

Parish Services

PLEASE, PAY ATTENTION TO THE DATES, MASS INTENTIONS BELOW THE DAY

Weekday Services (29th March – 4th April 2026)

Holy Monday, 30th March,Morar, 10am
 Winnie MacDonald RIP

Funeral Service of Keith Read RIPMorar, 12noon
 Holy Tuesday, 31st March,Arisaig, 10am
 Winifred MacPherson RIP

Holy Wednesday, 1st April,..... no Mass

GREAT PASCHAL TRIDUUM

Maundy Thursday, 2nd April, MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER Mallaig, 6pm
 Good Friday, 3rd April, VENERATION OF THE CROSS Arisaig, 3pm
 Saturday, 4th April, no morning Mass
SUNDAY 4th/5th April **EASTER SUNDAY (A)**
 Easter-Vigil, 4th April..... **Morar: 6pm**

Easter Sunday, 5th April **Arisaig: 10am**
 The McGeough Family RIP

Easter Sunday, 5th April **Mallaig: 11.30am**

HOUSEBOUND USUALLY: (1st Week – Arisaig; 2nd Week Morar; 3rd Week – Mallaig)
COLLECTIONS:

Arisaig:	
22.03	£364 (incl. £148 Gift Aid)
Parish Maintenance	£147.50 (incl. £72 Gift Aid)
Morar/Mallaig:	
22.03	£213.00 (incl. £115 Gift Aid)
Parish Maintenance	£216.00 (incl. £69 Gift Aid)



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HEATING&LIGHTING: In Memory of Jackie MacKellaig RIP

ANNIVERSARIES/MM: Mary Ann Gillies (died recently); John Wilkinson (died recently); Keith MacVarish (died recently); Marjorie MacKenzie-MacKay (Cape Breton, died recently); Winnie MacDonald 15.03.2018; John Dempster 21.03.1993; Sandy Lindsay 20.03 (B-Day Ann); Jackie MacKellaig 22.03 (B-Day Ann); Winifred MacPherson 31.03.2015; Lawrence McGeough 27.03 ; May MacDougall 29.03 (B-Day Anniversary); *Eternal rest...*

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Parish website: www.catholicroughbounds.org // Facebook Page: www.facebook.com/catholicroughbounds

Liturgical Calendar texts taken from Universalis® or New Advent Encyclopaedia unless stipulated otherwise.

DEADLINE FOR THE NEWSLETTER INSERTS: USUALLY THURSDAY, 12 NOON



RC Diocese Argyll & Isles – Arisaig & Morar Missions:
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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

PALM SUNDAY (A)

29th MARCH 2026

Mass Intentions:

Vigil Mass 6pm (Morar): May MacDougall RIP

Sunday 10am (Arisaig): Mary Ann Gillies RIP

Sunday 11.30am (Mallaig): Marjorie MacKenzie-Mackay RIP

VISITORS: Welcome to all our Visitors!

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.



SPECIAL COLLECTIONS:

3rd APRIL – GOOD FRIDAY COLLECTION FOR HOLY PLACES

11th /12th MARCH – PARISH MAINTENANCE. PLEASE USE PARISH GIFT AID ENVELOPES AND MARK THE CORRECT BOX.

SCIAF BOXES: Deadline for delivering the boxes this year is on Palm Sunday, 29th March.

If you do not deliver the boxes by then, you will have to send them directly to SCIAF.

CHRISM MASS: It was good to see so many priests of the Diocese gathered around the altar with Bishop Brian.

EASTER CONFESSION: I will be available in Morar on the 30th March at 5pm for Easter Confessions.

EASTER LITURGIES: Please, do your best to participate. Just like there is Mother's Day, International Women's Day etc. so is Maundy Thursday a Priest's Day when we commemorate the Sacrament of the Eucharist and Holy Orders. Good Friday has a very special meaning when we Commemorate the Lord's Passion and Death. Easter Vigil on Saturday is the Most important Liturgy of the Year. Please, try to participate.

CONFIRMATIONS: Bishop McGee confirmed that he will be coming on the 17th May for Confirmations, which will take place in Mallaig during Sunday Mass.

FIRST COMMUNIONS: Will be taking place on the 7th June. It was agreed that it will take place in Arisaig this year during Sunday Mass.

MARY ANN GILLIES RIP: Thank you for your participation at the Funeral Mass. We raised £659 in Memory of Mary Ann

JOHN HUGH WILKINSON RIP: Thank you for your participation at the Funeral Mass. We raised £122 in Memory of John

KEITH READ RIP: With great sympathies to Eleanor, Keith will be buried from St. Cumin's in Morar. His Funeral Service will take place in Morar on the 30th March at 12noon.

MARJORIE MACKENZIE-MACKAY RIP: Passed away in Cape Breton in Canada, she originated in this area. Alan with his wife and daughter will be travelling over to Canada for the Funeral Mass. She had a very strong faith and lived till she was 101. Dedicated to teaching, very keen historian. Our prayers go to the family. We will also celebrate Mass for Marjorie on Palm Sunday in Mallaig.

Statement from the Bishops of Scotland:

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ,

Following a request from the Holy See, the Bishops of Scotland have been invited to reflect on how the structures of the Church in our country can best serve her mission in the years ahead, specifically whether the present situation of eight dioceses is suitable.

We are all aware of the challenges before us — fewer clergy, changing patterns of practice, and increasing pressures on our diocesan resources, among other things. Yet our mission remains unchanged: to proclaim the Gospel and to lead our people to Christ.

Two possible pathways are being proposed for careful discernment: developing deeper cooperation and the sharing of resources across dioceses within our present structures, or the merging of some dioceses.

In order to best inform ourselves and the Holy See, each bishop will engage with his diocese over the coming months for the first part of this process. Everyone will be given the opportunity to pray, reflect, and contribute.

Following-on from the presentation of a discussion paper, responses from each diocese will contribute to the initial findings which will be given to the Holy See in the Autumn.

This is not simply an administrative exercise. It is a pastoral and missionary response to our changing landscape. This process will ensure our Church in Scotland will continue to grow ever more missionary, more Christ-centred, and more collaborative in the service of God's people.

Entrusting this work to the guidance of the Holy Spirit and to the intercession of Our Lady, we move forward together with confidence and renewed hope.

Please check the Mass Rota on the Back Page

LiturgyWorks

FOR ARGYLL & THE ISLES

A weekend of liturgy-themed workshops, spiritual talks, liturgical singing, prayer and get-together with people from around the parishes of Argyll & the Isles.

Conforti Institute,
Coatbridge

1st till the 3rd of May

Participants should speak to their parish priests. You must book as room: sharing pairs* by sending a £50 deposit by bank transfer to Mrs. D. Maclean, account number 72783760, sort code 874962. With the balance of being paid in full by Friday the 31st of April £130

The weekend will begin at 4pm for those who can make it, but everyone should be present for dinner at 7pm. We will end with Mass on Sunday morning.

*Participants requiring single accommodation may need to make their own accommodation arrangements locally. They should pay their deposit and notify Denise of their intentions. Conforti will charge for meals accordingly.

For your Sitemap: Conforti Institute, Calder Avenue, Coatbridge, M13 4J5.