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Palm or Passion Sunday Year B

29th March 2015

Times of Liturgies

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEKEND

SATURDAY	St Edward	6.00pm Annemarie Ziegler RIP
SUNDAY	St Edward	8.00am Laurean (Thanks)
		10.30am Dorothy, Martin Mannion RIP
		1.30pm Polish Mass
		4.00pm Malayalam Mass
		7.00pm J J Burke RIP
	Desborough	9.00am For the Parish
	Rothwell	10.30am Maria Noelia/Aires De Agrela RIP
	Burton Latimer	9.00am Bridget Farrington RIP

MONDAY	Convent	8.00am Jacky Fleming RIP
	St Edward	7.30pm Peter Griffin RIP
TUESDAY	Convent	8.00am Fr George, Mary Johnson RIP
	Burton Latimer	10.00am Frank/Peggy Barbet RIP
WEDNESDAY	St Edward	10.00am Malcolm Garley, Ann Badger, Maire Maillardet RIP

SEE SEPARATE SHEET FOR TRIDUUM SERVICES

MASS INTENTIONS NEXT WEEKEND

SATURDAY	St Edward	9.00pm Joy Joseph RIP, Makkil P.I. (Wed Anniv)
SUNDAY	St Edward	8.00am Edward Henry Manning RIP
		10.30am P.I.
		1.30pm Polish Mass
		5.00pm Vespers & Benediction
		7.00pm Laurean (Thanks)
	Desborough	9.00am Nancy Collins RIP
	Rothwell	10.30am Paul/Garanita De Souza RIP
	Burton Latimer	9.00am Elsie Green RIP

PASTORAL NOTES

HOLY WEEK

In whatever way, I do encourage you to take part in this major week of the Church's Year as we celebrate the saving work of Christ in His love for mankind and calling us to share in that love, to be in our turn and calling ministers of that love. This year we will have the Good Friday Service celebrated at all four of our churches, always at 3.00pm. The moving veneration of the Cross is followed by the relative silence and patient expectation of Holy Saturday, to be turned to joy with the Light of Easter.

Readings for the week:

Monday 30 March	Feria	Isaiah 42: 1-7; John 12: 1-11
Tuesday 31 March	Feria	Isaiah 49: 1-6; John 13: 21-33. 36-38
Wednesday 1 April	Feria	Isaiah 50: 4-9; Matthew 26: 14-25
Maundy Thursday 2 April		Exodus 12: 1-8. 11-14; 1 Corinthians 11: 23-26; John 13: 1-15
Good Friday 3 April		Isaiah 52: 13-53; Hebrews 4: 14-16; 5: 7-9; John 18: 1-19: 42;
Holy Saturday 4 April		NO MASS
Easter Vigil		Gen 1: 1-12: 2; Ex. 14: 15-15: 1; Isa 5: 1-11; Ezek 36: 16-28; Rom 6: 3-11; Luke 24: 1-12
Easter Sunday 5 April		Acts 10: 34. 37-43; Colossians 3: 1-4; John 20: 1-9

ALTAR SERVERS

MONDAY
J & R Binnie

THURSDAY
As instructed

FRIDAY
As instructed

SATURDAY
As instructed

SUNDAY
8am
A C & J Loom, T Joy
10.30am
A & A Kularatnam, J Sobin
B & J Makkil, J Simon
J Robbins, S Joseph
R Constantine. J Jamon
G Sansone, A Reddy
7pm
E Hallam, T Batayola
L Mendoza

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

THIS SUNDAY
4.00PM MALAYALAM MASS

DATES FOR THE DIARY

Monday 30th March: Bible Time-line in the Hall at 8.00pm.

Wednesday 8th April: Coffee morning and bring and buy, 10.30am in the Hall. All welcome.

Sunday 12th April, 2.45pm Mass of Divine Mercy: see opposite.

Sunday 12th April: St Edward's walkers meet at 11.00am outside the church for a 5 mile walk around Pitsford Nature Trail. All welcome. Please remember to bring a walking stick and a bite to eat.

