



# ST EDWARD'S PARISH KETTERING

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5<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY OF LENT (YEAR C)

Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> March 2010

## Times of Liturgies

<b>SATURDAY</b>	St Edward	6.00pm	Hugh McKeever RIP
<b>SUNDAY</b>	St Edward	8.00am	Quentin/Barbara Bland RIP
		10.30am	Mass of Thanksgiving (B Ehlert)
		4.00pm	<b>Stations of the Cross</b>
		7.00pm	For the Parish
	Desborough	9.00am	Service with Deacon
	Rothwell	10.30am	Fitzpatrick, Clelland, Fam RIP
	Burton Latimer	9.00am	Fr Pat Bailey (50 <sup>th</sup> )

<b>MONDAY</b>	Convent	7.30am	Marcus Bourke RIP
	St Edward	7.30pm	Jackie Ellmer RIP
<b>TUESDAY</b>	Convent	7.30am	Sister Mary Bernadette RIP
	St Edward	10.00am	Service of Word and Holy Communion
	Burton Latimer	7.00pm	Ralph Burgess RIP
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	St Edward	11.30am	Requiem: Peggy Barbet
	St Edward	7.30pm	Jackie Ellmer RIP
<b>THURSDAY</b>	Convent	5.30pm	Bridie Harford RIP
	St Edward	10.00am	Billy Horan RIP
	Rothwell	7.00pm	Service of Word and Holy Communion
	St Edward	7.30pm	<b>Penitential Service</b>
<b>FRIDAY</b>	St Edward	12:00pm	Funeral Service: Mario Staniscia
	Desborough	7.00pm	Elizabeth Donoghue RIP
	St Edward	7.30pm	Joe Boyce RIP
<b>SATURDAY</b>	St Edward	10.00am	Jules De Mello RIP

## MASS INTENTIONS NEXT WEEKEND

<b>SATURDAY</b>	St Edward	6.00pm	Ignatius Fox RIP
<b>SUNDAY</b>	St Edward	8.00am	For the Parish
		10.30am	Dorothy & Martin Mannion RIP
		5.00pm	Malayalam Mass
		7.00pm	Jack, Fred Abbott, John, Bridget, Elizabeth Monaghan RIP
	Burton Latimer	9.00am	Andrew Waring RIP
	Desborough	9.30am	Yvonne, James, Sam & Louise Int
	Rothwell	10.30am	Service with Deacon

## ALTAR SERVERS

### MONDAY

A & E Owusu

### THURSDAY

M McLaren, A Morris

### FRIDAY

E Walsh, H Falshaw

### SATURDAY

10am

C Mears

6pm

A Soto, C Hill

### SUNDAY

8am

S & S Jose

10.30am

A & T Sansone, E Walsh

D & M McCarney, T Simon

H Falshaw, C C & E Hogg

E Dashit, T John M McLaren

7pm

A Morris, N Wijesinghe

## CONFESSION

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

*Other times at request.*

## PASTORAL NOTES

The Sacrament of Penance or Reconciliation can be celebrated in different ways, as it has been through the ages of the Church. On Saturdays there are special times for Confession after the morning and evening Masses. People can ask a priest to hear their confession at any time, in the quiet of church or some other suitable place. In the early centuries of the Church it could be a very public matter, where penitents had offended grievously. Gradually it had become a quieter time of reconciliation. Either way it shows how – with the priest representing both God and the Church – it is a sacrament of reconciliation with the Lord and with one another. The early practice of the Church has now been revived in services of penance together, hearing God's word, and the opportunity of an individual confession, often with the help of a visiting priest. Praying before the Blessed Sacrament, this can be a time of great blessing, even if we do not make an individual confession. At the same time, making use of the Sacrament of Penance is always a source of blessing, even if no major fault needs to be confessed. Priests, of course, try to be available at other times if anyone wishes to speak with them as fellow-travellers.

## Readings for the week:

Monday 22 March	Feria	Dan. 13:1-9.15-17.19-30.33-62; John 8:1-11
Tuesday 23 March	Feria	Num. 21:4-9; John 8:21-30
Wednesday 24 March	Feria	Dan. 3:14-20.24-25.28; John 8:31-42
Thursday 25 March	The Annunciation of the Lord	Isa. 7:10-14. 8:10; Heb. 10:4-10; Luke 1:26-38
Friday 26 March	Feria	Jer. 20:10-13; John 10:31-42
Saturday 27 March	Feria	Ezek. 37:21-28; John 11:45-56
Sunday 28 March	Palm Sunday (Year C)	Isa. 50:4-7; Phil. 2:6-11; Luke 22:14-23:56

**PLEASE REMEMBER** in your prayers Peggy Barbet who died on 14<sup>th</sup> March and whose Requiem Mass is on Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> March at 11.30am with the body coming into church on Tuesday at 4.30pm. Also Ethel O'Dowd who died on 14<sup>th</sup> March and whose Funeral Service at the Crematorium is on Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> March at 2.30pm. Also Mario Staniscia who died on 17<sup>th</sup> March and whose Funeral Service will be at St. Edward's on Friday 26<sup>th</sup> March at 12.00pm. May they rest in peace. Our prayers and condolences are with all families and friends.

