



Sixmilebridge + Kilmurry Parish Newsletter

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Parish Office

Tues - 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 extend our sympathy to James Scanlon, O'Garney Heights, on the death of his father **John Scanlon R.I.P.** in Limerick.

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

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| Sat. 25th | 7.00 p.m. | Tony Reddan (Months Mind) |
| Sun. 26th | 10.00 a.m. | Jim O'Keefe Brid, Jackie + Kieran Collins |
| | 11.00 a.m. | Paschal Lenihan (1st Anniversary) |
| Sat. 1st | 7.00 p.m. | John Roughan (1st Anniversary) |
| Sun. 2nd | 11.00 a.m. | Students doing exams |

Eucharistic Ministers: Sixmilebridge next week Team C

If anyone, sick or housebound would like Fr. Damien to call and visit, please let him know on 086-8396636 or contact the Parish Office 061-713682

The 11.00 a.m. Mass on next Sunday June 2nd is being offered for all students doing exams this year. All invited to attend.

Readers of the Word and Eucharistic Ministers

from the Parish attended two very informative meetings during the week in the Parochial Hall. Anyone who was unable to attend on the night and would like a copy of the handouts please contact the Parish Office.

We thank Fr. Damien for guiding us through these very helpful, prayerful and meaningful sessions.

The Most Holy Trinity One God in Three Persons

Father Revealing himself as our heavenly Father, god proved that He is not a distant, fickle, or vindictive God. He is a God for whom family is everything. Like a father, He wants to be close to us. He promises to care for us and look after us. He wants nothing but good for us.

Son When God came to earth, He didn't come in power and majesty. Rather, He came like one of us. Jesus came as brother and friend. He established His Kingdom, not by force, but by self-sacrificial love. His message of mercy is meant to melt our hearts, not make us live in fear.

Holy Spirit God didn't disappear when Jesus ascended to Heaven. He became even closer. God dwells in our hearts. He is always with us, always ready to pour out His love and to make us more like Him. He is always with the Church, feeding us with Word and Sacrament. The life of the Trinity becomes very ordinary in the love, care and forgiveness we offer to each other. It's also there in the ways in which we try to better the lives of the poor, the depressed and the anxious. It's in how we try to teach a younger generation the best lessons of humanity and faith, and introduce them to this mystery of God.

The true mystery of the Trinity is that our God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit love us all deeply and treat us with great tenderness and mercy.

Protection Prayer

May the light of God surround you ...
May the Love of God enfold you...
May the Power of God protect you...
May God place his Healing Hands
upon you and heal you quickly...
May the Presence of God watch over you...
Wherever you are God is. Amen.



Upcoming Dates for your Diary

Thursday May 30th Cup of Tea/Coffee after morning Mass
Sunday June 2nd Mass for Students doing Exams
Tuesday June 4th Mass Kilmurry Graveyard at 7 p.m.
Wednesday June 5th Mass Ballysheen Graveyard 7 p.m.
Thursday June 6th Mass Feenagh Graveyard at 7 p.m.

Exam Mass Bouquet Cards are available in the Parish Office.

Local Scouts Fundraising Quiz on May 31st at Jack Gleeson's Greyhound. 8.30 p.m. Your support is very much appreciated.

Sixmilebridge G.A.A. Club Lotto

Numbers drawn 15 19 27 30 New Jackpot €20,000

Accord Catholic Marriage Care Service CLG is currently recruiting volunteers to train as marriage preparation programme facilitators. If you: are supportive of marriage in the Catholic Church; and, have the enthusiasm to be part of the Accord team that supports couples preparing for the Sacrament of Marriage then Accord wishes to hear from you! An Accord marriage preparation facilitator is a personally fulfilling leadership role, blending life experience and faith. Successful applicants will receive professional training and be part of a team delivering marriage preparation programmes locally. Contact Aisling on 01 505 3112 or by email to marriagepreparation@accord.ie and for further information see www.accord.ie

May is Safeguarding month in the Diocese of Killaloe.

In the Diocese we have a safeguarding committee, made up of lay members and Diocesan personnel, they meet approx. 4 times a year and who work along side the Director of safeguarding in ensuring safeguarding standards are maintained in the parishes as well as producing and updating policy, plans and guidance. On the safeguarding page of the Diocesan website www.killaloe-diocese.ie/safeguarding you will find our safeguarding plans, policies and guidance.

Killaloe and Ferns Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine, takes place on Sun. July 7th 2024