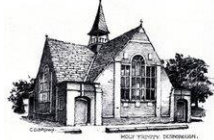




ST EDWARD'S PARISH KETTERING

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6th Sunday Year A
Times of Liturgies

12th February 2017

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEKEND

SATURDAY	St Edward	6.00pm	Boyle, Collacott Fam RIP
SUNDAY	St Edward	8.00am	Nova Prescott RIP
		10.30am	Joanne Lafferty RIP
		1.00pm	Polish Mass
		5.00pm	Vespers & Benediction
		7.00pm	Julie Gerndt RIP
	Desborough	9.00am	Service of Word & Communion
	Rothwell	10.30am	Stanley & Doris Wood RIP
	Burton Latimer	9.00am	For the Parish

MONDAY	Convent	8.00am	Dennis Thurland RIP
	St Edward	7.30pm	James Nolan RIP
TUESDAY	Convent	8.00am	Bob & Nellie Phelan RIP
	Burton Latimer	10.00am	Paul Donovan RIP
WEDNESDAY	St Edward	10.00am	Stuart Cadlock RIP
THURSDAY	Convent	5.30pm	Jessie Spreckley RIP (Anniv)
	St Edward	7.30pm	Exposition & Benediction
	Rothwell	7.00pm	Malcolm Wallace RIP
FRIDAY	Desborough	7.00pm	Paul Jones RIP
	St Edward	7.30pm	Ruby Dellet RIP
SATURDAY	St Edward	10.00am	Robert Stackpole Int

MASS INTENTIONS NEXT WEEKEND

SATURDAY	St Edward	6.00pm	Teresa Agnes Ferguson RIP
SUNDAY	St Edward	8.00am	Helen Kerr RIP
		10.30am	Marion Forsdyke RIP
		1.00pm	Polish Mass
		5.00pm	Vespers & Benediction
		7.00pm	Roger & Annie O'Brien RIP
	Desborough	9.00am	For the Parish
	Rothwell	10.30am	Service of Word & Communion
	Burton Latimer	9.00am	Kathleen Hunt RIP

ALTAR SERVERS

MONDAY
Angelo & Melbin Biju

THURSDAY
A & R Thottam

FRIDAY
G & T Rejesh

SATURDAY
10.00am
J Zachariah, George Biji
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 A & 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.
Other times at request.

PASTORAL NOTES

FORMER KETTERING PRIEST

Please remember in your prayers a priest of our diocese, Mgr Paul Donovan, who died early on Wednesday 8th February in Stoke Mandeville Hospital. After his studies in Rome, Paul served as an assistant priest in Kettering from 1982-1985. He then worked as a Chaplain in the Royal Navy from 1985, with a full career Commission in 1997, becoming a Monsignor in 2006, Vicar General Bishopric of the Forces 2007, Queen's Honorary Chaplain 2007, Director, Naval Chaplaincy Service & Principal Roman Catholic Chaplain (Naval) 2007-2011. Returning to the Diocese he served in St Aidan's, Northampton 2012-2014, and then at St Augustine's, High Wycombe from 2014. May he now rest in peace. Details of the Funeral not yet known. Please also keep in your prayers Father Patrick Bailey, retired, parish priest at Kettering from 1978-1990.

Readings for the week:

Monday 13 February	Feria	Genesis 4: 1-15; 25; Mark 8: 11-13
Tuesday 14 February	SS Cyril & Methodius	Acts 13: 46-49; Luke 10: 1-9
Wednesday 15 February	Feria	Genesis 8: 6-13; 20-22; Mark 8: 22-36
Thursday 16 February	Feria	Genesis 9: 1-13; Mark 8: 27-33
Friday 17 February	Feria	Genesis 11: 1-9; Mark 8: 34-9: 1
Saturday 18 February	Feria	Hebrews 11: 1-7; Mark 9: 2-13
Sunday 19 February	7th Ordinary Sunday C	Leviticus 19: 1-2; 17-18; 1 Corinthians 3: 16-23; Matthew 5: 38-48

PLEASE REMEMBER in your prayers Roy Roebuck who died Saturday 4th February. His funeral service at St Bernadette's, Rothwell, will be held on Monday 13th February at 11.00am. May he rest in peace. Our prayers and condolences are with all the bereaved families and friends.

