



# ST MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

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SUNDAY MASS TIMES	
<b>ST MARY'S BEAULIEU</b> 11:00am	
<b>OUR LADY &amp; ST BEAN, MARYDALE</b> 9:00am (Confessions, 1st Sun) <i>no Mass 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday – go to St Mary's Eskdale</i>	
<b>ST MARY'S ESKDALE</b> 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday in the month, 9:00am	
<b>ST MARTIN'S ULLAPOOL</b> 1 <sup>st</sup> 3 <sup>rd</sup> and 5 <sup>th</sup> Sundays of the month, 2:30pm	
<b>ST MAELRUBHA'S POOLEWE</b> 2 <sup>nd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Sundays of the month at 2:30pm	
<b>LOCHINVER:</b> To be arranged	
<b>FORT AUGUSTUS</b> Sun 11:00am	

**Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> August 2025**  
**18<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Year C**  
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WEEKDAY MASS	
<b>Tues:</b> <i>Dedication of the Basilica of St Mary Major</i> 7:00pm (Beaulieu)	
<b>Wed:</b> <i>Transfiguration of the Lord</i> 5:30pm (Marydale) 7:00pm (Beaulieu)	
<b>Thurs:</b> <i>St Mary of the Cross</i> 10:00am (Beaulieu) 5:30pm (Fort Augustus)	
<b>Fri:</b> <i>St Dominic</i> 10:00am (Beaulieu)	

This Week's Mass Intentions	
<b>Sunday</b>	
Beaulieu: Page Family (God's Love and Grace)	
Marydale:	
Ft Augustus:	
Ullapool:	
<b>Tuesday</b>	
Beaulieu:	
<b>Wednesday</b>	
Marydale:	
Beaulieu:	
<b>Thursday</b>	
Beaulieu:	
Fort Augustus:	
<b>Friday</b>	
Beaulieu:	
<i>Please pray for the sick of our parishes and all who ask for our prayers.</i>	

**Vocations** Let us continue to pray for Anh Tuan Nguyen, Rene De Los Reyes and Richard Webster.

### The Orchard and Our Lady's Grotto, Beaulieu

The upcoming *Deanery Pilgrimage* is on **Saturday, 13th September**, and we are shortly building **Our Lady's Grotto** in the parish orchard. However, there is quite a bit of work required to be done in the orchard itself.

**Mary McKillop (St Mary of the Cross):** Thursday is the Memorial of St Mary of The Cross. Mary McKillop (1842-1909) was born in Melbourne on 15 January of Scottish parents, natives of Roy Bridge. Moving as a governess to South Australia, she came into contact with Fr Julian Tenison-Woods and opened a Catholic school in Penola. Her educational and pastoral work led her to found the Sisters of St Joseph of the Sacred Heart ("Josephites"). Despite facing opposition within the Church and even facing excommunication, the mission of St Mary grew rapidly and the Sisters often worked with limited resources in extremely remote areas. She died in Sydney on 8 August 1909 and was canonised as Australia's first saint by Benedict XVI on 17 October 2010. St Mary of the Cross was added to the Scottish liturgical calendar as an Optional Memorial in 2024.

### Pope's August prayer intention:

Pope Leo XIV released his prayer intention for August, 2025, inviting us to pray "that societies avoid internal conflicts due to ethnic, political, religious or ideological reasons" and encouraging us to "seek paths of dialogue" and "respond to conflict with gestures of fraternity." In the prayer that follows, Pope Leo recalls that we stand in Jesus' presence, in need of His peace.

"We live in times of fear and division," the Pope says. "Sometimes we act as if we were alone, building walls that separate us from one another, forgetting that we are brothers and sisters."

He calls on Jesus to send the Holy Spirit "to rekindle within us the desire to understand one another, to listen, to live together with respect and compassion."

The Holy Father goes on to ask the Lord for "the courage to seek paths of dialogue, to respond to conflict with gestures of fraternity, to open our hearts to others without fear of difference."

"Make us builders of bridges, able to overcome borders and ideologies, able to see others through the eyes of the heart, recognising in every person an inviolable dignity," Pope Leo prays, before concluding, "Help us to create spaces where hope can flourish, where diversity is not a threat but a richness that makes us more human."

Source: *Vatican News*

**Volunteers are needed to help with Youth Catechesis and Social Activities.** A meeting of this group will take place at St. Mary's Inverness on Monday, 11th August, at 7pm.

**CONFESSION:** call by the Parish House, phone, or email to make an appointment.

### ROSARY:

Marydale 2<sup>nd</sup> Wed. in the month at 5:00pm;  
Fort Augustus Every Wed. at 7:00pm

**DEVOTIONS, PRAYER and MASS:** The church is open via the side door; weekday morning and evening masses are held in the parish room, in the house.

**After Mass,** come to the parish room for a cup of tea or coffee, and maybe a biscuit or two. Meet up with friends or make new friends. Monies raised go to support Mary's Meals.

### DEATH ANNIVERSARIES (August)

Cathy Fraser, Felix Anyaegbu, Lawrence Anyaegbu, Alan Hercher, Jean Storey.

### St Mary's Offertory (Sunday 27th July)

Offertory: **£204.67**

Mill Hill Mission Appeal: **£396.01**

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