



# ST EDWARD'S PARISH KETTERING

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23<sup>rd</sup> Ordinary Sunday Year C

8<sup>th</sup> September 2013

## Times of Liturgies

### MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEKEND

<b>SATURDAY</b>	St Edward	6.00pm Kevin Smyth RIP
<b>SUNDAY</b>	St Edward	8.00am McAleer, Smallman F&F RIP
		10.30am Walsh, Fitzgibbon Fam RIP
		1.30pm Polish Mass
		4.00pm Malayalam Mass
		7.00pm Tony Putnam RIP
	Desborough	9.00am For the Parish
	Rothwell	10.30am Toby Gatens RIP
	Burton Latimer	9.00am Kevin Ward RIP

<b>MONDAY</b>	St Edward	10.00am Lizzie Breslin RIP
		7.30pm James Dellet RIP
<b>TUESDAY</b>	St Edward	10.00am Patrick Joseph Gonnán Int
	Burton Latimer	7.00pm John Henry RIP
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	St Edward	10.00am Audra Conway & Fam Int
<b>THURSDAY</b>	St Edward	10.00am Audra Conway & Fam Int
		7.30pm <b>Exposition &amp; Benediction</b>
	Rothwell	7.00pm P.I.
<b>FRIDAY</b>	Desborough	7.00pm P.I.
	St Edward	7.30pm Mary O'Connor RIP
<b>SATURDAY</b>	St Edward	10.00am Flynn, Wallam, Nash Fam RIP

### MASS INTENTIONS NEXT WEEKEND

<b>SATURDAY</b>	St Edward	6.00pm Peter, Antonietta Tassell Int (65 <sup>th</sup> )
<b>SUNDAY</b>	St Edward	8.00am In Honour of Our Lady
		10.30am Peter Palmer RIP
		1.30pm Polish Mass
		7.00pm Kathleen & James O'Neill
	Desborough	9.00am For the Parish
	Rothwell	10.30am Thelma Geraghty RIP
	Burton Latimer	9.00am Sauro Novago RIP

### ALTAR SERVERS

**MONDAY**  
A & R Thottam

**THURSDAY**  
N Wijesinghe, H Falshaw

**FRIDAY**  
J Binnie, T Joy

**SATURDAY**  
**10.00am**  
S Joseph  
**6pm**  
O Andrews, A & C Farrell  
H Fawcett

**SUNDAY**  
**8am**  
A & C Loom, O Kularatnam  
**10.30am**  
A & G Sansone  
A, O & A Kularatnam  
G Herbert, I Carter  
S Joseph, B & J Makkil  
R Constantine, J Binnie  
A & R Thottam  
**7pm**  
N Wijesinghe, E Hallam  
A & C Hill

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

### THIS SUNDAY

**St Edward's Walkers** meet outside the church at 11.00am for a 4.5 mile walk around Hardwick. A walking stick is essential and food for the break. All welcome.

### NEXT SUNDAY

**Invitation from Westminster Diocese. Mass for People with Special Needs.** St Dominic's School, Southdown Road, Harpenden AL5 1PF 2.30pm for 3.00pm. Followed by picnic. Details from PJ Lynch-Kelly 01582 769 633  
**Home Mission Sunday** with the theme "Crossing the Threshold"; **ministry and outreach to Non Church-going Catholics.** (see leaflets at the back of each church)

### THIS WEEK

**Monday: Union of Catholic Mothers** meet at 8.00pm in the Lower Room of the hall. The speaker this month is Fiona de Boltz talking about Street Pastors. New members welcome.

**Tuesday: Flower meeting** at 7.00pm in the Church Hall. New members welcome.

**Wednesday: Parish Forum 8.00pm in St Edward's Hall. Everybody welcome.** Come to hear all that is happening at present and to share your ideas of how we can improve things for the Common Good.

**Wednesday: Baptism Class** 8.00pm in the Presbytery.

### DATES FOR THE DIARY

**Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> September: Year of Faith Retreat** in St Edward's Hall, 10.30am-1.00pm. Speaker Alex Heath, Adviser for the Adult Faith Formation for the Diocese on themes of prayer, faith, forgiveness, healing and community. All welcome. Sign up on the list at the back of church

**21-28<sup>th</sup> September 2013** Medjugorje Pilgrimage Flying from Birmingham Tel: 0207 19321769 (Kath Gambin)

**Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> September: WALSINGHAM - NATIONAL PILGRIMAGE OF REPARATION AND PRAYER for the SANCTITY OF LIFE.** Local Coach from St Edward's at 8.15am. Cost £12.50 - Please reserve your seat by phoning 460909.

**Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> September a.m: "Diocesan Ecumenical Commission"** is hosting a talk "Ecumenism: Local and National" by Fr Robert Byrne C.O at Milton Keynes. If you are interested in attending, please contact Andy Sipple 01536 412511 [andy.sipple@btinternet.com](mailto:andy.sipple@btinternet.com) (there is a poster at the back of St Edward's Church)

**Monday 30<sup>th</sup> September** All **Catechists** are invited to the next meeting of "The Bishop's Council for Catechesis" at 7.30pm at Sacred Heart Church Hall Leighton Buzzard. Please contact [admin@nores.org.uk](mailto:admin@nores.org.uk) for information and/or to register.

