



## Our Lady of the Assumption

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**19<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF THE YEAR, A  
9<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2020**

**Mass Times:  
19th Sunday**

**Portree -  
Vigil: 6:00pm  
Sunday: 10:00am**

**Dornie-  
Sunday: 12:45pm**

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**Monday:  
Mass: 10:30am**

**Tuesday:  
Mass 10:30am**

**Wednesday:  
Mass 10:30 am**

**Thursday:  
Mass 10:30 am**

**Friday:  
Mass: 10:30am**

**Saturday:  
Vigil: 6:00pm**

**Confessions will  
be available  
before Mass (If  
pre-arranged)**

**Setting up a  
standing order  
reduces physical  
contacts with  
money.**

**We are glad to Welcome you back to our Parish Churches for Holy Masses Celebrations this Week: Monday - St Lawrence (Feast), Tuesday - St Clare (Memorial), Friday - St Maximilian Kolbe (Memorial)**

### **The Word: Jesus our Savior Restores our Peace !**

There is something interesting about today's readings. This is simply the fact that, all the three great figures and personalities (Elijah, Paul, and Peter) we encountered in today's readings were in one way or the other embattled. As such, their peace was threatened. First, Elijah was fearful, and running away from Ahab and his wife Jezebel, who wanted him dead at all cost. Second, Paul was ravaged by sorrow and anguish due to the unbelief of his "*fellow brothers of Israel.*" This was a great burden that threatened his peace of mind. Third, Peter was sinking right in front of Jesus, due to fear, his lack of faith and courage. This is the dilemma of our lives. In one way or the other, our peace is threatened. However, the embattled prophet Elijah encountered God, and his peace was restored. Through Paul we learn that when others are saved, our peace is guaranteed. In the gospel, the disciples experienced the storm of their life, but Jesus was available to calm it, and equally, restore their peace

### **Weekly Notices:**

Next Weekend Bishop Brian will celebrate our Vigil and Sunday Masses. He will confer the Sacrament of Confirmation on few of our children at Sunday 10am Mass. On Monday at 5pm he will raise our brother Tony Livesey to the Order of Deacons

Please let us keep Tony Livesey in our prayers as he looks forward to his ordination as a permanent deacon in the Holy Roman Catholic Church of our Lord Jesus Christ. May we equally remember to pray for our young ones preparing for the sacrament of confirmation. There are confirmation cards display at the repository. I am sure they would appreciate a wee gift of encouragement.

**The offertory and other offerings take the form of retiral collection. Please drop your offerings in the basket at the exit door. However, Setting up standing order is very much encouraged. Do not forget to gift-aid your donations. Thank you.**

Both the standing order and Gift-aid forms for Skye Parish are available in the church for anyone that needs them. Equally, the gift aid envelopes are available for collections.

As Tony Livesey's diaconate ordination takes place in Portree on Monday August 17<sup>th</sup> at 5pm, there will be no social celebration after the ordination Mass, but will take place in the nearest future. The seating capacity of the church is limited due to "2-meter distance". Please do not feel offended if you do not get a space. We hope to stream live the ordination Mass on our Parish Facebook page and You-Tube channel

### **Catechism of the Catholic Church: Confession**

**Things to do to prepare for Confession:**

- 1. Pray for the grace to make a good confession.**
- 2. Examine carefully your conscience.**
- 3. Make a perfect act of contrition.**
- 4. Resolve by God's grace to renounce sin and begin to live a new life**

### **Quote:**

***When you go to confession, you must understand what you are about to do. You are about to un-nail our Lord. —St John Mary Vianney***