



# 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

25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

18th September 2022

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## THIS WEEK'S MASSES & ANNIVERSARIES

### Tuamgraney - St. Joseph's Church

Saturday 17th September 6.30pm Annie & Paddy Ryan

Wednesday 21st September 10.00am Mass

Saturday 24th September 6.30pm Ettie O'Brien

### Bodyke - Church of the Assumption

Sunday 18th September 9.30am Joe McGrath, Annaghneal

Friday 23rd September 10.00am Mass

Sunday 25th September 9.30am Mass

*Archbishop Eugene Nugent has returned to the parish for a short visit and will be saying 10am Mass in Tuamgraney each weekday morning next week.*

The Parish Office is located in the  
**TUAMGRANEY PARISH HOUSE**

Opening hours next week:

- Tuesday 20th - 9am to 12.30pm
- Friday 23rd - 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 11th September

€433.51

*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 •

**24th/25th September 2022**  
(26th Sunday in Ordinary Time)

### Tuamgraney

*Reader:* Teresa Browne

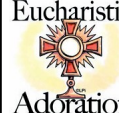
*Eucharist:* Damien Nash


### Bodyke

*Reader:* Sarah Wiley

*Eucharist:* Biddy Hogan



 **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. If you would like to volunteer one hour a week each Wednesday to adore the Lord please contact 087 4129805.

 The **Killaloe Priests' Benevolent Fund** envelope collection will be taken up at masses this weekend - September 17th/18th. Envelopes can also be dropped into the Tuamgraney Parish Office.

Bottles of **Holy Water** available in the parish office Tuamgraney.



## PARISH NOTES



### New Ministries

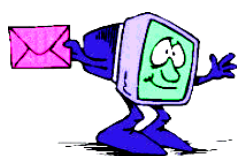
In accordance with the Diocesan plan for the future, new ministries in the areas of Pastoral Care and Catechetics and Faith Formation have been developed and new volunteer ministers trained and commissioned. The new ministers will be based in pastoral areas. For the Inis Cealtra Pastoral Area, Michael Daly of Feakle will work in the area of Pastoral Care. Michael will introduce himself briefly at weekend Masses in Bodyke, Tuamgraney and Ogonnelloe this weekend, September 17th and 18th, and explain how he understands his role as Pastoral Minister.



Please pray for the happy repose of the soul of Tom Crowe, late of Kilnoe, who died last week at his home in Cork. We extend our sympathy to his wife, Una, to his daughters and to his O'Donoghue and Lahiff cousins. May he rest in peace.

**Please note:** There will be a change to Parish Office Opening Hours for next week only - see panel above for details.

<p align="center"><b>Saints / Feast Days this week</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Monday 19th: St. Januarius.</li> <li>• Tuesday 20th: Ss Andrew Kin Tae-gön, Paul Chöng Ha-sang and Korean Martyrs.</li> <li>• Wednesday 21st: St. Matthew, Apostle &amp; Evangelist.</li> <li>• Friday 23rd: St. Eunan (Adomnan); St. Pius of Pietrelcina (Padre Pio).</li> <li>• Saturday 24th: Our Lady of Walsingham.</li> </ul>	<p>Viatores Christi, a faith-based development organisation has specialised in the recruitment, training and deployment of overseas volunteers since 1960. VC runs an online volunteer preparation course covering Community Development, Health, Global Awareness, Mission, etc. This is open to all! Once completed, participants can be considered for volunteer roles through VC volunteer programmes. <u>This will also suit those working on Ireland based community projects.</u> If you want to know more please visit the News section of our website <a href="http://www.vcvolunteers.ie">www.vcvolunteers.ie</a> or email <a href="mailto:venture@viatoreschristi.com">venture@viatoreschristi.com</a></p> <p>Volunteers Training Course Starts Saturday 24th September.</p>
 <p>An information session relating to the new <b>Adult Safeguarding Policy (Adults at Risk of Abuse)</b> will take place in the Woodstock Hotel Ennis on Saturday October 22nd from 11am to 1pm. The information session will be for priests, safeguarding representatives, eucharistic ministers, funeral / bereavement teams and those who minister to adults. Please note the numbers are limited so early booking is recommended. <b>Booking forms are available at the back of the church or from the parish office.</b></p>	<p align="center"><b>Therapy with Play Intervention for Children</b></p> <p>On Saturday 24th September at 11am, <b>Scariff Library</b> will facilitate a <b>Creative Play Therapy</b> taster class for children. Join Play Therapist, Dipankar Biswas, who will use the therapeutic powers of play to facilitate communication through self-expression, foster emotional wellness through emotional management, increase personal strength through creative problem solving and enhance social relationships. This 2 hour workshop is suitable for 5 to 8 year olds. Free event. Places are limited so booking is essential. Contact Scariff Library on 061 922893 or email <a href="mailto:scariff@clarelibrary.ie">scariff@clarelibrary.ie</a></p>
 <p>Bodyke GAA Lotto is now online at <a href="http://www.klubfunder.com/Clubs/bodykegaa/lotto">www.klubfunder.com/Clubs/bodykegaa/lotto</a> There was no Jackpot winner of the September 5th draw. The next draw is on Monday 19th September at 8.45pm. Please note the cut off time for purchasing online lotto tickets is 9.45pm on Sunday 18th September. Any lotto tickets purchased online after this cut off time will be entered into the next draw. Thank you for your continued support.</p>	<p><b>Affordable Live-in Homecare</b> provides live-in carers for the elderly in your area. If you are looking for a live-in carer for your relative, please call Eileen or Tom today on 087 991 6791 or 087 744 0729. Our website is <a href="http://www.alhomecare.ie">www.alhomecare.ie</a></p>
<p>Are you struggling to make ends meet? Are you worried about money you owe to lenders, credit cards, banks and mortgage lenders? For free, confidential and independent advice please contact the <b>Clare MABS</b> on 0761 072430 or email us at <a href="mailto:ennis@mabs.ie">ennis@mabs.ie</a></p>	<p>Part Time Single Subject Leaving Certificate options (Maths, Geography, English, History) are available at the College of Further Education and Training Scariff and Ennis Campus. For further details contact Mike on 065 - 6897644.</p>
<p><b>TFI Local Link Bus Route C1</b> to Ennis has pick up points at Niland's Shop Tuamgraney and at Bodyke Church. Copies of the timetable available locally.</p>	<p align="center"><i>Reflection</i></p> <p><b>Being with Christ</b>          Jesus says: <i>'Whoever is not with me is against me; and whoever does not gather with me scatters.'</i>          I sometimes feel that my life is like scrubland, halfway between garden and desert.          I sometimes feel that I live in a world of twilight, halfway between day and night.          I sometimes feel like lukewarm water, halfway between hot and cold.          I sometimes feel that I am in a state of indifference, halfway between love and hate.          I sometimes feel I am trudging along a safe little path, halfway between good and evil.          Lord, save me from the illusion that because I am not against you, I am therefore for you.          Above all, save me from being neutral.</p>
<p><b>Scariff ICA:</b> Come along and join Scariff ICA guild for an evening of chat, fun, laughter, learning and sharing of ideas. We will meet in the College of Further Education &amp; Training in Drewsboro at 7pm on Monday 19th September. New members are always welcome. Any queries contact Joanne Allen on 086 - 8177649.</p>	
<p>Céilí at Cois na hAbhna Ennis on this Sunday, September 18th, from 3pm to 6pm with The Five Counties Céili Band. Set Dancing for Adult Beginners at Cois na hAbhna starting on Monday September 26th at 8.30pm. Phone 065 6824276 for more information.</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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