

# 6<sup>th</sup> October 2024, 27<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the Year B

## Holy Mass times:

Saturday, Grantown-on-Spey 5.00 pm Vigil - Fulfils Sunday Obligation

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

Friday, Aviemore 10.00 am

### October, a Month of the Rosary

October is a month dedicated especially to the prayer of the Rosary. In October, after every weekday Mass we will say Rosary.

#### ➤ St. Aidan's, Aviemore

##### Rosary Walk and Prayer

Pope Francis has called for a day of prayer and fasting for peace on Monday, October 7, the first anniversary of the start of the catastrophic conflict in the Holy Land. In our parish of St Aidan's on Sunday 6th Oct immediately after 11.30 am Mass we will process around Craigellachie Walk then back to the Church. Our Blessed Mother has repeatedly asked us for more Rosaries for Peace throughout the Globe. This is a chance to do our bit.

#### Weekday Masses

Weekday Masses in the heating season are planned to be moved to the sacristy, with exception when big attendance is expected.

#### Teas and coffees

Teas and coffees after 11:30 Mass. All donations appreciated.

Last Sunday's collection was £190.50

Mass attendance 76

#### Maintenance Collection

Next Sunday is the 2nd Sunday of the month. We will have in our church a monthly maintenance collection. The current project is the redecoration of the main wall in the Sanctuary here in the church. September 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of the month maintenance collection was £58.40. If you do not plan to be with us next Sunday you may consider supporting us today by putting a donation into the basket at the back of the church. 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 £97

Mass attendance 16

August 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  
Parish Council**

Last Tuesday we had a parish meeting to discuss various parish businesses. I decided to create in our parish a Parish Council and invited those present at the meeting to be members of this council. If you would like to be a member, please let me know. At present members are: Ellen Quinn, Sheena Brien, Hazel Kay. The purpose of the Parish Council is to advise a priest in charge of the parish in parish businesses.

**Our Lady of the Rosary Memorial: Community Rosary, Monday, 7<sup>th</sup> October 6.30 pm**

In honour of our namesake, the parishioners at Kingussie, will pray a community Rosary on this day of her Memorial at 6.30 pm. Everyone is welcome and to stay behind afterwards for some warm soup and a chat. For more information call Ellen: 07730 654616

**Feast of All Saints, HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION, Holy Mass Friday, 1<sup>st</sup> November at 6 pm**

During this Holy Mass, we will also light candles and pray for our dearly departed, who are commemorated on 2<sup>nd</sup> November, All Souls Day, and remembered at Sunday Mass throughout the month of November. PLEASE NOTE: NO Tuesday Mass that week on 29<sup>th</sup> October.

**Votive Candles - All Souls**

Ellen will take requests soon for candles to be dedicated to named individual deceased family and friends.

**Bible Crafts**

We are excited to announce that this class is starting for a 2-week trial period in October. Kids will have the opportunity to learn about some of the most well-loved and exciting stories from the Old Testament and about the life and sacrifice of Jesus in the New Testament. They will then make a model or paint a picture to tell each story through their own artwork. The class will be run by Hazel Kay and Anna-Grace Gordon on Tuesday evenings 1<sup>st</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> October, from 5pm to 6.30pm in the church house. If you know of a child between 6 and 11 years who would like to take part or you would like more info, contact Hazel: 07359122740 or write to her at [h.kay755@outlook.com](mailto:h.kay755@outlook.com).

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

**Holy Mass intentions:**

Saturday: available  
Sunday: 10 am For Parishioners  
Sunday: 11.30 am  
For Edilberto Lingat RIP 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary  
Monday: available  
Tuesday: For Maria RIP and deceased  
members of the Family  
Wednesday: available  
Thursday: available  
Friday: available  
Saturday: available  
Sunday: 10 am For Parishioners  
Sunday: 11.30 am  
For Matthew Drake RIP

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

**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 receive parish newsletter on your email please contact the priest.

Our places of worship depend on the generosity of our parishioners, friends, and benefactors. Every gift we receive supports our presence and our buildings. **Thank you for your generosity!** 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.

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