

Parish Services

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

Weekday Services (24th August – 29th August 2026)

Monday, 24th August, St Bartholomew Morar, 10am
Buntie MacDougall RIP

Tuesday, 25th August, Arisaig, 10am
Angus and Charlotte MacKinnon RIP

Wednesday, 26th August, Mallaig, 10am
Mary and James Cooper RIP

Thursday, 27th August, St Monica Arisaig, 10am
Isobel Willener RIP

Friday, 28th August, St Augustine Morar, 10am
Iris MacKinnon RIP

Saturday, 29th August, Arisaig, 10am
75th Birthday Blessings for Barbara (Fr Stan's Mum)

SUNDAY 29th /30th August **22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time (A)**

Saturday-Vigil, 29th August Morar: 6pm
Birthday Blessings for Mary Bruce

Sunday, 30th August Arisaig: 10am

Sunday, 30th August Mallaig: 11.30am

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

COLLECTIONS:

Arisaig:

16.08 £252.60 (incl. £86.00 Gift Aid)
Sick and Retired Priests £187.80 (incl. £80.00 Gift Aid)

Morar/Mallaig:

16.08 £293.00 (incl. £178.00 Gift Aid)
Sick and Retired Priests £276.00 (incl. £95.00 Gift Aid)



THANK YOU FOR ALL YOUR GENEROSITY: FOR ALL ONLINE DONATIONS, ENVELOPES POSTED TO THE CHAPEL HOUSE AND STANDING ORDERS INTO THE PARISH BANK ACCOUNTS.



HEATING&LIGHTING:

ANNIVERSARIES/MM: Angus MacLeod 24.08.1917; Iris MacKinnon; Isobel Willener; Mary and James Cooper; Angus and Charlotte MacKinnon; Buntie MacDougall' Colin Stephen 20.08; Duncan MacDonald 21.08; Angusina Lewis; Mary Toal; Ann and Charles MacKinnon. *Eternal rest...*

Parish Priest: Fr Stanislaw J. Pamula, Chapel House, Morar, Mallaig. PH40 4PB. Tel. (01687) 462201

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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

21st Sunday in Ordinary Time (A)

23rd AUGUST 2026

Mass Intentions:

Vigil Mass 6pm (Morar): *Cathie MacKay RIP*

Sunday 10am (Arisaig): *Ann and Charles MacKinnon RIP*

Sunday 11.30am (Mallaig): *Colin Stephen 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.*

CARFIN
NATIONAL PILGRIMAGE
SUNDAY 6TH SEPTEMBER
Joining with the Universal Church in marking
800 years since the death of St Francis of Assisi.
3.00 PM
Holy Mass at the Shrine
Celebrant and Homilist: Most Rev. William Nolan
NATIONAL SHRINE TO OUR LADY OF LOURDES, CARFIN, ML1 5AJ

SPECIAL COLLECTIONS:

5th /6th SEPTEMBER – ECCLESIASTICAL STUDENTS FUND. **USE** PARISH ENVELOPES

19th /20th SEPTEMBER – PARISH MAINTENANCE.

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3rd / 4th OCTOBER – MISSION APPEAL BY VISITING PRIEST

17th / 18th OCTOBER – MISSIO SCOTLAND **DO NOT** USE PARISH ENVELOPES

BISHOP BRIAN'S PASTORAL LETTER:

Attached to this Newsletter, you will find the letter together with explanatory notes from the Bishop regarding new 'concentrated' consultations. It will require 2 representatives of each Parish to participate Online for 9 consecutive Mondays in October and November. Speak to me if you would like to represent the Parish. In case of absence of volunteers 2 delegates will be appointed from each Parish and submitted to the Bishop and if they are unable to

participate, they will have to write to the Bishop. I know it is a commitment but will enable us to be represented. Unfortunately, I will be away on holidays so will not be able to help/facilitate meetings online.

GRASS CUTTING: I am looking for volunteers for Morar and Arisaig. We are lucky with Duncan in Mallaig but if you want to give a hand as well, you can coordinate with him directly. If we decided to use a regular paid service, it would significantly affect our annual budgets. Season requires on average at least 25 cuttings and I am sure you know how expensive it can be for a small garden, whereas we have a much bigger area to cover. Thank you for your help!

BLOCKED GUTTER: It turns out that the problem is more serious than originally thought. We need to order some brackets and a new hopper and hopefully John MacKay will be able to install it soon. As the parts need to be made for order, it will take at least 3 weeks.

FR STAN'S HOLIDAYS: I am not away until 27th September to visit my family in Poland and have a break after the summer. There is always plenty of work to be done so I am really looking forward to going away. Missionary priest will be here to provide cover between 3rd October and 11th October and staying at Kilmory (01687450629). Bishop McGee will provide cover over the following weekend and I am due back on the 22nd October. This means that there will be some gaps during my time away without a resident priest. Any funerals could be celebrated by the Missionary priest but when there is no priest in residence, they will have to be postponed till my

return. Hopefully all will go well and there will be no necessity. I am really doing my best to find priests able to stay during my absence, but it is increasingly difficult. Thank you for your understanding.

NEW PARISHIONERS: We warmly welcome Tim and Kathryn, who moved recently to Mallaig. Kathryn is an extremely skilled horticulturalist and would be providing garden work. She kindly volunteered to look after a plot formerly being looked after by Lilian in Arisaig. We are extremely grateful and we wish them all the best in their new adventure in the Highlands.

BLESSING OF ST BARR'S STATUE ON BARRA:

Canon John Paul will be Bless the new statue. It was a monumental task to organise the replacement for much beloved historical and religious landmark on the Island.

Tributes paid to Glasgow priest who helped lead Pope John Paul II's 1982 visit

Source: <https://uk.news.yahoo.com/touching-tributes-pour-one-glasgows-101225967.html>

Also seen in: [The Herald](#)

At a glance:

- Monsignor Dan Hart has died aged 94 after 70 years of priestly ministry
- He served as chief organiser of Pope John Paul II's 1982 visit to Glasgow, when almost 300,000 people gathered at Bellahouston Park
- Tributes have remembered him as a kind, thoughtful and much-loved priest who remained active into retirement

BISHOP FRANK INVITES YOU TO...
WHITHORN
ANNUAL NATIONAL PILGRIMAGE
SUNDAY 30TH AUGUST
4.00 PM
Mass on the Beach
celebrated by Bishop Frank Dougan
4.45 PM
Mass in Whithorn
St Martin & St Ninian's RC Church
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