



ST EDWARD'S PARISH KETTERING

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33rd Ordinary Sunday Year B

15th November 2015

Times of Liturgies

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEKEND

SATURDAY	St Edward	6.00pm	Nuala Hammond RIP
SUNDAY	St Edward	8.00am	Alicia Bykowska RIP
		10.30am	Frances Woloszuk RIP
		1.30pm	Polish Mass
		5.00pm	Vespers & Benediction
		7.00pm	Molly Parker RIP
	Desborough	9.00am	Delyse Silverstone RIP
	Rothwell	10.30am	For the Parish
	Burton Latimer	9.00am	Donald King, Shannon F&F RIP

MONDAY	Convent	8.00am	Bill & Molly Forsdyke RIP
	St Edward	7.30pm	Nonie Feehan RIP
TUESDAY	Convent	8.00am	UCM Int
	Burton Latimer	10.00am	Taylor, Rutter F&F RIP
WEDNESDAY	St Edward	10.00am	Shey Conway RIP
	St Edward	2.00pm	REQUIEM: Amerigo Mancini
THURSDAY	Convent	5.30pm	Fr Stan Condon, Mr & Mrs Condon RIP
	St Edward	1.30pm	REQUIEM: Eugeniusz Wicher
		7.30pm	Exposition & Benediction
	Rothwell	7.00pm	Canon Thomas Walmsley-Carter RIP
FRIDAY	Desborough	7.00pm	Lehmann, Kuhn Fam RIP
	St Edward	7.30pm	Holy Souls
SATURDAY	St Edward	10.00am	P.I. (Alexander/Chua Fam) Harold/Amy RIP

MASS INTENTIONS NEXT WEEKEND

SATURDAY	St Edward	6.00pm	Francis Simmonds RIP
SUNDAY	St Edward	8.00am	Cooney, Bolger, Elliott, Reed Fam RIP
		10.30am	P.I.
		1.30pm	Polish Mass
		5.00pm	Vespers & Benediction
		7.00pm	Ron & Betty Perkins RIP
	Desborough	9.00am	Service of Word & Communion
	Rothwell	10.30am	Peggy Gilson, Gilson Fam RIP
	Burton Latimer	9.00am	For the Parish

PASTORAL NOTES

DAILY READINGS

Our newsletter prints the daily readings for weekday Masses as well as the coming Sunday. The Bible can be a daunting book taken as a whole, but short excerpts can be more digestible! We perhaps tend to think of the Old Testament as the same as the Jewish Bible, but the Old Testament we follow includes some extra books, not written originally in Hebrew but in Greek. Some of these more recent books are often read in church towards the end of the Church's year, such as the Books of Maccabees, recalling a history around 164-160 BC and a rebellion of God's people against Greek oppressors. The Books are more valued in the Church because they give a clearer statement of belief in an after-life, a belief in the resurrection, a matter of some division among the people in the time of the apostles, as is shown in some of the arguments of Scribes and Saducees with Jesus. We might also remember in our prayers Christian, Jewish and Muslim leaders today praying and working for a better understanding and respect between our different faiths.

Readings for the week:

Monday 16 November	Feria	1 Maccabees 1: 10-64; Luke 18: 33-43
Tuesday 17 November	Feria	1 Maccabees 6: 18-31; Luke 19: 1-10
Wednesday 18 November	Feria	2 Maccabees 7: 1. 20-31; Luke 19: 11-28
Thursday 19 November	St Hugh of Lincoln	1 Maccabees 2: 15-29; Luke 19: 41-44
Friday 20 November	St Edmund, Martyr	1 Maccabees 4: 36-37. 52-59; Luke 19: 45-48
Saturday 21 November	Presentation of Mary	1 Maccabees 6: 1-13; Luke 20: 27-40
Sunday 22 November	Christ the King	Daniel 7: 13-14; Apocalypse 1: 5-8; John 18: 33-37

ALTAR SERVERS

MONDAY

J & A George

THURSDAY

Mr E Clement

FRIDAY

A J & C 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 Calaunan
C Miles, A Reddy, S & S Moni
J Robbins, J & A George
J Sobin, S Joseph

7pm

E Hallam, J Mendoza
T Batayola, J & R Binnie

CONFESSION

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

Other times at request.

PLEASE REMEMBER in your prayers Eugeniusz Wicher who died 31st October and whose Requiem Mass is on Thursday 19th November at 1.30pm. Also Ann Turner who died 2nd November and whose Cremation Service is on Thursday 19th November at 12.15pm. Also Natalina Nettuno who died on 2nd November and her Cremation Service is at 10.45am on Tuesday 17th November. Also Frances O'Toole who died on 6th November and whose Requiem Mass is on Friday 20th November at 10.30am. Also Amerigo Mancini who died recently and whose Requiem Mass is on Wednesday 18th November at 2.00pm. May they rest in peace. Our prayers and condolences with all families and friends.

