



# ST EDWARD'S PARISH KETTERING

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Ascension of the Lord Year C  
Times of Liturgies

12<sup>th</sup> May 2013

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEKEND		
<b>SATURDAY</b>	St Edward	6.00pm Bridget Wilsdon RIP
<b>SUNDAY</b>	St Edward	8.00am Winifred Pettitt RIP
		10.30am Kevin Smyth RIP
		1.30pm Polish Mass
		5.00pm <b>Vespers &amp; Benediction</b>
		7.00pm Martin & Mary Corrigan RIP
	Desborough	9.00am John Carney RIP Smith Fam RIP (Ireland)
	Rothwell	10.30am For the Parish
	Burton Latimer	9.00am Eddie/Joan Hall, Stanley/Annie Good RIP

<b>MONDAY</b>	Convent	8.00am USAF (34 <sup>th</sup> Group) RIP
	St Edward	7.30pm Ciaran Keane Int
<b>TUESDAY</b>	Convent	8.00am Christopher Griffiths RIP
	Burton Latimer	7.00pm P.I.
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	Convent	8.00am Peggy & Brian Dobbs RIP
	St Edward	10.00am Nora O'Leary RIP
<b>THURSDAY</b>	Convent	5.30pm Tommy & Bridie McCarney Int
	St Edward	7.30pm <b>Exposition &amp; Benediction</b>
	Rothwell	7.00pm Douglas Borthwick RIP
<b>FRIDAY</b>	Desborough	7.00pm P.I.
	St Edward	7.30pm Rebecca Gray RIP
<b>SATURDAY</b>	St Edward	10.00am Thanksgiving Int

MASS INTENTIONS NEXT WEEKEND		
<b>SATURDAY</b>	St Edward	6.00pm Mary & John Brody RIP
<b>SUNDAY</b>	St Edward	8.00am Jacqueline Quinn Int
		10.30am Lorenza Mazzone RIP
		1.30pm Polish Mass
		5.00pm <b>Vespers &amp; Benediction</b>
		7.00pm Michael Cunningham RIP
	Desborough	9.00am For the Parish
	Rothwell	10.30am P.I.
	Burton Latimer	9.00am Andrew Joy RIP

ALTAR SERVERS	
<b>MONDAY</b>	R & A Thottam
<b>THURSDAY</b>	E Walsh, J Robbins
<b>FRIDAY</b>	J Binnie, J Jamon
<b>SATURDAY</b>	10.00am R Constantine A & A Kularatnam 6pm A & C Farrell, A & C Hill
<b>SUNDAY</b>	8am A & C Loom, E & J Ike 10.30am A & G Sansone, H Fawcett A, O & A Kularatnam B Makkil, J Jamon J Simon, S Joseph J Drotar, S Moni 7pm N Wijesinghe, E Hallam E Walsh

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

**PASTORAL NOTES** **THRAPSTON PARISH**  
Our neighbours at St Paul's, Thrapston, celebrated the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the foundation of their church in 1963, last Sunday. The Catholic faith in Northamptonshire was virtually extinguished by the late 18<sup>th</sup> century, reduced to a tiny enclave at Kingscliffe, in the north of the county. When a Thrapston citizen became a Catholic around 1930, he was the only Catholic in the town, and had to cycle to Kettering for his instruction. But in 1940 the Guide-hall in Thrapston was the site of a weekly Sunday Mass, leading to the flourishing community there today, serving the surrounding villages, including the village of Slipton, where it is most likely that a certain Peter Wright was born around 1603. A shrine to this martyr (in the time of Oliver Cromwell, 1651) is in Thrapston Church. Now Blessed Peter Wright, was martyred at Tyburn, London on 19<sup>th</sup> May 1651, which was, that year, Whitmonday, or the Monday after Pentecost.

Readings for the week:		
Monday 13 May	Feria	Acts 19: 1-8; John 16: 29-33
Tuesday 14 May	St Matthias	Acts 1: 15-17, 20-36; John 15: 9-17
Wednesday 15 May	Feria	Acts 20: 28-38; John 17: 11-19
Thursday 16 May	Feria	Acts 22: 30; 23: 6-11; John 17: 20-26
Friday 17 May	Feria	Acts 25: 13-21; John 21: 15-19
Saturday 18 May	Feria	Acts 28: 16-20, 30-31; John 21: 20-25
Sunday 19 May	<b>PENTECOST</b>	Acts 2: 1-11; 1 Corinthians 12: 3-7, 12-13; John 20: 19-23

**THIS SUNDAY**  
We welcome St Edward's School at 10.30am Mass at St Edward's Church, along with the Scouts.  
**2<sup>nd</sup> Collection for the Church's work in the mass media.**  
**St Edward's Walkers** meet outside the church at 11.00am for a 6 mile approx walk from Fotheringhay to Wansford-in-England. Bring a snack and a walking stick is essential. All welcome.

