



ST MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

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

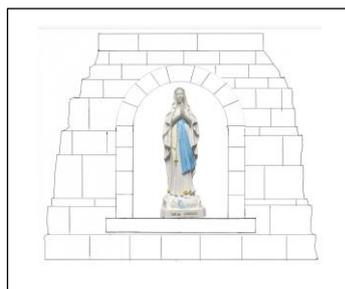
WEEKDAY MASS	
Tues: St John Eudes 7:00pm (Beaulieu)	
Wed: St Bernard - Memorial 5:30pm (Marydale) 7:00pm (Beaulieu)	
Thurs: St Pius X - Memorial 10:00am (Beaulieu) 5:30pm (Fort Augustus)	
Fri: The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary - Memorial 10:00am & 7:00pm (Beaulieu)	
Sat: St Rose of Lima (No Mass)	

This Week's Mass Intentions	
Sunday	
Beaulieu: David Mullen (RIP)	
Marydale:	
Ft Augustus: Page Family (God's Love and Grace)	
Ullapool:	
Tuesday	
Beaulieu: Michaela Kent & Iain Wilson (HM)	
Wednesday	
Marydale:	
Beaulieu: Kathleen Wilson (RIP)	
Thursday	
Beaulieu:	
Fort Augustus:	
Friday	
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.

Help fund the construction of our Grotto

Work is underway with the grotto foundations. A team of volunteers started digging on Saturday. Stones to construct the alcove have been sourced. If you would like to donate towards the cost of the building materials (lime mortar, concrete, core, slabs and stones) please put your donation in an envelope marked 'GROTTO' and give it to one of the priests.



Hunger spreads in northern Nigeria

The International Committee of the Red Cross says that more than 3 million people are facing hunger in northeastern Nigeria – and the UN warns that a total of 30 million could be at risk across the country.

Aid groups urge Israel to end restrictions as Gaza starvation worsens

More than 100 humanitarian organizations, including Oxfam and Médecins Sans Frontières, sign a joint letter calling on Israel to end what they describe as the "weaponization of aid" into Gaza.

US Catholics look to St. Maximilian Kolbe in efforts to abolish death penalty

In 2018, Pope Francis modified the text of the Catechism of the Catholic Church to explicitly denounce the death penalty, which now reads: "The Church teaches, in the light of the Gospel, that 'the death penalty is inadmissible because it is an attack on the inviolability and dignity of the person'."

In December, the anti-death penalty movement celebrated a historic and successful campaign for federal death row commutations when then-President Joe Biden commuted the sentences of 37 of the 40 individuals who were on the federal death row. So far this year, ten states have taken the lives of 28 individuals—an increase from the total 25 executions in the United States throughout 2024. And within just the next month alone, another four men face state-sanctioned death.

St. Maximilian is remembered as the patron saint of prisoners, families, and the pro-life movement.

The prayer of US anti-death penalty movement: "I pray that St. Maximilian will continue to intercede for us in our ongoing efforts to abolish capital punishment here in the United States, and that he will bring hope to those who are weighed down by the heavy weight of state-sanctioned death."

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

ROSARY:

Marydale 2nd 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 10th August)

Offertory: **£229.40**

Second Collection: **£151.30**

ST MARY'S DONATIONS	
1 st Collection – Running Account	
A/c name: FOR R.C. DIOCESE OF ABERDEEN, ST MARY'S BEAULIEU	
Acc No: 00711527 Sort Code 80-05-61	
2 nd Collectiion Fabric Account	
A/c name: RCD OF ABERDEEN – RCD BEAULIEU ST. MARY'S	
Acc No: 10031469 Sort Code: 80-05-61	

ULLAPOOL CHURCH ROOF APPEAL	
A/c Name: Ullapool & Gairloch St Martin of Tours	
Account No:10109462 Sort Code: 80-05-17	