



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 extend our sympathy to Dave + Eithne Clinton on the death of Dave's sister **Kim Clinton** in Kilkenny.

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

Sat. 23rd	7.00 p.m.	Mickey Quinn (Months Mind)
Sun. 24th	11.00 a.m.	Kevin McNamara
Sat. 30th	7.00 p.m.	James Mulready
		Mickey Murphy
		Barry Noonan + Baby Cathy Noonan
		John + Paddy Mulready
		Agnes Murphy
		Stephen, Bridget + Sonny Donnellan
Sun. 1st	10.00 a.m.	Clune Family, Rosroe
	11.00 a.m.	Eamon Monty Joyce



This week: **Mass** Mon - Thurs 10.00 a.m. Friday 7.00 p.m.
Parish / Pastoral Council Meeting -
 Wednesday 27th November at 8.00 pm in Parish Office.
First Communion Enrolment next weekend.
Christmas Concert : - Sixmilebridge Church Sunday 15th Dec.
 featuring Helen Houlihan and Guests.

We will keep **Bishop Willie** in our prayers this week as he recovers from emergency surgery. We ask the Lord to send His Healing Love on him.

The National Audit of Child Safeguarding Practice in this Diocese of Killaloe will take place from 27th to 29th November. As part of the Audit every parish is required to publish this fact in their parish newsletter. The Auditors and the Bishop are inviting any person who may have been affected by abuse within the Church in this Diocese to make contact with the Director of Safeguarding, Cleo Yates - 065 682 8638

Congratulations Fr. Harry

Our Parish Community congratulate Fr. Harry on the wonderful achievement of the launch of his book "Swimming Upstream". A very memorable night was held in the G.A.A. Hall last Friday night. The book is a great read and is now available locally. All proceeds of the book are going to Cahercalla Hospice. Well Done! Fr. Harry.

Quotes from the Book

- "History is not made by Cynics, It is made by realists who are not afraid to dream."**
- "The fact is we now live in a Society where large-scale unemployment is seriously damaging lives - individuals, families and communities"**
- "The systems, institutions that brought us to where we are now are obviously seriously flawed and in need of radical reform. More of the same will not bring about recovery in the economy or renewal in the Church"**
- "Clearly there is a need for a different vision which includes building from the ground up and not top down"**
- "The local Community concept was never more vital than it is now"**
- "It's about a genuine Christianity and its values. They are all about community"**
- "Cynics pull down realists. Realists who are dreamers build up"**

A note from Fr. Harry A big **Thank You** to all who helped in any way to celebrate the launch. Special thanks to all the hall committee who worked so hard in preparing and on the night. Also to Caitriona, Syl and Davy for their kind words. It was a night to remember.

Sixmilebridge G.A.A. Club Lotto
 Numbers drawn 3 15 18 26

€18,000

Best of Luck! to our Senior Hurling team and all involved in the Munster Club Final on Sunday.

Scouts holding **Christmas Cookery** night at the Inn at Dromoland on Dec. 5th where you can enjoy cookery demonstrations from 3 chefs. Tickets €10 available from any Scout member or at the door on the night.

Christmas Cards of Sixmilebridge on sale for €1 from Scout Leaders.

A **Table Quiz** in aid of **Sixmilebridge Christmas Lights** will be held next Friday, November 29th, at 9pm in the Mill Bar. €5 each entry. Spot prizes on the night. Please support. The Christmas lights will be turned on at 5pm on Sunday, December 8th. All welcome to the square for the event.

Christmas Market at the Mart - Wednesday 04/12/13. We are now fully booked & looking for volunteers to help on the night & days before the market, to get everything ready. We are holding a meeting on Monday 25th @ 8 p.m. at the Mart. Please come along & get involved in this community initiative. All proceeds from this Market will be donated to Cahercalla Hospice.

District Daycare Centre Clarecastle "Annual Craft Fair" Sunday 1st December in the Centre, doors open at 12.30 till 5pm. Come along and buy some Home Baking, Flowers Arrangements, Art & Craft and much more. Spot prizes galore. Your support is greatly appreciated. Centre will be open on Saturday 30th November from 2pm to 8pm for items to be dropped off.

Bereavement Support Information Evening will take place in Milford Care Centre on **Tuesday 26th Nov 2013 from 7-8.30pm**. These hour and a half-long evenings are designed to give general information on grief and bereavement to bereaved people, their family and friends. Bereavement counsellors are present in case you have specific questions. The information evening is free. **contact Mary O Sullivan: 061 485800 or a member of the Social Work Department.**

Tradaree Cluster Christmas Carol Service Mary Immaculate Church, Shannon, on **Wednesday 11th Dec. at 7.30pm**. All are welcome.

Rota Next Weekend	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers	Altar Servers
Sat. 30th 7.00 p.m.	Tracey Pyne	C	A
Sun. 1st 10.00 a.m.	Emma Kennedy	Martina+Tom	E
Sun. 1st 11.00 a.m.	Christy O'Connor	A	A