



*Parish Bulletin of  
St Andrew's, Dumfries  
and  
St Columba's, Annan*

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**Times of Mass and Services  
17th—23rd June 2019**

**Tuesday** Mass in St Columba's at 10 am  
**Wednesday** Mass in St Andrew's at 10 am  
**Thursday** Mass in St Columba's at 10 am (requiem)  
**Friday** Mass in St Andrew's at 10 am  
**Saturday** Mass in St Andrew's at 10 am  
**Saturday Morning:** Mass, confessions and exposition on the 1st and 3rd and 5th Saturdays will be in St Teresa's and on the 2nd and 4th Saturdays in St Andrew's.  
**Monday, Tuesday Thursday:** Mass in St Teresa's, 10 am

**SUNDAY MASSES**

Saturday Vigil Mass in St Andrew's at 6 pm  
Mass in St Andrew's at 10 am  
Mass in St Columba's at 12 noon

**Sacrament of Reconciliation**

After Mass on Thursday and on Saturday morning  
Between 5-5.30 pm Saturday  
and on request at any other suitable time

**Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament**

After Mass on Thursday evening and Saturday morning

**Holidays of Obligation**

Mass in St Andrew's at 9.30 am & 7 pm  
Mass in St Columba's at 11.30 am

**First Friday of the month, St Columba's**

Eucharistic Service at 10 am followed by tea/coffee

**First Sunday of the month, St Columba's**

Coffee after Mass

**First Saturday of the month, St Andrew's**

Devotions to Our Lady of Fatima, 5 pm

**15/16th June 2019**

**Trinity Sunday (year C)**

**Today's Liturgy** Eucharistic Prayer II

**Readings**

Proverbs 8:22-31  
Romans 5: 1-5  
John 6: 12-15

**Spoken Psalm Response**

How great is your name, O Lord, our God,  
Through all the earth

**Next Sunday** Corpus Christi



**Trinity Sunday**

Today we celebrate the Most Holy Trinity—Father, Son and Holy Spirit; Creator, Redeemer and Sustainer. We are taught about love, gratitude and hope.

**Father Gerald's Mass intentions for this week**

Wednesday: Agnes Newall  
Thursday: Antonio Gomez  
Friday: Johnny Donnelly  
Saturday: Bessie Smith  
Sunday: For the Parish

**Pope Francis' prayer intention for June 2019**

That priests, through the modesty and humility of their lives, commit themselves actively to solidarity with those who are most poor.

**Hospital Visiting Policy**

If a patient wishes a visit from a priest or deacon text or message the RC Chaplain on 07 591 230 828 or email [rcchaplain.hospital@yahoo.com](mailto:rcchaplain.hospital@yahoo.com)

[www.virc.at](http://www.virc.at) This website provides the readings for the Mass in many languages.

**Please remember in your prayers those who are sick everyone on the family prayer ministry prayer requests. and all those whose needs are not known to us.**

Michael Clark	Elizabeth Elliot	Donald & Betty
Joan Jeavons	Betty Fulton	Finnan
Norah McDonald	Connie Green	

If there is anyone who would appreciate a visit, or who is unable to get to Mass, please pass on details

Please take a copy of the bulletin home to remind you of the times of services and events during the coming week, and please take a copy to anyone you know who is sick or housebound.



### ***First Holy Communion Sunday 16th June***

Congratulations to all children from St Andrew's and St Columba's who celebrate First Holy Communion this Sunday. Congratulations to all parents, families and friends as well as those who helped as teachers and Catechists.

## **St Andrew's**

### ***Meetings***

The SSVP Conference will meet on Thursday 20th June at 7:30pm in the Church House

### ***Safe-guarding in the Church***

There will be a Safeguarding Induction (Part 1) training session for all volunteers who have not yet attended the Part 1 training at 2.30pm this Sunday, 16th June, at St Teresa's, Dumfries. This training is mandatory for anyone volunteering with children or vulnerable adults. Please let Susan Leask (01387 820 752) know if you are able to attend.

### ***Educate the Kids African Children's appeal***

The charity needs your help. It costs £11.00 per month for a primary school child and £25.00 for a secondary school child. St Andrew's parish is currently sponsoring four children in Kenya. By donating £15.00 per year we can maintain these children's education and help many more besides. For more information or to make your donation please speak to Maire Crawford on 01387 264 264 or Diane Brittain on Tel 01387 261 749 Find out more about the charity at [www.educatethekids.com](http://www.educatethekids.com) and have a look at the poster on the notice board.

### ***Children's "Look" leaflets***

Surplus leaflets from the Children's Liturgy with puzzles relating to weekly Mass themes are now available at the back of the church. Please take for the use of younger parishioners.

### ***Sunday tea/coffee***

A reminder that refreshments are available in the hall after morning Mass on most Sundays. Come for a breather before rushing off. There's also a valuable opportunity to sign up for the coffee rota if you'd like the fun of providing the goodies now and again!

### ***Hidden talents***

The annual DCN Guid Nyburris "Songs of Praise" last Sunday was a great success and all the moreso due to the participation of 3 talented, young parishioners in the junior choir. Well done to them!

### ***Weekly Collection***

The collection last week amounted to £965.08. Over the last two weeks parishioners gave £245.24 to the St Vincent de Paul. The Jars of Hope increased by £26 and now stands at £196. Thank you.

## ***St Joseph's College Annual Show***

### ***Back to the eighties***



Next week until Friday 21st June in the Assembly hall. Doors open 7 pm, tickets from the Midsteeple and on the door.

## ***Family Prayer Ministry***

Remember St Andrew's has a family prayer ministry where you are asked to pray for intentions asked by parishioners anonymously - the names of those to be prayed for known only to God. Every month the prayer requests are placed in an envelope on the Lady altar. Prayer cards and request sheets are on the table at the back of the church - just taking a prayer card and saying the prayer every day will ensure your participation.

Prayer is a powerful tool - let us make sure our prayers are heard and make sure our prayers can help those in need.

If you have someone in need of prayer—or if there is something happening in your life that you are worried about, fill in a prayer request slip and direct the power of prayer to it.

## **St Columba's**

### ***Coffee Rota***

Volunteers needed to prepare tea and coffee on the first Sunday of the month. There is a list on notice board at back of church: if you would like to help please put your name down.

### ***St Columba's Parish Summer Picnic***



There will be a parish summer picnic on Sunday 14th July after 12 o'clock Mass. It will be the same format as Fr Joe's birthday celebration, bring your own picnic and refreshments. Tea, coffee and juice will be provided on the day. Let's hope the sun shines this time.

### ***Weekly Collection***

The collection for last week amounted to £280.51. The SCIAF door collection totalled £9.90. Thank you.

***Stuart R.I.P*** We pray for the repose of the soul of Stuart Graham who died recently. We pray for the comforting of his family. The Requiem Mass for Stuart is on Thursday 20th June at 10 am in St Columba's Annan.

***David Buckley R.I.P.*** we pray also for David Buckley of Annan who has died. David's funeral arrangements are yet to be made.