**THIS WEEK**  
**Monday: UCM** meet in the Lower Room at 8.00pm. The speaker is William Walford on The Fabric of Faith in Kettering. New members welcome.  
**13<sup>th</sup> to 17<sup>th</sup> May** Carmelite Retreat at Mount St Bernard's Abbey, poster at back of all Churches.  
**Wednesday: "Footsteps"** is as normal, 6-7.00pm in the Hall. But the following Wednesday we will be arranging to meet at the Triangular Lodge, Rushton, around 4.15pm or earlier. We will discuss this on Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> May.  
**Saturday: Divine Mercy Retreat Great Billing 11.00am to 4.00pm. See poster.**  
**Saturday: SVP: Coffee Morning/Raffle/Bring** and Buy 10am - 11.30am, in the Church Hall. Please see Poster on Notice Board.

**DATES FOR THE DIARY**  
**14<sup>th</sup> to 16<sup>th</sup> June** Pro Life conference for 18 - 35 year olds, poster at the back of all Churches.  
**First Holy Communion at St Edward's Church**  
**Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> June - The St Thomas More Summer Ball** tickets are now available for parents and friends to purchase. The ball will be held at the Naseby Hotel at the reasonable price of £20 a ticket including dinner. Please email for further information or tickets to [SummerBall@Pattersonhouse.co.uk](mailto:SummerBall@Pattersonhouse.co.uk).  
**Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> June** - St Edward's School 2.00pm  
**Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> June** - St Thomas More School 2.00pm  
**Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> June** - Children in non-Catholic Schools 10.30am  
**Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> July** - Confirmation at St Edward's, 7.30pm  
**Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> July - The St Thomas More summer fayre** will be held - 12 - 3pm. Stalls, homemade goods, entertainment and a barbeque plus much more. Please support our school. Thank you

**NEWS FROM BURTON LATIMER**  
**The Rosary Group** meet at St Nicholas Owen - Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> May at 2.00pm for 40 minutes with refreshments.

**New Offertory Envelopes (Starting 5<sup>th</sup> May)**  
Please find your named box of new offertory envelopes at the rear of the church.  
If you cannot find your box or if there are any spelling mistakes with regard to your name or address please phone Ken Anderton on K 514302.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR NEWSLETTER:**  
By hand to the priest, or by email to [newsletter@stedwardskettering.org.uk](mailto:newsletter@stedwardskettering.org.uk)  
Deadline is Wednesday each week

**TEA & COFFEE**  
is served every Sunday morning at all of our Churches.  
Everyone welcome for a drink and chat!

**GENERAL NOTICES**  
**Red Mission Box** - Many thanks for the £5.96 in the latest box returned. Red Boxes for the Missions are in the side porch at St Edward's.  
**The Vine** the Free Diocesan Newspaper for May is available in all Churches today, please take your copy.  
**My Day By Day** for May is now available at the back of all churches. Price £1.00.

**Fr Paul Inman** is raising money for the Kettering and Corby Districts' Sick Pilgrim Trust - Pilgrimage to Lourdes, August 2013.  
If you are willing to support this either go online to [mydonate.bt.com](http://mydonate.bt.com) and find me under 'Paul Inman' as a fundraiser, or sign one of the sponsorship forms at the back of the four churches. Thank you.

**Summer School 2013** this year is about The Sacrament of Marriage with various guest speakers. 22<sup>nd</sup> - 24<sup>th</sup> July at Holy Ghost Parish Centre, Westbourne Road, Luton LU4 8JD. For more details please phone 460909 or contact NORES Office on 01582 723312 (Ext 6) or [admin@nores.org.uk](mailto:admin@nores.org.uk)

**CHRISTIAN AID WEEK**  
Christian Aid envelopes can be found at the back of the Church. If you would like to donate please do take one and return it next week. Thank you.

**PLEASE, PLEASE DO NOT PARK IN FRONT OF ST EDWARD'S** on the pavement, blocking pedestrians, or wheelchairs from passing. One incident has been reported to the Police this past week. It is not a good example to others who are not Catholic. Thank you for taking this into account.

**YEAR OF FAITH**  
**Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> June:** Diocesan Pilgrimage to Walsingham (see poster at back of all churches).  
**Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> July:** Christian East West day at Turvey Abbey 10.00am to 4.00pm. See yellow poster at back of all Churches. DEADLINE for booking 6<sup>th</sup> July.  
**23<sup>rd</sup> to 30<sup>th</sup> August:** Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes. See separate boxed notice.  
**7<sup>th</sup> to 14<sup>th</sup> October - Pilgrimage to the Holy Land** led by Bishop Peter, cost £1300 each, see blue poster in each Church.

**Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes - 23<sup>rd</sup> to 30<sup>th</sup> August - Potential Assisted Pilgrims.**  
If you wish to join this pilgrimage but will require assistance of the "experienced team of helpers", please see coloured poster at back of all churches.

**CAFOD** - You may be aware that 2013 is an important year for the UK on the world stage. The UK will host the G8 summit of powerful nations in June, as well as a Hunger Summit which brings together leaders from across the world. This is why we are backing a huge joint campaign to tackle the root causes of hunger called **Enough Food for Everyone IF**, alongside over 170 other faith groups and charities. CAFOD's *Hungry for Change* campaign part of this bigger, shared *IF* campaign.