



ST EDWARD'S PARISH KETTERING

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BAPTISM OF THE LORD Year C

10th January 2016

Times of Liturgies

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEKEND

SATURDAY	St Edward	6.00pm	Elizabeth McHugh, Philomena Mahon RIP
SUNDAY	St Edward	8.00am	Anne White RIP
		10.30am	Shey Conway RIP
		1.00pm	Polish Mass
		5.00pm	Vespers & Benediction
		7.00pm	Sister Miriam Int
	Desborough	9.00am	Service of Word & Communion
	Rothwell	10.30am	Richard, Andrew Wellington Int
	Burton Latimer	9.00am	For the Parish

MONDAY	St Edward	7.30pm	P.I. MG
TUESDAY	Convent	8.00am	P.I. (Norton)
	Burton Latimer	10.00am	Nuala Hammond RIP
WEDNESDAY	St Edward	10.00am	Sister Liz RIP, Patrick Miller RIP
THURSDAY	Convent	5.30pm	Calire Cheetham RIP
	St Edward	7.30pm	Exposition & Benediction
	Rothwell	7.00pm	Julia Robarts RIP
FRIDAY	Desborough	7.00pm	Eileen Stokes RIP
	St Edward	7.30pm	Jackie Scott RIP
SATURDAY	St Edward	10.00am	Iris Whitehead RIP

MASS INTENTIONS NEXT WEEKEND

SATURDAY	St Edward	6.00pm	Clara Tassell, Eric Davie RIP
SUNDAY	St Edward	8.00am	John Edward Doherty RIP
		10.30am	John Garvie RIP
		1.00pm	Polish Mass
		5.00pm	Vespers & Benediction
		7.00pm	Bridie Harford RIP
	Desborough	9.00am	For the Parish
	Rothwell	10.30am	Stanley Wood RIP
	Burton Latimer	9.00am	Buchan, Reeves F&F RIP

ALTAR SERVERS

MONDAY	I Binoy, J Georger
THURSDAY	A & R Thottam
FRIDAY	A C & J Loom
SATURDAY	10.00am B & J Makkil
	6.00pm A & C Farrell, H Fawcett, J Ike
SUNDAY	8.00am A C & J Loom, T Joy
	10.30am A O & A Kularatnam, E Ike
	B & J Makkil, H Calaanun
	C Miles, S & S Moni
	J Robbins, D Lopez
	R & P Constantine, I Binoy
	7pm E Hallam, J Mendoza
	T Batayola, J & R Binnie

CONFESSION

Saturdays after 10am Mass
and 7pm to 7.30pm.
Other times at request.

PASTORAL NOTES

FIRST AMERICAN SAINT

4th January is the feast-day of St Elizabeth Ann Seton, born in New York in 1774. She married and had five children, caring also for the six younger siblings of her husband. They lived between 1801 and 1803 in the house which later became the Mission of Our Lady of the Rosary, which offered information and advice to newly arriving immigrants from Ireland, an enormous help to prevent them from being exploited. Elizabeth Seton's husband died of TB in 1803. Elizabeth herself converted to Catholicism in 1805 and in 1809 founded a congregation of religious women, the Sisters of Charity. It provided orphanages and schools for poor children. Elizabeth became known as Mother Seton. She died of TB in 1821 and was canonised by Pope Paul VI in 1975. (Information by courtesy of 'Africa' magazine.)

Readings for the week:

Monday 11 January	Feria	1 Samuel 1: 1-8; Mark 1: 14-20
Tuesday 12 January	Feria	1 Samuel 1: 9-20; Mark 1: 21-28
Wednesday 13 January	Feria	1 Samuel 3: 1-10. 19-20; Mark 1: 29-39
Thursday 14 January	Feria	1 Samuel 4: 1-11; Mark 1: 40-45
Friday 15 January	Feria	1 Samuel 8: 4-7. 10-22; Mark 2: 1-12
Saturday 16 January	Feria	1 Samuel 9: 1-4. 17-19. 10: 1; Mark 2: 13-17
Sunday 17 January	2nd Ordinary Sunday C	Isaiah 62: 1-5; 1 Corinthians 12: 4-11; John 2: 1-11

PLEASE REMEMBER in your prayers Eileen (Rene) Stokes who died 30th December and whose funeral service at Holy Trinity, Desborough, is on Monday 18th January at 12 noon. May she rest in peace. Our prayers and condolences with all the family.

