

Parish Services

**Weekday Services (22<sup>nd</sup> September – 27<sup>th</sup> September)**

**Monday,** ..... Morar, 9am  
*Sheila MacPherson RIP*

**Tuesday, St Padre Pio** .....ROME/PILGRIMAGE  
*PILGRIMAGE INTENTIONS*

**Wednesday,** .....ROME/PILGRIMAGE  
*PILGRIMAGE INTENTIONS*

**Thursday,** .....ROME/PILGRIMAGE  
*PILGRIMAGE INTENTIONS*

**Friday,** ..... no Mass

**Saturday, St Vincent de Paul** ..... Arisaig, 10am  
*Pat MacDonald RIP*

**SUNDAY 27<sup>th</sup> / 28<sup>th</sup> September**      **26<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time (C)**

**Saturday-Vigil**..... **Morar: 6pm**  
*Blessings for Joanna and Bogdan*

**Sunday** .....**Arisaig: 10am**  
*Patrick Rodden RIP*

**Sunday,** ..... **Mallaig: 11.30am**  
*Ulrich Visschers RIP*

HOUSEBOUND USUALLY: (1<sup>st</sup> Week – Arisaig; 2<sup>nd</sup> Week Morar; 3<sup>rd</sup> Week – Mallaig)  
**COLLECTIONS:**

**Morar/Mallaig:**  
14.09 .....£325.00 (incl. Gift Aid £166.00)  
**Arisaig:**  
14.09 .....£204.00 (incl. Gift Aid £101.00)



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**HEATING&LIGHTING:**  
**Blessings for Kathy and Alistair MacKay**

**ANNIVERSARIES/MM:** Dougie MacDougall (BDay) 15.09; Maryann Dempster 22.09; Alan MacDonald 21.09; Ulrich Visschers 24.09.2025; Alexander MacDonald (died recently); Ian (the Guard) MacDonald 06.10.2012; Catherine MacDonald 15.10.2023; Moira and Mhairi Benzie; Patrick Rodden 20.09.1980; Alan MacDonald 21.09; Margaret MacLaren; Rosie MacEachen; Jackie MacKellaig 16.10; Ulrich Visschers 24.09; Angus MacDonald (Morar) 21.09.1979; Duncan Gillies (Mallaig) 28.09.1980 ..... *Eternal rest...*

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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**

**25<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (C) 21<sup>ST</sup> September 2025**

*Mass Intentions:*

**Vigil Mass 6pm (Morar):** *Dougie MacDougall RIP*  
**Sunday 10am (Arisaig):** *Alexander MacDonald RIP*  
**Sunday 11.30am (Mallaig):** *Maryann Dempster RIP*

**VISITORS:** Welcome to all our Visitors!

**WE PRAY FOR THE SICK:** 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.*



In aid of Mallaig & Morar RC Parish Funds

West Highland Hotel  
Friday 14th November 2025  
7.00 pm

5 Games / Break / 5 Games  
Fantastic Prizes

Half Time  
Teas & Coffee + Home Baking

All Welcome

### SPECIAL COLLECTIONS:

20<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER/ 21<sup>st</sup> SEPTEMBER – PARISH MAINTENANCE. **USE** PARISH GIFT AID ENVELOPES.  
4<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER/ 5<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER – PARISH MAINTENANCE. **USE** PARISH GIFT AID ENVELOPES.  
18<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER/ 19<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER – MISSIO SCOTLAND. **DO NOT** USE PARISH GIFT AID ENVELOPES.

**BINGO:** We have a date for our Bingo Night! Many thanks to Gavin and Sine for their help with the West Highland Hotel. Please, if you have any Raffles, they can be dropped off at Mallaig Church only (Fr Stan is away!). You can speak to Maureen or

Lindsay or Teresa in the Harbour Shop for information.

**GRASS CUTTING:** Many thanks to all our volunteers but there is always room for more!

**HAMPER:** Hughie is on a diet so to avoid temptation; he has been kind enough with Anne to offer his hamper for grass-cutting for a Raffle. Raffle tickets are available at the back. Please put your monies in the box and make a note on your ticket in the book. £1 a strip.

**YEAR OF HOPE INTENTIONS:** LAST CALL! At the back of the Church you will find special envelopes which you can use for your intentions for the upcoming Pilgrimage to Rome. You do not have to be physically present to be a Pilgrim! You can join in with us as we carry your intentions to the Eternal City.

**CONFIRMATIONS 2026:** Bishop McGee will be with us on the 17<sup>th</sup> May 2026 for Confirmation Mass in Mallaig at 11:30am. For Confirmations Children need to be P7 and above. Please, speak to Lilian for details regarding the preparation and enrolment as I will be away soon and Lilian needs to begin and schedule classes.

**FIRST COMMUNIONS 2026:** Lilian will be preparing our children for First Communion, so the time has come for the parents to enrol their children for Sacramental

Preparation. Most likely the classes will be taking place in Mallaig after Sunday Mass. Date is set for 7<sup>th</sup> June 2026 at St. Mary's in Arisaig. Deadline for admissions is 21<sup>st</sup> Sep 2025.

**FR STAN AWAY/FR JOSEPH MCAULEY:** On Monday, 22<sup>nd</sup> September, after Morning Mass, I will be leaving with some of our lovely parishioners on a Pilgrimage to Rome. We will carry your prayers on this journey and ask for yours as well. We will be returning on Friday, 26<sup>th</sup> September. There will be no weekday Masses apart from Monday at 9am and Saturday 10am of this week.

On the 30<sup>th</sup> September, I will begin my annual leave. It was a long summer with visitors, so I am really looking forward to my break. In my absence, Fr Joseph McAuley, a retired Priest from Archdiocese of Glasgow will be providing cover and staying at Kilmory (01687450629). As Fr McAuley has no car, at the back of the Church, you will find a list to provide assistance. It would require a lift to/from Morning Mass, as well as cover in case of any sick calls. Though he cooks for himself, he would really enjoy if you provided him with Meals for his dinner or invite him. To make sure he does not have to eat 3 dinners in one day, would you be able to coordinate with him first or put your name on the right hand side of the list with your name/phone number/dinner. Thank you so much for your help in my absence.

### Bishops' Conference of Scotland

#### VACANCY: National Director of Marriage, Family & Life Office

Hours: 15 hours per week

Salary: £11,746 per annum

Contract: 2 year with possibility of renewal

Closing Date: 26<sup>th</sup> September 2025

Applications:

The National Office for Marriage, Family and Life work alongside and is supported by the National Commission for Marriage, Family and Life. They are responsible for the apostolate of the domestic church and promote the teaching and pastoral activity of the Church in marriage, family and life issues. In the context of family life, they support single people, couples and families, as well as the pro-life mission. They draw on the Magisterium of the Church on Marriage and the Family and offer practical support to initiatives in the dioceses of Scotland and on behalf of the Bishops' Conference. Please forward application letter and CV to [info@marriagefamilyandlife.org.uk](mailto:info@marriagefamilyandlife.org.uk). Details on [bcos.org.uk](http://bcos.org.uk)

