



Bodyke and Tuamgraney Parish News



He is Risen!

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MASS TIMES		
Saturday Vigil	Tuamgraney	6.30pm
Sunday Morning	Bodyke	9.30am
Wednesday	Tuamgraney	10.00am
Friday	Bodyke	10.00am
Saturday	Raheen Hospital	2.00pm
Wednesday	Raheen Hospital	10.45am

3rd Sunday of Easter

14th April 2024

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THIS WEEK'S MASSES & ANNIVERSARIES

Tuamgraney - St. Joseph's Church

Saturday 13th April 6.30pm Anna Walsh - 1st Anniversary
 Dermot & Jerry Walsh
 Maureen Pearl

Wednesday 17th April 10.00am Mass

Saturday 20th April 6.30pm Pakie Moloney
 Ann O'Callaghan

Bodyke - Church of the Assumption

Sunday 14th April 9.30am Pat McKenna

Friday 19th April 10.00am Mass

Sunday 21st April 9.30am Jimmy & Seamus Healy

*"Those we love don't go away, they walk beside us every day.
 Unseen, unheard, but always near,
 still loved, still missed, and held so dear".*

Our Bodyke & Tuamgraney Parish Child Protection Representatives can be contacted through the Parish Office

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 7th April
 €534.39

Thank you for your continued kind and generous support.

Lay Ministers

**20th/21st April 2024
 (4th Sunday of Easter)**

Tuamgraney

Reader: Damian Heaney

Eucharist: Damian Heaney

Bodyke

Reader: Philip Moreau

Eucharist: Biddy Hogan



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.

Webcam service is now operational in the parish. Weekend Masses, Holy Day Masses and Funerals will be broadcast. Other services may be broadcast from time to time. You can access the service at:

<https://www.churchcamlive.ie/bodyke-tuamgraney> or click on the link on our parish website

*"It is how you deal with failure that determines how you deal with success".
 THINK ABOUT IT!*

PARISH NOTES



Current Inis Cealtra Area Weekend Mass Times

Vigil (Saturday)

Tuamgraney 6.30pm

Mounthannon 7pm

Kilclaren (Feakle) 7pm

Killanena 6pm

Scariff 8pm

St Mary's Ogonnelloe 8pm

Sunday Morning

Clonusker (Scariff) 9am

Bodyke 9.30am

Feakle 10am

Flagmount 10am

St Molua's Ogonnelloe 11am

Whitegate 11.00am

Scariff 11.00am



The Lough Derg Pilgrimage Season begins in the month of May and continues through to September. There are posters in each church with details. Check out www.loughderg.org




The **Education Fund** envelope collection will be taken up at Masses next weekend - April 20th/21st.

Welcome to God's Family



The Christian Community welcomes with joy Jordan Elliot Blake who was baptised last weekend. We pray for him and his family as he begins his journey of faith.

<p align="center">Saints / Feast Days this week</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tuesday 16th: St Bernadette of Lourdes • Thursday 18th: St Laserian (Molaise). 	 <p>Bodyke GAA Lotto is now online at www.klubfunder.com/Clubs/bodykegaa/lotto There was no Jackpot winner of the April 1st draw. The next draw is on Monday April 15th at 8pm. The jackpot is €13,100. Please note the cut off time for purchasing online lotto tickets is 9pm on Sunday April 14th. Any lotto tickets purchased online after this time will be entered into the next draw.</p>
<p align="center">Tuamgraney Development Association Spring Clean Up</p> <p>TDA are holding their spring clean-up on Saturday April 27th. Meeting up at the Memorial Park at 10am. All are welcome. Please wear high vis jacket.</p>	<p>Raheen Day Centre welcomes new referrals at any time. If you or someone you know would like to avail of this service where you can meet people, avail of hairdressing, chiropody, music sessions, advocacy support and a hot meal please call Louise on 061-923215 for further information.</p>
<p>St. Cronan's 10th Century Church in Tuamgraney is now open to visitors until the end of September. There is a free 6 minute audio visual presentation to view by just clicking a button inside the door. Donations towards the upkeep of the church are very welcome. All are welcome to visit this historic building in Tuamgraney Village.</p>	<p>Ogonnelloe Exchange café is open on Saturday's from 10:30 am to 1pm. All are welcome .</p>
<p align="center">Killaloe Diocese Pilgrimage to Lourdes</p> <p>Bishop Fintan will lead the Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes from Shannon Airport from Friday 21st June to Wednesday 26th, costing €899 pps including flight, airport transfers, airport and sanctuary taxes, full board with three meals each day. For more information and booking please contact Joe Walsh Tours 01-2410800 or email joewalstours.ie There will be 24 places reserved for assisted pilgrims who will be cared for in the Accueil Norte Dame with medical and caring assistance. Cost €750. To reserve a place in this section please contact Fr Tom Ryan, Pilgrimage Director on 087 2349816.</p>	<p align="center">Would like someone to talk to?</p> <p>SeniorLine is Ireland's national telephone service for older people and is open every day of the year from 10am to 10pm. Freephone 1800 80 45 91. Callers may feel isolated, alone, wish to discuss a problem in confidence or for company during their day. SeniorLine's older volunteers are trained to listen, to support, to discuss options and to refer caller to other helpful services if necessary. So don't be alone if sharing a problem would help. Phone SeniorLine 1800 80 45 91.</p>
<p align="center">Bodyke Festival</p> <p>Bodyke Annual Festival will take place on the May Bank Holiday weekend with a very busy and varied programme of events for all age groups. This year most of the events will take place in the Marquee and you can check out all the events on the social media page.</p>	<p>Hospital Visits: If anyone has family members in hospitals in the region at present and would like them to receive a visit from the priest please call Kieran on 087 9302214 or the parish office on 087 1498763.</p>
<p>Congratulations to Seán Óg Kilkenny who was on the Clare Minor team that recently defeated Waterford in the Munster Minor Hurling Championship game played in Cusack Park. Their next match will be against Limerick in Sixmilebridge on April 18th.</p>	<p align="center">Money Advice and Budgeting Service</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 Clare MABS on 0761 072430 or email us at ennis@mabs.ie</p>
<p>Tuamgraney National School have organised a clothing collection for Tuesday April 16th. There will be a covered trailer in the set down area outside the school gates. Your support would be greatly appreciated.</p>	<p align="center"><i>Reflection</i></p> <p>The wounds of love <i>Those who care about others pick up a lot of wounds. There may be no great wounds, only a multiplicity of little ones, a host of scratches, wrinkles and welts. But there can also be a lot of invisible wounds: the furrows left on the mind and the heart by hardship, worry and anxiety, disappointments, ingratitude and betrayal. These wounds are not things to be ashamed of. They are badges of honour. They are the proof of our love. Jesus didn't hide his wounds. Neither should we. By his wounds we are healed.</i></p>
<p>Grow Mental Health - Friendly Community based groups for anyone experiencing mental health issue through 12 Step Program of connection, hope, identity by empowering people to nurture their positive wellbeing by supporting personal growth through education, peer support and self-teaching. Ennis Meeting in the Maria Assumpta Hall. Monday 8-10pm. Contact Celia 086-1526966/Www.grow.ie</p>	
<p>TFI Local Link Bus Route 342 to Ennis has pick up points at former Niland's Shop Tuamgraney, Woollen Mills and opposite the Cobbler's Rest Bodyke. Copies of the timetable available locally.</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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