



Bodyke and Tuamgraney Parish News



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MASS TIMES

Saturday Vigil	Tuamgraney	6.30pm
Sunday Morning	Bodyke	9.30am
Wednesday	Tuamgraney	10.00am
Friday	Bodyke	10.00am

2nd Sunday of Lent

13th March 2022

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THIS WEEK'S MASSES & ANNIVERSARIES

Tuamgraney - St. Joseph's Church

Saturday 12th March 6.30pm Peadar Daly - Month's Mind
 Wednesday 16th March 10.00am Mass
 Saturday 19th March 6.30pm Mass

Bodyke - Church of the Assumption

Sunday 13th March 9.30am Mary McCormack
 Thursday 17th March 10.00am St. Patrick's Day Mass
 Friday 18th March 10.00am Mass
 Sunday 20th March 9.30am Mass

Please note - there will be a change to Parish Office opening hours for next week. See box on right for details.

Rotas for **Readers and Eucharistic Ministers** (up to April 30th/May 15th) are available in both churches and also on the parish website under groups.

The Parish Office is located in the TUAMGRANEY PARISH HOUSE

Opening hours next week:

- Monday 14th - 9am to 12 noon
- Friday 18th - 9am to 1pm

Contact number - 087 1498763

Please call the number above with newsletter items, to be issued with sacramental certificates, to book anniversary masses or to get Mass Cards & Bouquets.

Yellow Envelope Contributions

Week ended 6th March

€816.85

Thank you for your continued kind and generous support.

Our Bodyke & Tuamgraney Parish Child Protection Representatives can be contacted through Fr. Dariusz or the Parish Office

• Lay Ministers •

**19th/20th March 2022
(3rd Sunday of Lent)**

Tuamgraney

Reader: Gerardine Campion
Eucharist: Gerardine Campion

Bodyke

Reader: Jo McGrath
Eucharist: Teresa Clohessy



Eucharistic Adoration takes place in Tuamgraney Church on Wednesdays from just after 10am. You are welcome to visit the Adoration Blessed Sacrament during these hours. *Current HSE & government guidelines must be observed.* If you would like to volunteer one hour a week each Wednesday to adore the Lord please contact 087 4129805.



Please pray for the happy repose of the soul of John Martin O'Brien, Ballyvannon, Tuamgraney, whose funeral took place during the week. We extend our sincere sympathy to Rosemary, Laura, William and Martin and their families, to his sister Anna Mae McNamara, and to his extended family, neighbours and friends. May he rest in peace.



PARISH NOTES



Ukraine Appeal

The Parish of Bodyke & Tuamgraney is organising a collection of urgent supplies for Ukraine at the following drop off points:

- Bodyke Church
- Tuamgraney Church
- Parish Office Tuamgraney.

We will be accepting the following until March 21st:

- Food;
- Hygiene / Medical;
- Clothing / Bedding.

Please see the posters at the back of the churches and in the parish office for more details of items that will be acceptable.

Please note - a collection will be taken up at Masses on the weekend of March 26th / 27th for those who wish to donate financially. Thank you.

This year the **Trócaire Lenten Campaign** asks you to help people like Thandekile and her family. More information can be found at the back of both churches, together with the Trócaire giving boxes. Please take a pack! See also www.trocaire.org

Saints / Feast Days this week

- Thursday 17th: St Patrick, Apostle of Ireland
- Friday 18th: St Cyril of Jerusalem
- Saturday 19th: St Joseph, spouse of the BVM.

Prayer to St. Patrick

*Christ be with me,
Christ be within me,
Christ be behind me,
Christ be before me,
Christ beside me,
Christ to win me,
Christ to comfort and restore me,
Christ beneath me,
Christ above me,*



*Christ in quiet, Christ in danger,
Christ in the hearts of all that love me,
Christ in the mouth of friend and stranger....*

During the season of Lent Confession will be available after all weekend and weekday masses in the parish if anyone wishes to avail of it.

