

BIRTHDAY MASSES:

Ad multos annos!

Weekday Services (12th November – 17th November)

Monday <i>St Josaphat</i>	Morar: 10.15 am
Tuesday	Mallaig: 5.00 pm
Wednesday	<i>no Mass</i>
Thursday	Mallaig: 10:15 am
Friday <i>St Margaret</i>	Morar: 10.15 am
Saturday <i>St Elizabeth of Hungary</i>	Arisaig: 10.15 am

Sunday Masses 17th/18th November (33rd Sunday of the Year - B)

Saturday (Vigil-Mass) 6:00 pm	Morar
Sunday 10:00 am	Arisaig
Sunday 11:30 am	Mallaig

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament / Devotions:

Morar: after Mass on Friday

Sacrament of Reconciliation (unless announced otherwise):

1 st Saturday of the month 10:30 am	Arisaig
3 rd Saturday of the month 5:00 pm.....	Mallaig
2 nd , 4 th , 5 th Saturday of the month 5:00 pm	Morar

Housebound visits this week Morar

COLLECTIONS:

Morar/Mallaig:	
04.11	TOTAL £366 (Gift Aid £218.50)
Pastoral Formation	TOTAL £218 (Gift Aid £57)
Arisaig:	
04.11	TOTAL £232.08(Gift Aid £82.60)
Pastoral Formation	TOTAL £113.94 (Gift Aid £31.65)

ANNIVERSARIES/MM: Mima Gillies (Kinloid) 08.11.2018;
We pray for all our Faithfull departed in the month of November. I would like to encourage you to visit the graveyards and pray for them. An indulgence can be obtained for them this way.

Eternal rest...

PARISH NEWSLETTER

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**Parish of St. Mary’s, Arisaig & St. Donnan’s, Isle of Eigg
Parish of Our Lady of Perpetual Succour & St Cumin’s, Morar;
St. Patrick’s, Mallaig & St. Columba’s, Isle of Canna**

32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time (B)

11th November 2018

R) MY SOUL, GIVE PRAISE TO THE LORD.

Alleluia, alleluia! How happy are the poor in spirit; theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Alleluia!

REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY

Remembrance Sunday, which falls on 11 November in 2018, is a day for the nation to remember and honour those who have sacrificed themselves to secure and protect our freedom.

“They shall grow not old, as we that are left grow old, Age shall not weary them nor the years condemn. At the going down of the sun, and in the morning, we will remember them.”



Remember, O Lord, all those who have died the death of honour and are departed in the hope of resurrection to Eternal Life, especially the Officers, Men and Women of our Sea, Land and Air Forces, to whom it was given to lay down their lives for the cause of Freedom and Justice. In that place of light, where sorrow and mourning are far vanished, give them rest, O Lord, the Lover of Men. Grant this through Christ Our Lord. Amen.

VISITORS: We welcome all the Visitors to our area. Hope you have a nice and pleasant stay. If you like our Parishes, please follow our page on Facebook! We pray for good weather for all our visitors.

SPECIAL COLLECTION: Our next Special Collection will be at the Crib during Christmastide.

NEWS: At their meeting on Wednesday 7 November 2018, the members of the Bishops' Conference of Scotland elected the following office bearers, who will serve a term of three years:

President: Bishop Hugh Gilbert

Vice President: Bishop John Keenan

Episcopal Secretary: Bishop Brian McGee

Commenting on his election, Bishop Gilbert said;

"I am honoured to have been chosen as President of the Bishops' Conference and thank the bishops for the trust they have placed in me. I accept the mandate given to me aware of the challenges the church faces, while conscious of the great treasures she holds and continues to offer as a point of reference in an often disorientated world. I would be grateful for prayers for all the Bishops of Scotland."

NOVEMBER DEAD LIST: November is the Month of the Holy Souls. Our Masses during that month will be offered for our deceased Parents, Relatives, Friends and for all those for whom you wish to pray. I will be reading out the names before each Sunday Mass.

CHRISTMAS CARDS: I know there is still a lot of time till Christmas but remember that just like last year, Christmas Cards will be available in Arisaig, Morar and Mallaig Stalls. It is a great opportunity to support your Parish as well as using Religious Cards for Christmas. There is a lot to choose from.

