



# Bodyke and Tuamgraney Parish News



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MASS TIMES - February 2025		
<b>Saturday</b>	Tuamgraney	6.30pm
<b>Wednesday</b>	Tuamgraney	10.00am
<b>Friday</b>	Bodyke	10.00am
<b>Saturday</b>	Raheen Hospital	2.00pm
<b>Wednesday</b>	Raheen Hospital	10.45am

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5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9th February 2025

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## THIS WEEK'S MASSES & ANNIVERSARIES

### Tuamgraney - St. Joseph's Church

**Saturday 8th February 6.30pm** Patrick Harrington  
 Alice & Jimmy Wiley  
 Mikey Pearl / Mai Walshe  
 Mary & Michael O'Grady  
 Margaret Ayres & deceased  
 members of the Hill family

**Wednesday 12th February 10.00am** Mass

**Saturday 15th February 6.30pm** Peggy & Peadar Daly  
 Barry Walsh  
 Jim & Sarah McNamara

### Bodyke - Church of the Assumption

**Friday 14th February 7.30pm** Bridget McNamara - Month's Mind

**Please note:** There will be no 10am Mass in Bodyke on Friday 14th

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 2nd February  
 €1,054.95

*Thank you for your continued  
 kind and generous support.*

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

## • Lay Ministers •

**Weekend of the 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**Tuamgraney, Saturday February 15th 6.30pm**

**Reader:** Damian Heaney  
**Eucharist:** Helena Walsh

**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.  
*Eucharistic Adoration in Tuamgraney Church takes  
 place in the room space near the sacristy.*

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

*"Our friends are an oasis to us,  
 encouraging us to keep going.  
 They are an essential part of our well-being".  
 THINK ABOUT IT!*



## PARISH NOTES



### Inis Cealtra Area Weekend Mass Times **February 2025**

<u>Vigil (Saturday)</u>	<u>Sunday Morning</u>
Tuamgraney 6.30pm	Clonusker (Scariff) 9am
Mountshannon 7pm	Killanena 9.30am
St Molua's Ogonnelloe 8pm	Feakle 10am
	Scariff 11am

### Inis Cealtra Area Weekend Mass Times **March 2025**

<u>Vigil (Saturday)</u>	<u>Sunday Morning</u>
Scariff 6.30pm	Bodyke 9.30am
Kilclaren 7pm	Flagmount 9.30am
	Scariff 11am
	St Mary's Ogonnelloe 11am
	Whitegate 11am

New speed limits have been introduced since  
 Friday February 7th. Getting used to them will take  
 some time but we need to get to know them. Safety  
 is a priority for all of us and is calling us to be  
 attentive and aware.



**Priest's Lenten Collection** will be taken  
 up at Mass next Saturday, February 15th.

### Saints / Feast Days this week


- Monday 10th: St Scholastica
- Tuesday 11th: Our Lady of Lourdes;  
St Gobnait;  
World Day of the Sick
- Friday 14th: St Valentine;  
Ss Cyril & Methodius - Patrons  
of Europe.

If anyone has daffodils that they would like to donate to Tuamgraney Church for use on the altar, the gesture would be very much appreciated.

**Pilates Classes** commencing at Bodyke GAA Club, Tuamgraney, from Tuesday 18th February at 7pm. Six week course €60. Mixed ability class. Men & Women welcome. Enquiries or to register please contact Eilish on 087-7416724. Pilates for Flexibility, Strength, Toning, Relief from back pain & joint stress.

**TDA Lotto Draw:** Congratulations to our January winners: Maggs & Lucy McNamara in the main lotto draw with bonus number 38; Lily & Brian Philbin in the lotto + 1 draw with bonus number 39 and Caoimhe & Eabha O'Donnell in the lotto + 2 draw with bonus number 33. The next draw is on February 22nd. Thank you for your continued support.

**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 Louise on 061-923215 for further information.

 **Tuamgraney National School** is now enrolling for September 2025. Phone: 061 921550 or email: info@tuamgraneyns.ie

**Fun Run and Walk**  
**Bodyke National School Parents' Association** are hosting their annual 5km and 10km Fun Run and Walk in Bodyke on this Sunday, February 9th, at 11.30am. Registration at the Cobbler's Rest from 11am. Walkers, joggers and runners are all welcome. Children must be accompanied by an adult and no bicycles are allowed. It costs €10 for adults and children are free.

**Fully Escorted Trip with Marian Pilgrimages to Medjugorje** led by Sharon O'Leary and accompanied by Fr Séan Sheehy as Spiritual Director. May 14th to 21st. Complete Spiritual Programme available. Direct Return flights-Dublin. 7 nights accommodation with freshly prepared breakfast and dinner each day to compliment the Irish palate! Early booking discount price of £795 available until January 31st. For further information contact Sharon on 086 0523014.



Bodyke GAA Lotto is now online at [www.klubfunder.com/Clubs/bodykegaa/lotto](http://www.klubfunder.com/Clubs/bodykegaa/lotto)

There was no Jackpot winner of the February 3rd draw. €50 winner was Ger Hamilton. €30 winners were Ruadh Brett, Niall O'Brien and Seán Browne. The next draw is on Friday February 14th at 8.30pm. **The jackpot is €15,300.** Please note the cut off time for purchasing online lotto tickets is 9.30pm on Thursday February 13th. Lotto tickets purchased online after this cut off time will be entered into the next draw. Thank you for your continued support.



Calling all poker players. Join **Bodyke GAA Club for its annual Fundraising Poker Classic** at The Cobbler's Rest on Friday 21st February. The event kicks off at 9.30pm sharp. Tickets are €20 and if you register before 9pm, you'll receive an extra €1,000 worth of chips. There will be refreshments and chances to win spot prizes throughout the evening. You can support this fundraiser by buying tickets on the night, or in advance by contacting Denise on 087 901 6305.

Divine Mercy Conference at the RDS Dublin on Saturday 22nd February. Day return bus (from Clarecastle). Great day of spiritual inspiration and refreshment with some great speakers. €70 for bus and entry ticket. Please contact via WhatsApp or text to Karen at 087-4160385 or Séamus at 087-2752578 for enquiries and bookings. €40 deposit via revolut, PayPal or post secures bus.

*Happy Valentine's Day  
to everyone next Friday 14th!*



## Reflection

### Let your light shine

*Our deepest fear is not that we are inadequate,  
but that we are powerful beyond measure.  
It is our light, not our darkness, that most frightens us.  
We ask ourselves, 'Who am I to be brilliant, gorgeous,  
talented and fabulous?'*

*Actually, who are you not to be?*

*You are a child of God.*

*Your playing small doesn't serve the world.*

*There's nothing enlightened about shrinking so that  
other people won't feel insecure around you.*

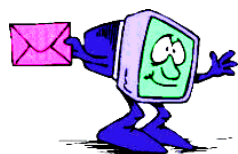
*We are born to make manifest the Glory of God  
that is within us.*

*It's not just in some of us; it's in everyone.*

*And as we let our own light shine,  
we unconsciously give other people permission  
to do the same.*

*As we are liberated from our own fear,  
our presence automatically liberates others.*

(From the inaugural speech of Nelson Mandela)



**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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