

St Kessog's Catholic Parish: One Parish, two churches

St Anthony's Balfron & St Kessog's Blanefield

Parish Sunday Bulletin 30th May 2021

DAY & DATE	TIME	CHURCH	ACTIVITY	FEAST
Monday 31 st May	10:00 am	St Kessog's Blanefield	Daily Mass	The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Tuesday 1 st June	Day Off	Day Off	Day Off	St Justin
Wednesday 2 nd June	10:00 am	St Kessog's Blanefield	Daily Mass	
Thursday 3 rd June	9:20 am	St Kessog's Blanefield	Eucharistic Adoration	St Charles Lwanga and Companions
	10:00 am	St Kessog's Blanefield	Daily Mass	
Friday 4 th June	9:20 am	St Anthony's Balfron	Eucharistic Adoration	1 st Friday of Month
	10:00 am	St Anthony's Balfron	Daily Mass	
Saturday 5 th June	10:00 am	St Kessog's Blanefield	Daily Mass	St Boniface
Sunday 6 th June	9:30 am	St Anthony's Balfron	Sunday Mass	The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ
	11:00 am	St Kessog's Blanefield	Sunday Mass	

Weekly Celebrations Schedule: 31st May – 6th June 2021

Standing Order Payments: *Message from George*

This is specifically aimed at our parishioners paying by Standing Order into the current St Anthony's bank account.

Central Finance of the Archdiocese have instructed us that only one bank account should be operated in each parish and we should comply with this instruction. Therefore can I ask that all our parishioners currently paying through the bank amend their standing orders and make all donations to the account detailed below:

Bank: Royal Bank of Scotland

Account Name: Archdiocese of St Andrews and Edinburgh, St Kessog's Blanefield

Account Number: 10423646

Sort Code: 83-06-08

Special Collection: Day for Life (31 May)

A special Collection is organised in our archdiocese on this Sunday 31st May which is the Day for Life. *Day for Life donations will help pregnancy support projects in our Archdiocese and across Scotland. Your support will make a difference to unborn children and their mothers. As well as the parish collection, you can also donate online at <http://bit.ly/DayforLifeCollection2021>. Alternatively donate by cheque, payable to 'Archdiocese of St Andrews & Edinburgh' (write 'Day for Life' on the back) and send to Pro-Life Office, Archdiocesan Offices, 100 Strathearn Road, Edinburgh, EH9 1BB. Thanks for your support.*

Mass on BBC (attachment)

Holy Mass will be broadcast on the **BBC Scotland channel** this **Sunday at midday (12:00 Noon)** from St James' Church, St Andrews. (See attached).

Rosary Rally (attachment)

A National Rosary Relay Rally for Faith, Life & Peace across the dioceses of Scotland and England & Wales takes place on Sunday, 30 May. Our Archdiocesan Rosary Hour is 1pm, and we are all encouraged to pray the Rosary at that time. Find out more at 'Rosary on the Coast' on Facebook.

Rosary with Pope Francis (attachment)

Carfin Lourdes Grotto will join live with Pope Francis for the crowning of his May Rosary Marathon at on Monday 31 May. Watch and pray at this special occasion via www.vaticannews.va or the Carfin Grotto Facebook.

Open Evening (attachment)

Do you want to deepen your knowledge of the Catholic faith? Are you a teacher, an aspiring school leader or simply intellectually curious? Come to an online open evening (Zoom) to hear about courses from St Mary's University, Twickenham, which will be taught at the Gillis Centre in Edinburgh this autumn. It takes place 6-7pm, Wednesday 2 June. Register at bit.ly/OurOpenEvening For more information about courses visit stmarys.ac.uk/edinburgh

Mental Health event (attachment)

The Archdiocese is hosting an event titled 'Mental Health and the Pandemic: How can we respond?'. It takes place on Monday, 7 June, 7:30-8:30pm (Zoom webinar) and features Father Tony Lappin and Professor John Crichton. Register at bit.ly/MentalHealth_Webinar

ACN Benefactors' Day

Bishop Robson will celebrate Mass to mark Aid to the Church in Need's benefactors' day on Thursday, 10 June at 10am. You can watch it on the livestream section at www.dunkelddiocese.co.uk

Finance

We thank you for your financial support to our Parish. Nevertheless, we still need your support to face our regular bills or invoices. That is why, we still encourage you to make a standing order through the Parish Bank Account provided on our Website (www.parishofstkessog.org), or to send a cheque to Parish Priest House in Blanefield (See the mail address in the footer).

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Gift Aid: For any questions regarding donating to the parish, please contact George Edwards on Tel: 07866 683172 or e-mail: geojoedwards@yahoo.com

Parish Census: In order, for us, to function well as a Parish it is important that we have up to date contact details for all our parishioners. Please take a few minutes to complete the registration form on the website: <https://parishofstkessog.org/> (in the 'Connect' section, under the 'Welcome' heading). Thank You.

Parish Bulletin: If you have any news you would like included in our Sunday Parish Bulletin, please email it to Frances: fmdouglas61@icloud.com (Mobile: 07901336305) by Thursday evening. If you know of anyone who would like to receive the bulletin by email, please let Frances know. The current bulletin and previous ones can also be seen on the parish website.

Cleaning & Flowers Rotas

	St Anthony's Balfron	St Kessog's Blanefield	Date
Cleaning	Gerry & Susan	Patricia Orr	Week 31 st May – 5 th June
Flowers	Frances	Anne Brown	Saturday 5 th June