



Bodyke and Tuamgraney Parish News



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MASS TIMES - September 2025		
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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The Exaltation of the Holy Cross

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THIS WEEK'S MASSES & ANNIVERSARIES

Bodyke - Church of the Assumption

Sunday 14th September 9.30am Moira & Christy Hannon.
Michael & Kit Murphy.
Christopher & Maura Brady and
deceased members of Brady family
Friday 19th September 10.00am Mass
Sunday 21st September 9.30am Mary, Jimmy, Patsy & Seamus Healy

Tuamgraney - St. Joseph's Church

Wednesday 17th September 7.30pm Alex Lahiff - Memorial Mass

Please note: There will be no 10am mass in Tuamgraney on Wednesday 17th.

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 September
€549.85

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 •

25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Bodyke, Sunday September 21st 9.30am

Reader: Marese Tuohy

Eucharist: Philip 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.
*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

*"The lessons of the past
provide the path to the future".
THINK ABOUT IT!*

PARISH NOTES

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

Inis Cealtra Area Weekend Mass Times October 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



Please pray for the repose of the soul of Julia
Corbett, Riverview, whose funeral took place
during the week. We extend our sincere sympathy
to her daughters Margaret, Marina, Geraldine & Claire
and to her extended family. May she rest in peace.

There will be a Parish Pastoral Council meeting in the
Parish House, Tuamgraney, on Wednesday September
24th at 8.30pm.

Saints / Feast Days this week

- Monday 15th: Our Lady of Sorrows
- Tuesday 16th: Ss Cornelius, Pope & Cyprian
- Wednesday 17th: St Robert Bellarmine;
St Hildegard of Bingen
- Friday 19th: St Januarius;
Our Lady of La Salette
- Saturday 20th: Ss Andrew Kin Tae-gõn, Paul
Chõng Ha-sang & Korean Martyrs.

Priests' Remuneration Collections 2026

We are presently ordering our boxes of 2026 collection envelopes and these will be available for distribution by mid December. You will find that there are now six priests' collection envelopes in your box instead of the usual five. This change is made at the request of Bishop Fintan Monahan and while it need not result in a change to parishioners' overall total contribution it will ensure that all parishes and pastoral areas are operating a standardised number of collections across the diocese. Bodyke and Tuamgraney Finance Council wishes to thank you for your ongoing generosity and support to the parish.

Stop anger before it stops you

Recognise that you are angry, breathe deeply.

Focus your anger:

get clear what you are angry about

and who you are angry at.

Remember that you are in charge.

Use it, don't be used by it.

You always have options.

Look for the silver lining:

there is a silver lining to every disappointment.

Consider forgiveness: angry and happy don't mix.

Accept that life is not supposed to be fair.

Realise that there is no single way

that life or people are supposed to be.

Jonathan Lockwood Huie

The Triest Community Employment Scheme (sponsored by Brothers of Charity Clare Services) are currently recruiting the following positions in the Clare Services: Support Workers, Cleaners and Art & Craft Assistant. Please contact the local DSP Employment Services/Intreo Office to check your eligibility and to apply for this vacancy or contact Thomas Gilligan at 065-6823123.

Helplines

- Pieta House (24 hours) 1800 247 247
- Childline 1800 66 66
- Grow Mental Health 0818 474 474
- ALONE (for older people) 0818 222 024
- Samaritans 116 123
- St. Vincent de Paul 086 392 1492
- AA 089 2109824 12 pm -10pm daily
- WomensAid Helpline 1800 341900.
- Clare Haven 065 6822435



Bodyke GAA Lotto is now online at www.klubfunder.com/Clubs/bodykegaa/lotto There was no Jackpot winner of the September 2nd draw. The next draw is on September 16th in the Cobbler's Rest. **The jackpot is €16,800.** See https://www.klubfunder.com/Clubs/Bodyke_GAA/lotto for tickets. Thank you for your continued support.

Tulla Comhaltas present a gala concert to celebrate Culture Night with three of Clare's most sought after musicians: Bríd O'Gorman, Joan Hanrahan & Eoin O'Neill at Cnoc Na Gaoithe Tulla on Friday September 19th at 8pm. Fear an Ti Brian Torpey, also musicians and singers from the All Ireland Fleadh and Tulla young set dancers will also be stepping it out. Admission is free with a raffle taking place on the night. At approximately 9.30pm a session will follow with Aisling Hunt, Sinéad Mulqueen, Eabha McInerney and all are welcome to join in or just sit back and listen.

New Jive & Social dance classes starting in Cnoc na Gaoithe Hall, Tulla on Monday 29th September from 7.30. Please Google 'Jive with Senan' for further details.

Scariff Bay Community Radio will be holding their Annual Church Gate Collection in all churches in the East Clare area on Saturday 20th September and Sunday 21st September. Your support would be appreciated.

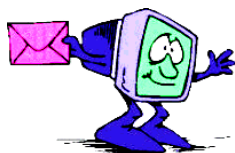
This month's Alzheimer Information Cafe is being held on September 17th in Cuan An Chlair, Cahercalla, from 11.30 to 12.30. Dementia Adviser for Clare will be speaking, providing information and advice on Dementia and local Support services for families and carers. All welcome to join us for tea and a chat afterwards. More information from Samantha Fennell on 087 6985819 or e-mail: samantha.fennell@alzheimer.ie

James Ferns is providing Mobility Movement Balance and Strength Classes for the Senior Community in Cnoc na Gaoithe in Tulla every Monday at 1pm. Each class is €10. For more information call James on 087 7709307.

Reflection

Prayer for the lost lambs

Lord Jesus, we pray for all the sheep that are lost, but our hearts go out especially to the lost lambs. Have mercy on the human wolves who steal, exploit, and sometimes kill the lambs of the Father's flock; help them to see the horror of what they are doing. Comfort the grieving parents who in many cases don't even have the consolation of a burial service. In your merciful love grant that those lambs, though lost here, may be found hereafter. Watch over those who are still straying here below. Guide them along paths that are safe. Send shepherds to look for them. And open the eyes of society so that we may cease to regard property as more important than people. 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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