

Weekday Services (30th October – 4th November)

Monday Morar: 10.15 am

Solemnity of All Saints (1st November)

Tuesday (Vigil-Mass)..... Mallaig: 7:00 pm

Wednesday Arisaig: 10:15 am

Wednesday Mingarry: 12:00 noon

Thursday *All the Faithful Departed*..... Mallaig: 10:15 am

Friday Morar: 10.15 am

Saturday *St Charles Borromeo* Arisaig: 10.15 am

Sunday Masses 4th/5th November (31st Sunday of the Year - A)

Saturday (Vigil-Mass) 6:00 pm..... Morar

Sunday 10:00 am Arisaig

Sunday 11:30 am Mallaig

Sunday 2:00 pm Glenuig

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament / Devotions:

Morar: Friday after Mass

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday, 4th November, 10.30am Arisaig

Any other time upon request

Housebound visits this week..... Arisaig

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Eternal rest...

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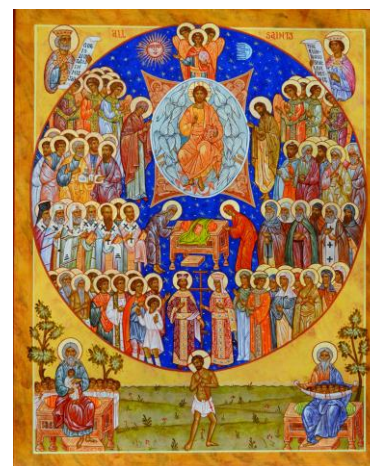
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Our Lady of Perpetual Succour & St Cumin, Morar
St. Mary's, Arisaig – Our Lady of the Angels, Mingarry
St. Patrick's, Mallaig - St. Agnes, Glenuig

30th Sunday of the Year (A)

29th October 2017

R) I love you, Lord, my strength.
Alleluia, alleluia! Open our heart, O Lord, to accept the words of your Son.
Alleluia!



Wednesday – All Saints

All Saints' Day is a solemn ***Holy Day of Obligation*** in the Catholic Church celebrated annually on November 1. The day is dedicated to the saints of the Church, that is, all those who have attained heaven.

Although millions, or even billions of people may already be saints, All Saints' Day observances tend to focus on known saints --that is those recognized in the canon of the saints by the Catholic Church.

Generally, All Saints' Day is a Catholic Holy Day of Obligation, meaning all Catholics are required to attend Mass on that day, unless they have a valid excuse, such as serious illness.

Thursday – All the Faithful Departed

All Souls' Day, which is observed on November 2, and is dedicated to those who have died and not yet reached heaven. The day is primarily celebrated in the Catholic Church, but it is also celebrated in the Eastern Orthodox Church and a few other denominations of Christianity. The Anglican church is the largest protestant church to celebrate the holy day.

Saturday – St. Charles Borromeo



He was born in a castle on the shores of Lake Maggiore in northern Italy, to a powerful family. He was related to the Medici through his mother. As the second son, he was destined for a career in the Church from an early age. He received a doctorate in civil and canon law at the University of Pavia, and when his uncle was elected Pope Pius IV in 1559 he was summoned to Rome and made a cardinal. Among many other responsibilities he was made administrator of the vacant diocese of Milan and protector of the Catholic cantons of Switzerland and of the Franciscans and the Carmelites.

He played a large part in the diplomatic efforts that led to the reopening in 1562 of the

reforming Council of Trent, suspended since 1552. As long as the Church was in a weak and corrupt state, emperors and kings could control it and its assets – and they would not easily give up control.

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: There will be a Special Collection next weekend for Pastoral Formation Fund. This is to provide support for the pastoral needs of the diocese. As this is a Diocesan Special Collection, you can use the envelopes for Gift Aid. Please, remember to either tick the correct box or put on the envelope: Pastoral Fund. Thank you for your generosity.

MUSIC: Many thanks for your participation on Saturday. Special thanks to Margaret Andow who organised the event. I hope that we will continue to work on our improvement of singing during our Liturgies.

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 all for whom you wish to pray. There are brown Envelopes designated at the back of the church specially for that purpose. Please, try to return the envelopes as soon as possible so that I could divide them like last year to be read out at each Sunday Mass in November.

2018 SUNDAY MISSAL: The new catalogue has arrived from Redemptorist Publications with Sunday Missals to order. If you would like me to order one for you for 2018, please speak to me after Mass. The cost is £6.50. **THIS IS THE LAST CALL BEFORE ORDERING.**

SCIAF REMEMBRANCE MASS: SCIAF will be holding their annual Remembrance Mass on Tuesday 21st November 2017 at St Francis Xavier's Church, Taylor Avenue, Carfin, ML1 5AJ at 7 pm. We would like to invite you to attend this Mass which is being concelebrated by Bishop Toal, Fr McGachey and SCIAF Chaplain Fr Mackle. The Mass

will take place in memory of all those touched by SCIAF's work both here in Scotland and around the world.

NEWS FROM THE DIOCESE: We welcome Fr Colin MacInnes back home to the diocese. Fr Colin has been ministering in Ecuador for thirty-two years. He will bring much experience and insights to our diocese. We thank Fr Colin for his generosity of spirit in serving the Church so far from home. I intend to assign Fr Colin will be assigned into a parish in the next few weeks.

We also welcome Fr Francis Agadauja, a member of the Nigerian Missionary Society of St Paul. Fr Francis will initially spend about two months with Fr David Connor in Lochgilphead to help him adjust to life in Scotland. Thereafter Bishop McGee intends to assign him to a parish. We thank Fr Francis for his generosity in coming to our country and we hope that he will be very happy in the diocese. Fr Francis is expected to stay for six years.

ARISAIG PARISH:

LEAK: A leak has been detected in the Chapel House in relation to the condition of some of the windows. I think that we have reached the stage when something has to be done sooner rather than later. I have made some enquiries regarding the quotes but I believe that some fundraising might be necessary. I am open to any suggestions as to how we could fundraise for the new windows.

ROOM SHIFT: Next Saturday, after Mass I will be swapping the current office with the seating room downstairs. This will allow anyone staying in the Chapel House to have some privacy upstairs while the ground floor can be used for Parish needs. If you would like to help me move the furniture and arrange the new office, please come!

MORAR PARISH:

NEW ROTA: Please note that there is a new rota available. We welcome new Eucharistic Ministers – Helen McDonnell, Margaret Andow, Lindsay Murray, Angus Murray. We are grateful for accepting this great honour of serving the Eucharist!

MINGARRY PARISH:

SACRISTY IN MINGARRY: My thanks to Marjorie Watters who agreed to join the team to help setting up for Mass in Mingarry. This is indeed a great help for me and the Parish as I am not always able to do it myself in case of any delays. Please, if there is anyone who could help Marjorie on regular basis, speak to her about making a Rota. Marjorie from now on will take charge of the Sacristy in Mingarry.

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS: I would like to thank all the Eucharistic Ministers in the Parish as their service is greatly needed. I realise that the steps on the Sanctuary in Mingarry are quite narrow and it might be difficult for some to go up and down. If you will that you should give your knees a break, I would be more than happy to carry the Blessed Sacrament to you before the first step of the Sanctuary.

COLLECTIONS:

Morar/Mallaig:	
22.10.....	£426 (Gift Aid £262)
Missio.....	£440
Arisaig:	
22.10.....	£298.50 (GA £105.60)
Missio.....	£126.90
Mingarry:	
22.10.....	£166 (Gift Aid £80)
Missio.....	£99.90