tuesday 8 pm in Parish Office

GAA Club Shop Open every Saturday 10.00 - 12.00 Noon

S.A.A. Club lotto

Numbers drawn 14 19 20 29

Jackpot

€7,600

Rota Next Weekend	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers	Altar Servers
Sat. 17th 7.00 p.m.	Mike Glynn	C	A
Sun. 18th 10.00 a.m.	Linda Carey	Kay + AnneMarie	A
Sun. 18th 11.00 a.m.	Ita Tangney	D	A