



# Bodyke and Tuamgraney Parish News



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## MASS TIMES

<b>Saturday Vigil</b>	Tuamgraney	6.30pm
<b>Sunday Morning</b>	Bodyke	9.30am
<b>Wednesday</b>	Tuamgraney	10.00am
<b>Friday</b>	Bodyke	10.00am

5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

6th February 2022

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## THIS WEEK'S MASSES & ANNIVERSARIES

### Tuamgraney - St. Joseph's Church

Saturday 5th February 6.30pm Pat Quinn - 1st Anniversary  
 Wednesday 9th February 10.00am Mass  
 Saturday 12th February 6.30pm Michael Ryan

### Bodyke - Church of the Assumption

Sunday 6th February 9.30am Micheál O'Grady  
 Mary & James Bolton  
 Eamonn McKenna  
 Friday 11th February 10.00am Mass  
 Sunday 13th February 9.30am Marian Hogan, Michael Hogan  
 Marie Molloy  
 Sunday 13th February 1.00pm Padraic Burke - Memorial Mass

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 30th January  
 €528.80

*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 •

**12th/13th February 2022  
 (6th Sunday in Ordinary Time)**

### Tuamgraney

*Reader:* Susan Harrington  
*Eucharist:* Gerardine Campion



### Bodyke

*Reader:* Marese Tuohy  
*Eucharist:* Jo McGrath



**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 on hygiene and numbers  
 of people in church must be observed at all times.*



We extend our sincere sympathy to  
 Maeve Moloney & family, Raheen  
 Road, on the death of her stepmother,  
 Ann O'Callaghan, Scariff and to Ailish  
 McElroy and family, Bodyke, on the  
 death of her father, Philip, Rathfarnham Dublin.  
 May they rest in peace.



## PARISH NOTES



### Collection Envelopes

The new boxes of envelopes are now available in  
 both churches. Your numbers have been changed  
 so the boxes are arranged with parishioner  
 surnames in alphabetical order. When collection  
 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.

The Diocesan Sacramental Group has organised two  
 webinars for parents/guardians of confirmation  
 candidates on Monday February 7th at 6.45pm and  
 8.15pm. The parents will be contacted via the schools  
 with details on how to register.



The **Bishops Conference & Commissions**  
 envelope collection will be taken up at Masses  
 this weekend or can be dropped in to the parish office.

### Saints / Feast Days this week

- Monday 7th: St Mel of Ardagh.
- Tuesday 8th: St Jerome Emiliani  
St Josephine Bakhita of Sudan  
Day of Prayer & Awareness  
against Human Trafficking.
- Thursday 10th: St Scholastica.
- Friday 11th: Our Lady of Lourdes  
St Gobnait  
World Day of the Sick.

### Important Dates

**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.

### Novena to Our Lady of Lourdes

The Killaloe Diocesan Pilgrimage Committee have organised a Novena to Our Lady of Lourdes live from the Cathedral in Ennis, starting Thursday 3rd and concluding on Friday 11th February, Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes and World Day of Prayer for the Sick. The novena can be viewed each evening at 7.30pm on [www.ennisparish.com](http://www.ennisparish.com)

It is hoped to have two pilgrimages to Lourdes from Shannon Airport - on 28th June and 2nd October. The pilgrimages this year will not be able to accommodate sick or assisted pilgrims given the continued presence of Covid 19. More details later.

### 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](http://www.klubfunder.com/Clubs/bodykegaa/lotto)  
The next draw is on Monday 7th February at 9pm. Please note the cut off time for purchasing online lotto tickets is 10pm on Sunday 6th 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](mailto:ennis@mabs.ie)

### COVID-19 Support Line for Older People

**ALONE** manage a national support line and additional supports for older people who have concerns or are facing difficulties relating to COVID-19. If you or someone you know needs support please call our National Support and Referral Line on 0818 222 024 from 8am to 8pm, seven days a week. ALONE operates 365 days a year so we will be there to take your call when you need us most. *Would you be willing to provide companionship to an older person locally? ALONE are seeking volunteers in your area. Full training and support provided. If interested please contact Karen on [karen.byrne@alone.ie](mailto:karen.byrne@alone.ie) or on 086 0576401.*



**TDA Lotto Draw:** Congratulations to Mary & Noreen Rouine, our January winners of €200. Winning bonus number was 46. The next draw will be on February 26th. Thank you for your continued support.

## 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.*

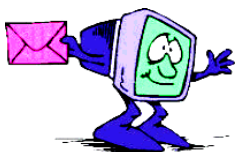
*And as we let our own light shine,*

*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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