**13<sup>th</sup> to 16<sup>th</sup> November: Jeff Cavins "Catholic Bible Tour UK"** see <http://catholicbibletour.com>

**16<sup>th</sup> November: That Thing for Young Adults 18-25,** Upper Room of the Hall, 10.30 – 4pm. A day led by Pam Lewis reflecting on the Bible and how we can use it in our daily lives. Cost £5 if you book before 2<sup>nd</sup> September, thereafter £7.50. Please bring money for pub lunch. Contact [www.nymo.org/tfya](http://www.nymo.org/tfya) or Lizi on [lizi@nymo.org](mailto:lizi@nymo.org)

### NEWS FROM BURTON LATIMER

**On Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> September** at the B Latimer Methodist Church there will be a training session for anyone wishing to help with the local Food Bank, from 10.00am (coffee) to 12 noon. Dave from the Kettering Foodbank will lead the session. Ruth Groome can be contacted on Kettering 420440 or email: [ruthgroome@kettering.gov.uk](mailto:ruthgroome@kettering.gov.uk) Distribution of food will be on Friday nights.

### GENERAL NOTICES

**Please note: NO Convent Mass** this week as the Sisters are away.

**An Extra Mass** on Monday morning at St Edward's at 10.00am.

**Malayalam Mass** this Sunday at 4.00pm.

**Next Sunday Is Home Mission Sunday** when we are asked to reflect on and pray for this year's theme, "Crossing the Threshold", ministry and outreach to Non Churchgoing Catholics. There are leaflets at the back of each Church and further information is available from [www.catholicnews.org.uk/hms13](http://www.catholicnews.org.uk/hms13) **There will be a 2nd Collection for The Catholic Missionary Society.**

**The Rosary Group** next meet on Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> September at 2.00pm. Support for this monthly event is a bit disappointing – at best there are only 7 of us but more usually it's 2 to 5.

After the Rosary we all have tea and bikkies and a good old chat putting the world to rights! So do please come along and join us; you might find it uplifting! It starts at 2.00pm and we are finished by 3.00pm at the latest.

### St Luke's Pastoral Area celebration for the Year of Faith

Forty hour Adoration of The Blessed Sacrament at St Brendan's, Corby culminating in concelebrated Mass at 7.30pm on Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> September at 7.30pm, with special local adoration during that time for those who cannot travel to Corby (see poster in each Church). In our own Parish there will be Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament at St Edward's for one hour after each Mass in that period.

### WOULD YOU LIKE TO TEACH IN A CATHOLIC SCHOOL?

Please see the small green poster at the back of each Church.

### CATHOLIC CERTIFICATE IN RELIGIOUS STUDIES – CCRS (2013-2014)

Course available Saturdays at the RE Centre in Luton at 33 Westbourne Road, Luton, LU4 8JD. An induction day 14 September, 10am to 12 noon. Prospective students can meet most of the tutors and learn more about the course. The first module starts on 21 September.

This is a basic course in the major areas of Catholic theology including choices such as catechetics and religious education, social teaching and pastoral ministry. There are eight modules; six are covered this academic year and two taken the following autumn, complete the course. Cost: £50 per module. Leaflets and registration forms available from the Adult Education section of the NORES website: [www.nores.org.uk](http://www.nores.org.uk) Further details from Jackie McCarthy at the RE Office on 01582 723312 Ext 6 or email: [admin@nores.org.uk](mailto:admin@nores.org.uk) If you wish to attend the induction morning on 14 September please can you contact the RE Office as above

### NEWS FROM ROTHWELL

The First Holy Communion class for children in Year 3 will commence on Saturday 21st September. The Confirmation class for children in year 6 will commence on Saturday 28th September. The classes will start at 10.30am for one hour. Both classes will be held at St Bernadette's. The children should bring with them an exercise book, pencil, rubber, ruler and crayons. Please see Sue after Mass if you are interested or email: [macfarlane.susan@googlemail.com](mailto:macfarlane.susan@googlemail.com) or phone: 01536 523754

### PASTORAL NOTES

### OUR LADY'S BIRTHDAY AND OURS

8<sup>th</sup> September is the feast of Our Lady's birthday. St John the Baptist's birthday is the only other birthday commemorated in the Church's year – but birthdays are important. They remind us of our growing up in a family as well as of our own uniqueness. We gradually find our feet within the setting of the larger family. The Church hints at this by celebrating the feast also of John the Baptist's mother, Elizabeth, in the feast of the Visitation. Tradition has also gone so far as to celebrate the feast-day of the parents of Mary – Saints Joachim and Anna (26<sup>th</sup> July) – not to forget grandparents and extended family. In baptism we are born as children of God and members of the Church. As a new school-term begins, we are conscious again of the importance of the school-community. In the many challenges we face, we have many to support and help us, and to play our own part with God's help.

### Readings for the week:

Monday 9 September	Feria	1 Thessalonians 4: 13-18; Luke 4: 16-30
Tuesday 10 September	Feria	1 Thessalonians 5: 1-6, 9-11; Luke 4: 31-37
Wednesday 11 September	Feria	Colossians 1: 1-8; Luke 4: 38-44
Thursday 12 September	Feria	Colossians 1: 9-14; Luke 5: 1-11
Friday 13 September	St John Chrysostom	Colossians 1: 15-20; Luke 5: 33-39
Saturday 14 September	Triumph of the Cross	Numbers 21: 4-9; Philippians 2: 6-11; John 3: 13-17
Sunday 15 September	24 <sup>th</sup> Ordinary Sunday C	Exodus 32: 7-11, 13-14; 1 Timothy 1: 12-17; Luke 15: 1-32