THIS SUNDAY

2nd collection for Sick & Retired Clergy Fund.

9.45am TODAY - CAFOD Memorial Mass for all deceased CAFOD supporters will be at Our Lady of Peace - Lower Britwell Road, Slough SL2 2NL. All welcome!

THIS WEEK

Wednesday 18th: "Footsteps" meet as usual 6-7.00pm making Advent items. All welcome in Years 7, 8,9.

Thursday 19th: Youth Alpha meeting 7pm. Upper Room See details on right.

DATES FOR THE DIARY

Saturday 28th November: A Divine Mercy retreat at St Edward's Church 11am-4.30pm given by Fr Andrew of The Marians of the Immaculate Conception. This is a good preparation for both Advent and the start of the Jubilee Year of Mercy. See details on notice board or for more info contact K 511200.

Monday 30th November - Thinking Theology lecture at 7.00pm in the School Chapel at St Paul's School, Milton Keynes MK6 5EN. The topic is 'Interfaith work'.

Wednesday 2nd December: The Garden Team have a **Bring & Buy/Coffee Morning** after 10am Mass.

Thursday 3rd December: INVITATION "Please come along to St Edward's Catholic Primary School **Christmas Bazaar** from 6.00 - 8.00pm for an evening of festive cheer. Christmas themed games to play for prizes, raffle, tombola, refreshments and lots more.

Friday 4th December: The Knights of St Columba will be holding their monthly meeting at 8.00pm in the Church Hall. Newcomers are very welcome.

23rd to 31st January: Advance notice. The 2016 Week of Prayer for Christian Unity takes place and the main Service for Kettering is in St Edward's on 23rd January.

NEWS FROM DESBOROUGH

The pre-Christmas Extravaganza will be held on Saturday 21st November at Holy Trinity Church Hall from 10.00-12noon with Raffle, Christmas Gifts, Refreshments and much much more. All invited to come and join us, all proceeds direct to Chad.

GENERAL NOTICES

THIS SUNDAY Social event of the Year! The whole parish is invited to a Sunday afternoon of Fun and Laughter. Everyone of whatever age is very welcome and will enjoy it. **BEETLE DRIVE** St Edward's Church Hall, Sunday 15th at 2.00pm. Admission £4, excellent prizes and jolly good company. Highly recommended by all who attended the last one. Sponsored by the Knights of St Columba Kettering.

Youth Alpha is a programme for evangelisation which NYMO and our parish wish to host for young people in Yr. 10 & above. It's a chance to meet, share food and explore our Christian faith more deeply. If you fancy helping, we need adult volunteers to come to a planning meeting on Thursday 19th Nov. at 7pm. in the Upper Room. Any 15+ young people who wish to come to add their input to planning a possible youth club would also be most welcome. Please pray we have a good number willing to serve.

The Crib outside St Edward's will be erected on Saturday morning 12th December. The work will start at 8.30pm and should take about 1 1/2 hours. Fit younger volunteers are invited to come to assist the mature men who have been doing the work for the last 20 years. Please just turn up or telephone Martin 01536 310577.

Bishop Stopford School Applicants should make an appointment to see Canon John.

St John Ogilvie Church, Corby - The Sunday 5.00pm Mass, often visited by parishioners, will NOT cease at the end of November, but will continue for another year.

Social events in the Parish - If any individual or groups are able to offer social events to the whole parish, either free of charge or to raise funds for approved charitable purposes, Canon John would be pleased to hear from you. (Please check on the availability of the Hall, calling Nigel on 01536 460909).

NEWS FROM BURTON LATIMER

The Pope has declared the next Liturgical Year a Year of Mercy. Starting on **Sunday 6th December** and **EVERY** Sunday we will pray the **Divine Mercy Chaplet before** Mass, starting at 8.45am.

The Rosary Group meet at 2.00pm **this Thursday** at St Nicholas Owen with refreshments. Please spare 40 minutes for this worthwhile gathering. All welcome.

Christmas with Belcanto Female Voice Choir on **Saturday 19th December** at St Nicholas Owen Church. 5.00pm including a special visit; & 7.00pm. Tickets £5.00, under 12 free (includes refreshments). Ring Alison White: 07855 406766; Kerry Peterson: 01536 414925

NOTICES FOR THE PARISH BULLETIN

Notices need to be in writing please, either handed in to the Parish Office or by email to canon.john@stedwardskettering.org.uk Email makes it easier to process and if you do that please mark your email "High priority" and head it "Notice for Parish Newsletter". Thank you.

BOOKINGS FOR HALL & UPPER ROOM IN 2016

All regular parish users of St Edward's Hall will need to let Nigel know of their requirements for 2016 even if this is to re-confirm ongoing use. The facilities are also available for private hire. Phone 01536 460909. Thank you.