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THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

Sunday 15th August 2010

Times of Liturgies

SATURDAY	St Edward	6.00pm Cully, Stone, Family, RIP & Int.
SUNDAY	St Edward	8.00am Mr & Mrs Wrigley, RIP
		10.30am Wooster Family, RIP
		5.00pm Vespers & Benediction
		7.00pm Mary Kennedy, Int.
	Burton Latimer	9.00am Thynne, Shinkwin, Dicks, Fam, RIP
	Desborough	9.00am Service with Deacon
	Rothwell	10.30am For the Parish

MONDAY	Convent	8.00am Mark Halliday, Int
	St Edward	7.30pm Ivan Gibbison, RIP
TUESDAY	Convent	8.00am David & Lynn, Int.
	Burton Latimer	7.00pm Peet, White, F & F, RIP
WEDNESDAY	St Edward	10.00am Richard Dalton, RIP
THURSDAY	St Edward	10.00am Eddie Gormley, Int.
	Convent	5.30pm Agapito Puerto, RIP
	St Edward	7.30pm Exposition & Benediction
FRIDAY	Desborough	7.00pm Norah Mangan, RIP
	St Edward	7.30pm Jean Dibb, RIP
SATURDAY	St Edward	10.00am Watson, Gibbs, Hodge, Banks, RIP, F&F

MASS INTENTIONS NEXT WEEKEND

SATURDAY	St Edward	6.00pm Josie & Lee Cullip, RIP
SUNDAY	St Edward	8.00am Ken Royston, RIP
		10.30am Pippa Milford, RIP
		5.00pm Vespers & Benediction
		7.00pm Vincenzo Donadi, RIP
	Burton Latimer	9.00am Anne Dicks, RIP
	Desborough	9.00am For the Parish
	Rothwell	10.30am Fitzpatrick, Clelland, F&F, RIP

PASTORAL NOTES

My only visit to Israel in 1980 coincided with the feast of the Assumption of our Lady (August 15th) and, outside the great Basilica dedicated to Our Lady in Nazareth, we saw a local sword dance done by the men, which seemed to include jumping over the swords while fireworks went off to add to the danger! The feast of the Assumption was made more prominent in 1950, a Holy Year, when Pope Pius XII spoke of Our Lady's immediate sharing in the risen glory of her Son. A memorial plaque in St Peter's, Rome, lists the notables present at that time with the Pope, including Thomas Leo Parker, Bishop of Northampton. There are very many pilgrims who now visit the traditional site of the last home of Our Lady in Ephesus, southern Turkey where St John the apostle cared for her. Followers of the Koran, knowing it expresses great reverence for the Virgin Mary, also pray at that shrine. Relics of all the saints, bodily remnants, are venerated all over the world, including at least three places claiming to house the head of John the Baptist! But there are no relics of Our Lady. But her feast encourages us on our journey, to remain faithful, in the mysterious but sure hope of the resurrection.

Readings for the week:

Monday 16 August	(Psalter Week 4)	
Tuesday 17 August	Feria	Ezekiel 24:15-24; Matthew 19:16-22
Wednesday 18 August	Feria	Ezekiel 28:1-10; Matthew 19:23-30
Thursday 19 August	Feria	Ezekiel 34:1-11; Matthew 20:1-16
Friday 20 August	Feria	Ezekiel 36:23-28; Matthew 22:1-14
Saturday 21 August	St Bernard	Ezekiel 37:1-4; Matthew 22:34-40
Sunday 22 August	St Pius X	Ezekiel 43:1-7; Matthew 23:1-12
	21 st Sunday of Year C	Isaiah 66:18-21; Hebrews 12:5-7, 11-13; Luke 13:22-30

ALTAR SERVERS

MONDAY

7.30pm

S&S Jose

THURSDAY

7.30pm

A T&G Sansone.

FRIDAY

7.30pm

E Walsh.

SATURDAY

10am

C Mears. H Fawcett

SATURDAY

6pm

A Soto. C Hill. J Smith

SUNDAY

8pm

Mr J Huzar

SUNDAY

10.30am

A&T Sansone, E Walsh,

A & O Kularatnam, M McClaran,

S&S Jose, H Fawcett,

H Falshaw.

SUNDAY

7pm

E Hallam

CONFESSION

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

Other times at request.

PLEASE REMEMBER in your prayers Noel Mahon, who died on Monday 9th August, and whose Requiem Mass is at St. Edward's on Friday 20th August 1.30pm. The body will be received into church on Thursday 19th August at 4.30pm. Also, William (Bill) Murphy, who died on 10th August, and whose funeral service at the Crematorium is on Wednesday 19th August at 11.30am. May they rest in peace. Our prayers and condolences are with all the families and friends.

THIS SUNDAY

9.00am Service with Deacon at Desborough

NEXT SUNDAY

Mass will be celebrated at all the churches.

