



Bodyke and Tuamgraney Parish News



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MASS TIMES
 Mass will be live streamed
 from Bodyke Church
 every morning at 10am.
 Please check our website
 bodyketuamgraneyparish.ie
 for details of the broadcasts.

32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

8th November 2020

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THIS WEEK'S MASSES & ANNIVERSARIES

Live streamed from Church of the Assumption Bodyke

- go to our website **www.bodyketuamgraneyparish.ie**
- go to the notice **Bodyke Church - live services**
- click on the link **BodykeChurch**

Saturday	7th November	10.00am	Tom Joe O'Dwyer
Sunday	8th November	10.00am	Sonny & May McGrath
Monday	9th November	10.00am	Ned & Nettie Doyle / Mary Quigley
Tuesday	10th November	10.00am	Mass
Wednesday	11th November	10.00am	Mass
Thursday	12th November	10.00am	Paddy Brady
Friday	13th November	10.00am	Mass
Saturday	14th November	10.00am	Helen McKenna
Sunday	15th November	10.00am	Remembrance Mass for parishioners who have died since last November

The Parish Office is located in the
 TUAMGRANEY PARISH HOUSE
 Opening hours are:

- Tuesdays 9am to 12noon
- Thursdays 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.


Offertory Collection

(through Parish Office etc.)
 Most recent totals came to €305
*Thank you for your continued
 kind and generous support.*

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

• Lay Ministers •

*Due to current restrictions no Lay Ministers or Altar Servers
 are required at present.*

 Please pray for the happy repose of the soul of
 Delma Carroll, mother of Fr. David, whose
 funeral took place during the week in
 O'Callaghan's Mills. The people of the parish extend our
 sincere sympathy to Fr. David and all his family. May
 she rest in peace.

A **Mass of Remembrance** for all who died in our parish
 in the past twelve months will be held on Sunday 15th
 November at 10am. Due to current restrictions it is not,
 unfortunately, open to the public but can be viewed
 online by following the link on our website.

Month of the Holy Souls

During the month of November when we traditionally
 remember departed loved ones you might like to write an
 obituary for some family member from the parish who
 has died during the last few years. This tribute or
 memory would be edited and included with the archived
 death notice on our parish website and could be found
 using the search option on the website home page. Please
 contact the parish office about this if you are interested.



PARISH NOTES



Public Celebration of Mass

With level 5 restrictions now in place until the end of
 November the celebration of Mass is only available
 online or broadcast on radio and television. Locally
 Mass is broadcast online at 10am every day from the
 Church of the Assumption Bodyke. Visit www.bodyketuamgraneyparish.ie
 and follow the link for Mass. Churches are remaining open for private
 and personal prayer. If **funerals** take place they will be
 restricted to fewer than 25 in church. **Baptisms** are not
 permitted during this time other than in the case of
 emergency.

Tree of Remembrance

You are invited to put the names of your deceased loved
 ones on the leaves provided and hang them on the
 Remembrance Tree in Bodyke Church during the month
 of November. Also, if you haven't already done so,
 please leave your list of the dead back to Bodyke Church
 so that we can remember your loved ones in a special
 way at our Masses which are live streamed from the
 church each morning at 10am. **The list is in your box of
 envelopes.**

Blessing of Graves

Due to Covid-19 level 5 restrictions, regretfully we are unable to hold a public blessing and prayers in our parish graveyards this year. Instead prayers and blessings will be recited at Bodyke Church on this Sunday 8th November at 11am and you are welcome to join the prayer service online through the link on the parish website. You might then like to visit your family graves, sprinkle holy water and recite the following reflection:

On Passing a Graveyard - John O'Donohue

*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 travail 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.*

Lough Derg November Memorial Service for deceased pilgrims and benefactors will be streamed live via webcam from St. Mary's Church, Pettigo, on Sunday 22nd November at 7pm www.churchservices.tv/pettigo
To enrol a departed loved one please contact us by email: info@loughderg.org or Tel: 071 9861518

With level 5 Covid restrictions in place until the end of November, should anyone require support please contact **East Clare Community Response** at 085 8659889 **Clare Community** at 1800 203600 or **ALONE** at 0818 222024.

If you would prefer to contribute online to the **weekly and special collections** please follow the steps below:

Step 1: Go to killaloediocese.ie

Step 2: Click on Donate to Your Parish

Step 3: Select Bodyke Parish from list


Step 4: Select type of donation (Parish, Priests, Special)

Step 5: Select amount & enter personal & bank details.

Please note - your contribution will come directly to *Bodyke Tuamgraney Parish*.

Fr. Harry Bohan has launched a new book, entitled "Rearing the Future". It is a reflection on Irish Society and its institutions during and post-pandemic. The book is available from various shops and outlets and from office@sixmilebridgeparish.ie

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 **TDA Lotto Draw:** Congratulations to Margaret Kelly our October winner of €200. Winning bonus number was 27. The next draw will be on November 28th. Thank you for your support.

A Readers Day event to inspire creativity in Bookclubs will take place via Zoom on Wednesday 18th November from 7pm to 8.30pm. Places limited so contact Scariff Library on 061 922893 for more information.

Collection Envelopes: During these weeks when the public celebration of Mass is not permitted you may wish to drop your weekly and special collection envelopes at the Tuamgraney parish office. You may also contact the parish office for information on how to contribute through your bank or by using the links on the Diocese of Killaloe website. Thank you for your support.

Irish Red Cross Clare: Our volunteers have completed a total of 3,895 voluntary hours up to the end of October. The Tour of Clare Fundraiser has again been cancelled and now we depend on the support of the public. The work of the Irish Red Cross Clare is ongoing. To donate go to gofundmeirishredcrossclarecommunityservices or send a donation made payable to The Irish Red Cross Clare to 11 Tracklands Business Park, Tobartaoscairn, Ennis, Co. Clare V95 X258. Thank you.



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

There was no Jackpot winner of the November 2nd draw. €25 winners were Vincent Grady, Joan Hayes, Tony Furlong and Betty & Claire O'Halloran. Next draw is on Monday 16th November at 9.30pm. Cut off time for purchasing online lotto tickets is 10.30pm on Sunday 15th. Any lotto tickets purchased online after this cut off time will be entered into the next draw.

Reflection

We give them back to you, O Lord

who first gave them to us;

yet as you did not lose them in the giving,

so we do not lose them by their return . . .

For what is yours is ours also, if we belong to you.

*Love is undying, and life is unending and the boundary
of this mortal life is but a horizon,*

and the horizon is nothing save the limit of our sight.

Lift us up, strong Son of God, that we may see further.

Cleanse our eyes that we may see more clearly . . .

*And while you prepare the place for us, prepare us also
for that happy place that we may be with you,*

and with those we love forevermore.



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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