



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 **Pat Keane, R.I.P.** Kilmurry, who died last weekend. We extend our sympathy to all his family, friends and neighbours.

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

Sat. 23rd	7.30 pm	Mary O'Callaghan + Family R.I.P.
Sun. 24th	12.00	Deirdre O'Brien
Sat. 30th	7.30 pm	Paddy Frost
		John O'Brien
		Mary Keogh

Eucharistic Ministers: Sixmilebridge next week Team D

Burren Outdoor Retreat: 5th to 7th September. A guided 3-day journey to some of the most secret and sacred places in the Burren. Let the beauty of this amazing landscape renew you in body and soul. Enquiries: Mary 087 970 1130/booking: Noirin 087 447 9115

24 Hours of Prayer for Peace in Gaza

This Sunday 24th August is designated as a day of prayer for Gaza. On this day we are asked to light a candle in your family home or church, attend mass, spend time before the Blessed Sacrament, pray the Rosary, make some small personal penance or sacrifice and on the day let the light of Hope radiate from the Island of Ireland for peace for Gaza and for the future of its people.

Some thoughts to live by

- .. Don't undermine your worth by comparing yourself with others.
- .. It is because we are different that each of us is special.
- .. Don't set your goals by what other people deem important.
- .. Only you know what is best for you.
- .. Don't take for granted the things closest to your heart.
- .. Cling to them as you would your life, for without them life is meaningless.
- .. Don't let your life slip through your fingers by living in the past or for the future.
- .. By living your life one day at a time, you live all the days of your life.
- .. Don't give up when you still have something to give.
- .. Nothing is really over until the moment you stop trying.
- .. Don't be afraid to admit that you are less than perfect.
- .. It is this fragile thread that binds us to each other.
- .. Don't be afraid to encounter risks.
- .. It is by taking chances that we learn how to be brave.
- .. Don't shut love out of your life by saying it's impossible to find.
- .. The quickest way to receive love is to give love, the fastest way to lose love is to hold it too tightly, and the best way to keep love is to give it wings.
- .. Don't dismiss your dreams.
- .. To be without dreams is to be without hope; to be without hope is to be without purpose.
- .. Don't run through life so fast that you forget not only where you've been, but also where you're going.
- .. Life is not a race, but a journey to be savoured each step of the way.

Congratulations! to all students who received Leaving Cert results during the week. We pray that the Spirit of God will guide them in the choices they make.

Sixmilebridge G.A.A. Club Annual Scrap Metal

Will take place during August / September. The Club are looking for any type of Scrap Metal ... Copper Cylinders ... Copper Piping ... Car and Tractor Batteries. Any donations of above would be greatly appreciated. Please contact any committee member.

**PUB QUIZ
FUNDRAISER for
FOCUS IRELAND
at Gleeson's Bar
on Friday August
29th Begins at 8pm
Contact Tom on
083 1390189**

**Sixmilebridge
G.A.A. Club
Lotto:**
Numbers Drawn:
11 25 27 28
Jackpot:
€20,000

**Sixmilebridge
Library Events**
Books at Bedtime
With Mary Murphy
Friday 22nd 3-4 pm
Ages 0-6 yrs
Contact 061 369678
Or email
sixmilebridge@clarelibrary.ie

Grow Mental Health
Friendly Community based groups for anyone experiencing mental health issues. **12 Step Program.** Meeting Maria Assumpta Hall Ennis - Monday 7.30pm/Tuesday 2pm. Contact Celia 086-1526966/ www.grow.ie

Information Afternoon hosted by the **Clare Older People's Council**, with support from the Clare Age Friendly Programme on Monday 9th September 2:00pm to 4:00pm in Ogonnelloe Community Centre. Enjoy informative talks and uplifting moments with guest speakers from: Select Hotels, Clare Older People's Council, Healthy Clare and Poetry reading by Siobhán Mungovan. Whether you're looking for helpful resources, community updates or simply a warm afternoon of connection, this event is for you!