



22nd October, 2023.

Twenty- Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time, A.

RC Diocese of Argyll and the Isles

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Masses during the Week

Monday: 11am. Funeral Mass for Mary McGlin.
Tuesday: 10am. Mass
Wednesday: 10am. Mass
Thursday: 10am. Mass
Friday: 10am. Mass
Saturday: 6pm. Vigil Mass.
Sunday: 9am. and 11am.

Confessions: Saturday at 5.30pm.

Eucharistic Adoration: Wednesday after Mass.

Rosary: After Thursday morning Mass in our Lady's Chapel.

Introduction to the Scripture Readings:

Isaiah 45: 1, 4-6 — I have taken Cyrus by his right hand to subdue nations before him.

1 Thessalonians 1:1-5 — We constantly remember your faith, your love and your hope.

Matthew 22: 15-21 — Give back to Caesar what belongs to Caesar.

On Sunday, 22nd October during 11am Mass we celebrate the **Baptism** of **Chizaramekpere Michelle Dimnwaiké**. We pray for Chizaramekpere and all her family on this joyous day. **Chinedu and Chioma** (Chizaramekpere's parents) invite Parishioners to a celebration for her Baptism, after 11am. Mass, in the Parish Hall.

The **Second Collection** over all this weekend's Masses is in respect of **Missio Scotland (Mission Sunday)**.

We look forward to the return of **Fr. Roddy** back to the Parish on **Monday evening (23rd October)** from his near three week break on holiday.

We also extend our heartfelt thanks to Fr. Walter, who stood in for Fr. Roddy while he was away and wish him all the very best on his move to be **Parish Priest at Caol and Glenfinnan**. Fr Walter takes up his position in Caol and Glenfinnan as from **Friday, 27th October**.

Catholic Youth Ministry Internships - Castlerigg Manor (The Lancaster Diocese Retreat Centre) is looking for young Catholics aged 18-25 to join their internship programme. The scheme lasts for one or two years and gives participants wide ranging experience, skills, training, and qualifications as well as the opportunity to work with a fantastic team based in the English Lake District.

For more information contact director@castleriggmanor.co.uk

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There will be a **Parish social night /fundraiser** in St. Mun's Hall on Friday, 17th November from 8pm until 11pm with **Paula MacAskill** from Fort William. Paula performed in our church hall last year and the evening was a great success. Paula is an award winning singer/musician of Scottish, country and Irish songs. Tickets cost £10 and will be a BYOB with nibbles available.

***** Tickets for the evening are now available to buy after all weekend Masses as from Saturday Vigil, *** (this weekend) until numbers reached that the Parish Hall can accommodate safely and will be on *** a first come first served basis. These will be on sale from the Porch at front of Church.**

Led By The Spirit: Phase Two concerns consultation on our Diocesan Resources. By visiting, ledbythespirit.org.uk or through the Diocesan website rcdai.org.uk you can learn much about our Diocesan resources, for example, Sunday Mass numbers and the financial status of every single parish in the Diocese over the past five years. It is a very transparent portrayal of our Diocesan resources.

For those Parishioners who may not have access to the Internet, there is a Summary of the Phase II consultations, available to take away and read through in the Porch at the entrance to the Church.

Help is required with the teas/coffees in the Parish Hall after Sunday, 11am Masses. If any Parishioner would like to volunteer to help, on a rota basis, please contact either Harry or Margaret Revie.

If any Parishioner is able to help at **11am Sunday Mass** to welcome people, help give out the Bulletin and from time to time, help with the Collection, please contact Jim MacLean.

Parish walking Group: Saturday morning at 11am, meeting in the church car-park. All welcome to come along and meet fellow Parishioners and have tea/coffee/cake after the walk.

Teas/Coffee are available in the Church hall after 11a.m. Mass on Sunday. All welcome.

BBC Scotland's Advisory Committee on Religion and Ethics invites any young people to attend an open forum in Pacific Quay, Glasgow, on **Thursday 28th October from 12.30 p.m. - 2.00 p.m.** The theme of the event is "Young People - Religion, Ethics and the BBC."

Please contact Michelle Dunlop to find out more and to book a place on: michelle.dunlop@bbc.co.uk