



# ST EDWARD'S PARISH KETTERING

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3<sup>rd</sup> Lent Sunday Year B  
Times of Liturgies

4<sup>th</sup> March 2018

## MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEKEND

<b>SATURDAY</b>	St Edward	6.00pm	David/Mary Patterson RIP, Louise Lassman RIP
<b>SUNDAY</b>	St Edward	8.00am	Patsy Cox RIP
		10.30am	Pagliuca Ferdinando RIP
		1.00pm	Polish Mass
		5.00pm	<b>Stations of the Cross</b>
		7.00pm	McNulty Fam Int
	Desborough	9.15am	For the Parish
	Rothwell	10.45am	Gilson F&F RIP
	Burton Latimer	9.00am	Service of Word & Communion

<b>MONDAY</b>	Convent	8.00am	Kath Navin RIP
	St Edward	7.30pm	John & Christine Friel RIP
<b>TUESDAY</b>	Convent	8.00am	Heike Sharpling RIP
	Burton Latimer	10.00am	Andrew Kenny RIP
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	St Edward	10.00am	Jorge A Conti Sr
<b>THURSDAY</b>	Convent	5.30pm	Belinda Manns Int
	St Edward	11.00am	REQUIEM: Patrick John (Jack) McBride
		7.30pm	<b>Exposition &amp; Benediction</b>
	Rothwell	7.00pm	Sarah & Peter Spec Int
<b>FRIDAY</b>	Desborough	7.00pm	Greener, Daly Fam RIP
	St Edward	6.45pm	<b>Stations of the Cross</b>
		7.30pm	Massimo Cerreoni RIP
<b>SATURDAY</b>	St Edward	10.00am	Salvatore Meli F&F RIP

## MASS INTENTIONS NEXT WEEKEND

<b>SATURDAY</b>	St Edward	6.00pm	John Hynes RIP
<b>SUNDAY</b>	St Edward	8.00am	Nellie Saunders, Elizabeth Blackman RIP
		10.30am	Sunesh James RIP
		1.00pm	Polish Mass
		5.00pm	<b>Stations of the Cross</b>
		7.00pm	Cahal Boyd RIP
	Desborough	9.15am	Service of Word & Communion
	Rothwell	10.45am	For the Parish
	Burton Latimer	9.00am	Coughlan, Barnett Fam Int

## ALTAR SERVERS

<b>MONDAY</b>	A Skariah
<b>THURSDAY</b>	R & A Thottam
<b>FRIDAY</b>	A Sheby, A Shebu
<b>SATURDAY</b>	10.00am L Sebastian, Christo Biju
	6.00pm J Ike, M Di Micco, A Neeson
<b>SUNDAY</b>	8.00am A C & J Loom, T Joy, D Binoy G Meledeth, G & T Rajesh
	10.30am B D & J Lopez, S Juanta Angelo & Melbin Biju, C Miles H Calaunan, J Robbins, H Stephens, S & S Moni George Biju
	7pm J Mendoza, T & T Batayola R Binnie

## CONFESSION

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

## PASTORAL NOTES

## SEASONAL SAINTS

1st March was the feast of Saint David, patron saint of Wales, born about 520 AD. After being ordained priest, he withdrew to an island (perhaps Caldey, where there are Cistercian monks still?) and studied under a Welsh priest, St Paulinus, and later founded monasteries most famously at Mynyw (Menevia), now known as St David's in south Wales. He was nicknamed 'Waterman' for only ever drinking water, hence a Lenten example! Members of St Nicholas Owen community in Burton Latimer should know the feast of their patron was on Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> March. Nicholas was a lay member of the Jesuit Order and famous for his carpentry, building secret hiding-places for priests in the time of Elizabeth I. He was himself captured and died in the Tower of London under torture. A priest who survived, Father John Gerard SJ, wrote how the work of a builder saved the lives of countless priests "in all shires and in the chiefest houses of England", including Rushton Hall, just outside Kettering.

## Readings for the week:

Monday 5 March	Feria	2 Kings 5: 1-15; Luke 4: 24-30
Tuesday 6 March	Feria	Daniel 3: 35. 34-43; Matthew 18: 21-35
Wednesday 7 March	Feria	Deuteronomy 4: 1. 5-9; Matthew 5: 17-29
Thursday 8 March	Feria	Jeremiah 7: 23-28; Luke 11: 14-23
Friday 9 March	Feria	Hosea 14: 2-20; Mark 12: 28-34
Saturday 10 March	Feria	Hosea 5: 15-6: 16; Luke 18: 9-14
Sunday 11 March	4 <sup>th</sup> Lent Sunday B	2 Chronicles 36: 14-16. 19-23; Ephesians 2: 4-10; John 3: 14-21

**PLEASE REMEMBER in your prayers** Luigia Novaga of Burton Latimer who died 27<sup>th</sup> February and whose Requiem at St Nicholas Owen is on 19<sup>th</sup> March at 11.00am. The Requiem of Patrick John (Jack) McBride is at 1.00pm on Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> March, the body received into church on Wednesday at 4.00pm. May they rest in peace. Our prayers and condolences are with all families and friends.

