

Tradaree Pastoral Area Newsletter

The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ 7th June 2026

Parishes of Newmarket on Fergus, Shannon & Sixmilebridge

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Tradaree Pastoral Area Mass Schedule

Newmarket on Fergus Parish

Newmarket Church: Tue - Fri @ 9.30am. Sat @ 6pm .

Carrigerry Church: Sun @ 9am. **Wells Church** Sun @ 10.30am

Shannon Parish

Mary Immaculate : Mon - Communion Liturgy @ 10am.

Tue - Fri @ 10am. Sat @ 11am. Sun @ 10.30am

Ss. John & Paul Church: Mon & Fri @ 7pm. Sat @ 6.30pm.

Sun @ 12 noon.

Sixmilebridge

Sixmilebridge Church: Mon, Wed to Fri @ 9.30am.

Tue - Communion Liturgy @ 9.30am. Sat @ 7.30pm.

Sun @ 12 noon. **Kilmurry Church :** Sun @ 9am

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Open Mon - Thur 10am to 2.30pm

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Open Tue - Fri 10am to 12 noon

Newsletter Deadline: Please note that the deadline for items to be included in the newsletter is Wed 12 noon

Cemetery Masses in the Tradaree Pastoral Area

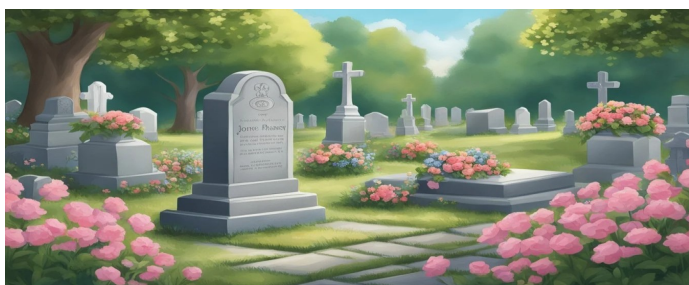
Newmarket : Cemetery Masses will commence on this Tuesday June 9th at 7pm when Fr Albert will be in Drumline Cemetery. It would be very much appreciated if parishioners who are local could set up a simple Altar for the mass.

Cemetery masses will continue on the following Tuesdays, at 7pm.
16th June in Lemenagh with Fr Tom Whelan.

Fr Albert will celebrate mass in the other cemeteries on the following dates 23rd June in Fenloe, 30th June in Bunratty, 7th July in Clonloghan, 28th July in Kilconry, 11th August in Kilnasoolagh, 19th August in Kilmaleery. There will be no 9.30am mass on these Tuesdays except for June 16th when the morning mass in Newmarket will go ahead as usual. There will be a mass offered for all those buried in the Kileens of the parish on Wednesday 4th November at 9.30am in Newmarket chapel.

Sixmilebridge: Fr. Damien will celebrate Mass in Ballysheen Graveyard at 7p.m. on this Tuesday 9th June

Shannon: Fr Tom will be in Lemenagh on June 16th at 7pm. Illaunamanagh date to be confirmed.



St Anthony's Novena

The Novena continues each day this week in the Friary Ennis at 10am and 7.30pm . Petitions can be sent to St Anthony's Novena Franciscan Friary Francis Street Ennis Co Clare V9.5 A4N2. Fr Tom Ryan is the preacher this year.

Alzheimer's Clare Branch

is holding an information Café on June 17th in the Shannon Family resource centre. 11am to 1pm. All are welcome. Guest speaker is Dementia Advisor Melissa Kenny

Ennis Blood Donation Appeal: West County Hotel : Sunday 7th June : 11:50am - 3:10pm. New donors are very welcome – it only takes about an hour, but could save a life. Call 1800 222 111 to book



Cast your vote on the AIB community funds giveaway, by voting for Saint Vincent De Paul (SVP), charity number CHY6892. Voting ends on the 19th June 2026. The public vote really does make a difference in deciding where the support goes, so it's well worth taking a moment to do the vote. <https://aib.ie/community-fund>

Clare branch of the Irish Kidney

Association wish to thank all those who contributed so generously to the recent church gate collection held across the Tradaree Pastoral Area. Your support is greatly appreciated.



Mass Intentions



Newmarket-on-Fergus

Sat 6th June: 12 noon: Carrigerry: Bernadette Glynn (1st A)
Sat 6th June: 6pm: Newmarket: Michael Donnelly, Denis and Lena Mc Inerney and their son James, Leonard Mc Namara, Seán and Joan O'Driscoll, Seán Mc Namara, Louis and Celine Quinn, John Arthur and his parents Michael and Ann.
Sun 7th June: 9am: Carrigerry: May and Joe Donlon
Sun 7th June: 10.30am: Wells: Michael and Merlyn Quinn, Pa Crowe, Eileen Woulfe
Wed 10th June: 9.30am: Newmarket: Joan Duggan, (1st A)
Sat 13th June: 6pm: Newmarket: Brian Maxwell (1st A), Phil Delaney (1st A), Gina Shanagher (1st A) Bríd and Anna Grogan, Gerry Fitzpatrick. Mark Mc Coy
Sun 14th June: 10.30am: Wells: Margaret Collins: (M M), Liam Hogan (1st A),

Recent Deaths: Pray for the repose of the soul Brian Weir, father of Avia Costello, Rathfoland. May he rest in peace.

