

Parish Services

BIRTHDAY/ANNIVERSARY: Helen MacDonald 21.11 (90th); *Ad multos annos!*

Video Streamed Mass on Parish Facebook except for Mallaig, which will be dependent on the connection and equipment.

Weekday Services (21st November – 26th November)

Monday, Morar, 10am
Jessica Clayton Mitchell RIP

Tuesday, Arisaig, 10am
Canon William O'Sullivan RIP

Wednesday, Mallaig, 10am
Fr John Dewar RIP

Thursday, Arisaig, 10am
Fr Donald Campbell RIP

Friday, Morar, 10am
Blessings and comfort for Elizabeth Lunny

BINGO NIGHT West Highland Hotel, 7pm

Saturday, Arisaig, 10am
Sandy MacDonald RIP

SUNDAY MASSES 26th November/ 27th November (1st Sunday of Advent – A)

Saturday-Vigil **Morar: 6pm**
November Dead List

Sunday **Arisaig: 10am**
November Dead List

Sunday, Children's Mass (open to everyone) **Mallaig: 11.30am**
November Dead List

HOUSEBOUND VISITS: 1st Week (Arisaig); 2nd Week (Morar); 3rd Week (Mallaig); Mackintosh Centre – every 1st Wednesday of the month.

Sacrament of Reconciliation (only by prior arrangement)

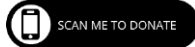
THANK YOU FOR ALL YOUR GENEROSITY IN THIS DIFFICULT TIME. FOR ALL ONLINE DONATIONS, ENVELOPES POSTED TO THE CHAPEL HOUSE AND STANDING ORDERS INTO THE PARISH BANK ACCOUNTS.

COLLECTIONS:

Morar and Mallaig:
 13.11 £262.00 (incl. Gift Aid £135.00)

Arisaig:
 13.11 £197 (incl. Gift Aid £71.00)

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUOUS SUPPORT!



ANNIVERSARIES/MM: Jessica Clayton-Mitchell 21.11.2011; Canon William O'Sullivan (died recently); Fr John Dewar 23.11.1996; Fr Donald Campbell; Sandy MacDonald 27.11.2013; Archbishop Mario Conti (died recently).

Eternal rest...



HEATING&LIGHTING:

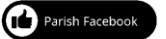


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Parish website: www.catholicroughbounds.org // **Facebook Page:** www.facebook.com/catholicroughbounds
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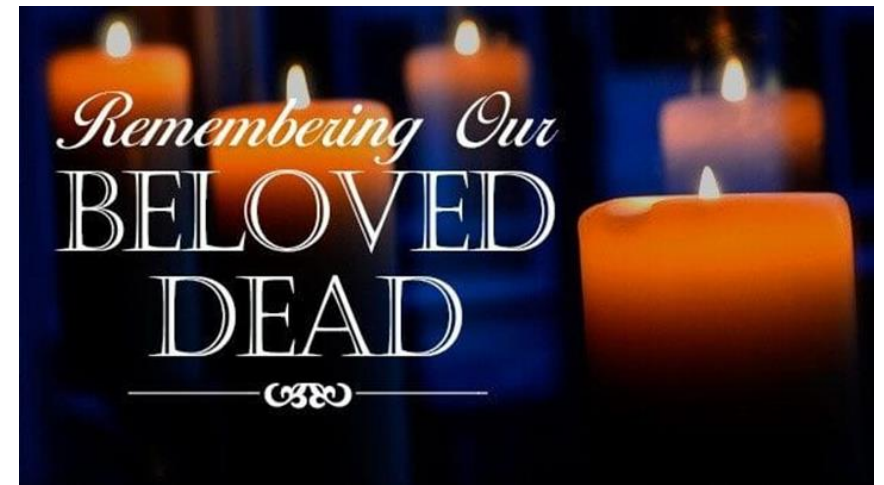
Parish of St. Mary's, Arisaig & St. Donnan's, Isle of Eigg
Parish of Our Lady of Perpetual Succour & St Cumin's, Morar
St. Patrick's, Mallaig & St. Columba's, Isle of Canna

Christ the King (C)

20th November 2022

Mass Intentions:

Saturday-Vigil Mass 6pm: November Dead List
Sunday 10am: November Dead List RIP **Sunday 12noon:** November Dead List



Last chance this November:

VESPERS FOR THE DEAD
 IN MALLAIG, SUNDAY 20th NOVEMBER AT 5PM



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. There are so many people that occupy my thoughts and prayers at the moment. Please. Do not lose your faith in prayer! It works miracles. I am always ready to administer the Sacrament of the Sick whenever you ask.

It is not an imposition; I am happy to carry out this ministry. I will always respect your privacy and confidentiality.