Monday 13th April: UCM meet at 8.00pm in the Upper Room. The speaker is John Budworth - Bridging the Ise. New members very welcome.

Friday 10th April: Knights of St Columba will be holding their monthly meeting in the Church Hall at 8.00pm. Newcomers will be very welcome.

Sat 18 April, 10:30am-2:30pm Everyone is welcome to the **CAFOD** Day of Reflection at Sacred Heart Parish Centre, 5 Beaudesert, Leighton Buzzard LU7 1HZ. Brian Purfield (of the Mount Street Jesuit Centre) will be leading this. Coffee/tea from 10am. Please bring packed lunch. If transport is a problem and to book a place do get in touch: northampton@cafod.org.uk or 01844 274 723.

NEWS FROM BURTON LATIMER

Wednesday: 7.00pm Ecumenical Stations of the Cross led by Deacon Keith and visiting Clergy, followed by light refreshments.

Good Friday: 3.00pm The Passion followed by Confessions

Easter Sunday: Normal 9.00am Mass

Many thanks for £85 received for the flower collection last Sunday.

CAFOD FRIDAY FAST DAY 27TH February Many thanks for the further donations totalling £485 last weekend. Those brought the total up to £2564.34. Late or further payments can be made, using CAFOD envelopes (available at back of all Churches) whether Gift Aided or not. These should be put into the first collection at any weekend Mass.

Any payments made to CAFOD by 17th May can qualify for the 100% Government Subsidy.

NEWS FROM ROTHWELL

Extra reminder - 3.00pm Good Friday service this year, but no evening Stations of the Cross.

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

Today is Palm Sunday and Holy Week starts.

Holy Week and Easter Services:

The usual leaflet is available this weekend; please take a copy, please note that on Good Friday St Bernadette's will have its own Solemn Liturgy of the Passion of the Lord at 3.00pm (No evening Confessions or Stations of the Cross.)

There will not be a Hunger Lunch at St Edwards this year, nor will there be any special events for Children prior to the Walk of Witness.

Holy Week Posters are at the back of each Church, please take one, and display it.

Readers and Eucharistic Ministers for Holy Week have been notified direct, however a printed copy of the Rota is also in the Sacristy for you to collect, please.

Mass of Divine Mercy: Culmination of the Easter Octave, Low Sunday is the day Our Lord chose to fulfil the promise of a *complete remission of sins and all reparation due*, returning the soul to the total purity of its Baptismal state. Please pray the Novena starting Good Friday (see church porches for Chaplet cards) and attend confession before the Feast Day. Extra confessions will be available upon request after Masses during the Novena period. The service this year will be very special because the Polish community will be joining us.

My Day-by-Day for Easter is available, well worth a read - £1

Many thanks for the Flower collection at St Edward's, raising £229.00.

Do you work with Social Security? Canon John would appreciate a chat. Thank you.

Father Joe Kizito wrote on 23rd March from Uganda

"It is a bit of time since my last communication. I am relatively well but extremely busy with these programmes. Refugees continue to cross over to us. It has been too dry and too hot here for the last three months, with bush burning everywhere and water sources have dried out. Food not plenty- small plate of rice enough for one's day. We try to help where possible. Most importantly, maintaining the Spiritual nourishment which is not easy for such traumatised, empty bellied people. But we try with a few loaves and fish. We leave God to do the rest. Ebola is getting down slowly not only in West Africa but also in East Africa where we are. But left quite few scars in our hearts. We however remain vigilant because not completely eradicated!! Amidst such human chaos, your recent donation to us, performed a lot of miracles. thank you indeed. We are in Lent. Easter is on the door. I will send our traditional greetings after this season but in the meantime, Our Prayers and Best Wishes to all of you. Happiest Easter, Fr Jo"

The donation referred to was from an anonymous parishioner. Such gifts can be transferred quickly and securely to Fr Jo via the parish. (Cheque payable to St Edwards Kettering).