



Our Lady of the Assumption

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Mass Times:

Sunday:

Portree
Sunday 10 am

Dornie
Sunday 12:45 pm

Broadford:
Sunday 3pm

As you will be well aware by now, I am going to be away from the parish from tomorrow morning for 4-5 weeks, until 9th February. First there will be the Mission appeal (13th Jan), then two weekends of Bishop Brian (20th and 27th), and finally either Fr. John Paul or Fr. Emmanuel will come over from Barra (3rd Feb). While I am away if you need a priest you can call Fr Roddy McAuley in Caol (01397 700622), or Fr. Danny Convery in Roy Bridge (01397 712238). You can also call Fr Roddy Johnston at any time (01851 702070).

Bishop Brian will stay on Skye during the week of 27th Jan to 1st Feb, so if you want him to visit you, or if there is someone unwell, he would be happy to do so. He will also celebrate weekday Masses that week.

Monday
No Mass

Congratulations to Maeve and Padraig Burrows who were baptised in St. Mary's on Thursday. They are now full members of the church. It was a lovely way to star the new year.

Tuesday
No Mass

Congratulations also to Willie MacDonald, Broadford, who was received into the Church on Christmas Day. It is great to welcome Willie to our parish community.

Wednesday
No Mass

This Sunday there will be a Special collection for Justice and Peace, so no pink envelopes, please. This year's theme is "Political Engagement", and there will be a letter to be read out at Mass.

Thursday
No Mass

Friday
No Mass

Next Sunday there will be a Mission Appeal by the Kiltegan Fathers. Fr. Tom McDonnell will be coming, and his looking forward to his visit to the parish. He will also be taking away all the used stamps you have been collecting up over the years.

Confessions
Before and after
Mass
and on request

A note about cheques: The banks are tightening up their protocols on cheques soon, so that all cheques MUST have the correct payee name. For Skye parish, that is **RCD Argyll & Isles, Skye Mission**. Cheques with St Mary's or St Maolrubha's will not be accepted, nor will Catholic Church Portree or Broadford. For Dornie, the correct name is **RCD St. Duthac's, Dornie**. (Cheques addressed to Rev. William Maclean also work just fine!!)

Collection:
Offertory: £208.04
B.F.: £177.00
Hamper, £188.00
Teas, Votives, £7.96
Shop, £9.00

Banked £590.00
S.O.: £160.00

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.

Music for Mass

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| Entrance | 482 | The First Nowell, vv1,3-5 |
| Offertory | 38 | As with gladness |
| Communion | 550 | What child is this |
| Recessional | 548 | We three kings |

"If we want to find Jesus, we have to overcome our fear of taking risks, our self-satisfaction and our indolent refusal to ask anything more of life. We need to take risks simply to meet a Child."

Pope Francis