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6th SUNDAY OF YEAR C

Sunday 14th February 2010

Times of Liturgies

SATURDAY	St Edward	6.00pm	Patrick Minihane RIP
SUNDAY	St Edward	8.00am	James Russell RIP
		10.30am	Geoffrey Page RIP
		5.00pm	Vespers & Benediction
		7.00pm	James Nolan RIP
	Desborough	9.00am	For the Parish
	Rothwell	10.30am	Kitty Garbowski RIP
	Burton Latimer	9.00am	Service with Deacon

MONDAY	Convent	7.30am	Sister Bernadette RIP
	St Edward	7.30pm	Sydney & Maud Munton RIP
TUESDAY	Convent	7.30am	Sisters of Our Lady Int
	Burton Latimer	7.00pm	Charles Gallagher, Kathleen F&F RIP
WEDNESDAY (ASH)	Convent	7.30am	Eileen McNulty Int
	St Edward	10.30am	Ruby Dellet RIP
		7.30pm	Cosimo Finn RIP
	Desborough	7.00pm	Canon Dan Cronin RIP
THURSDAY	Convent	5.30pm	Jean & Charles Haywood RIP
	Rothwell	7.00pm	Holy Souls
	St Edward	7.30pm	Exposition & Benediction
FRIDAY	Convent	7.30am	Bernadette Soave, Novelli Bastianelli RIP
	St Edward	6.45pm	Stations of the Cross
		7.30pm	Mary McCrae RIP
SATURDAY	St Edward	10.00am	Jean Ayrton RIP

MASS INTENTIONS NEXT WEEKEND

SATURDAY	St Edward	6.00pm	Boyle, Collacott Fam RIP
SUNDAY	St Edward	8.00am	Wayne Balinas RIP
		10.30am	Frank Woloschuk RIP
		5.00pm	Stations of the Cross
		7.00pm	Eddie Doohan RIP
	Burton Latimer	9.00am	Fred Barnard RIP
	Desborough	9.00am	Service with Deacon
	Rothwell	10.30am	For the Parish

PASTORAL NOTES

This Sunday, 14th February, is also the feast of two patron saints of Europe, two brothers, Cyril and Methodius (see Icon stand), who came from Thessalonika in Greece. Cyril was ordained priest and Methodius also became a monk and later abbot. Both brothers knew the Slavonic languages and were sent as missionaries to eastern Europe. In due course they were ordained bishops, preaching successfully in the local languages, translating the prayers of the Mass and parts of the Bible into Slavonic. (The Pope at the time defended the brothers, harshly criticised for not keeping the use of Latin!) Cyril died in Rome on 14th February 869, and Methodius in April 884, having had to fight to the end to keep the Slavonic language in use for worship, for the Bible and preaching. His funeral service was carried out in Greek, Slavonic and Latin! We welcome and pray for so many from eastern Europe in our congregation. Pope John Paul II named Cyril and Methodius as additional patrons of Europe, alongside Benedict (Italy) and St Bridget of Sweden.

Readings for the week:

Monday 15 February	Feria	James 1:1-11; Mark 8:11-13
Tuesday 16 February	Feria – Shrove Tuesday	James 1:12-18; Mark 8:14-21
Wednesday 17 February	Ash Wednesday	Joel 2:12-18; 2 Cor. 5:20-6:2; Matthew 6:1-6. 16-18
Thursday 18 February	Feria	Deut. 30:15-20; Luke 9:22-25
Friday 19 February	Feria	Isaiah 58:1-9; Matthew 9:14-15
Saturday 20 February	Feria	Isaiah 58:9-14; Luke 5:27-32
Sunday 21 February	1 st Sunday of Lent, Year C	Deut. 26:4-10; Romans 10:8-13; Luke 4:1-13

ALTAR SERVERS

MONDAY

A & E Owusu

WEDNESDAY

E Walsh, C Hill

THURSDAY

N Wijesinghe, T Sansone

FRIDAY

S Mone, J Robin

SATURDAY

10am

M McLaren, H Falshaw

6pm

O Nixon, C Hill, A Soto

SUNDAY

8am

Mr J Huzar

10.30am

A & T Sansone, H Falshaw,

A & O Kularatnam, E Walsh

M McLaren, S & S Jose

B McCourt,

7pm

A Morris, N Wijesinghe

CONFESSION

Saturdays after 10am Mass

and 7pm to 7.30pm.

Other times at request.

PLEASE REMEMBER in your prayers Peter Martin who died on 8th February and whose Funeral Service will be on Friday 19th February at 10:30am. The body will be received into Church on 18th February at 4:30pm. May he rest in peace. Our prayers and condolences are with his family and friends.

THIS SUNDAY

9.00am Service with Deacon Keith at Burton Latimer.

St Edwards Walkers meet at 11.00am outside St Edward's for a 6 mile walk round Rockingham and Gretton. Take a walking stick and packed lunch. Newcomers always welcome. See Poster.

NEXT SUNDAY

9.00am Service with Deacon Keith at Desborough.

THIS WEEK

Tuesday: The Ascent group will meet at **2.30pm** at the Convent.

Tuesday: R.C.I.A. at 7.30pm in the Upper Room.

