

Parish Services

BIRTHDAY/ANNIVERSARY:

.....*Ad multos annos!*

Weekday Services (18th October – 23rd October)

Video Streamed Mass on Parish Facebook. *Public Masses: No need to book your attendance, remember to leave your contact details at the door. Arrive early to allow yourself enough time and avoid queuing.*

Monday	Morar, 10am
	<i>Duncan Gillies RIP</i>
Tuesday	Arisaig, 10am
	<i>Donald Alistair MacDonald RIP</i>
Wednesday	Morar, 10am
	<i>Blessings for Teresa and Jasia with their families</i>
Thursday	Arisaig, 10am
	<i>Mary and Sandie MacLellan RIP</i>
Friday	Morar, 10am
	<i>Maria Gillies RIP</i>
Saturday	Arisaig, 10am
	<i>Monsignor Peter Smith RIP</i>
Sunday Masses 23 rd / 24 th October (30 th Sunday in Ordinary Time – B) MISSION SUNDAY	
Saturday	Morar: 6pm
	<i>For Parishioners</i>

Sunday	Arisaig: 10am
	<i>Intention sent over from another Priest</i>
Sunday, Children's Mass (open to everyone)	Mallaig: 12noon
	<i>Intention sent over from another Priest</i>

HOUSEBOUND VISIT THIS WEEK: Please note that due to Covid, I am only doing regular visits on a specific day after morning Lateral Flow Test. I am still available for urgent visits. 1st Week (Arisaig); 2nd Week (Morar); 3rd Week (Mallaig).

Sacrament of Reconciliation (only by prior arrangement, in Morar)

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

COLLECTIONS:

Morar/Mallaig: 22.08	£324 (inc. Gift Aid £186)
Arisaig: 22.08	£302 (inc. Gift Aid £86)

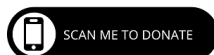
ANNIVERSARIES/MM: Alec MacDonald 15.10.2018; Alasdair and Deirdre Roberts; Anne Anderson; John MacDonald (Gorten) 10.09; Sheila Mills; Elzbieta Biedrawa (died recently); Patrick Rodden 20.09; Donald Alistair MacDonald (Ardnafuaran); 19.10; Monsignor Peter Smith 10.10.2021; Canon Alistair Mason Doyle 03.08.2021; Anne Dempster (Mallaig) 19.10.2020; Mary and Sandy MacLellan 17.10; Maria Gillies 22.10.1979; Duncan Gillies 28.09.1980.

Eternal rest...



HEATING&LIGHTING:

no intention this week



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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

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

29th Sunday in Ordinary Time (B) 17th October 2021

R) May your love be upon us, O Lord, as we place all our hope in you.
Alleluia, alleluia! I am the Way, the Truth and the Life, says the Lord; No one can come to the Father except through me. Alleluia!



OCTOBER DEVOTIONS: Please remember about the Rosary in the month of October. There is a plenary indulgence for recitation of the Rosary in the Church, the family or pious association. Five decades of the Rosary must be prayed continuously. The prayers of the Rosary must be prayed vocally, and one must meditate upon the Mysteries of the Rosary. If the recitation of the Rosary is public, the Mysteries of the Rosary must be announced. Plenary indulgence can be gained only once a day. Three other conditions must be fulfilled: a Sacramental Confession, Eucharistic Communion, Prayers for the Pope's intentions. In addition, one must be free of all attachments to sin, even venial sin. If this complete integrity is not present or if the above conditions are not fulfilled the indulgence is only partial. Both a plenary and partial indulgence may be applied to the dead.

I know that these requirements sound difficult to fulfil but above everything else it is important to pray the Rosary. I am sure that if our prayers are sincere, they have a special meaning to God through the intercession of Our Lady. In October, we will recite a decade of the Rosary before each weekday Mass.

VISITORS: Welcome to all our Visitors!

WE PRAY FOR THE SICK: There are a lot of people not well at the moment and require our constant prayers and support.

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: Next Sunday, Special Collection will be on 23rd / 24th October for Missio Scotland (do not use your Gift Aid Envelopes).

Following, on the 13th/14th November for Scottish Catholic Education Service. Thank you for your support to Church Agencies.

TRIP HOME/HOLIDAY: Thank you to all Parish volunteers who made sure that the Parishes are functioning in my absence. Special thanks to Fr Donald and Fr Willy for their cover. I had a good time away. Thank you for your kind wishes and condolences after my aunt Elzbieta's passing. My father in particular found your prayers comforting in his sadness. My parents have certainly progressed in age and in the coming months, I feel that I will have to do my best to see them more often. I was hoping they would be able to come for Christmas, but due to health reasons they would be unable to travel. I spent a lot of time in prayer at Our Lady's Shrine. I was contemplating a lot over the past time and what the future will bring. I have spoken to many of my priest friends and one thing that permeated in this was that the impact of the pandemic has shaken their faith a lot. Priests and Religious need our prayers more than ever in these times.

NOVEMBER: On Sunday, at the back of the Church, you will find envelopes for the November Dead List. Put in the 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) 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 remember in particular those who died due to the pandemic.

REMEMBRANCE SERVICE: This year, I will lay a wreath at the Arisaig War Memorial on Sunday, 14th November at 9.30am. Please, join me if you can in the act of Prayer for those who offered their lives in service to us.

SOLEMN VESPERS FOR THE DEAD: After positive feedback from last year, I decided to hold a service on each Sunday in November at 5pm. It will take place in Morar on 7th and 21st November and 14th and 28th November in Arisaig. Texts will be available on the day and on the website in the Parish Newsletter section. Names will be read out as well.

INSURANCE: Good news this year. During my absence, I applied for 2 grants (Arisaig and Morar Parish), to cover our annual insurance bill. The amount is well over £5000 and my application was successful. It is a huge burden off my chest. Due to recent lightning strikes, some equipment got damaged which required replacement. It was an extra expense I did not account for.

Diocese of Argyll and the Isles

Statement to the Parish on Safeguarding

The Catholic Church in Scotland is concerned with the lives, safety, wholeness and well-being of each individual person within God's purpose for everyone. It seeks to safeguard the welfare of people of all ages who are involved in whatever capacity with the Church and its organisations. As a Church community, we accept that it is the responsibility of all of us, ordained, professed, paid and voluntary members, to work together to prevent all forms of abuse or neglect of children, young people and vulnerable adults.

It is of fundamental importance that the whole Catholic community should understand and accept, in mind and heart, this essential truth: what we call "Safeguarding," or how we keep everyone safe within our Catholic community, come from the very heart of the message of God's love made visible in his Son, our Lord Jesus Christ.