



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 12.45 on Sundays in
 Sixmilebridge + Kilmurry

In Loving Memory

We pray for the repose of the soul of **Noel Keogh, R.I.P. Lodge Road**. We extend our sympathy to all his family, relatives and friends. We remember all our loved ones and especially those whose anniversaries occur at this time.

May they all Rest in Peace

Sat. 8th	7.30 p.m.	Pat Quinton Mona, Paddy + Frank O'Halloran Dan + Mary Ryan Kitty Gaffney Josephine O'Hanlon
Sun. 9th	12.00	Bridget Mulready (Months Mind) Jacqueline + James Millane Noel McCormack Maureen, Bill + Kieran Maxwell Mrs. Breen Bridget Maxwell Patsy McCarthy Paddy Ryan
Sat. 15th	7.30 p.m.	Jim Chaplin (1st Anniversary) Mary and Sean Meehan
Sun. 16th	12.00	Bishop Willie Walsh

Eucharistic Ministers: Sixmilebridge next week Team D

Sixmilebridge School is now accepting application for admission (school places) in September 2025. Closing date for applications is 15th March 2025. Applications must be made on the school website at <http://www.sixmilebridgens.ie/>

Do You Want To Fast This Lent?

In the words of Pope Francis

- **Fast from hurting words and say kind words.**
- **Fast from sadness and be filled with gratitude.**
- **Fast from anger and be filled with patience.**
- **Fast from pessimism and be filled with hope.**
- **Fast from worries and have trust in God.**
- **Fast from complaints and contemplate simplicity.**
- **Fast from pressures and be prayerful.**
- **Fast from bitterness and fill your hearts with joy.**
- **Fast from selfishness and be compassionate to others.**
- **Fast from grudges and be reconciled.**
- **Fast from words and be silent so you can listen.**



A Prayer for Lenten Grace

Loving God,

During the sacred season of Lent, bring me closer to you.

Prepare a place in my home and heart for silence and solitude, so that I may re-discover the grace of a prayer-full life.

Enlarge my heart so that I give to those in need and, in so doing, re-discover the grace of gratitude and generosity.

Help me to fast from those things that threaten the well-being of body and soul, remind me of the grace and simplicity.

May this Season be grace-filled time to rekindle my love for and have faith in you. **Amen**

Sixmilebridge G.A.A. Club Lotto:

Numbers Drawn: 11 14 20 29 Jackpot: €20,000

Sixmilebridge Library - this Thursday 13th March we're having a St. Patrick's Day Storytime and Craft Session for children in the library from 3-4pm. Age 3+ and no booking is required. Wearing green is highly encouraged!

Lourdes Jubilee Pilgrimages 2025

Our Diocesan Pilgrimage led by Bishop Fintan will depart Shannon Airport on Wednesday 25th June for 5 days. €955 pps includes full board. Our Diocesan Autumn Pilgrimage is from 29th September to 4th October €935 pps includes full board. To reserve a seat please contact JOE Walsh Tours 89 Harcourt St. Dublin 2 DO2WY88 Tel: 01 2410800 or jowalshstours.ie for more details.

A limited number of assisted pilgrims will be accommodated on the June pilgrimage. €855 is the cost for this section. A medical declaration form must be completed and those interested in this section are asked to apply to Ms Mary Freeman, Pilgrimage Secretary 087- 9777896 or marybfreeman@gmail.com

Sponsor a Sick Pilgrim

Each year some people sponsor a sick or assisted pilgrim to make their wish of travelling to Lourdes become a reality. The cost is € 855 per pilgrim. To sponsor or part sponsor a pilgrim please contact Fr Tom Ryan Pilgrimage Director 087 2349816

The Annual Matt Talbot Novena will continue on Wednesday, March 12th, at 7:00 PM in Tulla Church with Mass and Benediction. Fr. Tom Ryan from Ennis Cathedral will be the celebrant on the night accompanied by Emma Murray, a leader in the youth section of the Killaloe Lourdes Programme. We also welcome students from St Mochulla's National School.

Pop up Shop Fundraiser for Joe Slattery. Rock the Frock- please donate dresses, jackets, coats & accessories in good as new condition. Drop in dates Tuesday 11th March 7-8pm, Corofin GAA Clubhouse. Old Ground hotel Thurs 20th March 2025, 5.30-9pm entrance fee €5

Grow Mental Health- Friendly Community based groups for anyone experiencing mental health issue through connection, hope, identity by empowering people to nurture their positive wellbeing by supporting personal growth through education, peer support and self-teaching. Ennis Meeting- Maria Assumpta Hall. Monday 7.30pm/Tuesday 2pm. Contact Celia 086-1526966/Wwww.grow.ie