Tuesday: SVP meet at 8.00pm in the Lower Room of the Hall. New members always welcome.

Thursday: The Rosary Group meet at 2.00pm at St Nicholas Owen, with refreshments after.

Saturday: First Holy Communion classes continue for children at non-Catholic schools in St Edward's Hall, Upper Room from 9.00-10.00am.

Saturday: Special Day early in Lent, the first Saturday, 20th February, when Father Fabian from Holy Cross Dominican Priory, Leicester, an expert on Cardinal Newman, will lead a spiritual day on the Cardinal, starting with coffee and welcome at 11.00am, a first talk and questions at 11.30am – a break for lunch – and a second talk and questions, starting about 1.45pm and ending with prayer. Do bear this in mind. A good beginning to Lent.

NOTES FOR THE DIARY

The Season of Lent begins this (Ash) Wednesday, a day of abstinence from meat and fasting, as is Good Friday. It is a season when, with prayer, charity and fasting, we reflect again on our Christian life and pray to grow deeper in the following of Our Lord.

Stations of the Cross will be celebrated on Fridays (6.45pm) and Sundays (5.00pm where possible) at St Edward's, but also after the weekday Masses at the three outlying churches (confessions before Mass).

Friday 5th March: Women's World Day of Prayer. All welcome, men, women and young people at St Andrew's Church at 10.30am, Speaker: Dr Paul Wharin and at Fuller Church at 7.30pm – Slides of Cameroon.

Saturday 6th March: Third Annual Diocesan Evangelisation Day with Clare Ward (Home Mission Adviser) and Steve Murray (Christian mime artist) at St Joseph's RC Parish Hall, Austenwood Common, Chalfont St Peter, Bucks SL9 8RY from 10.30am to 4.00pm. Cost £4. Booking essential. From the NORES offices Tel: 01908 233 121, www.nores.org.uk (Events)

YOU are WELCOME to SPIRITUALITY EVENINGS on 1st WEDNESDAY of each month at **-Nazareth Sisters Convent**, 118 Harlestone Road (nr Dallaington Park) Northampton NN5 6AD begins 3rd March thru to 3rd November 6.30 – 8.30pm. Evenings to include Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Evening Prayer, private prayer/reflection etc. See notice in the porch or contact 0778 597 5961 or email friendsofnazareth@hotmail.co.uk

GENERAL NOTICES

Please note the weekday Mass times for this week, a bit different from the usual.

Thanks – Haiti: a further £167.50 was received towards our collection for Haiti, via CAFOD.

'Footsteps' – Thanks to everyone for a great half-term – we'll be back on 3rd March - meanwhile, what is Lent going to challenge us to do, or give up?

Wanted for the Missions: Statues, pictures, prayer books and other religious books, rosaries – broken ones acceptable. A box will be at the back of the Church for anything you can spare. Thank you.

Diocesan Directory 2010 is now available, price £4.50.

The UCM would like to thank all who helped and supported their Haiti Earthquake Appeal day at a member's home, also the Mayor, Ruth Groome, who came and gave her support. We had a Bring and Buy, cake stall, book stall and Raffle. An amazing £675.25 was raised and given to CAFOD, who work so tirelessly in all needy areas.

The UCM is appealing for pencils (15 for 17p in Wilkinson) and exercise books (3 for 36p), babies/toddlers clothes for children in Kenya with Aids, c/o Rachael Atkinson. Please leave at the back of Church marked 'UCM'. Many thanks.

KCDSP T Lourdes Pilgrimage. Applications are now open to travel on the Jumbalance for this year's pilgrimage which is 26th August – 4th September 2010. Whether you are sick, have disabilities, are a doctor, nurse or can help in other ways, please contact Rose Smith on 01933 622555 for an application form.

'MY DAY-BY-DAY' for Lent price £1 (with Junior and Infant versions at 50p) is now available at the back of Church. These daily readings are a very good way of observing Lent.

General Hospital Eucharistic Ministers. As several newly commissioned Ministers are now ready to start Hospital visits, the ROTA has been revised and copies will be in the Sacristy from this weekend.

CAFOD - This year CAFOD celebrate 50 years of Family Fast Days by inviting you to **'give it up!'**. You can create all kinds of amazing transformations for the world's poorest people by giving something up for the whole of Lent, not just on LENT Fast Day. Whatever **YOU** give up this Lent – biscuits, wine, magazines, a meal – can be transformed into lasting change for a child, a family, or a whole community in the developing world. This year there are four different Lenten Fast envelopes. Give something up for the whole of Lent, put what you save in your chosen envelope and put it on the collection plate at the end of Lent. Please gift aid if you can and the transformation will be even greater.

Church cleaners needed – once every seven weeks. Please contact Pat Leonard on K 481482.

NEWS FROM ROTHWELL

The Passover Supper is on March 30th (7-7.30pm) at St Bernadettes. There are only 60 places so please book early to avoid disappointment by contacting Sue Macfarlane on 01536 523754.

NEWS FROM DESBOROUGH

The Weekley Singers, have agreed to give another concert on Holy Trinity Church Hall on Friday 30th April. Tickets bought for the 18th December will be accepted for the re-arranged concert. Further details nearer the date.