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:

- 19th / 20th November for Scottish Catholic Education Service (DO NOT USE Parish Gift Aid Envelopes) Forming our young people in the Faith is very important to us. The Scottish Catholic Education Service (SCES) is the Church's official Agency for supporting the education of our youth in Scotland. SCES directly supports our diocesan Catholic Primary Schools. We have no Catholic High Schools but SCES successfully works with Local Authorities and local communities to improve the quality of what is offered to our young people. SCES also offers all our senior High School pupils to grow in their Faith through the Caritas Awards. Next Sunday we have our annual Second Collection to support the work of SCES through BCOS. This year our diocese is required to raise £4,196.87. Last year the Collection raised £409.50.
- 10th / 11th December for Parish Maintenance (USE Parish Gift Aid Envelopes). This is to help us cover the cost of heating in the winter months. All your assistance is much appreciated, even more so, if you remember to use your Gift Aid envelopes.
- 24th / 25th Christmas Crib Collection for Holy Childhood. If you wish to contribute to this collection, please use the baskets located next to the Crib

KILMORY: Refurbishment continues... There will be an opportunity for viewing once all the works are completed. Many thanks to Iain MacQueen for sorting out the doors and cupboards. Hughie and Anne have been very busy tidying up the back garden – a lot of work and time spent! I am still waiting for Alistair Neil to install new socket for the dishwasher. Merae and Mae are going to tidy up and make sure that the flat is fully equipped with all necessities. Pictures arrived for the walls. Bed is still to arrive. Thank you for all your assistance.

SOUP KITCHEN: List is filling up. Thank you. We got a really good write up at Oban Times. We will be providing it in December on the 3rd, 10th and 17th December between 12noon and 3pm. We need 2 large pots of soup to start with and 3 volunteers to help serve/manage on the day. Fr Stan is managing the Rota and you can check what else is needed on the Parish Website – Parish Newsletter section or give Fr Stan a call. Meeting for volunteers will take place in Church of Scotland Hall in Mallaig at 6pm on 29th November.

ALLOTMENTS IN ARISAIG: The back garden (below the church) has been pointed out to me as a possible place for allotments. I have allowed Michael Currie to use it for his gardening business but have not heard back from him for a while, apparently it looks as he has not used it for a while so I will get in touch with him. If free, I would be more than happy for Parishioners to make use of it for possible allotments – growing vegetables. Fr Barrett was quite productive there in his time so perhaps it would be a good idea to continue? I am not looking for any payment in return rather than an occasional turnip!

Bingo Night

The Parish Social Committee will be holding a Bingo Night on Friday 25th Nov at The West Highland Hotel.

We would be grateful for any donations to use as prizes for the evening.

Some Ideas: Drinks, Chocolates and Confectionery (Selection Boxes maybe),Toiletries, Toys, New Household goods etc.

Any donations can be handed in at Church or into The Harbour Shop.

Can we also ask that we can have all donations by Sunday 20th Nov .

The Social Committee will meet again on Sunday 20th at 2:30 pm in St Patrick's to finalise arrangements.

Thank you

PASTORAL LETTER REGARDING THE DIOCESE: Next Sunday, the First Sunday of Advent, a Pastoral Letter from Bishop Brian will be distributed. The bishop is looking to the future of our diocese and asking us all to join with him in discerning how best we can live as God calls us to during these changing times.

REMEMBRANCE SERVICE: Thank you for your prayers and support.

CHRISTMAS CARDS: I have ordered some Christmas Cards from CBC which should be available in our stalls soon if not already.

HEATING AND PLUMBING: Our heating systems have been upgraded by Henry and Jamie. Many thanks for their assistance.

UPDATE ON SAFEGUARDING: As you will know, the Scottish Catholic Safeguarding Standards Agency is now operational, and many areas of development are underway. One very specific area for development has arisen, partly by requests from Glasgow and Strathclyde University students who attended the recent national Conference, and partly by requests from people who have been active in youth ministries for many years – specifically, the development of a forum where young adults can develop their knowledge and expertise in Church safeguarding and can actively contribute to the development of safeguarding training and resources for young people. This would of course have the added benefit of helping to embed a good safeguarding ethos in our parish communities by raising young people's awareness of the culture of care we are striving towards. I would therefore be grateful if you could advertise within your parish that the SCSSA is seeking young adults to become members of this forum. I have included a possible bulletin entry below.

Youth Safeguarding Forum: The new Scottish Catholic Safeguarding Standards Agency is developing a forum for young Catholic adults. This forum will in the first instance look at the current safeguarding training and resources for people in youth ministries, discuss ideas which have been proposed for development, and ultimately create a comprehensive package of training and resources for ministries involving young people. We will be joined at some online meetings by experts on particular aspects of Church teaching such as Theology of the Body and Catholic Social Teaching, to ensure all work created is informed by our faith and in line with our safeguarding instruction 'In God's Image', which can be downloaded at scssa.org.uk/In-Gods-Image-v2. If you are between the ages of 18 and 25 and would be interested in joining this forum, or would like to know more, please contact Helena Rameckers by emailing training@scssa.org.uk or phoning 07394 862 279 by Friday, 9th December. Please note that we also have a small number of spaces on the forum for older adults experienced in youth ministry!

THANK YOU TO VOLUNTEERS: I would like to thank all our volunteers who look after the Churches and Parish grounds in Arisaig, Morar, Mallaig, Eigg and Canna.

Please check the Mass Rota on the Back Page!