



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

19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

11th August 2024

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THIS WEEK'S MASSES & ANNIVERSARIES

Tuamgraney - St. Joseph's Church

Saturday 10th August 6.30pm Mass
 Wednesday 14th August 7.30pm Vigil Mass for Feast of the Assumption
 Saturday 17th August 6.30pm Donal Treacy
 Peter Guerin
 John Quigley

Please note: There will be no 10am Mass in Tuamgraney on Wednesday 14th

Bodyke - Church of the Assumption

Sunday 11th August 9.30am Mary and Jimmy Melody
 Greg Barry
 and his mother Margaret Rose, U.S.A
 Friday 16th August 10.00am Mass
 Sunday 18th August 9.30am Seán Cooney

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 this week:

- Monday 12th 9am to 12.30pm
- Thursday 15th 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 4th August
 €321.72

Thank you for your continued kind and generous support.

• Lay Ministers •

17th/18th August 2024
 (20th Sunday in Ordinary Time)

Tuamgraney

Reader: Eileen Harrington
 Eucharist: Damien Nash



Bodyke

Reader: Jo McGrath
 Eucharist: Michael McNamara



Eucharistic Adoration takes place in Tuamgraney Church on Wednesdays from just **after 10am Mass until 2pm**. You are 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

Please note: There will be a change to parish office opening hours next week. See box above right for details.



PARISH NOTES



Current Inis Cealtra Area Weekend Mass Times

Vigil (Saturday)

Tuamgraney 6.30pm
 Mountshannon 7pm
 Kilclaren (Feakle) 7pm
 Flagmount 6pm
 Scariff 8pm
 No evening mass Ogonnelloe during August


Sunday Morning

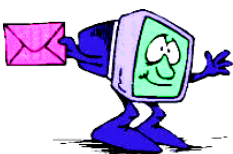
Clonusker (Scariff) 9am
 Bodyke 9.30am
 Feakle 10am
 Killanena 10am
 St Mary's Ogonnelloe 11am
 Whitegate 10am
 Scariff 11am

There will be no Saturday evening Mass in Ogonnelloe during August. Also, please note that Sunday Mass at 11am has now changed to St. Mary's Church.

Thursday August 15th is the **Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary** and there will be a Vigil Mass in Tuamgraney Church on Wednesday 14th at 7.30pm. *Please note - there will be no 10am Mass on that morning.*

*"To be successful,
 drop the words 'If only'
 and include instead
 the words 'Next time' ".
 THINK ABOUT IT!*

<p style="text-align: center;">Saints / Feast Days this week</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Monday 12th: St Attracta; St Muredach; Blessed Isadore Bakanja • Tuesday 13th: St Fachtna; Ss Pontian, Pope, & Hippolytus • Wednesday 14th: St Maximilian Kolbe • Thursday 15th: Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary • Friday 16th: St Stephen of Hungary • Saturday 17th: Our Lady of Knock. 	<p>St. Cronan's 10th Century Church in Tuamgraney is now 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 welcome. All are welcome to visit this historic building in Tuamgraney Village.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Volunteer Ministries in the Killaloe Diocese</p> <p>Have you ever thought of enriching your faith or of equipping yourself to be able to give something to your parish or pastoral area? The Diocese of Killaloe is hoping to build on the success of our initial lay ministry training programme by offering training to those who feel called to give time as Catechist and as Ministers of Pastoral Care. It is hoped to begin journeying with those interested in the Autumn. These ministries will be of interest to those already involved in their parish or pastoral area or those wishing to be more involved in the life of their local Church community. This programme involves lay people working side by side with priests in key ministries in our parishes and pastoral areas. Brochures are available in your parish or on the Diocesan Webpage. Further information and application forms can be found at https://www.killaloe-diocese.ie/our-diocese/lay-ministries/</p>	<p>East Clare for Palestine wish to thank everyone who donated and supported the Pop Up Shop for Palestine fundraiser last weekend. The Pop Up Shop will open for 2 more days to clear stock on Friday 16th August and Saturday 17th August from 10am to 6pm.</p>
 <p>The Lough Derg Pilgrimage Season is now open with one day retreats taking place during August and September. For more information call 071 9861518, email: info@loughderg.org or see www.loughderg.org</p>	<p>Members of the youth ministry group which meets in Church of Our Lady Roslevan, Ennis, on the last Sunday of every month recently went on Pilgrimage to Taizé. 24 Pilgrims led by Fr. Donagh O'Meara, Myriam Black, Joanne O'Brien and Youth leaders Arlene O'Sullivan, Saoirse Boyce & Joanna Lacka spent a week in Taize from 30th June - 7th July. All the young people loved the experience of meeting Christians from all over the world while exploring their faith and participating in the very beautiful Taize style of prayer three times a day. The group loved the experience and all hope to return again next year. If you are a young person and are senior cycle in Secondary School or College age and would like to be part of this group, you are welcome to join us. Please contact Fr. Donagh O'Meara (087) 2322140, Myriam Black (087) 2341831 Joanne O'Brien (086) 6009682.</p>
<p>Medjugorje Irish Centre Pilgrimages 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 style="text-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 • AA 089 2109824 12 pm -10pm daily • WomensAid Helpline 1800 341900. • Clare Haven 065 6822435
<p>Thank you: We sincerely thank Maureen Murray from the US, who has kindly donated a beautiful Vestment to St. Joseph's Church Tuamgraney in memory of her mother, Mary Sheridan (O'Brien), who grew up in Tuamgraney and who passed away last year. The generosity of Maureen and her family is very much appreciated.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Reflection</i></p> <p>Trust in God <i>Lord, I've no idea where I'm going. I do not see the road ahead of me. I cannot know for certain where it will end. Nor do I really know myself. And the fact that I think I'm doing your will, doesn't mean that I'm actually doing it. But I believe that the desire to please you does in fact please you, and I hope that I have this desire. Though I may seem to be lost and in the shadow of death I will not fear, for you are with me, and you will never leave me face my perils alone.</i></p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Burren Weekend Retreat - 6th to 8th September</p> <p>Would you like to come on a guided journey through the Burren? Experience the silence and beauty of this unique landscape through walking mindfully on ancient pathways or limestone pavements. Get to know some of the rare flora and appreciate our rich faith heritage in one of the many ancient sacred sites. For further information please contact Mary on 087 9701130. Booking: Des 085 1614951.</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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