Newsletter of St Aidan's Aviemore, https://aviemore.rcda.scot St Anne's Grantown on Spey (Masses held in St Columba Episcopal Church) & Our Lady of the Rosary and St Columba, Kingussie

Sunday 8th January 2023 The Epiphany of the Lord, Year A

Mass times:

Saturday Vigils, Grantown-on-Spey 17.00 hrs Sundays, Kingussie 10.00 hrs Sundays, Aviemore 11.30 hrs Thursday 19th January, Aviemore 18.00 hrs Friday 20th January, Aviemore 18.00 hrs

Today's **Second Collection** in Grantown on Spey and Kingussie is **for Justice and Peace Scotland**. In Aviemore it will be the next Sunday 15th January. The National Commission for Justice and Peace advises the Scottish Bishops' Conference of the Catholic Church in matters relating to social justice, international peace and human rights, and promotes action in these areas. For further information, see the website: www.justiceandpeacescotland.org.uk.

Kolęda

Kolęda it is a Polish word for traditional Polish house visit and **house blessing** by a priest. It happens after Christmas. If you would like such a visit, please contact me.

I plan to be away from my parishes on **my annual leave** from Tuesday 10th January until Sunday 15th January. Sunday Masses will be celebrated as usually from St Mary's Inverness. If an emergency arises during this time please contact St Mary's Inverness, tel. 01463 233519.

➤ St. Aidan's, Aviemore

Maintenance Collection

Today is the 2nd Sunday of the month, a day for our monthly Maintenance collection. You may give your donation today into the basket dedicated for maintenance at the rear of the church. Thank you for your support. Recently as you may notice to my left side, we have had a new heater installed replacing the previous very old one.

The new one is very efficient and hence will cost less to operate. Last 2nd Sunday of the month the Maintenance Collection was £44.50

Fabric and Finance Committee meeting

On Tuesday 24th January 10.45 am is planned FFC meeting.

The last Sunday collection was £74.80

Mass attendance 44

➤ St. Anne's, Grantown

Masses are held in St Columba Episcopal Church in Grantown on Spey.

Recently passed away our parishioner **Sean Sullivan**. Please pray for Him and His family. The date of the funeral awaits confirmation.

➤ Our Lady of the Rosary and St Columba, Kingussie

The next weekday Mass in Kingussie is planned on Tuesday 24th January at 18.00hrs

Confession will be available 20 minutes before each Mass if possible or by appointment.

I am happy to visit any parishioner who is **sick**, **housebound**, **in hospital or care home**. Please let me know contacts details of anyone you are aware of who may like priests visit.

Any contribution for the **parish newsletter** by Thursday please.

Your support is very much appreciated. If you would like to support our parish with a standing order or a bank donation, please contact Fr Andrew for bank details.

Mass Intentions. Thank you for supporting me and other priests with Mass intentions. Please submit any requests for a Mass with as much notice as possible. Any donations for this would be most gratefully received.

Mondays are usually **a day off** for the priest. I would be grateful if you would respect it, unless it is an emergency.

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