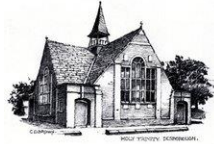




# ST EDWARD'S PARISH KETTERING

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**Canon John Koenig, Fr Pius Amoako, Deacon Les Allday, Deacon Keith Watson, Fr Bosco Lobo**  
3rd Ordinary Sunday Year A  
Times of Liturgies

22nd January 2017

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEKEND		
<b>SATURDAY</b>	St Edward	6.00pm Mgr Joseph Tonks RIP
<b>SUNDAY</b>	St Edward	8.00am Service of Word & Communion
		10.30am Phelim O'Hagan RIP
		1.00pm Polish Mass
	Rothwell	<b>3.00pm Christian Unity Service</b>
		7.00pm Mr Dvassey RIP
	Desborough	9.00am Alan Atkins RIP
	Rothwell	10.30am Ann Brockway RIP
	Burton Latimer	9.00am Millie Anderton RIP

<b>MONDAY</b>	Convent	8.00am Mary Gaskell RIP
	St Edward	7.30pm Gwen Atkinson RIP
<b>TUESDAY</b>	Convent	8.00am Dudley Brown RIP
	Burton Latimer	10.00am Nora Hirst RIP
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	St Edward	10.00am Gwen Atkinson RIP
<b>THURSDAY</b>	Convent	5.30pm John Young RIP
	St Edward	7.30pm <b>Exposition &amp; Benediction</b>
	Rothwell	7.00pm Sister Marion RTIP
<b>FRIDAY</b>	Desborough	7.00pm Fr Stan, Mr & Mrs Condon RIP
	St Edward	7.30pm Paolo Macagnino RIP
<b>SATURDAY</b>	St Edward	10.00am Mick Gatens RIP

MASS INTENTIONS NEXT WEEKEND		
<b>SATURDAY</b>	St Edward	6.00pm Webb, Millard F&F RIP
<b>SUNDAY</b>	St Edward	8.00am Alina Szymanska, Stanislaw Szymanska, Eugene Wicher, Stan Szymanska RIP
		10.30am Maureen Fitzpatrick Int
		1.00pm Polish Mass
		4.00pm Malayalam Mass
		7.00pm Peter Byrne RIP
	Desborough	9.00am Virginia Wasike RIP
	Rothwell	10.30am Dodwell, Dale Fam RIP
	Burton Latimer	9.00am For the Parish

**PASTORAL NOTES** **ST FRANCIS DE SALES**  
My first appointment as parish priest was to a small but very historic parish at the north end of Milton Keynes, in the Railway Town of Wolverton, where the Royal Carriages were kept in the Carriage Works. This year the parish is celebrating the 150th year of its life, a real achievement, looking back to very simple Catholic days in the 1860s. The first priest in the area began his ministry in 1864 and in time a little church was built in 1867. The patron saint was at that time named as patron saint of journalists for his writings. His simple Treatise on the Devout Life, unusually at the time aimed at ordinary people, still is a great help to many today. The saint is also known to us now because of the Missionaries of St Francis de Sales working in our area and in other parts of England. Special prayers and congratulations are in order for the Wolverton parish and for the MSFS.

Readings for the week:		
Monday 23 January	Feria	Hebrews 9: 15, 24-28; Mark 3: 22-30
Tuesday 24 January	St Francis de Sales	Hebrews 10: 1-10; Mark 3: 31-35
Wednesday 25 January	Conversion of St Paul	Acts 22: 3-16; Mark 16: 15-18
Thursday 26 January	SS Timothy & Titus	Hebrews 10: 19-25; Mark 4: 21-25
Friday 27 January	St Angela Merici	Hebrews 10: 32-39; Mark 4: 26-34
Saturday 28 January	St Thomas Aquinas	Hebrews 11: 1-2, 8-19; Mark 4: 35-41
Sunday 29 January	4th Ordinary Sunday A	Zechariah 2: 3, 12-13; 1 Corinthians 1: 26-31; Matthew 5: 1-12

ALTAR SERVERS	
<b>MONDAY</b>	Melbin Biju, Angelo Biju
<b>THURSDAY</b>	A & R Thottam
<b>FRIDAY</b>	Joseph Zachariah
<b>SATURDAY</b>	10.00am George Biji, K Kishore
	6.00pm A & C Farrell, J Ike M Di Micco, A Neeson
<b>SUNDAY</b>	8.00am A C & J Loom T Joy, D Binoy G Meledeth, G & T Rejesh
	10.30am A D & J Lopez, S Juanta Angelo & Melbin Biju K Kishore, C Miles H Calaunan, J Robbins, H Stephens
	7pm J Mendoza, T Batayola R Binnie

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

**PLEASE REMEMBER in your prayers** Ellen Critchley who died on Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> January and whose Requiem will be held on Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> January at 11.00am. May she rest in peace. Our prayers and condolences are with the family and friends.

