



Our Lady of the Assumption

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Fourth Sunday of Advent, Year C

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Mass Times:

Sunday:

Portree
Sunday 10 am

Dornie
Sunday 12:45 pm

Broadford:
Sunday 3pm

Monday
1:20pm Portree
9pm Dornie

Tuesday
10am Broadford
12 noon Portree

Wednesday
No Mass

Thursday
1:20pm Portree

Friday
12:10pm Broadford

Confessions
Before and after
Mass
and on request

Collection:
Offertory: £180.30
B.F.: £185.78
Teas, Votives, £9.92
Shop, £4.00

Banked £380.00
S.O.: £120.00

I would like to wish everyone in the parish a very happy and joyful Christmas, and to thank you all for your tremendous support for me and my family while my Mum was ill and especially since she died. It made all the difference. All those prayers certainly wafted her up and helped the rest of us immensely.

I will be having my 'open day' on Wednesday, where everyone is invited to come and have some Serrano Ham and various other goodies. Any time between 12 and 5... just pop round.

Thanks to those who have prepared Advent boxes for the homeless and those on a tight budget again. I took them to Tigh na Sgire on Friday, and they were greatly appreciated.

The Christmas hamper will be drawn after Mass in Portree today. There is till time to buy tickets. It is a bumper hamper this year. There will be 5 prizes.

Congratulations to the winners of the Christmas draw of the 200 Club. The winners were: Teresa Peach (£100), Claire Macdonald (£60), Therese Macdonald (£40), and Anne Maclean, Barra (£20)

St. Columba's Church are doing their service of Nine Lessons and Carols this Sunday at 2pm. They have asked if we could send a representative from the parish. If you are interested, please let me know, or you can call Rev. Rosemary Bungard directly on 01478 660248.

If you would like to remember a deceased loved one at Christmas, you can donate £10 towards the Building Fund and have a plant in the window dedicated. Please complete the form and return to the church, or to Faye Macneil, or to Shona Campbell.

After many delays the new heating system is installed in Broadford... however, they did not bring their own electrician. It should be wired in at the end of the week, but that means after Christmas Day at the earliest. Sorry about this.

To our visitors: you are very welcome to stay for tea/coffee after Mass. If you are a UK taxpayer, please take one of the white Gift Aid envelopes from the porch and fill it in. Thank you very much.

Christmas Masses

Midnight Mass
Dornie 9pm

Christmas Day
Broadford 10am
Portree 12 noon

Music for Mass

Entrance	367	O little town of Bethlehem
Offertory	288	Lord accept the gifts we offer
Communion	568	Word made Flesh
Recessional	89	Come O divine Messiah