

# St. Mary's RC Church

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## Parish Bulletin: 23 November 2025 Christ the Universal King (Year C (I); Psalter: Week 2)

| Date                                                 | Details                                   | Liturgies                                                       | Time                            |
|------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| <b>Saturday 22 November /<br/>Sunday 23 November</b> | <b>CHRIST THE UNIVERSAL KING</b>          | <b>Confession / Saturday Vigil Mass<br/>Sunday Morning Mass</b> | <b>5 pm / 6 pm<br/>11.30 am</b> |
| Monday 24 November                                   | St. Andrew Dung-Lac & Companions, Martyrs | Holy Mass                                                       | 10.00 am                        |
| Tuesday 25 November                                  | Tuesday of week 34 in Ordinary Time       | Holy Mass                                                       | 10.00 am                        |
| Wednesday 26 November                                | Wednesday of week 34 in Ordinary Time     | Holy Mass                                                       | 10.00 am                        |
| Thursday 27 November                                 | Thursday of week 34 in Ordinary Time      | Holy Mass                                                       | 10.00 am                        |
| Friday 28 November                                   | Friday of week 34 in Ordinary Time        | Holy Mass                                                       | 10.00 am                        |
| <b>Saturday 29 November /<br/>Sunday 30 November</b> | <b>FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT</b>             | <b>Confession / Saturday Vigil Mass<br/>Sunday Morning Mass</b> | <b>5 pm / 6 pm<br/>11.30 am</b> |

### NEWS

**Welcome to our visitors!** Next to the church is our hall (entrance at the back of the building). There is a toilet available, and we also have live transmission of Mass, via our TV screen. After Mass, we gather in the hall for **FREE** tea/coffee and cakes. Everyone welcome!

**Mary's Meals: Double The Love** – From 10 November 2025, donations made to Mary's Meals will be doubled by a group of generous supporters, up to £1.1 million. Your little acts of love can go further thanks to 'Double The Love', bringing hope to desperately hungry children and their families. Please pray that we can reach even more children around the world with our life-changing school meals this Christmas. There are many ways to give, including our gift cards. Find out more at [marysmeals.org.uk](http://marysmeals.org.uk). **NB. This year's parish Crib Collection will be donated to Mary's Meals.**

**Saturday, 22 November: Parish Christmas Fayre 2025 in the British Legion, 10am-12 noon** – please do come and sample some home-bakes with a quenching cuppa, meet new folk and old friends, and support the parish on this important fundraiser day.

**Christmas Lunch at 'The Classroom', Friday 12 December** – if you are attending the lunch, **could you take an envelope with you to Mass this weekend, with a £5 deposit within, please?** Write your name and contact phone number on the front, and hand it to Marie Cruickshank (Saturday evening), or to Blair (Sunday morning). Many thanks indeed. If there are any issues, contact: 07879 295610.

**Men's Rosary Group:** meets every Friday morning, at 6.00am onwards. All men welcome.

**90 Club: Next Draw on Sunday 30 November!** Would you also like to take part? Please speak to Elaine.

#### Christmas Liturgies 2025

Wednesday 24 December: Christmas Vigil –

Thursday 25 December: Solemnity of the Nativity –

**St. Mary's Nairn – 6.00pm: Carol Service; 6.30pm: Vigil Mass.**

St. Columba's Culloden – 9.00pm: Carol Service; 9.30pm: Vigil Mass

St. Columba's Culloden – 9.30am: Mass of Christmas Day.

**St. Mary's Nairn 11.30am: Mass of Christmas Day**

### SUNDAY COLLECTION

15/16 November 2025: £ 636.00

### FOR YOUR PRAYERS

**Sick:** Dorothy Ahern, Bruce Lamont, Ann Stewart, Siobhan, Freddie Brown, Shirley Mackay, Giuseppe Balistreri, John Walker

**RIP:** Andrew Stuart, Margaret MacNeil, Irene Butt, Mary Ness, Brocan Delaney

**Anniversaries:** Margaret Robertson (28 November 1992)