THIS WEEK

Clergy Holidays – Canon John is away until 25th August. Father Andy is now back from his holidays. Father Janusz is helping out at Our Lady's, Luton, until 21st August, and then will be staying until the beginning of September 3rd. **Children's Liturgy group:** Special meeting on Weds 18th August, 8.00pm at 94 Rockingham Road to discuss necessary changes to our safeguarding practices.

GENERAL NOTICES

CAFOD APPEAL for Pakistan The second collection last weekend realized £1482.10. Many thanks. £659.10 of that was gift aided, which means that HM Revenue and Customs will contribute a further £164.78. Further donations can be made over the next few weeks via envelopes marked 'Pakistan' in the collection plate. If you are a UK taxpayer please do use the CAFOD Gift Aid envelopes (available in all four Churches) and complete the declaration.

Jumbulance Grand Draw tickets available at the back of all churches, please support this local charity taking sick pilgrims to Lourdes etc. Draw takes place on 26th September 2010. Counterfoils and money can be returned, in an envelope marked 'Jumbulance Raffle', please via the Sunday Collections plates.

Sponsorship Money Many thanks for supporting Andy Allen's run and Fr Gerard's ride. Further donations, **if any**, may be placed in envelopes marked with sponsorship and your details (to match you to the sponsorship).

NEWS FROM BURTON LATIMER

The Rosary Group meet at St Nicholas Owen on Thursday 19th August at 2pm with refreshments afterwards. Please spare 40 minutes for this worthwhile gathering. All welcome.

Are you an ex pupil from St Edwards Primary School?

As a launch for our new reception area, we will be holding a re-union on the 18th September 2010 in the School.

Tickets are available at a cost of
£5 (Adult) or £3 (under 18's)
7pm – 11pm

All money raised will go towards the schools building fund.

For further information please contact
the School Office on 01536 418430 or email us
steds.reunion@gmail.com

NOTES FOR THE DIARY

Canon John celebrates the 40th Anniversary of his Ordination on 18th September and this will be marked by a special Mass in St Edwards at 7.30pm on Wednesday 22nd September, followed by a reception in the hall to which all are welcome.

Papal Visit Update The list of Pilgrims from this parish was submitted to the Diocese by the deadline of Monday last and we were within our allocation. Further details, including time of departure from Northampton to be announced.

Those **without transport** to Northampton and those **with spare seats** in their cars please submit their details to the Presbytery **in writing** (envelope marked Papal visit transport) as soon as possible and we will try to match them up with spare seats or arrange a minibus.

Holy Land Pilgrimage 29 September – 6 October **next year**. Led by Fr Joe from St Peter's, Rushden, specially designed for 'slow walkers' and wheelchair users who can walk a little. Cost £1155. Volunteer doctor, nurses and helpers welcome. Contact Andy Sipple for brochure, telephone 01536 412511.

Sacred Heart Luton Sacred Heart parish will be having a Holy hour on Sunday 12th September starting at 4pm, to pray for the Pope's visit. It will end with Benediction. Everyone is welcome, particularly pilgrim leaders and coordinators. There will be refreshments in the hall afterwards.

On Sunday 22nd August **The Association of Our Lady of Mount Carmel** will be holding a **Rosary Rally for World Peace and Young People** at *Grace Dieu Manor*, Leicestershire. The Rally will commence with Holy Mass at 3.00pm with a break for refreshments, picnic, etc. followed by the crowning of a statue of Our Lady, a procession with Rosary and hymns, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Blessing of the Sick, ending with Benediction. Please let one of the priests know if you are planning to go, to help the organisers. See poster in the porch.

KGH Family Fun Day – Saturday 28th August (12pm – 5pm) – The Hospital is organising a Family Fun Day for staff and volunteers on the Pocket Park, just beyond Althorpe Ward, everyone invited.

Cardinal John Henry Newman a talk about his life will be given by renowned author John Cornwell in St Edward's hall on **Wednesday 15th September at 7.30pm**. Just a few days before the Papal Mass of Beatification on Sunday 19th September.

A MIRACULOUS RELIC Image of our Lady of Guadalupe is travelling throughout England and Wales this year. We have been given the unique opportunity of hosting this image in our diocese for nine days and Bishop Peter has asked parishioners in Bedford to plan and co-ordinate this visit. We are especially invited to take part in the following events: i) the Diocesan Procession of faith on Sunday 12th September from 2pm followed by liturgy and refreshments in Bedford Park ii) The Diocesan Solemn Mass of Our Lady of Guadalupe on Monday 13th September from 7.30pm at St. Joseph's Church, Bedford. For further information see poster at back on church, or contact Mags Reilly at pilgrimqueen.uk@gmail.com.

A Charismatic Day of Renewal for the Diocese of Northampton will take place on Saturday 2nd October at St. Augustine's Church, Langcliffe Drive, Heelands, Milton Keynes, MK13 7PL. The guest speaker will be Jenny Baker on "The Sun of righteousness will rise with healing in its wings." Everyone welcome. For more information, see poster at the back of church, or call Gerard or Toni on 01582 571010.