



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 2nd Sunday in the month, 9:00am	
ST MARTIN'S ULLAPOOL 1st 3rd & 5th Sundays of the month, 2:30pm	
ST MAELRUBHA'S POOLEWE 2nd & 4th Sundays of the month at 2:30pm	
LOCHINVER: To be arranged	
FORT AUGUSTUS Sun 11:00am	

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WEEKDAY MASS	
Mon: St Andrew – Solemnity	
Tues: 1st Week of Advent 7:00pm (Beaulieu)	
Wed: St Francis Xavier 5:30pm (Marydale) 7:00pm (Beaulieu)	
Thurs: St John Damascene 10:00am (Beaulieu) 5:30pm (Fort Augustus)	
Fri: 1st Week of Advent 10:00am (Beaulieu)	

This Week's Mass Intentions	
Sunday	
Beaulieu: Page Family (God's Grace & Love)	
Marydale: Alan Gray (R.I.P.)	
Ft Augustus: Alisa Tonner (R.I.P.)	
Ullapool: Joseph Dunn (R.I.P.)	
Tuesday	
Beaulieu: Stephen Seery (R.I.P.)	
Wednesday	
Marydale: Betty Wilson (R.I.P.)	
Beaulieu: Mary Airlie (R.I.P.)	
Thursday	
Beaulieu: Jackie Carloin (R.I.P.)	
Fort Augustus: Rosie Mongon (R.I.P.)	
Friday	
Beaulieu: Ellie Stokes (R.I.P.)	
<i>Please pray for the sick of our parishes and all who</i>	

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

Saint Andrew: Our patron Saint's feast day is 30th Nov. but as today is the 1st Sunday of Advent, the feast will be tomorrow. However, raise a glass to St Andrew and pray to him that Russia will cease hostilities in Ukraine: he is also Patron of Russia.



Christmas Preparations:

- The **crib** will be setup after Mass on Sunday 14th December. The church **Christmas tree** could also be setup. Volunteers needed for these tasks.
 - **Christmas Eve Mass** will begin at 8:30 pm in St Mary's.
 - **Christmas Day Mass** will be celebrated at 11:00am in St Mary's.
- Note:** Christmas this year falls on a **Thursday**.
- The joint Christmas Carol Service will take place in the Church of Scotland, Croyard Road on Thursday 18th December at 6:30pm. Refreshments will be in the Church Hall after the service. Beaulieu school children will be taking part. All are welcome.

Ladies Bible Study Group:

A group of ladies in the parish are meeting to study the Bible together. To start with, we will use the *Lectio Divina* plan of reading the Sunday Gospel, and then contemplating and praying about what we have read. Our first meeting will be on **Thursday 11th December** in St Mary's Parish Room from 7:30pm – 8:30pm. Starting in January, we plan to meet on the second and fourth Thursdays of every month during school term time. Please come and join us, you will be very welcome.

Slovenia changes mind and rejects assisted suicide:

Let's pray that Scotland will do the same 🙏🙏🙏. In an apparent change of mind, Slovenians have opposed an assisted suicide law after a binding referendum rejected legislation that was passed by their National Assembly earlier this year, as well as a non-binding referendum in support of assisted suicide the previous year.

Source: bcos.co.uk

Please pray for all priests and deacons:

Father Max has safely returned, thanks be to God, having just celebrated the 14th anniversary of his priestly ordination on the 19th November. Please pray for all priests and deacons celebrating their anniversaries.

Nigeria faces another mass abduction:

Two weeks ago, more than 300 students and teachers at the Catholic school of St. Mary in the Agwara district of Nigeria were forcibly taken and abducted by masked militiamen who stormed in on motorcycles and pick-up trucks. Your prayers for an end to this are needed.

Source: vaticannews.va

Pope Leo joined Christian leaders at Nicaea:

The Council of Nicaea met in 325AD and one-thousand, seven hundred years later Pope Leo met and prayed with leaders of various Christian Churches in Nicaea and invited all Christians to follow the paths of fraternal encounter, dialogue and cooperation.

Source: vaticannews.va

Come to the parish room after Mass for tea, coffee and a friendly chat. All proceeds to Mary's Meals

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.

DEATH ANNIVERSARIES (December)
 Catherine Kennedy, Hamish Wemyss, David Pearson, Angela Montague, Sue Constable Maxwell.

St Mary's Offertory (Sunday 23rd Nov.)
No figures available for publication this week; these will be published next week along with this Sunday's figures.

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