## NEXT SUNDAY

St Edward's Walkers meet outside the church at 11.00 for a 3 mile walk from Burton Latimer. Bring a walking stick and snack. All welcome.

## THIS WEEK

**Monday 5<sup>th</sup>: Prayer Group** meets after the 7.30pm Mass.

**Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup>: St Edward's Garden Team** have a coffee morning after the 10.00am Mass for Fr Jo. All welcome.

**Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup>: "Footsteps"** for years 7, 8, 9 in the Upper Room, 6-7pm.

**Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup>: Diocesan Shrine at Billing, Special Mass at 6.00pm (poster in Each Church)**

**Thursday 8<sup>th</sup>: Flower Arrangers meeting in the Upper Room at 7.00pm.**

**Friday 9<sup>th</sup>: Desborough Open Meeting.** After 7.00pm Mass - see Box on right.

**Saturday 10<sup>th</sup>: 2.30 to 5.00 pm "Lent Day of Recollection (The Celtic Way)"** with Father Allan Jones CRIC, in St Edward's Church Hall.

## DATES FOR THE DIARY

**Saturday, 17th March at 2 pm at the Quaker Meeting House on Northall Street.** The next meeting to take forward a bid to welcome a vulnerable family of refugees to Kettering.

**25<sup>th</sup> to 27<sup>th</sup> May: advance notice** "True Survivor – Beyond the Wild" a weekend for young men aged 13 to 18, in Dorset, only 20 places for this Diocese. Minibus travel, cost £90 (possible bursary from the parish "Ireson Fund"). Information from [info@nymo.org](mailto:info@nymo.org)

## SAFEGUARDING

**St Edward's Parish is committed to Responsible Caring.**

Parish Safeguarding Representative:  
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## GENERAL NOTICES

Mass times are back to normal this week. Please keep Fr Brian in your prayers.

**The Flower Festival** will take place on the **19th and 20th May 2018**. All who are interested in taking part, please come to see Cathie in the church hall after 8am Mass or the 10.30 Mass on 11th March or ring Cathie 01536 483016.

The next meeting for the **Flower Arrangers Group** will be on Thursday 8th March in the Upper Room at 7pm. New members and interested parties are always welcome.

'Footsteps' had to be cancelled on 28th February due to the weather conditions but will resume again next week-Wednesday 7th March.

**Cafod Friday Fast Day - please use Cafod Envelopes and, if possible "Gift Aid" your donation and** continue to put CAFOD envelopes in at the offertory collection.

## NEWS FROM BURTON LATIMER

**The Rosary Group** meet at 2.00pm at St Nicholas Owen Church on Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> March with refreshments after. Please spare 40 minutes for this worthwhile gathering. All welcome.

## NEWS FROM DESBOROUGH

An open meeting at Holy Trinity Church is planned for **after the evening 7.00pm Mass on Friday 9<sup>th</sup> March. To facilitate that the Stations of the Cross that day will commence at 6.15pm.** This will be an opportunity for the whole congregation to share their thoughts about the way forward.

## CONCERNED OR TROUBLED ABOUT SOMETHING IN YOUR LIFE?

Are you stressed, depressed or anxious? Struggling with addiction, bereavement or aspects of your faith? Fully trained members of the Diocesan Listening & Prayer Ministry are available for all adults who would like to speak to someone in confidence. For free local appointments, phone **075 31 55 27 28**. Line manned between 2-4pm Mon-Fri or leave message at other times for a call back. Please note this is not a crisis line.

## REMINDER TO HALL USERS

Generally we ask that users of the hall enter and leave the building using the Ramp Door only, rather than via the Kitchen, for hygiene reasons. If however you leave from the kitchen after using it, please ensure that the ramp door is locked **from the outside** so that the hall is not accidentally left unsecured overnight. Thank you!

## The Diocesan Marriage Celebration

has been rearranged (because of weather conditions) to 12 noon on Saturday 14th April in Holy Family Church, Langley, Slough,.