**THIS SUNDAY**  
**Holocaust Memorial Commemoration** at 2.00pm  
Kettering Borough Council Chamber "How Can Life Go On"  
**Week of Prayer for Christian Unity**, Rothwell United Service at St Bernadette's led by Canon John.  
No Vespers.

**THIS WEEK**  
**Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup>: SVP** meet at **8.00pm** in the Upper Room of the Church Hall. New members welcome.  
**Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> at 7.30 pm** Ecumenical Bible Sharing Fuller Baptist Church Rooms, Gold Street, Kettering led by Rev Peter Strong. ALL WELCOME. (Poster in St Edward's)

**DATES FOR THE DIARY**  
**Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> February: St Edward's Garden Team** coffee morning after 10.00am Mass in the Hall. All welcome.  
**Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> February: St Edward's Garden Team** coffee morning after 10.00am Mass in the Hall. All welcome.  
**Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> February: "Nores"** is offering an **Evangelisation Day "A Heart for Mission"** in Stony Stratford from 10.00am to 3.00pm. It is "A day for Parish Evangelisation Teams (or potential Teams) and leaders of Bible Timeline Groups" details from [www.nores.org.uk](http://www.nores.org.uk) or our own clergy.  
**4<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> February: Cafod** supporters' days. See general notice.  
**Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> February: Baptism class** at 8.00pm in the Presbytery.  
**Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> February "Diocesan Mass for Married Life"** at Bedford sees General Notices.  
**Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> February: St Edward's Walkers** meet outside the church at 11.00am for a 3-4 mile walk. Bring walking pole and snack. All welcome.  
**Monday 13<sup>th</sup> February: UCM** meet in the Lower Room at 8.00pm. New members welcome.  
**Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> February:** Revd Lesley McCormack from SS Peter & Paul Church in Kettering will be in St Edward's Church Hall talking about a possible soup kitchen. See opposite.  
**Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> February: Talks** by Theologian & Author Dr Robert Stackpole STD in St Edward's Church, **11.00-1.00pm**. See poster at back of church as times have changed.

**Safeguarding: St Edward's Parish is committed to Responsible Caring.** Parish Safeguarding Representative [viivencaldwell@hotmail.com](mailto:viivencaldwell@hotmail.com) or 01536 501255 Diocesan Safeguarding Coordinator [safeguarding@northamptonshirediocese.com](mailto:safeguarding@northamptonshirediocese.com)

**GENERAL NOTICES**  
**Many thanks,** Last Sunday's Peace Sunday "PAX Christi" collection raised £511.80. Any late donations can be put in the regular Sunday Collection in a "Pax Christi" envelope.  
**Next Sunday** St Thomas More School will be helping with the 10.30am Mass.  
**Also** there will be a brief **SVP Appeal** towards the end of Masses in St Edward's, for new members.  
**Could the parents of these young people see Fr Pius about information on the LUX weekend: Ayiana Andree, Deene Manansai. Thank you.**  
**Hospital Sunday Eucharistic Ministers:**  
The latest Rota is now available in the Sacristy and on the Parish Website, please collect your copies. If your phone number has changed please notify the coordinator [cathrobs@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:cathrobs@hotmail.co.uk).  
**The Diocesan Mass for Married Life at Christ the King Catholic Church, Harrowden Road, Bedford MK42 OSP on Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> February.** Gathering from 11.30am followed by Mass at 12 noon. Bishop Peter will give his pastoral blessing to those couples celebrating significant milestones in their marriage i.e. 10, 20, 25, 30, 40, 50 years etc. If you are celebrating such a milestone please contact Eamonn & Paola McMorrow on 0741 2151517 or at [mfl@nores.org.uk](mailto:mfl@nores.org.uk) All are very welcome to attend. Refreshments available after Mass.

**ADVANCE NOTICE - OPEN PARISH MEETING on 15<sup>th</sup> February 2017** Revd Lesley McCormack from SS Peter & Paul Church in Kettering will be in St Edwards Church Hall talking about a possible soup kitchen in the hall, to complement their own once a week (Thursday 4pm to 6.00pm) kitchen. Our kitchen, run by our own and, any other volunteers, would probably, also be once a week, at a similar time, but of course on a different day. Please come along, whether you are thinking of volunteering, or just want to know what is going on. Please see Canon John for further information.

**Northampton Diocese Catholic Listening and Prayer Ministry: For appointment phone/ text 075 31 55 27 28 Mon- Fri 2-4pm.**

**CAFOD Supporters' Meeting - all welcome**  
Join us at our Supporters' Meeting on :  
**Sat 4 Feb** - St Martin de Porres,  
366 Legrave High Street, Luton LU4 0NG  
**Sat 18 Feb** - St Joseph - Austenwood Common,  
Chalfont St Peter SL9 8RY  
There will be a message from Bishop Peter and our Lenten focus will be on our project in Zambia. Please book a place in advance via 01844 274724 or [northampton@cafod.org.uk](mailto:northampton@cafod.org.uk).  
Both days are from **10am - 1.30pm followed by shared lunch.**