

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 **Moira Toomey** (née Kerin) R.I.P. Ard Ratha, Mayo and Liscannor who died on Friday. We extend our sympathy to all her family, friends and neighbours. We remember all our loved ones and especially those whose anniversaries occur at this time. *May they Rest in Peace*.

Sat. 18th 7.00 p.m. Colm Reidy (1st Anniversary)
Fri. 24th 7.00 p.m. Rose O'Halloran
Frawley Family
Michael Mulqueen

Sat. 25th 7.00 p.m. Marie Ryan
Jack McInerney

Sun. 26th 11.00 a.m. Bernie Carmody

Congratulations! to all the Children from our Parish who received First Holy Communion during the week.

Sixmilebridge G.A.A. Club Lotto:

Numbers Drawn 6 26 27 35 Next Jackpot: €14,700

Coffee Morning for Milford Hospice on 23rd September at Sean + Pat Lonergan's, Home, Ballysheen, Sixmilebridge from 11 a.m. to 4.00 p.m. All are welcome.

Sixmilebridge Public Library will re-open on Saturdays beginning 25th September from 10.00 a.m. - 2.00 p.m. New Library Opening Hours:
Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday + Friday
10.00 a.m. to 5.30 p.m. Saturday: 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.

A Big Thank You! To Carmel and Tony who have brought Holy Water from their recent trip to Lourdes for parishioners. This is now in Holy Water container in Sixmilebridge Church.

PEACE WITHIN US - PEACE AMONG US

Jesus' saving love can help us to bring out the best in ourselves. His cross is our peace, within ourselves and within nations. This is the reconciliation that Jesus promises from the cross: peace within us and peace among us.

Lord, we ask you

to bring into ourselves the best of the child that Jesus praises and find God the Father whom we trust.

May we be happy to rest in the regard He has for us, with no need to worry about who is the greatest.

Lord, we pray for

the power to be gentle; the strength to be forgiving; the patience to be understanding;

and the endurance to accept the consequences of holding to what we believe to be right.

May we put our trust in the power of good to overcome evil and the power of love to overcome hatred.

We pray for the vision to see and the faith to believe in a world emancipated from violence.

We pray for peace and love in all nations, among all the people that all wars and hatred will end.

A new world where fear shall no longer lead people to commit injustice, nor selfishness make them bring suffering to others.

Help us to devote our whole life and thought and energy to the task of making peace.

Praying always for the inspiration and the power to fulfil the destiny for which we and all were created through Christ Our Lord Amen.

A Simple Prayer of Thanksgiving to God

Heavenly Father,

We thank you for the food and remember the hungry.

We thank you for health and remember the sick.

We thank you for friends and remember the friendless.

We thank you for freedom and remember the enslaved.

May these remembrances stir us to service

that your gifts to us may be used for others.

(Bishop Fintan's Reflection - Thursday 16th

Thursday next 23rd September is Feast of St. Padre Pio

O St. Pio, I come to you today knowing that you are truly a miracle worker.

As one who is close to Jesus, I ask that you would pray for these my intentions:

(State your intentions here)

I pray with the words of Pope John Paul 11 as
I beg for your prayers on my behalf:
"Glorious, humble and beloved Padre Pio

"Glorious, humble and beloved Padre Pio. Teach us, we pray, humility of heart, so that we may be counted among the little ones of the Gospel to whom the Father promised to reveal the mysteries of His Kingdom.

Help us to pray without ceasing, certain that God knows what we need even before we ask Him.

"Obtain for us the eyes of faith that will help us recognise in the poor and suffering, the very face of Jesus"

"Sustain us in the hour of trouble and trial and, if we fall, let us experience the joy of the Sacrament of forgiveness"

Grant us your tender devotion to Mary, Mother of Jesus and our Mother.

"Accompany us on our earthly pilgrimage toward the Blessed Homeland, where we too, hope to arrive to contemplate forever the Glory of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit" Amen.