



Our Lady of the Assumption

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CHRIST THE KING, YEAR C
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Mass Times:

Sunday:

Portree
Sunday 10 am

Dornie
Sunday 12:45 pm

Broadford:
Sunday 3pm

Monday
10:30am Portree

Tuesday
10:30am Portree

Wednesday
12:10pm
Broadford

Thursday
10:30am Portree

Friday
10:30am Portree

Saturday
1:00m Portree

Collection:

Banked- £305.00

Welcome: A word of welcome to our parishioners, visitors and friends. Please join us for tea/coffee after Mass. If you are a UK tax payer, kindly take one of the white Gift Aid envelopes from the porch and fill it in. Thank you.

Feasts this week

Saturday- St Andrew, Apostle, Patron of Scotland (Solemnity)

The Word: Jesus Christ Our Lord, The king of the Whole Universe!

The celebration of Christ our Lord as the Universal King brings us to the point of deep reflection and appreciation of God's might and authority which surpasses those of humans. It is an invitation to us to know that no king nor kingdom can endure apart from the kingship and kingdom of our Lord Jesus Christ. Today we celebrate an unusual kingship that thrives on selfless service and exemplary humility. Most kings of this world were born in palaces adorned with precious ornaments but the king we are celebrating today was born among animals and in a manger (Luke 2:7). While the kings of this world lounge in cozy couches and sleep on adorable beds, Jesus Christ our Lord and King had nowhere to lay his head (Luke 9:58). The kings of this world have subjects under their subjugated service, but our King came to serve his subjects (Matt.20:28).

The Second Reading today (Col.1:12-20) gives us a deeper idea of what our Lord and King accomplishes for us spiritually. According to St. Paul, God transferred us from the power (kingdom) of darkness to the kingdom of his beloved Son in whom we have redemption and forgiveness of sin. This statement discloses the highest point of the saving grace of our King. In fact, we cannot call him our King without this deliverance from the kingdom of darkness and transference into his marvelous light. He accomplished this for us in humility and obedience to the will of God the Father (Phil. 2: 6-8).

Weekly Notices:

(1) Next Sunday begins the Advent Seasons. I wish to remind us that the I would be available few minutes before Masses on Sundays in case anyone would like to go for confessions. Please you can equally call the Parish Rectory phone numbers to schedule your confessions. God bless you and grant you his mercies

(2) I sent out an email calling for your Parish Council Nominee and to equally Volunteer to join any of the working groups of the Parish. Thank you for your kind response. We appreciate your efforts and contributions in building up our parish as God's one happy family

(3) Next Sunday is the First Sunday of the Month. Please remember to join us to pray the Rosary before Mass (and for Portree; Benediction at the closing of Mass) Thank you

Nugget of Wisdom :

Jesus Christ is not a problem; He is the solution to every problem for life, for death, and for eternity. -Harry Ironside

Quote:

"Death may be the King of terrors... but Jesus Christ is the King of kings!"

-Dwight L. Moody"