ADVENT PRAYER GROUP: Our Prayer Group would meet once a week in Arisaig Club Room. We will be discussing the Sunday Scripture Readings and also receive materials for our daily path through Advent. It will involve some personal reading and contemplation. To give me a rough estimate of how many materials I need to produce, please put your name on the list if you are interested. We would be meeting in Arisaig Hall for these meetings. It is a meeting for all interested so please, encourage your friends and neighbours from all denominations to join us in preparation for Christmas. *Could you also put the days of the week that you would be available for and time (morning or late afternoon).*

MESSAGE FROM SCIAF: Make your gifts matter this Christmas. SCIAF's Real Gifts make excellent presents at Christmas while helping families in poor countries free themselves from hunger, poverty and injustice. The new catalogue has gifts to suit every budget, from stocking fillers like seeds and fingerlings to more practical items like school books and birth certificates. Visit www.sciaf.org.uk/realgifts or call 0141 354 5555 to find out more.

In November, the month of the Holy Souls, we remember those supporters who are no longer with us. Holy Mass is celebrated in memory of all those who've been touched by our work here in Scotland and around the world. We would be delighted if you could join us for this year's Mass.

The Mass will be concelebrated by bishop Toal, Bishop President of SCIAF and Fr. Francis McGachey at St Francis Xavier's Church, Carfin.

SCIAF Remembrance Mass: 7pm, Thursday 22nd November, St Francis Xavier's Church, Taylor Avenue, Carfin, ML1 5AJ, www.sciaf.org.uk/events

DIOCESAN FINANCE DEFICIT: Next weekend at Mass you will hear a message from Bishop Brian to let you know that our diocese is running at a financial deficit. You will receive a leaflet, which will provide you with more information and details of an appeal for your help in resolving the situation.

JUSTICE AND PEACE: Throughout 2018, a small steering group has been working to establish Pax Christi Scotland, a project launched at the Pax Christi meeting in Glasgow in the early part of the year. Pax Christi Scotland will (on the advice of Pat Gaffney) operate first of all under the wing of Justice and Peace Scotland in order to gain the necessary status to be recognised as an autonomous organisation in the international Pax Christi network. The first Pax Christi Scotland event, a sort of declaration of intent, takes place from November 23-25 at Conforti in Coatbridge, hosted and funded by the Xaverian Missionaries. If you would like to participate, please contact Anna at Conforti (anna@confortiinstitute.org) to book. Registration will be from 5pm on the Friday and all meals from Friday supper to Sunday lunch are included. We will share in study workshops, prayer and the Eucharist. You are welcome to come as residents or day attendants.

WE PRAY FOR THE SICK: There are a lot of people not well at the moment and require our constant prayers and support.

Almighty and Eternal God, You are the everlasting health of those who believe in You. Hear us for Your sick servants for whom we implore the aid of Your tender mercy, that being restored to bodily health, they may give thanks to You in Your Church. Through Christ our Lord.

ARISAIG PARISH:

FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING: We held our meeting in the Chapel House in the past week. We discussed expenditure over the previous year. The Committee will prepare a short presentation for the Parish Council meeting.

PARISH COUNCIL MEETING: It is about time we had a PC meeting. We will meet on Monday, 19th November at 5pm in the Club Room. Please make a note of this in your diaries. There will be an opportunity to speak to our local undertakers about Funerals at the meeting and they will be available to answer any questions regarding the Services they provide. We will also discuss and make decisions regarding the Graveyard Extension. All St. Mary's Parishioners are welcome!

REMEMBRANCE SERVICE: Thank you for your presence and prayers at the War Memorial. It was an interreligious service, lead this year by the Church of Scotland Minister, Rev Stewart Goudie

MORAR PARISH:

CHURCH LOTTERY: Have you bought your ticket today? It is a great way of showing support.

MARY'S MEALS: There are Raffle tickets for sale at the back of the Church to support the Charity.

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LEAKS: Still need to be fixed. The chimney has to be rebuilt in Morar which is an extensive work. MacKellaig Builders will be working on it in the coming weeks.