Sixmilebridge

Sat. 6th June 7.30 p.m. Anne Whelan (M.M.), Vincent Whelan
Sun. 7th June 12 Noon. Teresa and John McNamara
Sat. 13th June 7.30 p.m. P.J. Keane, Carmel Cosgrove
Sun. 14th June 9.00 a.m. (KM), Stephen Kiely, Marian Meehan, Eileen Quin (1st A.) and deceased members of Quin family.
Sun. 14th June 12.00 Noon Ian Keogh

We pray for the repose of the soul of **Noel Devanney**, Cappa Lodge, who died during the week and we extend our sympathy to all his family, friends and neighbours. May he Rest in Peace.

Shannon

Sat. 6th June 11am M.I.: Anne Geraghty and Stella Carroll
Sat. 6th June 6.30pm SS J&P : Mary Brosnan, remembering Shirley and Brian Ahern, Diarmaid Ó'Donnabháin, Tomas MacCormaic, Geraldine McDonagh.
Sun 7th June 10.30am M.I.: Julita Barrett
Sun. 7th June 12 noon SS J&P: Moira Noonan (1stA), Ann Meaney, Siobhan McGorrian.
Fri. 12th June 10am M.I.: Albert Burke.
Fri. 12th June 7pm SS J&P: Deceased members of the Pioneer Total Abstinence Association. Ger Regan.
Sat. 13th June 11am M.I.: John Carey, Paddy Carrig, Patrick Christopher Fitzgerald and Maureen Fitzgerald.
Sat. 13th June 6.30pm SS J&P : Patrick Coleman (1st A), Conor O'Brien.
Sun 14th June 10.30am M.I.: Breda Keogh-Hendrick and Joe Hendrick.
Sun. 14th June 12 noon SS J&P: Margaret Bannon (1stA), Frank Hourston.

Also Remembering: Nora Browne and Martin Fitzgerald.

We extend our prayers and sympathies to the friends and families of : Cordelia Foley, Cork, daughter-in-law of Brendan and Ronnie Foley, Fearnog, Shannon. May she rest in eternal peace.

Parish Notes

Newmarket-on-Fergus

Church Collections: We wish to thank you for your generosity to our parish collections each week. Last weekend's collection realised €1374.04

Fatima Hour: Sat 6th June 1.30pm to 2.30pm in the chapel in Our Lady of the Rosary Church, Newmarket

Prayer for Priests: Mon 8th June at 7.30pm in Our Lady of the Wells Church, Clonmoney.

Parish Walk: Saturday June 13th depart Fair Green @2.00 pm Toll House Ardsolus @2.30 pm For Ballykilty: Race Park River Crossing at Ardsolus Railway Bridge and Children's Burial Ground.

Active Age Classes: Classes continue each Friday morning at 11.30am in the Community Hall, Newmarket on Fergus. The final class before the summer break will take place on Friday, 18th July.

Please note that there will be no 9.30am mass on Tue 9th, Thur 11th or Fri 12th June. Please see mass times on the opposite page in the other parishes in our Pastoral Area

Sixmilebridge

Eucharistic Ministers next week Team A

Sixmilebridge G.A.A. Lotto: 5 6 14 26 Congratulations! to the winner. Next **Jackpot: €3,3,00** Saint Anthony

St. Anthony Feast Day - Next Saturday 13th June. We invite you to bring lilies for Blessing at the 7.30 p.m. Mass.

Reintroduction of Altar Servers. A meeting on the possible reintroduction of the ministry of Altar Serving has been arranged for **Thursday, June 11th @ 7.00 pm** in the Parish Hall to which everyone is warmly invited. At this meeting what's being proposed and what's involved will be outlined in detail. There will be no commitment required at this stage and the meeting is open to parents of children wishing to become Altar Servers in the Parish and to any adult wishing to learn about or support the initiative.

Huge Congratulations! to Clare U20 Hurling Team and especially to our locals, **Mark Sheedy and Matthew O'Halloran**, on winning the All Ireland U20 Hurling Final last Sunday. It is a really great achievement.

Shannon

Prayer for Priests Group: There will be Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Prayer next Saturday, June 13th from 9:15am to 10:15am in the Adoration Chapel, Shannon. All are welcome to come together to pray for our Bishops, Priests and each other.

Shannon Active Retirement: The next Meeting will be on Wednesday, June 10th in the Conservatory of the Oakwood Hotel at 11am. All are welcome.

Shannon Senior Citizens flag day will be held in Skycourt Shopping Centre next Friday, June 12th from 9pm – 5pm. Please support this event if you can.

Last Sunday's collection was €1,936. As ever, we thank you for your continued support and great generosity. The Priests' Summer Collection will be taken up at all Masses this weekend the 6th and 7th June.

St. Anthony's Novena will be celebrated next Saturday, June 13th at 11am in Mary Immaculate Church. We have a tradition of inviting parishioners to donate lilies for this Mass. You are welcome to bring your lilies along on the day or to any Mass during the week.

Apostolic Work's 71st and final annual display of Mission Work will take place on Saturday June 13th in the Maria Assumpta Hall, Ennis from 2pm - 4pm. All are welcome to attend.