

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

Fri. 30th	7.00 p.m.	MaryAnn + James Rochford
Sat. 31st	7.00 p.m.	Anna Nihill
		George + Susan Burke
Sun. 1st	11.00 a.m.	John Hawkshaw
		Mike + Irene Gleeson
Sat. 7th	7.00 p.m.	Deirdre McKenna
		David Murphy
		Des Maxwell
Sun. 8th	11.00 a.m.	Dan + Annie O'Connor
		Christopher + Bridget Slattery
		Eilish Hehir



As we approach the August Bank Holiday weekend we ask the Lord to keep us all safe. Please exercise caution if travelling.

#### Thank You Lord ....

Lord, we give You thanks for waking us up on this glorious day.

We thank You for protection, not only for ourselves, but for our Loved ones as well.

We give thanks for Health, Strength, Grace, Forgiveness, Peace, Joy,

for Loving us unconditionally

and never failing us.

We thank You for every blessing and also for every trial for they shape us into who we are meant

to be and who You want us to be. In Jesus' name, Amen



- (1) Your Thumb is nearest you. So begin your prayers by praying for those closest to you. They are the easiest to remember.
- **(2) The Next Finger** is the pointing finger. Pray for those who teach, instruct and heal: teachers, doctors, nurses, and others in the caring profession. They need support and wisdom in pointing others in the right direction.
- (3) Next is the tallest finger. It reminds us of our leaders. Pray for Church Leaders, President, Leaders in Government, Business and Industry. These people shape our nation and guide us spiritually. They need God's guidance.
- (4) The Fourth Finger is our ring finger. Surprising to many is the fact that this is our weakest finger, as any piano teacher will testify. It should remind us to pray for those who are weak, in trouble or in pain. They need our prayers day and night.
- (5) Lastly is our **Little Finger**, the smallest finger of all. Here we should place ourselves in relation to God and others. Your little finger should remind you to pray for yourself. You yourself know best your own needs and concerns.

# Sixmilebridge G.A.A Club Lotto Numbers Drawn: 4 5 11 30 Next Jackpot: €12,600

**Down Syndrome Clare Branch** 21st Annual, 600km "Tour De Munster" talks place this year from Aug 5<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> where over 150 cyclists will travel the length of Munster raising awareness and funds for our local Down Syndrome Clare branch. Bucket shaking in Ennis,

Ennistymon & Kilrush on Friday, Aug 6<sup>th</sup> and any volunteers who wish to help on the day can contact Laura Cahir on 087 2901892. You can donate today by entering their online raffle at https://www.idonate.ie/raffle/DSClareFundraiserTdM where a fantastic racing bike worth 1599 euro is up for grabs, sponsored by Planet Tri in Killaloe, - Tickets for this are 1 for €10, 3 for €25 or 5 for €40. Thanks in advance for your support.

### 'Moving from Primary to Secondary school'. - A Healthy Ireland at your Library event.

Tuesday, 10th August 2021: Online event 1pm – 2.30pm Join Dr. Mary O'Kane, lecturer in Psychology, Early Childhood Studies and Education, as she identifies the changes and challenges for children as they move from primary to secondary school. In order to take part, participants will require remote access to Zoom. Please book your place by emailing kilrush@clarelibrary.ie or by calling Kilrush Library on 065 9051504 during branch opening hours.

#### Step by Step to Feed the Next Child

Mary's Meals began feeding 200 children in Malawi in 2002 and is now feeding 1,838,859 children every day in places of education. Our vision is that every hungry child receives a daily meal and that all who have more than they need, share with those who are in need. With our no frills policy, it costs with Mary's Meals €18.30 to give a child a meal every day for a full school year. To raise funds and awareness of Mary's Meals, we are walking throughout Ireland. Walks are starting on 7 August from Kilkenny, Malin, Derry, Armagh, Dublin, and Limerick and are all arriving in Knock Co Mayo on 15 August (restriction permitting). Maybe you could get involved in Step by Step to Feed the Next Child. You are invited to visit our website www.marvsmeals.ie For more information you can phone Fr Eamonn Kelly on 0879077985. We would also like to organise a local walk in your area. Sponsor cards and t-shirts are available. Maybe you would be willing to undertake the challenge and so help to feed the little ones. Contact Patricia on 0863140814