



Bodyke and Tuamgraney Parish News



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| MASS TIMES | | |
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| Saturday Vigil | Tuamgraney | 6.30pm |
| Sunday Morning | Bodyke | 9.30am |
| Wednesday | Tuamgraney | 10.00am |
| Friday | Bodyke | 10.00am |
| Saturday | Raheen Hospital | 2.15pm |
| Wednesday | Raheen Hospital | 10.45am |

32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

12th November 2023

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THIS WEEK'S MASSES & ANNIVERSARIES

Tuamgraney - St. Joseph's Church

Saturday 11th November 6.30pm Marie O'Meara - 1st Anniversary
 Frank O'Meara
 Helen O'Meara-Stafford
 Mary Quigley

Wednesday 15th November 10.00am Mass

Saturday 18th November 6.30pm Nellie & Patrick McNamara

Bodyke - Church of the Assumption

Sunday 12th November 9.30am Helen McKenna
 Tom Joe O'Dwyer

Friday 17th November 10.00am Mass

Sunday 19th November 9.30am Matt & Kathleen Tuohy
 Sonny & May McGrath
 Sr. Joan McGrath

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 5th November
 €865.04

*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 •

18th/19th November 2023
(33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time)

Tuamgraney

Reader: Susan Harrington
Eucharist: Gerardine Campion

Bodyke

Reader: Teresa Kennedy
Eucharist: Bernie Moreau



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.

The **Senior's Christmas Party** will take place on Sunday
 December 10th in the Cobbler's Rest Bodyke - gather at
 1pm. Dinner, music and dancing. If you wish to attend
 please ring the parish office on Tuesday or Thursday
 between the hours of 9am and 12.30pm. All are welcome
 and please bring a friend if you wish. It is very important to
 contact the parish office to book your place and also to
 inform us if you are bringing someone with you as we need
 to know how many will attend so no one will be
 disappointed on the day.

PARISH NOTES



Current Inis Cealtra Area Weekend Mass Times

Vigil (Saturday)

Tuamgraney 6.30pm
 Mountshannon 7pm
 Kilclaren (Feakle) 7pm
 Flagmount 6pm
 Scariff 8pm
 St Molua's Ogonnelloe 8pm

Sunday Morning

Clonusker (Scariff) 9am
 Bodyke 9.30am
 Feakle 10am
 Killanena 10am
 St Mary's Ogonnelloe 11am
 Whitegate 11.00am
 Scariff 11.00am

CHY3 Forms: Sincere thanks to every parishioner
 who has signed and returned the new tax rebate
 form sent to them recently. We still have a few
 outstanding and it would be great if these could be
 completed and returned as soon as possible.



We extend our sincere sympathy to Frances
 O'Neill and family on the recent death of her
 brother Josie Moloney, Ennis. May he rest in
 peace.

*"Inspiration is important in life.
 It gives us the edge and the drive to go beyond
 the ordinary and challenge the limits."
 THINK ABOUT IT!*

Saints / Feast Days this week

- Tuesday 14th: St Laurence O'Toole
- Wednesday 15th: St Albert the Great
- Thursday 16th: St Gertrude;
St Margaret of Scotland
- Friday 17th: St Elizabeth of Hungary
- Saturday 18th: Dedication of the Basilicas of
Ss Peter & Paul.

The **Remembrance Mass** will take place on Friday November 24th at 7.30pm in Bodyke Church. People from the parish who have died in the last twelve months will be remembered and we will also remember relatives of parishioners who have died elsewhere since last November. We would ask parishioners to inform us of close relatives who have died elsewhere in the past year.

You are invited to put the names of your deceased loved ones on the leaves provided and hang them on the **Remembrance Trees** in both churches. This is a reminder to all of us to remember and pray for the deceased at this very special time of year.

Blessing of the Graves will take place on this Sunday, November 12th, as follows:

- Bodyke Church Grounds - after 9.30am Mass
- Kilnoe Cemetery - 12 noon
- St. Coolan's Cemetery - 12.30pm
- St. Cronan's Cemetery - 12.50pm

Please note change of times!

A big 'thank you' to the wonderful ladies who cleaned Tuamgraney Church during the week. Great work was done on the night and may the Lord reward you all. Not forgetting the one man who came also to do some small jobs in the church!

Two families in the area (who wish to remain anonymous) have donated a beautiful Holy Water dispenser to St. Joseph's Church, Tuamgraney. It is placed at the rear of the church. We greatly appreciate their generosity and ask you to pray for their special intentions at this time.

Fr Jackie is still looking for watches to take to Gambia on November 19th. If anyone has watches to donate please hand them in to Noreen in the parish office.

COFFEE MORNING FOR GAZA

Funds collected will go to the humanitarian crisis in Gaza through the Red Cross/Palestine Red Crescent Society



FRIDAY 17TH NOVEMBER
10AM TO 1PM
MARKET HOUSE,
SCARRIFF,
CO. CLARE



Contact Carol on
087 289 2154
to get involved



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

The next draw is on Monday November 13th at 9pm. **The jackpot is €12,000.** Please note the cut off time for purchasing online lotto tickets is 10pm on Sunday November 12th.

Congratulations to Séamus Quigley and Oisín Slattery, former Bodyke players, on winning the Warwickshire Senior Hurling Championship Final 2023

Scariff Bay Radio is running a fundraising raffle. Tickets at €5 each available in Joey Kavanagh Butchers and Rodgers Off Licence or from any of the SBCR Volunteers. Draw will take place on December 16th.

Scariff Parish Annual Visitation and Blessing of Graves will take place after 11am Mass on Sunday 19th November. New Graveyard Carrowmore at 11.45am and Old Graveyard Moynoe at 12.15pm approximately.

Bodyke Annual Festival committee are hosting a family Table Quiz in the Cobbler's Rest on Sunday 19th November commencing at 3pm. Teams of 4 and the cost is €20 per team. There will be a raffle and refreshments and after the quiz there will be a magic show for the children. It promises to be a fun afternoon and all support will be greatly appreciated.

Raheen Community Nursing Unit & Day Centre Christmas Fair is on Saturday 18th November from 11am to 2pm. Anyone who would like to donate items are more than welcome. Donations accepted up until Friday 17th November. Items accepted: home baking, nearly new clothes, gift sets, jewellery, handbags and raffle prizes. All donations accepted.

Training for Altar Servers will take place on Tuesday November 21st at 7.30pm in Bodyke Church. In line with Child Safety requirements it would be very important for some parents to also attend.

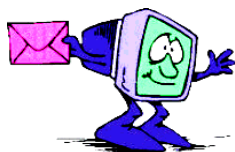
The Diocese of Killaloe is marking this Sunday, November 12th, as Prisoner Sunday. We invite you to recite the prayer below for prisoners, their families and their victims. Pope Francis asks us as Christians to reach out to those who live on the margins of society.

Prayer for Prisoners

*We pray your grace Lord Jesus
for prisoners and their families,
who walk their sentence
with their loved one.*

*We pray your healing Lord for
the trauma that has caused them
to hurt themselves, their families,
and their victims.*

*We pray they will turn to You
and begin their journey of
recovery, finding compassionate
support in our Christian society.
Jesus, we trust in you. Amen.*



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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