



# ST EDWARD'S PARISH KETTERING

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1st Lent Sunday Year A

5th March 2017

## Times of Liturgies

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEKEND		
<b>SATURDAY</b>	St Edward	6.00pm Ian & Meg Clement RIP
<b>SUNDAY</b>	St Edward	8.00am Kath Navin RIP
		10.30am Margaret Comac
		1.00pm Polish Mass
		5.00pm <b>Stations of the Cross</b>
		7.00pm Paul RIP
	Desborough	9.15am For the Parish
	Rothwell	10.45am Gilson Fam RIP
	Burton Latimer	9.00am Service with Deacon

<b>MONDAY</b>	Convent	8.00am P.I. (Naomi)
	St Edward	7.30pm Thomas RIP, (Memento: Jackie Fleming Anniv)
<b>TUESDAY</b>	Convent	8.00am Peter Quillinan RIP
	Burton Latimer	10.00am Pickles, Hutchins, Walsh Fam RIP
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	St Edward	10.00am Magna Buchana RIP
<b>THURSDAY</b>	Convent	5.30pm Charles & Jean Haywood RIP
	St Edward	7.30pm <b>Exposition &amp; Benediction</b>
	Rothwell	7.00pm Fr Paul Donovan RIP
<b>FRIDAY</b>	Desborough	7.00pm Gwen Atkinson RIP
	St Edward	7.30pm Massimo Cerreoni RIP
<b>SATURDAY</b>	St Edward	10.00am Martin Corrigan RIP

MASS INTENTIONS NEXT WEEKEND		
<b>SATURDAY</b>	St Edward	6.00pm Andrew Joy RIP
<b>SUNDAY</b>	St Edward	8.00am Jacqueline Fleming RIP
		10.30am Nicholas Worboys RIP
		1.00pm Polish Mass
		5.00pm <b>Stations of the Cross</b>
		7.00pm Antonio Berardi RIP
	Desborough	9.15am Service of Word & Communion
	Rothwell	10.45am For the Parish
	Burton Latimer	9.00am Richard Powell RIP

## ALTAR SERVERS

### MONDAY

A Shariah, D Binoy

### THURSDAY

A & C Loom

### FRIDAY

O Prosho, J Zacharia

### SATURDAY

10.00am

G & T Rejesh

6.00pm

A & C Farrell, J Ike

M Di Micco, A Neeson

### SUNDAY

8.00am

A C & J Loom T Joy

G Meledeth, G & T Rejesh

10.30am

B D & J Lopez, S Juanta

Angelo & Melbin Biju, C Miles

H Calaunan, J Robbins,

H Stephens, S & S Moni

George Biji

7pm

J Mendoza, T Batayola

R Binnie

## CONFESSION

Saturdays after 10am Mass  
and 7pm to 7.30pm.

## PASTORAL NOTES

## OUR DEANERY

Our Diocese is, for practical purposes, divided into Pastoral Areas or Deaneries. The Area to which we belong includes Father Brian Leatherland's Parish of Thrapston, Raunds and Oundle, our own Kettering Parish (with churches in Burton Latimer, Desborough and Rothwell), and Corby Parishes (St Brendan's with St Patrick's, Our Lady's with St John Ogilvie churches). The clergy of the Deanery meet from time to time and try and arrange events to which all parts of the Pastoral Area are invited. This has occurred with Divine Mercy Sunday, or Corpus Christi processions (e.g. at St Edward's School), or 40 hours prayer (at St Brendan's) in September. There are five priests and two deacons in our Area, with semi-retired Father Tony well-employed in Corby. These figures concentrate the mind for the future!

## Readings for the week:

Monday 6 March	Feria	Leviticus 19: 1-2; 11-18; Matthew 25: 31-46
Tuesday 7 March	Feria	Isaiah 55: 10-11; Matthew 6: 7-15
Wednesday 8 March	Feria	Jonah 3: 1-10; Luke 11: 29-32
Thursday 9 March	Feria	Esther 4: 17; Matthew 7: 7-12
Friday 10 March	Feria	Ezekiel 18: 21-28; Matthew 5: 20-26
Saturday 11 March	Feria	Deuteronomy 26: 16-19; Matthew 5: 43-48
Sunday 12 March	2nd Lent Sunday A	Genesis 12: 1-4a; 2 Timothy 1: 8-10; Matthew 17: 1-9

**PLEASE REMEMBER** in your prayers Maria Fraterrigo whose funeral was on Thursday 2nd March. May she rest in peace. Our prayers and condolences are with family and friends.

## NEXT SUNDAY

**2nd COLLECTION** for Cafod Friday Fast Day. See boxed notice.

**St Edward's Walkers** meet outside the church at 11 am for a 5 mile walk around Warkton. Bring a walking stick and snack. All welcome.

## THIS WEEK

**Tuesday 7th: SVP** meet at 7.30pm in the Upper room of the Church Hall.

**Wednesday 8th: "Footsteps"** meet at 6.00pm. Anyone from Years 7, 8, 9 most welcome in the Upper Room of the Church Hall.

