**30th June 2024, The Solemnity of St Peter and St Paul**

**Holy Mass times:**

Saturday Vigils, Grantown-on-Spey 5.00 pm

Sundays, Kingussie 10.00 am

Sundays, Aviemore 11.30 am

Tuesday, Kingussie 10.00 am

Wednesday, Grantown-on-Spey 10.00 am

Thursday, Aviemore 6.00 pm

**Fr George Hutcheon RIP**

After a long illness Fr George Hutcheon died on the 26th June in Aberdeen. His Requiem Mass will be at 10:30 am on Friday 5th July in the Aberdeen Cathedral followed by a burial.

**The Solemnity of St Peter and St Paul**

Today is the Solemnity of St Peter and St Paul. There will be a **collection for** **Peter’s Pence**. Peter’s Pence is the name of the financial help offered by the faithful to the Holy Father in support of his apostolic and charitable mission in favour of the universal Church and the entire world. Each donation, small or large, also has a powerful symbolic value – it is a concrete sign of communion with the Holy Father. More information you may find on: <https://www.obolodisanpietro.va/en/giornate-dell-obolo.html>

**New Mass Lectionaries – Appeal**

Bishops of major English-speaking countries have decided to update the liturgical texts and this will be obligatory from Advent 2024. I would like to appeal to our friends and parishioners, if perhaps someone would like to sponsor the books. The price is £695 for 4 volumes. Each set comes with four stickers that can be inscribed with the names of those who donate towards the new liturgical books on behalf of their parish or chapel. It is also possible to sponsor one volume contributing £150. More information about new lectionaries you may find on: <https://www.ctsbooks.org/product/lectionary-ambo-edition/>

Our churches will require:

1. Aviemore £695 for 4 volumes

2. Grantown on Spey £695 for 4 volumes (All funds have been donated by parishioners.)

3. Kingussie £695 for 4 volumes (£150 was donated by a benefactor.)

**➢ St. Aidan’s, Aviemore**

Last Sunday’s collection was £103

Mass attendance 46

**Maintenance Collection**

In our church we have a monthly maintenance collection on the 2nd Sunday of each month. If you have not been with us recently you may consider supporting us today. Donations should be placed in the basket dedicated for maintenance at the back of the church. The current project is the redecoration of the main wall in the Sanctuary here in the church. Last 2nd Sunday of the month maintenance collection was £71.60. Thank you for your support.

Aviemore bank account details are: RCD of Aberdeen Sort Code 80-05-40 Account number 00836987; cheques RCD St Aidan’s Aviemore

**➢ Grantown on Spey Catholic Community**

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

Last Sunday’s collection was £58

Mass attendance 21

May direct debit payments £240

Grantown on Spey Catholic Community bank account details are: RCD of Aberdeen Sort Code 80-05-40 Account number 00171333 Cheques: RCD St. Annes Grantown

**➢ Our Lady of the Rosary and St Columba, Kingussie**

Kingussie bank account details are: RC Dcese of Argyll the Isles-Kingussie Sort Code 83-91-25 Account number 65628045.

**Holy Mass intentions this week:**

Saturday:

Sunday: 10 am For Parishioners

Sunday: 11.30 am For John Glen RIP

Monday:

Tuesday:

Wednesday:

Thursday:

Friday:

Saturday:

Saturday:

Sunday: 10 am

Sunday: 11.30 am For Parishioners

**Holy Mass Intentions.**  Please submit any requests for a Mass with as much notice as possible. Any donations would be most gratefully received.

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**Confession** will be available 20 minutes before each Mass, if possible or by appointment. There will be no confessions in Aviemore before Sunday Mass.

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 priest’s visit.

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

If you would like to support our church with a direct debit/ standing order/ bank donation, please find the bank account details above. **Your support is very much appreciated.** You may consider leaving a gift in your Will.

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

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

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