THIS SUNDAY

St Edward's Walkers meet outside the church at 11.00am for a 3-4 mile walk around Kettering Leisure Village. Bring walking pole and snack. All welcome.

THIS WEEK

Monday 13th: UCM meet in the Lower Room at 8.00pm. New members always welcome.
Wednesday 15th: 7.30pm **Whole Parish Open Meeting** in St Edward's Church Hall. See Boxed notice.
Saturday 18th: **Dr Robert Stackpole STD** on the Divine Mercy message, **11.00-1.00pm**. See general notices.
Saturday 18th February: Cafod supporters' days. See general notice.

Whole Parish Open Meeting Wednesday 15th February in St Edward's Church Hall, 7.30pm This is a follow up to the first Open Meeting on 30th October 2016

The main and first item on the Agenda will be the talk by Rev Canon Leslie McCormack from SS Peter and Paul Church about their Thursday Soup Kitchen and how we might complement this very worthwhile outreach work with a similar event in our hall on another day. It was however agreed at the October Meeting that there would be a period of reflection about all aspects of outreach, community building etc. and this needs taking forward. Please come along with the results of your reflections. It would be helpful if any agenda items were notified to the clergy before the meeting.
Canon.john@stedwardskettering.org.uk

DATES FOR THE DIARY

Monday February 27th, 7-00pm at Toller Church Kettering Street Pastors open meeting (poster follows)
Friday 3rd March: First of four **DoCat** meetings in St Edward's Hall
Friday 10th March: Cafod Lent Fast Day.
Saturday 11th March: 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.

LOOP System at St Edwards In recent months a substantial amount of time and money has been spent on improving the loop system for hearing aid users at St Edward's Church. All should now be working satisfactorily; however, a couple of people have reported problems. If you have experienced any difficulties in recent months please contact the Parish Property Manager (details below) and tell him of your experiences. Also please report to him if you find the system is now perfect!
Bill Nelson 01536 724436 bill.nelson@btinternet.com

NEWS FROM BURTON LATIMER

The Rosary Group next meet on Thursday 23rd February at 2.00pm with refreshments after. Please spare 40 minutes for this worthwhile gathering. All welcome

GENERAL NOTICES

"Footsteps" next meet after half-term, on Wednesday 8th March. We hope to go to Northampton on 22nd March to visit the Cathedral of Our Lady & St Thomas Becket.

If you have a child 6 or under from September 2017 and would like to join the Catholic Beaver Group please email their name, date of birth and a mobile number to ketteringscouts16@hotmail.co.uk

Employment opportunity St Luke Academies Trust is seeking to appoint a highly committed practising Catholic head teacher for **St Thomas More Catholic Primary School, Kettering**. The school is part of a multi academy trust consisting of four Catholic primary schools in Kettering and Corby. The position therefore offers the exciting opportunity to work within a supportive and dynamic group of head teachers, staff, directors and governors striving to develop excellence across schools. The position starts in September 2017. **Closing date for applications is February 20th.** For further details please email Nicola.Vaughan@st-luke-at.co.uk

Dr Robert Stackpole STD the renowned Theologian, Author and Director of the John Paul II Institute in Stockbridge, Massachusetts is giving talks on the **Divine Mercy message** and devotion in a number of parishes in our Diocese. He is at St Edward's Church **Saturday 18th from 11.00-1.00pm**. See poster at back of church as times have changed.

"My Day-by-Day" for February is at the back of the churches, £1, always a good read.

St Edward's Garden Team would like to thank all who helped and supported the coffee morning. £94.18 was raised for Northampton Cathedral Centre. Next one Saturday 4th March. All welcome.

Are you housebound and would like to start receiving communion at home? Please contact Mary Markham 01536 724089 or marymarkham2003@yahoo.co.uk, who will put the wheels in motion. If you know of anyone who might be in need of this, please make sure they have this information.

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

Safeguarding: St Edward's Parish is committed to Responsible Caring. Parish Safeguarding Representative viviencaldwell@hotmail.com or 01536 501255 Diocesan Safeguarding Coordinator safeguarding@northamptonshirediocese.com