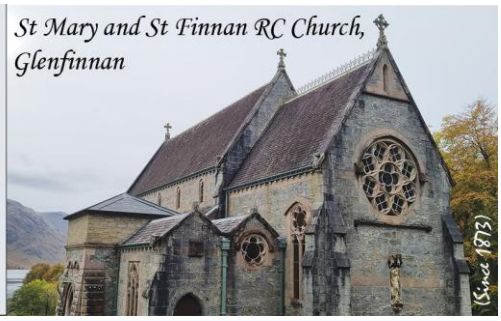


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PARISH PROGRAMME

Monday	10:00	Caol
(Eucharistic Service)		
Tuesday	No Mass	
Wednesday	No Mass	
Thursday	10:00	Caol
Friday	No Mass	
Sunday	10:00	Caol
	13:30	Glenfinnan

Confession Times:

Times available upon request

Anniversaries:

Donald MacPheta, Christina MacNeil, Arthur Findlay, Neil MacLeod, Donald MacDonald, Neil MacLean, Duncan Gillies, Colin Cameron John Lauder, Una Brown, Mary Mulroney, Jack Doyle, Esther Judge, Kathleen Mitchell, Edward Walsh, Johnnie Neill, Dick Cameron. May they rest in peace. Amen.



Welcome to Our Parish: Thank you for joining us today. We hope you feel uplifted by both our community and surroundings. If you're new, we'd love to meet you. Please say hello! May God bless you always.

Remembering Our Departed: Let us pray for our departed loved ones. Death does not end our bond in Christ. Entrust them to God's mercy and pray for their eternal rest. Envelopes are available at the church entrance for names to be remembered at Mass throughout November.

SCES Second Collection: Next Sunday there will be a second collection for the work of the Scottish Catholic Education Services. Please be as generous as you can. Thank you.

Church Cleaning - Thank You: Sincere thanks to all who helped clean our church. Your care and effort make it a welcoming place of prayer. May God bless your dedication and the love you show in service. Amen.

Remembrance Day: This Sunday 8th November is Remembrance Day. After Mass, we will gather at the War Memorial shortly after 2pm. Charlie will lay the wreath and Angus Ian will play the pipes.

Annual Parish Census - Results: Thanks for your cooperation last Sunday. St John's, Caol recorded 50 and St Mary's, Glenfinnan 15. God bless you.

Fr Sandy Culley's 40th Anniversary: Fr Sandy will celebrate his 40th anniversary of priesthood on Wednesday 2nd December at 6pm, St Mary's, followed by a gathering at the Railway Club. All are warmly welcome.

Finance Committee - Members: With gratitude we announce our Parish Finance Committee: Fr Charles Egbon (Chairman), Flora McKee (Secretary), Donald Campbell, Catherine Cameron, Heather Berriman and Frances Whyte. Please keep them in your prayers.

RCIA - Open to All: Our RCIA programme is a gentle journey into the Catholic faith, open to those preparing for sacraments and all parishioners seeking deeper understanding. Next class: Date to be fixed.

Prayers for Fr Charles: Please continue to keep Fr Charles in your prayers as he continues his treatment. For urgent pastoral matters, please contact Fr David on 01397 702174 or Fr Joe on 01855 811203.

Fr Charles's ***What Remains: Faith at the Edge of Scotland*** speaks to parents and grandparents whose children have drifted from the Church, holding grief and hope together.

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