The **Annual Matt Talbot Novena** will continue on Wednesday 16th March at 7pm in Tulla Church with Mass and Benediction. Fr. Tom Ryan from Ennis Cathedral will deliver the reflection on the vigil of the feast of our national patron, St. Patrick. We would love if you joined us in this pilgrimage through Lent.

Thank You: Bodyke National School Parents Association wish to thank everyone who came and supported their fun run and walk last Sunday. It was a beautiful day and a great success. Thanks also to those who could not make it but sent their support - it was very much appreciated.

Live streaming and recording in Church

Liturgies should only be streamed where Fr. Dariusz has directly engaged the company or individual doing the streaming. No **unauthorised steaming or recording** by third parties should take place in church as this may lead to safeguarding and data protection issues. Likewise, any individual who is videoing a ceremony in the church, for example, a wedding, should only do so **on the express authority of the priest.**

Fully Escorted four night **Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine** from 4th to 8th April. €570 per person sharing. Price includes return bus transfer. Four nights in Knock House Hotel with full board. Wheelchair accessible rooms. Single supplement €75. Contact Patricia on 087 1890236 or email knockpilgrimages@gmail.com See poster at the back of church for more details.

Planning to get married in 2022 or 2023? You need to give at least six months notice for the completion of church and civil papers and so it would be a good idea to contact Fr. Dariusz to chat through the necessary requirements. This applies whether you are getting married in the parish, elsewhere in Ireland or overseas.



Bodyke GAA Lotto is now online at www.klubfunder.com/Clubs/bodykegaa/lotto
There was no Jackpot winner of the March 7th draw. €25 winners were Thomas Hickey, John & Loretta Hickey, Flan Murray and Pdraig O'Neill. €50 winners for 3 Counties were Annette Hogan and Sinead Wiley. The next draw is on Monday 21st March at 8.30pm. Please note the cut off time for purchasing online lotto tickets is 9.30pm on Sunday 20th March. Any lotto tickets purchased online after this cut off time will be entered into the next draw. Thank you for your continued support.

Pop-up Gaeltacht in Scariff Library on Tuesday March 15th at 10.30am to celebrate Seachtain na Gaeilge. Buail isteach chugainn agus labhair Gaeilge linn! Clare County Library in association with Jayarel Consulting presents a **FREE Skills for Interview Success** online workshops on **Thursday March 24th from 6.30pm to 8pm.** Booking is required. Participants will require remote access to Zoom. For bookings and information please call Scariff Public Library on 061 922893 or email scarriff_library@clarecoco.ie

Lourdes 2022

After an absence of two years due to the pandemic our Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes resumes again this year from 28th June to 3rd July, direct from Shannon Airport. *Sick or assisted pilgrims will not travel this year.* Cost €739 to €759 depending on the choice of hotel - Agena or La Solitude. To reserve your place please contact Joe Walsh Tours on 01-2410800, email: info@joewalshstours.ie or by post to Joe Walsh Tours, 69 O'Connell Street, Dublin 1.
The autumn pilgrimage will take place from 2nd to 7th October. Contact Fr. Tom Ryan Pilgrimage Director at 087 2349816 or tfryan.ennis@gmail.com

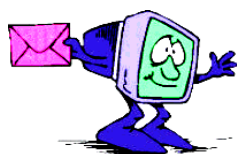
HAPPY ST. PATRICK'S DAY

to everyone on Thursday next

Reflection

Prayer for the People of Ukraine

*Loving God,
We pray for the people of Ukraine,
For all those suffering or afraid,
that you will be close to them and protect them.
We pray for world leaders, for compassion, strength and wisdom to guide their choices.
We pray for the world; that in this moment of crisis,
we may reach out in solidarity
to our brothers and sisters in need.
May we walk in your ways
so that peace and justice
become a reality for the people of Ukraine
and for all the world.
Amen.*



Newsletter Deadline: News items for inclusion in the Parish Newsletter should be with the Parish Office by **9.00am on Thursday.**
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