**Wednesday 8th: Baptism Class** 8-9.00pm in the Presbytery.

**Friday 10th: First of four Lenten Do Cat meetings** see last week's boxed notice.

**Friday 10th: Cafod Lent Fast Day.**

**Friday 10th: DO CAT" SESSIONS FOR OUR YOUNG PEOPLE** from 6:30pm to 8:45pm in the Hall.

**Saturday 11th: Spirituality Reflection Morning at St Peter's Rushden 10.00am to 1.00pm led by Brian Purfield (Adult Faith Formation Mount Street Jesuit Centre) See posters.**

## DATES FOR THE DIARY

**Monday 13th March: UCM** meet at 8.00pm in the Lower Room, Speaker Dr Lorna Knight. New members most welcome.

**Fridays 17th March, 24th March and 31st March "DO CAT" SESSIONS FOR OUR YOUNG PEOPLE** will be on from 6:30pm to 8:45pm in the Hall.

**Monday 20th March: Thinking Theology lecture** at St Paul's School, Milton Keynes (see posters)

**Sunday 26th March: 5.30 p.m. St. Mary Magdalene Church, Geddington The Hermitage Ensemble, Russian Orthodox Male Voice Soloists; tickets not available at door only by email, please contact: [Geddingtonweekley@gmail.com](mailto:Geddingtonweekley@gmail.com)**

**7th-9th April - VOCATIONS WEEKEND** for men who would like to explore a vocation to the Priesthood. At Northampton Cathedral Accommodation will be provided. For more details please contact Fr Mark at the Cathedral on 01604 714556. Please remember our students and those attending the weekend in your prayers

**Saturday 22nd April: St Edward's Church - Recital,** 7.30pm with Susannah Sturman, violin, and Edward Pick, piano. Advance tickets £10, ring 01536 649857 or 01536 482998. Proceeds to Northampton Cathedral Centre. See poster in porch.

## CAFOD FRIDAY FAST DAY

As you will have heard, next Friday 10th March is the annual Lenten Fast Day and there will be a special second collection next weekend to receive any money saved through fasting and any other gifts you wish to make. Please use the special Gift Aid envelopes wherever it is possible to sign the tax declaration. These envelopes can also be used for any late donations over the next few weekends, just put the offering in the envelope in the normal parish collection.

## GENERAL NOTICES

### Flower Festival

After 8.00 am and 10.30am Masses this Sunday 5th and next Sunday 12th March there will be tea and coffee offered in the hall inviting volunteers to help with the Flower Festival which is scheduled to take place on 15/16 July this year.

**"My Day by Day for Lent", now available. £1 plus a Junior edition 50p, a very good read recommended.**

**St Edward's Garden Team** would like to thank all who helped and supported the coffee morning. £100.96 was raised for Fr Jo. Next one Wednesday 5th April 10.30am. All welcome.

**"HM Prison Grendon Underwood** Bucks HP18 0TL is seeking to appoint a suitably qualified deacon, religious or lay person to the post of Catholic chaplain. This is a part time post. We are looking for candidates who are experienced in working with people on the edge of society, who have some pastoral experience, a love for the Church and an ability to work in a multi faith environment. The job is for 20 hours a week, working arrangements will be worked out later. The **closing date** for applications is **13th March.**" Further details Monsignor Roger Reader, [Roger.Reader@cbcew.org.uk](mailto:Roger.Reader@cbcew.org.uk)"

## FLOWER FESTIVAL AT ST EDWARD'S CHURCH

15th & 16th July 2017 St Edward's Flower Group is having its first ever flower festival this July.

The Parish is blooming with a multitude of diverse communities which we are hoping to reflect during the weekend. The group wishes to extend an invitation to our many cultures to join us in our celebration.

For anyone who would like to find out more we shall be available in the Church Hall for a cup of tea and a chat after the 8.00am and 10.30 Mass on Sunday 5th and 12th March, hope to see you then. Cathy McInally 01536 483016.

## NEWS FROM BURTON LATIMER

St Nicholas Owen church will be celebrating its 45th Anniversary with a **celebration Mass** on Sunday 12th March 9.00am. All welcome. Refreshments will be served afterwards and parishioners are welcome to bring cakes, biscuits, savoury contributions. Sign up on sheet in porch.

**ARE YOU CONCERNED OR TROUBLED** about something in your life? Perhaps you are stressed, depressed or lonely? Are you struggling with aspects of your faith? Whatever it may be, trained helpers of **The Northampton Diocese Catholic Listening and Prayer Ministry** are here for all adults who would like to speak to someone in confidence. (Please note this is NOT a crisis line). **For appointment phone/ text 075 31 55 27 28 Mon- Fri 2-4pm.**

## SAFEGUARDING

Your Parish Safeguarding Representative has recently been on training in connection with domestic abuse. I have 4 copies of "Digital Parenting" magazine that can be borrowed by parents concerned about their children's safety online, if you have not already received one via a school. Vivien Caldwell 01536 501255