



Bodyke and Tuamgraney Parish News



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MASS TIMES - July 2025

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| Sunday | Bodyke | 9.30am |
| Wednesday | Tuamgraney | 10.00am |
| Friday | Bodyke | 10.00am |
| Saturday | Raheen Hospital | 2.00pm |
| Wednesday | Raheen Hospital | 10.45am |

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17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

27th July 2025

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THIS WEEK'S MASSES & ANNIVERSARIES

Bodyke - Church of the Assumption

Sunday 27th July 9.30am Micheál Hogan
Margaret Hogan
Seamus Molloy
Mary & Jimmy Melody
Friday 1st August 10.00am John and Nora Hamilton

Tuamgraney - St. Joseph's Church

Wednesday 30th July 10.00am Mass
Saturday 2nd August 6.30pm Des Hassett and Esther Hassett



*"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 20th July

€743.10

*Thank you for your continued
kind and generous support.*


• Lay Ministers •

18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Tuamgraney, Saturday August 2nd 6.30pm

Reader: Rosetta Whyte

Eucharist: Liam Whyte

 **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.
*Eucharistic Adoration in Tuamgraney Church takes
place in the room space near the sacristy.*

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

St. Cronan's 10th Century Church in Tuamgraney is
now open to visitors from 10am to 5pm daily until the
end of September. There is a free 6 minute audio visual
presentation to view by just clicking a button inside the
door. All are welcome to visit this historic building.



PARISH NOTES



Inis Cealtra Area Weekend Mass Times August 2025

Vigil (Saturday)

Tuamgraney 6.30pm
Mountshannon 7pm
St Molua's Ogonnelloe 8pm

Sunday Morning

Clonusker (Scariff) 9am
Killanena 9.30am
Feakle 10am
Scariff 11am

Inis Cealtra Area Weekend Mass Times September 2025

Vigil (Saturday)

Scariff 6.30pm
Kilclaren 7pm

Sunday Morning

Bodyke 9.30am
Flagmount 9.30am
Scariff 11am
St Mary's Ogonnelloe 11am
Whitegate 10am

*"Expect the best;
turn problems into opportunities".
THINK ABOUT IT!*

Bodyke Tidy Towns meet each Tuesday evening at 7pm
for our weekly clean up. Watering flower pots, hanging
baskets, weeding, sweeping, painting etc. If you can
spare an hour it would be greatly appreciated.

Saints / Feast Days this week

- Monday 28th: St Victor I, Pope
- Tuesday 29th: Ss Martha, Mary & Lazarus
- Wednesday 30th: St Peter Chrysologus
- Thursday 31st: St Ignatius of Loyola
- Friday 1st: St Alphonsus Liguori
- Saturday 2nd: St Eusebius of Vercelli;
St Peter Julian Eymard.

Garden Gathering for Gaza

East Clare for Palestine and The People of Clare Against Genocide are holding a fundraising event on Sunday 3rd August from 12pm to 4pm in McNamara's garden, beside Scariff Harbour, Dock Road, Scariff V94 VXX0. The gathering is a solidarity event to raise funds for families in Gaza who are severely impacted by the ongoing genocide. Funds raised will be used directly to alleviate suffering and to promote survival through distribution of food and water there, in association with Gaza go Bragh and through local networks in Gaza. There will be stalls and entertainment. Palestinian, Syrian, Spanish and Irish food and refreshments will be available, books and bric a brac, toys and games stalls, face painting, raffle and an energy healing corner. A stand will be hosted by local activists providing information on how people can help show support for Palestine, with merchandise for sale. The highlight of the afternoon will be 'Poems for Palestine' at 3pm. Local and national poets will read specially commissioned poems in an open mic setting in a show of cultural solidarity. Donations of cakes, unwanted gifts, raffle prizes, books, toys and games in good condition are welcome. Please contact Carol McNamara 087 2892154.



Bodyke GAA Lotto is now online at www.klubfunder.com/Clubs/bodykegaa/lotto. There was no Jackpot winner of the July 21st draw. Counties drawn: Donegal, Kildare, Louth, Mayo. €50 winner is Patsy Slattery. €30 winners are Ian Walsh, Jimmy Walsh, Tony Skehan. The next draw is on Tuesday August 5th in The Cobbler's Rest Bodyke. **The jackpot is €16,500.** See https://www.klubfunder.com/Clubs/Bodyke_GAA/lotto for tickets. Thank you for your continued support.

There will be a Day Pilgrimage to "God's Cottage and Prayer Centre" Glendalough from Ennis on Sunday August 24th. Day includes bus departing beside Ennis Cathedral at 7.30am (and also Applegreen Junction 27 off Motorway). Prayer, Praying the Psalms, Mass, Guided Walk and talk by Fr. Thady Doyle. Cost of Bus return €45. Booking, payment and further information from Frank (087) 9652864.



Clare Suicide Bereavement Support befriends and supports individuals, families and communities who are bereaved by suicide. We are a group of fully-trained volunteers providing confidential emotional support to individuals, families and communities throughout Co. Clare, who are grieving the loss of someone they loved through suicide. We befriend, listen, support and care – providing a service that is free of charge. Contact details: 086 056 5373 / 087 369 8315. Innovation House, Roslevan Centre, Tulla Road, Ennis.

The annual Step by Step to Feed the Next Child - Mary's Meals Walk from Limerick to Knock Shrine will arrive in Killaloe from Limerick on Thursday 7th August, leaving on the morning of 8th for Feakle. Walkers will travel from 7 different locations across Ireland from the 7th August, all meeting in Knock on Friday 15th August. Mary's Meals is a simple solution to world hunger, feeding hungry children in their place of education in 16 of the world's poorest countries. €22 will feed a child for an entire school year. Please go to marysmeals.ie to learn more and support this amazing charity. Any donation, big or small, is very welcome.

Reflection

Ask, seek, knock

Jesus urges us to ask, seek, and knock.

This means our faith has to be an active one.

However, sometimes we are too proud to ask, so we don't receive; we are too lazy to seek, so we don't find; and we are too timid to knock, so the door doesn't open to us.

We mustn't wait for things to happen, or to fall into our hands.

We must be humble and trustful, yet bold and energetic, if we are to receive good things from our Father in heaven.



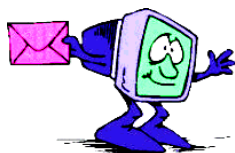
31st July - 3rd August 2025

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| • The Fureys | • Walks |
| • Blue Road - Edna O'Brien | • History |
| • Ronan Collins Showband Hits | • Cooking Demonstrations |
| • Grogan Brothers | • Kids entertainment |
| • Mack Fleetwood | • Arts & Crafts and more... |



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Ronan Collins Showband Hits & Stories in Sacred Heart Church, Scariff on Thursday July 31st at 8pm. With his knowledge of the showbands and stars and songs of that golden era, Ronan will sing the hits and tell the stories from an amazing time in Irish life, accompanied by Karen Black and the Sugarcubes Showband. Tickets €25. Limited space, tickets can be purchased at O'Meara's Totalhealth Pharmacy (061 921 028) or online at www.scariffharbourfestival.ie



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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