

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

## **22<sup>nd</sup> January 2023, 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the Year A**

Mass times:

Saturday Vigils, Grantown-on-Spey 17.00 hrs

Sundays, Kingussie 10.00 hrs

Sundays, Aviemore 11.30 hrs

Tuesday, Kingussie 18.00 hrs

Wednesday, Grantown-on-Spey 10.00 hrs

Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> January, Aviemore 18.00 hrs

**The Week of Prayer for Christian Unity** began on Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> January and lasts until Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> January

There are still few free spaces for **World Youth Days** in Lisbon 2023. Dates: 25th July - 7th August 2023 If you are interested, please contact me.

### **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.

In our parish there will be preparation for the Sacrament of Reconciliation and **First Holy Communion** from February. Parents of children aged 8 and over can collect the application form in the Sacristy.

### **➤ St. Aidan's, Aviemore**

#### **Safeguarding Officer**

Claire Thom would like to resign from being Safeguarding Officer in our parish. If you would to be Safeguarding Officer, please contact me.

### **Maintenance Collection**

In our church we have monthly maintenance collection on the 2nd Sunday of each month. If you do not plan to be in our church on the next 2nd Sunday of the month,

you may consider supporting us today into the basket dedicated for maintenance at the rear of the church. Thank you for your support.

### **Fabric and Finance Committee meeting**

On Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> January 10.45 am is planned FFC meeting.

The last Sunday collection was £82

Mass attendance 40

#### **➤ St. Anne's, Grantown**

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

#### **➤ Our Lady of the Rosary and St Columba, Kingussie**

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

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**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.