



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 and Kilmurry.

We pray this week for Peggy Cullinan, (nee Devaney) 3, Lodge Rd, who died during the week. We extend our sympathy to Christy, Bernadette, Declan, John and all her extended family and friends.
 We remember all our loved ones and especially those whose anniversaries occur at this time. **Rest in Peace.**

This Week we Remember in our Masses .

Sat. 1st	7.00 p.m.	Marie Ryan Kathleen Hehir
Sun. 2nd	11.00 a.m.	Florian Yez
	11.00 a.m.	Patrick & Philomena Canny
Sat. 8th	7.00 p.m.	Mick Corbett Dominic O'Shea Sam & Teresa O'Sullivan Annie Crossan
Sun. 9th		Kathleen Quinn (nee Begley)

We wish Fr. Harry well and will keep him in our prayers this week as he undergoes the second part of his surgery. While he is away we are delighted to have Bishop Willie back with us. We are very grateful to him.

Mon: Comm. Liturgy at 10am Tues - Fri Mass at 10 a.m.
Parish Contact Number - Puff at 087-2204820

IMPORTANT DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

CONFIRMATION:

Sixmilebridge 21st April 2012 at 3.00 p.m.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION:

Sixmilebridge: 28th April 2012 at 11.00 a.m.

Kilmurry: 12th May 2012 at 11.00 a.m.

Day for Life Message Sun. 2nd October 2011

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

The Parish Pastoral Council met last week for the first time after the Summer break.

For the first meeting it was agreed to concentrate on 'Pastoral' issued and representative members from other parish groups also attended. The concept of the local Church being a 'People's Church' and the importance of connecting with real issues in people's lives was discussed at length.

There was a consensus at the meeting to explore a number of specific initiatives and the Parish Pastoral Council agreed to facilitate these initiatives in every way possible.

There were five specific ideas discussed and a number of people agreed to progress each of these issues over the coming weeks.

Money Management - As a result of the declining performance of our national and local economy, the changed economic circumstances have impacted on the day to day lives of numerous members of our community. The goal of this initiative is to ensure everyone is aware of the assistance available to manage financial budgets in these changed economic circumstances.

Supporting Business - Our local businesses provide employment and this initiative is aimed at ensuring we maintain what local employment we have by supporting local business and also to encourage start up businesses where ever the opportunity arises in our community.

Area Networks - Two people in each area of the parish will be identified to observe possible incidents of people feeling isolated, lonely or threatened in any way and then to take whatever steps are deemed appropriate to help in addressing some of these issues.

Recreation & Culture - The many recreational, sporting, cultural activities play a huge part in meeting the physical and mental well being needs of our community. This initiative is aimed at encouraging the participation of all age groups in any of the sporting and physical fitness groups which are operating in our community.

Directory of Services - This initiative is aimed at providing a detailed listing of services and facilities available locally in our community. This directory will be aimed at both established members and more recent members of our community.

Anyone wishing to get involved in supporting any of these initiatives please contact any member of the Parish Pastoral Council.

S.A.A. Club Lotto
 Numbers drawn 15 19 21 22
Jackpot Next week



HARVEST THANKSGIVING MASS

This gathering was originally intended to Thank God for the Harvest Produce - the crops, the turf, - all that went to feed man and beast and to keep people warm for the winter.

These days we continue to do that but also to include all the activities - sporting, cultural, recreational, business, encouraging us to support the local. We can note from the other piece in our newsletter this week that we a parish, Christian Community pledge to support and connect with all of this in the coming year.

Harvest Thanksgiving Prayer

O Almighty God, You crowned the year with your goodness and have given us the Fruits of the Earth in their Season.

Give us grateful hearts that we may always thank you for Your loving kindness

Through Jesus Christ Our Lord. Amen



Sixmilebridge & Kilmurry Community Games AGM takes place on Thursday 6th October at 8pm in the Courthouse. All are welcome especially parents with children 6—16.

Poker Classic Fundraiser in aid of Sixmilebridge Senior & Junior teams Friday 7th October, Brandons 9pm. Tickets €20 each. Tickets available from committee members, Senior & Junior players or at Brandons

Intensive Revision, Study and Exam Techniques Course for 2nd Level Students commencing Thurs Oct. 6th 2011 in Shannon Golf Club 5.30 - 8.30 pm. For further information please contact Mary @ 086 -3850278

Friday next is **First Friday** in October. **Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary.** Mass will be at 10 am Sixmilebridge. Housebound will be visited throughout the month.

Rota Next Weekend		Readers	Eucharistic Ministers	Altar Servers
Sat.	8th	7.00 pm	Tracey Pyne	B A
Sun.	9th	10.00 am	Brian Carey	Carmel B
Sun.	9th	11.00 am	Edel Halliday	E A