

Weekday Masses (24 October - 29 October)

Monday..... Morar: 10:00 am
Reception of the body of late Donald Alexander MacDonald... Arisaig: 6:00 pm
 Tuesday *Funeral Mass of Donald Alexander MacDonald* Arisaig: 1:00 pm
 Wednesday Arisaig: 10:00 am
 Thursday Mallaig: 10:00 am
 Friday – Feast of St Simon and St Jude Morar: 10:00 am
 Saturday Arisaig: 10:00 am

Exposition

Friday Morar: 10:30 - 11:00 am

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday (29 October) Morar 5:00 pm
 Any other time on request

Housebound visits this week

No visits as Fr Slavin visited the housebound in Mingarry Parish

Sunday Masses 29 / 30 October (31st Sunday of Year - C)

Saturday (Vigil) 6:00 pm Morar
 Sunday 10:00 am Arisaig
 Sunday 11:30 am Mallaig
 Sunday 3:00 pm Mingarry

ANNIVERSARIES/MM: Mary MacLellan (Mallaig) 17.10.1982; Sandy MacLellan (Mallaig) 16.12.1964; Maria Gillies 22.10.1979; Duncan McDonell (Birthday Anniversary) 29.10; *Eternal rest...*

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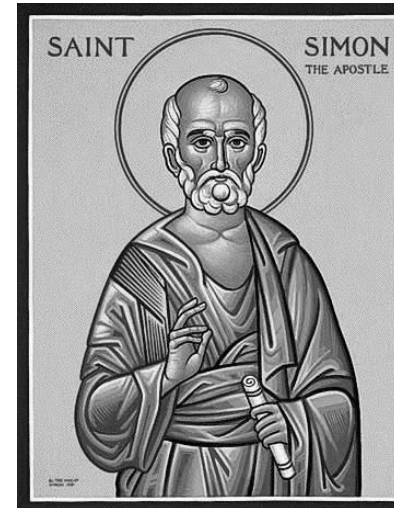
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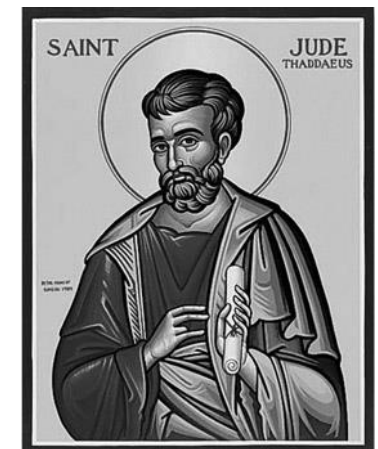
Our Lady of Perpetual Succour & St Cumin', Morar
 St. Mary's, Arisaig – Our Lady of the Angels, Mingarry
 St. Patrick's, Mallaig - St. Agnes, Glenuig

30th Sunday of the Year (C) *Mission Sunday* 23 October 2016

Friday - St Simon and St Jude



Simon is eleventh in the list of the twelve Apostles. He is known as Simon the Zealot, but nothing else is known about him. His other name of "Simon Cananaeus" simply adapts another Hebrew word for "zeal" and has nothing to do with the town of Cana.



Jude, also called Thaddaeus, is the apostle who at the Last Supper asked the Lord why he showed himself only to the disciples and not to the world. For many centuries he was scarcely venerated because people confused him with Judas Iscariot. He is the patron saint of lost and desperate causes.

FUNERAL MASS: The funeral of the late Donald Alexander MacDonald will take place on Tuesday 25th October. Requiem Mass in St. Mary's Church at 1 pm. Donald will be buried at Kilmory Graveyard. Donald's remains will be received into the church on Monday at 6 pm. Our thoughts and prayers at this time are with Morag and the rest of the family. Eternal rest...

MISSION SUNDAY: Today we celebrate Mission Sunday. This special day is an opportunity for Catholics worldwide to join together to pray for the missionary work of our Church and to give what we can to missionaries and churches overseas that need our help.

FIRST COMMUNION ON CANNA: I had a very good journey to Canna along with Fr Slavin. The celebration of First Communion was very much a community gathering. After Mass we had a lovely buffet. Congratulations to Erin and her Parents! Pictures available on Facebook.

HOUSEBOUND: I have finished my first round of all the visits in the Parishes. Thank you for a warm welcome. Housebound visits are a really important part of priest's ministry. I feel honoured to be able to visit and join in prayer with the housebound, who offer a lot of their suffering as a form of prayer. Please, let me know of any people that would have to be added to my list.

NEW GIFT AID DONORS: If you are not a Gift Aid donor and would like to become one, please fill in the form at the back of the Church and return it to me at your convenience. You can also use the forms provided to set up a Standing Order for the Parish. Thank you for your generosity!

NEW WEBSITE AND FACEBOOK PAGE: Thank you very much for your response to my Facebook appeal. We have managed to receive enough 'likes' to receive a shorter way to access the page. All you have to do now is to type [facebook.com/catholicroughbounds](https://www.facebook.com/catholicroughbounds) . Thank you! Website is still a work in progress!

NOVEMBER DEAD LIST: November is upon us. Our Masses during that month will be offered for our deceased Parents, Relatives, Friends and all for whom you wish to pray. There are brown Envelopes designated at the back of the church specially for that purpose. Please return them to me as soon as possible. We will have a special devotion during the month with the prayers for the dead in each of the parishes.

ARISAIG PARISH:

VOLUNTEERS: We are looking for volunteers for several 'wee' jobs in the parish. If you would like to help your parish to prosper, you can find a list in Parish Council Minutes.

FR MACKINNON: I would like to thank Fr MacKinnon for his kind donation to St. Mary's Church. I was able to install a new heating timer that was no longer needed in Fort William. This way, I am now able to program the heating for each day of the week. I am considering donating the old timer to the museum. Fr MacKinnon has also handed to the parish a broadband router. This way I was able to change a broadband supplier and make a significant saving on phone/internet bills.

MORAR PARISH:

No news is Good News!

HEATING/LIGHTING: In memory of Ian (the Land) MacDonald. Donation from Alistair Neil MacKay

MINGARRY PARISH:

SUPPLY PRIEST: My thanks to Fr Willy Slavin who spent a week in Mingarry for his support and help in the parish.

SPECIAL COLLECTION: Mission Sunday Collection will be uplifted today as it was missed last week.

NEW KITCHEN: Douglas MacKellaig, joiner from Morar, came to my rescue and saved me from further distress by offering to install the new kitchen units in the Priest's house. My thanks to Alistair Neil MacKay for his help with electrical work and Henry Young for help with the plumbing. I was not able to organise it earlier as the promised joiner/electrician/plumber cancelled on me. I am also very sorry that you have to put up with the units lying at the back of the church. It should not be like this. Please accept my apologies.

MINGARRY PARISH COUNCIL MEETING: I suggest a meeting to take place in Mingarry Church Hall on Sunday, 30th October after 3pm Mass.

COLLECTIONS:

Morar/Mallaig:

16.10.....£393 (Gift Aid £203) / Missio Scotland £370

Arisaig:

16.10.....*To be announced*

A presentation for Fr Tony has raised £460

Mingarry:

16.10.....£118.50 (Gift Aid £75)

COMMUNITY NOTICES:

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