## THIS SUNDAY

**9.00am** Service with Deacon Keith at Desborough.

**10.30am** St Edward's School will be helping us.

**Stations of the Cross at 4pm** led by Religious Sisters from around the Diocese. Refreshments in the Hall afterwards. All welcome.

**Burton Latimer: 2<sup>nd</sup> collection** for flowers for Easter.

## NEXT SUNDAY

**9.30am** Desborough Mass

**10.30am** Service with Deacon Keith at Rothwell.

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## THIS WEEK

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

**Wednesday: Lent 2010 at All Saints, Northampton, 7-7.45pm:** The Right Reverend Idris Jones, former Primus of the Scottish Episcopal Church and Bishop of Glasgow and Galloway.

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

## NOTES FOR THE DIARY

**Please note:** *Services of the Word with Holy Communion* at St Edward's on Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> March at 10.00am and at Rothwell on Thursday at 7.00pm.

**Day of Prayer with Penitential Service** on Thursday: Exposition after 10.00am Mass and a list for watching (please), with the evening service at 7.30pm. You are welcome to come and just join in the prayers, or for individual confession if you wish – Fr Tony from Corby has kindly agreed to help us, as so often before.

**Palm Sunday** is next Sunday and begins **Holy Week**. There are *Holy Week Posters* which you can take and put in your front window at home, as a little reminder of God's love at Easter. Please consider taking a poster from the back of church.

**10.30am Mass** at St Edward's on Palm Sunday – you are asked to stay in church: the ministers will meet just outside and then process into church.

**Lay Ministers:** Please collect from your church a letter with further details regarding Service of Word and Holy Communion.

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Please collect from your church a letter explaining your part in the Service of Word and Holy Communion.

## NEWS FROM ROTHWELL

**The Passover Supper** at St Bernadette's is on Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> March. If you would like a place please contact Sue Macfarlane: K523754 as soon as possible as places are rapidly going.

## GENERAL NOTICES

**Rota** for Eucharistic Ministers and Readers for Palm Sunday, Maundy Thursday, Good Friday and Easter Vigil are in the Sacristy. Please collect.

**Help Wanted!** Men and women to be trained as **Counsellors** to assist married couples whose marriages are in difficulties. Training is organised by **Marriage Care** to the highest professional standards. **Marriage Care** is a Catholic organisation which has been encouraged by the Bishops to expand this vital work. Please telephone your interest to 0800 389 3801.

**The Rosary Link** meets four times a year to pray for vocations, seminarians and priests. Mass is at 7.00pm followed by Rosary and Exposition at 7.30pm. Friday 26<sup>th</sup> March Our Lady of the Sacred Heart, Wellingborough; Friday 11<sup>th</sup> June St Joseph's, Aylesbury; Friday 17<sup>th</sup> September Our Lady of Charity and St Augustine, Daventry; Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> December St Mary Magdalene, Stony Stratford or visit [www.northamptondiocese.org](http://www.northamptondiocese.org)

**St Scholastica's Retreat:** Sheltered Housing for Catholics aged 60 and over, Princes Risborough, Bucks HP27 OJG. See poster for details.

**16<sup>th</sup> (St Edward's) Kettering Scout Group** are collecting Sainsbury's vouchers so that we can get more sports equipment for the children. There is a collection box in the foyer where you can post them. Thank you very much for any contributions.

**Mums & Tots Group** at St Thomas More School – held in the School Hall from 9.00-10.45am term time only, all welcome: craft and fun activities for children and parents to enjoy.

**Quiz Night** (for the Brainybox Trophy) on Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> March at 7.15pm at Central Methodist Church, School Lane. £8 per team of 4 or just come along and we'll find you one!. Includes tea, coffee and cakes. In aid of Christian Aid and in memory of Jane Benstead.

## NEWS FROM DESBOROUGH

For over 25 years, Holy Trinity Church has hosted students at the beginning of the Kettering Leg of the Student Cross Easter Pilgrimage to Walsingham. This year students will assemble in Desborough on Friday 26<sup>th</sup> March and will stay overnight at the Church. On Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> March there will be a special Mass at 9.00am, celebrated by one of the students' chaplains, after which they will make their way to Newton village for the formal start of the Kettering Leg walk to Walsingham, reaching there on Good Friday. Students and their leaders love to meet local people and a good turnout for the Saturday morning Mass would show our support for them in their journey towards Easter and towards God. The Kettering Leg is only one of many. If you have internet access and would like to know more about the Student Cross, go to <http://www.studentcross.org.uk>

## NEWS FROM BURTON LATIMER

2<sup>nd</sup> collection today for Easter flowers.

## 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