



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
Saturday	Raheen Hospital	2.15pm
Wednesday	Raheen Hospital	10.45am

32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

6th November 2022

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THIS WEEK'S MASSES & ANNIVERSARIES

Tuamgraney - St. Joseph's Church

Saturday 5th November 6.30pm Nancy O'Halloran
Mary Quigley

Wednesday 9th November 10.00am Mass

Saturday 12th November 6.30pm Remembrance Mass

Bodyke - Church of the Assumption

Sunday 6th November 9.30am Matt & Kathleen Tuohy
Sonny & May McGrath

Friday 11th November 10.00am Mass

Sunday 13th November 9.30am Helen McKenna
Freddie Walsh & the Walsh family
Pat & Maureen Malone & deceased
members of the Malone family

The Parish Office is located in the
TUAMGRANEY PARISH HOUSE

Opening hours are:

- Tuesdays 9am to 12.30pm
- Thursdays 9am to 12.30pm

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 30th October

€466.80

*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 •

12th/13th November 2022
(33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time)

Tuamgraney

Reader: Gerardine Campion
Eucharist: Damian Heaney

Bodyke

Reader: Philip Moreau
Eucharist: Biddy Hogan



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. If you
would like to volunteer one hour of adoration a week
each Wednesday please contact 087 4129805.

Rotas for Readers and Eucharistic Ministers for
Tuamgraney and Bodyke are now available in both
churches and on the parish website under **groups**.

In Sympathy We extend our sincere sympathy to Mary
Melody, Coolreagh, on the death of her
mother, Bridget Ryan, whose funeral took
place in Newport, Co. Tipperary, during the
week. May she rest in peace.



PARISH NOTES



Remembrance Tree

You are invited to put the names of your deceased loved
ones on the leaves provided and hang them on the
Remembrance Trees, which will be in both churches
during the month of November. This will be a
reminder to all of us to remember and pray for the
deceased at this very special time of the year.

The annual **Remembrance Mass** for all who have
passed away in the parish since last November will take
place on **Saturday November 12th** at 6.30pm in
Tuamgraney Church.

Parish Cemeteries

As the date for the November blessing of graves
approaches it would be good to respect the final
resting places of departed loved ones by keeping
the parish cemeteries neat and tidy and disposing
of old wreaths, flowers etc. Thank you.

Pledge for November: Many people offer spiritual
support to a relation who is struggling because of
alcohol or an addiction problem. Parishioners who wish
to take a short-term Pioneer pledge during the month of
the Holy Souls are invited to visit www.pioneers.ie/pray.

Saints / Feast Days this week

- Monday 7th: St. Willibrord.
- Wednesday 9th: Dedication of the Lateran Basilica.
- Thursday 10th: St. Leo the Great, Pope.
- Friday 11th: St. Martin of Tours.
- Saturday 12th: St. Josaphat.

Blessing of Graves - Sunday November 13th

- Bodyke Church Grounds - after 9.30am Mass
- Kilnoe Cemetery - 12 noon
- St. Coolan's Cemetery - 12.45pm
- St. Cronan's Cemetery - 1.45pm

Blessing of Graves Ogonnelloe - Sunday 6th

- Killin Children's Burial Ground - after 11am Mass
- New Cemetery directly afterwards
- Gate Cemetery - 12.45pm
- Hill Cemetery - 1.45pm

Please note: On November 7th, 8th and 9th there will be **no masses** in Tuamgraney or O'Gonnelloe as the priests of the Diocese will be on annual diocesan in-service. You are invited to attend mass in Scariff Church at 10am on those days if you so wish. A panel of retired priests have kindly agreed to provide emergency cover during these days, should the need arise.

A reminder to leave your list of the dead back to the churches so that we can remember your loved ones in a special way at our Masses during November.

The **TDA monthly meeting** will take place on Monday November 7th at 8pm in the Parish House Tuamgraney. All are welcome.

Dates for Sacraments 2023

Confirmation - 25th March

First Holy Communion - 20th May.

More information on times and locations later.

Bodyke Ogonnelloe Tuamgraney Youth Club provides an opportunity for youths aged 12 to 17 to socialise in a safe space where they can prioritise how they would like to spend some time (while supervised by Youth Club leaders). For further information contact 087 776 7449.

Affordable Live-in Homecare provides live-in carers for the elderly in your area. If you are looking for a live-in carer for your relative please call Eileen or Tom on 087 9916791 or 087 7440729. www.alhomecare.ie

Clare Suicide Bereavement Support require more **Volunteers** to help in their work of supporting people bereaved by suicide. Open Introductory Evening will be held at our premises in Innovation House, Roslevan Shopping Centre, Tulla Road, Ennis, on Thursday November 10th at 7p.m. This will be followed by a comprehensive training course, starting in the New Year. Please feel welcome to come along. No appointment necessary. Tel. No. 086 0565373 / 087 3698315. www.claresuicidebereavementsupport.com

Card Game: 45 Drive in Nuala's Bar Tuamgraney on Friday nights at 9pm sharp.



Bodyke GAA Lotto is now online at www.klubfunder.com/Clubs/bodykegaa/lotto

There was no Jackpot winner of the October 31st draw. €50 3 counties winners were Luke Turner, Gerry & Margaret Kolbohm. €25 winners were Ann Ryan, Evelyn O'Brien, Jimmy Ryan and Paul Boland. The next draw is on Monday November 14th at 9pm. Please note the cut off time for purchasing online lotto tickets is 10pm on Sunday November 13th. Any lotto tickets purchased online after this cut off time will be entered into the next draw.



TDA Lotto Draw: Congratulations to Mary Hogan, our October winner of €200 with winning bonus number 10. The next draw is on November 26th. Thank you for your support.

Team Hope Christmas Shoebox Appeal leaflets are available locally including Bane's Gift Shop, which is also a drop off centre for shoeboxes. Closing date for collection is Friday 11th November. Any queries to Joanne 086 8177649.

Tidy Towns



Both Tuamgraney and Bodyke villages increased their points in this year's Supervalu Tidy Towns competition, the results of which were issued recently. Bodyke received a total score of 289, up 13 points on last year, while Tuamgraney received a total score of 347, up 12 points on last year. The adjudicators were very impressed with the Community Park in Bodyke and Tuamgraney was deemed very clean with no litter visible. Full reports can be viewed on the Supervalu Tidy Towns website.

Raheen Day Centre welcomes new referrals at any time. If you or someone you know would like to avail of this service where you can meet people, avail of hairdressing, chiropody, music sessions, advocacy support and a hot meal please call Aine on 061-923215 for further information.

Reflection

On Passing a Graveyard

May perpetual light shine upon

The faces of all who rest here.

May the lives they lived

Unfold further in spirit.

May all their past travails

Find ease in the kindness of clay.

May the remembering earth

Mind every memory they brought

May the rains from the heavens

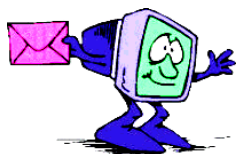
Fall gently upon them.

May the wildflowers and grasses

Whisper their wishes into light.

May we reverence the village of *presence*

In the stillness of this silent field. John O'Donohue



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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