



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	2.00pm
Wednesday	Raheen Hospital	10.45am

16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

21st July 2024

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THIS WEEK'S MASSES & ANNIVERSARIES

Tuamgraney - St. Joseph's Church

Saturday 20th July 6.30pm Martin Whelan - Month's Mind
 Timmy Kelly

Wednesday 24th July 10.00am Mass

Saturday 27th July 6.30pm Mass

Bodyke - Church of the Assumption

Sunday 21st July 9.30am Mass

Friday 26th July 10.00am Mass

Sunday 28th July 9.30am Micheál Hogan
 Margaret Hogan
 Seamus Molloy



Archbishop Eugene Nugent will continue to celebrate Mass in Tuamgraney Church at 10am on a day to day basis for the month of July,

Our Bodyke & Tuamgraney Parish Child Protection Representatives can be contacted through the Parish Office

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 14th July

€679.20

Thank you for your continued kind and generous support.

• Lay Ministers •

27th/28th July 2024
 (17th Sunday in Ordinary Time)

Tuamgraney

Reader: Rosetta Whyte

Eucharist: Liam Whyte

Bodyke

Reader: Teresa Kennedy

Eucharist: Maureen Slattery



Eucharistic Adoration takes place in Tuamgraney Church on Wednesdays from just **after 10am Mass until 2pm**. You are Adoration welcome to visit the Blessed Sacrament during these hours. If you would like to volunteer some of your time during those hours contact 087 4129805.

Webcam service is now operational in the parish. Weekend Masses, Holy Day Masses and Funerals will be broadcast. Other services may be broadcast from time to time. You can access the service at:

<https://www.churchcamlive.ie/bodyke-tuamgraney> or click on the link on our parish website



We wish the Clare Senior Hurlers the very best of luck against Cork in the All Ireland Final this Sunday in Croke Park!



PARISH NOTES



Current Inis Cealtra Area Weekend Mass Times

Vigil (Saturday)

Tuamgraney 6.30pm

Mounshannon 7pm

Kilclaren (Feakle) 7pm

Flagmount 6pm

Scariff 8pm

No evening mass Ogonnelloe during July and August

Sunday Morning

Clonusker (Scariff) 9am

Bodyke 9.30am

Feakle 10am

Killanena 10am

St Molua's Ogonnelloe 11am



Whitegate 10am

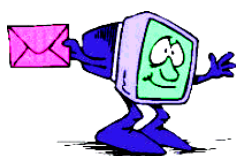
Scariff 11am

Please note: There will be no Saturday evening Mass in Ogonnelloe during the months of July and August. Sunday Mass will continue throughout July at 11am in St. Molua's and will change to St. Mary's from Sunday 4th August.

Please also see above change to Flagmount / Killanena Mass times.

**"Sow a thought and you reap an act;
 Sow an act and you reap a habit;
 Sow a habit and you reap a character;
 Sow a character and you reap a destiny".
 THINK ABOUT IT!**

<p align="center">Saints / Feast Days this week</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Monday 22nd: St Mary Magdalene • Tuesday 23rd: St Bridget of Sweden, Patron of Europe • Wednesday 24th: St Declan; St Sharbel Makhluf of Lebanon • Thursday 25th: St James, Apostle; St Christopher • Friday 26th: Ss Joachim & Anne, parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary • Saturday 27th: St Titus Brandsma. 	<p>St. Cronan's 10th Century Church in Tuamgraney is open to visitors until the end of September. There is a free 6 minute audio visual presentation to view by just clicking a button inside the door. Donations towards the upkeep of the church are very much appreciated. All are welcome to visit this historic building in Tuamgraney.</p>
<p align="center">Uganda Trip 2024</p> <p>Michelle McNamara would like to thank the Bodyke Annual Festival Committee for their very generous donation of €500 to the Rays of Hope Hospice in Jinja. Nine volunteers from Clare left on July 14th to volunteer with the hospice for two weeks.</p>	<p>Would you be willing to provide companionship to an older person locally? ALONE are seeking Visitation and Telephone volunteers in your area. Full training and support provided. If interested, please apply via the ALONE website at www.alone.ie/volunteer or for further information please contact Aoife Dennehy on 086-0120221 or via email Aoife.dennehy@alone.ie If you are over 60 and would like to know more about the services ALONE can offer you call 0818 222 024.</p>
<p>Mgr Seamus Horgan has issued an open invitation to his Episcopal Ordination as Archbishop on Saturday July 27th at 11am in the Cathedral of Ss Peter and Paul, Ennis. Mgr Seamus was recently appointed by Pope Francis as Papal Nuncio to South Sudan. He will take up his appointment in the Autumn.</p>	<p>Annual Concelebrated Mass of St. Feichin will take place in St. Feichin's Cemetery, Lackan in Abbey Parish on this Sunday, July 21st, at 7pm to honour the Patron Saint of Abbey parish. Confessions will be heard before Mass. Covered seating is available. A cup of tea for all after Mass. Everybody is welcome.</p>
<p>World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly Event will take place on 28th July at Knock Shrine, with his Excellency Archbishop Luis Mariano Montemayor, Apostolic Nuncio to Ireland, as the principal celebrant.</p>	<p align="center">Medjugorje Irish Centre Pilgrimages</p> <p>April - October 2024. 7 Nights Apartment B&B from €273 per person sharing. Airport transfer available on request. Contact us for details and book the dates that suit you. Tel. 01 4434510 or go to our website www.med-irishcentre.com</p>
<p>The East Clare Memorial Committee will on July 28th, join with East Clare for Palestine in a ceremonial tree planting, to express solidarity with the people of Palestine in their ongoing genocide at the hands of Israel. The event will take place at 2pm at the East Clare Memorial Park in Tuamgraney, which was officially dedicated in 1954, seventy years ago this year. The event will include poetry, a performance by the Éisteacht choir, speeches and refreshments. All are welcome.</p>	<p align="center">Helplines</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pieta House (24 hours) 1800 247 247 • Childline 1800 66 66 • Grow Mental Health 0818 474 474 • ALONE (for older people) 0818 222 024 • Samaritans 116 123 • St. Vincent de Paul 086 392 1492 • Shine 1890 621 • AA 089 2109824 12 pm -10pm daily
<p> Killaloe Diocesan Annual Pilgrimage to Lough Derg will take place from Monday 5th to Wednesday 7th August. Contact Ennis Parish Office on 065 6824043 for details.</p>	<p align="center"><i>Reflection</i></p> <p>Sheep without a shepherd <i>Lord, look upon us and take pity on us, for at times we too are like sheep. Save us from a blind following of the herd. Help us to listen to your voice, to trust you and to follow you, even if it means leaving the crowd and walking a lonely path. Lead us from fear to trust, from error to truth, from hate to love, from war to peace, from despair to hope, and from death to life. Amen.</i></p>
<p> Bodyke GAA Lotto is now online at www.klubfunder.com/Clubs/bodykegaea/lotto There was no Jackpot winner of the July 9th draw. €250 winners were John & Anne O'Grady. €50 winners were Kevin Hogan and John & Maureen Slattery. The next draw is on Monday July 22nd at 9pm. The jackpot is €13,800. The cut off time for purchasing online lotto tickets is 10pm on Sunday July 21st. Any lotto tickets purchased online after this cut off time will be entered into the next draw.</p>	
<p>There is a Bus Eireann service from Tuamgraney (opposite the Handball Alley) to Limerick and back five times a day Monday to Friday. Timetables on church notice boards.</p>	



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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