



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

6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

13th February 2022

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THIS WEEK'S MASSES & ANNIVERSARIES

Tuamgraney - St. Joseph's Church

Saturday 12th February 6.30pm Michael Ryan

Wednesday 16th February 10.00am Mass

Saturday 19th February 6.30pm Willie & Martha Brady
Thomas & Mary Bolton & deceased
members of Brady & Bolton families

Bodyke - Church of the Assumption

Sunday 13th February 9.30am Marian Hogan, Michael Hogan
Marie Molloy

Sunday 13th February 1.00pm Pdraic Burke - Memorial Mass

Friday 18th February 10.00am Jim & Evelyn Hogan

Sunday 20th February 9.30am Michael & Lena Wall

• **Please note** - there will be a change to Parish Office opening hours for next week. See box on right for details.

The Parish Office is located in the
TUAMGRANEY PARISH HOUSE

Opening hours next week:

- Tuesday 15th - 9am to 12.30pm
- Friday 18th - 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 6th February

€444.32

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 •

**19th/20th February 2022
(7th Sunday in Ordinary Time)**

Tuamgraney

Reader: Karena O'Brien

Eucharist: Bernie Malone

Bodyke

Reader: Sean O'Halloran

Eucharist: Maureen Slattery



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. *Strict
HSE & government guidelines are observed at all times.*

Please note - in order to continue the adoration more
people are needed to volunteer one hour a week to adore
the Lord. Please contact 087 4129805 if you would like
to volunteer just one hour a week each Wednesday.

Ash Wednesday is on March 2nd and there will be Mass
and distribution of ashes at 10am in St. Joseph's Church
Tuamgraney and also at 10am in St. Molua's Ogonnelloe.
On **St. Patrick's Day**, Thursday March 17th, there will be
Mass in Bodyke Church at 10am and also in St Molua's
Ogonnelloe at 10am.



PARISH NOTES



Universal Synod – Online Survey

Pope Francis wants to hear from the whole Church
about what is happening in local parishes. He and
the bishops would like to know what individuals
think we should all be doing to help make our
parishes better.

The way he has proposed doing this is a synodal
process. Synod means "journeying together" and it
involves listening to the Holy Spirit and to each
other to discern the path we are called to walk
together. The synod "is intended to inspire people
to dream about the Church we are called to be, to
make people's hopes flourish, to stimulate trust, to
bind up wounds, to weave new and deeper
relationships, to learn from one another, to build
bridges, to enlighten minds, warm hearts, and
restore strength to our hands for our common
mission." You can take part in the online survey by
using the link below:

<https://www.killaloediocese.ie/synod-keyqs/>

If you would like to learn more about the synod
there are information leaflets available at the back
of both churches.

Saints / Feast Days this week

- Monday 14th: St Valentine
Ss Cyril & Methodius - Patrons of Europe.
- Thursday 17th: St Fintan
Flight into Egypt.

Collection Envelopes

There are still a number of new boxes of envelopes for collection in both churches. Your numbers have been changed so the boxes are arranged with parishioner surnames in alphabetical order. When collecting your own box you might wish to collect the box for your neighbour or for someone that you meet regularly. If you cannot find your own box that may be because we still have it in the office or because we missed out on some names during the reallocation of numbers. In either case please call Noreen in the parish office and please also advise Noreen if you would like to receive a box of envelopes for the first time.

Welcome to God's Family



The Christian Community welcomes with joy **Seán Joseph Joyce** who was baptised last weekend. We pray for him and his family as he begins his journey of faith.

GAA Fundraiser: Bodyke GAA Club are having a **Last Man Standing** competition starting this weekend. There is a link for same on their Facebook page or entry can be made by payment to Seán Doyle, Frank O'Meara or Kevin O'Brien. The cost is €10. All support will be greatly appreciated.

Dates for the Celebration of the Sacraments 2022 are as follows:

- **Confirmation** - Saturday March 26th at 11.00am in Bodyke Church;
- **First Reconciliation** - Wednesday April 6th at 7.00pm in Tuamgraney Church;
- **First Holy Communion** - Saturday May 21st at 11.00am in Bodyke Church.

Although restrictions have been eased significantly we would still ask you to respect the following guidelines for attending Mass and other services in the parish:

- Facemasks to be worn in church during Mass and other services.
 - Please maintain adequate social distancing.
 - Please sanitise your hands when entering church.
 - Holy Communion should only be received in the hand.
 - Please help to sanitise the church, wiping the seats after Mass or after a personal visit.
 - Please take your newsletter home with you after Mass - do not leave it on your seat!
- Thank you for your cooperation.



Bodyke GAA Lotto is now online at www.klubfunder.com/Clubs/bodykegaa/lotto. There was no Jackpot winner of the February 7th draw. €25 winners were Mary Margaret Fahy, David Murray, John & Ann O'Grady, Olive Walsh. The next draw is on Monday 21st February at 9pm. Please note the cut off time for purchasing online lotto tickets is 10pm on Sunday 20th February. Any lotto tickets purchased online after this cut off time will be entered into the next draw. Thank you for your continued support.

Clare MABS: Are you struggling to make ends meet? Are you worried about money you owe to money lenders, credit cards, banks and mortgage lenders? For free, confidential and independent advice please contact the Clare Money Advice and Budgeting Service on 0818 072 430, or email us at ennis@mabs.ie

St. Patrick's Day Parade

The Scariff St. Patrick's Day Parade returns this year after a two year absence due to Covid-19. The parade, the 33rd, will commence in Tuamgraney at 3pm on Thursday March 17th and wind its way through Drewsboro and up the hill of Scariff to the viewing stand. Start preparing now by deciding on themes and organising your business or group float or walking group.

Irish Red Cross Clare Area have a community support vehicle available for patient transport, a mobile first aid station and other humanitarian services. We always have opportunities for volunteers e.g. community driver, community care. To enquire about our services or the recruitment process contact the Clare Community Officer by phone or text on 086 8323456 or send an email to Treasure.Clare@irishredcross.com

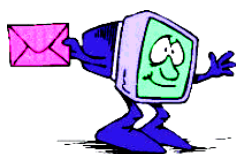
*Happy Valentine's Day
to everyone on Monday 14th!*



Reflection

A prayer for the end of the day

*Grant, O Lord, that each day before
we enter the little death of sleep,
we may undergo the little judgement of the past day,
so that every wrong deed may be forgiven
and every unholy thought set right.
Let nothing go down into the depths of our being
which has not been forgiven and sanctified.
Then we shall be ready
for our final birth into eternity,
and look forward with love and hope
to standing before you,
who art both judge and saviour,
holy judge and loving saviour.*



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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