THIS SUNDAY

St Edward's Walkers meet outside the church at 11.00am for a 3 mile walk around Twywell Hills & Dales. Please bring a walking stick and drink. All welcome.

NEXT SUNDAY

Second Ordinary Sunday of the Year and we will start using Cycle C in our Missals

THIS WEEK

Monday 11th: Union of Catholic Mothers meet at 8.00pm in the Lower Room with the **A.G.M.** New members most welcome.

Wednesday 13th: "Footsteps" planning meeting for Spring term at 6.00pm in the Presbytery. **'Footsteps'** resumes on Wednesday 20th January.

Wednesday 13th: Baptism class in the Presbytery at 8.00pm.

Thursday 14th: Parish Forum meets at 8.00pm in the Lower Meeting Room at St Edward's Church Hall. Everybody welcome, particularly new faces with new ideas.

DATES FOR THE DIARY

29th to 31st January: 11-18 year olds Residential Weekend **"Lux.Mercy"** at Kings Park Conference Centre Northampton. www.nymo.org.uk.

Friday 5th February - Masquerade Children's Choir at St Edward's Church, **7.00pm**. £6 to include refreshments. Proceeds to Union of Catholic Mothers.

World Youth Day Krakow 2016 is now fully booked. Please keep the Pilgrims in your prayers as they prepare for the Event at the end of July.

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity

23rd to 30th January 2016

We host the Main United Service at St Edward's, on Saturday 23rd at 3.00pm.

The service will include the induction of Fiona as our new President, and the preacher will be **Bishop Peter Doyle**, the Bishop of the Northampton Catholic Diocese.

Please do make every effort to support our Bishop and our event. Everyone is welcome both to the service and to refreshments afterwards in the church hall. See poster. Details of events in other Churches will be announced in due course.

Notices for Newsletter

should be in writing please and delivered to
2 The Grove, NN15 7QQ or emailed to
canon.john@stedwardskettering.org.uk
The deadline is Wednesday at 1.00pm

GENERAL NOTICES

No Convent Mass on Monday but there is one on Tuesday at 8.00am and Thursday at 5.30 pm as usual.

Peace Sunday is on 17th January When we are asked to support "Pax Christi". Donation envelopes will be available in all churches, these can be placed in the normal first collection on any Sunday in the next few weeks. This is not a mandatory collection so there will be no formal second collection.

"The work of Pax Christi is based on the gospel and inspired by faith. Our vision is of a world where people can live in peace, without fear of violence in all its forms. Rooted in Catholic Christianity, we work with all who share our values to abolish war and create communities of peace and justice".

Further information from www.paxchristi.org.uk

Young musicians

We meet on Saturday 16th January from 12 noon - 1pm. New members very much welcome.

Oasis Bookshop. The closing date is Saturday February 20th not Monday February 29th, Apologies for the error.

Sacramental Preparation for Children in non-Catholic Schools

Registration and Introduction took place on Saturday 9th January, and regular classes start at 9.00am on 16th January in the upper room of the Hall at the Back of St Edwards Church, If your child was not registered then but does require preparation please bring them to the 16th January meeting arriving a few minutes early. Any enquiries to Mrs Maureen Everington 01536 513516.

Details of preparation Classes for Confirmation will be announced shortly.

CAFOD Supporters' Day – All welcome!

Join us on **Sat 23 Jan-** St Teresa' Hall, New Road, Princes Risborough HP27 0JN **Sat 30 Jan-** Christ the King Hall, Harrowden Road, Bedford MK42 0SP to hear about CAFOD's work in Uganda and how you have helped. Coffee/tea from 10am, session from: **10:30am-1.30pm** followed by lunch. If transport is a problem, we may be able to help! To book a place : northampton@cafod.org.uk or 01844 274 723.

New Year's Resolution – Volunteer for CAFOD

Why not make volunteering for CAFOD your New Year's resolution? We need volunteers to speak in Schools and/or parishes about our work in the developing world. Training will be given. If you are able to use social media, we would love to hear from you too. Please get in touch on 01844 274 723 or northampton@cafod.org.uk if you are interested.

Discipleship in Action. a free event organised by the Diocese of Peterborough for any Christians wanting to put their faith into practice in everyday life, at Corby Business Academy, Gretton Road, Corby, NN17 5EB from 10am to 4pm on **Saturday 30th January**...Bookings can now be made to attend the day, details and booking <http://www.peterborough-diocese.org.uk/news-and-events/events/details/1279>.