Parish Services

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

Weekday Services (26th October – 31st October 2026)

Monday, 26th October, ... Morar, 10am

Blessings for Urszula Koszmider

Tuesday, 27th October, ... Arisaig, 10am

Special Intention

Wednesday, 28th October, ... Mallaig, 10am

Blessings for Ada and Zula with Families

Thursday, 29th October, ... Arisaig, 10am

Special Intention

Friday, 30th October ..... Morar, 10am

Saturday, 31st October, ... Arisaig, 10am

SUNDAY 31st October/1st November ***ALL SAINTS (A)***

Saturday-Vigil, 31st October ..... **Morar: 6pm**

Sunday, 1st November ..... **Arisaig: 10am**

Sunday, 1st November..... **Mallaig: 11.30am**

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

COLLECTIONS:

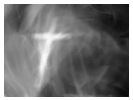
Arisaig:
Not provided

Morar/Mallaig:

26.09	£238.00 (incl. £150.00 Gift Aid)
04.10	£207.00 (incl. £115.00 Gift Aid)
11.10	£219.00 (incl. £130.00 Gift Aid)
18.10	£306.00 (incl. £160.00 Gift Aid)
Mission Sunday	£156.00

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HEATING&LIGHTING: James and Elizabeth Hanratty RIP

ANNIVERSARIES/MM: Donald Angus Macdonald 07.11; Maria Gillies 22.10.1977; Catherine MacDonald 15.10; Duncan Gillies 28.09.1980; Margaret MacEachen 29.10.2018; Mima Gillies 08.11; Donald Alistair MacDonald (Ardnafuaran); 19.10; Duncan McDonell (Birth Ann) 29.10; Jaxon Shepherd 23.10.2020; Alex MacDonald 15.10.2018; Helen MacDonald (Avondale) 29.10; Lizzy and Jimmy Hanratty; Joe MacInnes (Eriskay, Fort William) Birthday Ann. 27.10 *Eternal rest…*

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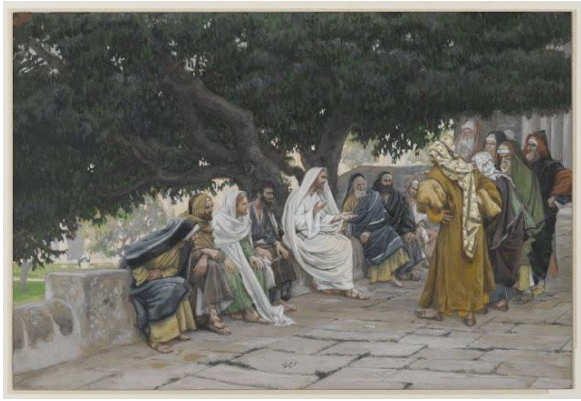
Parish Facebook

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

30th Sunday in Ordinary Time (A) **25th OCTOBER 2026**

Mass Intentions:

Vigil Mass 6pm (Morar): *Special Intention*
Sunday 10am (Arisaig): *Donald Angus MacDonald RIP*
Sunday 11.30am (Mallaig):



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:

On Specific Sundays, we hold a Second Collection which takes place at the end of Mass. In Scotland (which is different to many other countries), we are funded entirely from Donations and Contributions of people of good will. Normally Parishes do not receive any Government Support (apart from Gift Aided Contributions which are only available to UK Taxpayers) toward its upkeep. These Special Collections go to a specific cause as described. Thank you for your support.

1st /2nd NOVEMBER – PARISH MAINTENANCE. **USE** PARISH ENVELOPES

14th /15th NOVEMBER – SCOTTISH CATHOLIC EDUCATION SERVICE. **DO NOT** USE PARISH ENVELOPES

FR STAN'S HOLIDAYS: I had a lovely time and a good break. Well rested and warmed up, getting ready for the coming winter months. My parents are sending their best wishes and we now booked the flights for them to come at Christmas. I will go to Poland to pick them up on the 15th December and we will fly back to Glasgow on the 17th December. They will be staying until the 5th January. I am extremely grateful to Bishop McGee, Fr Javier, Paul May for their help with services as well as our volunteers for assisting them.



NOVEMBER: Envelopes for the November Dead List are available at the back. Please, put in your envelope the list with names of your deceased parents, relatives, all for whom you wish to pray. Return as soon as possible to the Chapel House (by post or in person through the letter box, preferably when I am back from my break) or the Church on Saturday/Sunday. Names will be added on and read out during Sunday Masses in November like every year. Include your offering in the envelope. We will also be celebrating Vespers for the Dead on three Sundays of November at 5pm (1st in Morar; 15th in Mallaig; 29th in Arisaig). Please, I encourage you to attend this Special Liturgy of the Church.

REMEMBRANCE SERVICE: This year, I will lay a wreath at the Arisaig War Memorial on Sunday, 8th November at 9.30am. Please, join us if you can in the act of Prayer for those who offered their lives in service to us.

DEANERY MEETING: Shortly before my departure, we have agreed together with the priests of the deanery to hold a social meeting on the 3rd Nov, followed by dinner. We would conclude it with Mass at at 10am on the 4th of November so it will be an opportunity for Parishioners to meet and pray with our priests. Rather than going out for dinner, I thought it might be a better idea to host in the Chapel House and Kilmory. Being an excellent cook, Anne MacMillan has kindly agreed to prepare something, but she will also need some help as it is not easy to serve for around 10 people. If you would like to help with dinner or breakfast on the next morning, please speak to Anne and she will make clever use of your skills.

CHRISTMAS CARDS: We ordered a variety of cards. They should be available at the back of the Churches soon.

ANNUAL SAFEGUARDING STATEMENT 2026

TO BE READ DURING ALL MASSES OVER 24th & 25th OCTOBER 2026

Dear sisters and brothers in Christ,

The Church exists for mission: to spread the Good News. In every generation the Church continues the ministry of Jesus. Through our baptism we all share in this ministry. Therefore, those things which concerned Jesus - for example - His care of the most vulnerable should be our priorities too. I want to thank all the clergy and laity who minister to the vulnerable throughout Argyll and the Isles.

As our diocese seeks to serve the most vulnerable, we know that we must put their protection at the heart of all we do. We call this safeguarding. There are various aspects to our safeguarding of which one is Safe Recruitment. Standard Two of In God's Image is the safe recruitment of clergy, religious, lay employees and volunteers. We ensure that anyone working with children, youth and vulnerable adults are suitable and ready to do so.

I encourage ever more volunteers to serve our youth and vulnerable adults in our parishes and diocese. Before beginning this ministry candidates must complete the safe recruitment process. This is a requirement of both Church and Civil Law. However, the process is not difficult and should not be off putting. Your Parish Priest or Parish Safeguarding Coordinator will help you. Candidates need to provide two references, participate in training and seek approval from Disclosure Scotland. The system is now electronic and much slicker than in the past.

Continuing the ministry of Christ is a privilege and responsibility. Consistently ensuring the safety of those we serve demonstrates that our attitude is authentically Christian.

With best wishes,

+ Brian McGee