



# ST EDWARD'S PARISH KETTERING

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18<sup>th</sup> Ordinary Sunday Year B  
Times of Liturgies

5<sup>th</sup> August 2018

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEKEND		
<b>SATURDAY</b>	St Edward	6.00pm Donald Jones RIP
<b>SUNDAY</b>	St Edward	8.00am Jimmy Geary RIP
		10.30am Mary O'Hara, Jacky Fleming RIP
		1.00pm Polish Mass
		7.00pm Mary Theresa & Brian Ward & Fam Int
	Desborough	9.15am Irene Mattock RIP
	Rothwell	10.45am For the Parish
	Burton Latimer	9.00am Tim & Mary O'Connor Fam RIP

<b>MONDAY</b>	St Edward	7.30pm All Holy Souls
<b>TUESDAY</b>	St Edward	10.00am Fr Stan, Mr & Mrs Condon RIP
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	St Edward	10.00am Anne Walsh RIP
<b>THURSDAY</b>	St Edward	10.00am Smyth Fam (Ireland) RIP
		7.30pm <b>Exposition &amp; Benediction</b>
<b>FRIDAY</b>	St Edward	7.30pm Gertrude, Leonard, Czazkovsky RIP
<b>SATURDAY</b>	St Edward	10.00am Gibbison, O'Brien, Dixon F&F RIP

MASS INTENTIONS NEXT WEEKEND		
<b>SATURDAY</b>	St Edward	6.00pm Mick Cully F&F RIP
<b>SUNDAY</b>	St Edward	8.00am Dorothy, Martin Mannion RIP
		10.30am Marie-Rose Spowart RIP
		1.00pm Polish Mass
		7.00pm Melanie, Pat, Fred Burn F&F RIP
	Desborough	9.15am Service of Word & Communion
	Rothwell	10.45am For the Parish
	Burton Latimer	9.00am Tim & Mary O'Connor Fam RIP

## ALTAR SERVERS

### MONDAY

A Skariah

### THURSDAY

R & A Thottam

### FRIDAY

J Sharman, A Sheby

### SATURDAY

10.00am

L Sebastian, I Binoy

6.00pm

A Neeson

### SUNDAY

8.00am

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 Biji

7pm

J Mendoza, T & T Batayola  
R Binnie

## CONFESSION

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

*Other times at request.*

## PASTORAL NOTES

### Stories old and new

If I am correct, 6<sup>th</sup> August, the feast of the Lord's Transfiguration, is also the day the first atomic bomb was dropped on Japan – two totally different lights – Pope Francis urges us to choose life. Saint Dominic, founder of the Order of Preachers in the Middle Ages, established a 'Third Order' for lay members, which still flourishes today, like the third Order of St Francis of Assisi. St Dominic also established many ways of prayer, so that we can happily sit, kneel or lie on the ground as we are moved to do.

This week we also have a Jewish saint, St Benedicta, a very able convert in the 1920s in Germany. She was a philosopher but also became a Carmelite nun, along with a sister. Although moved by her Order to Holland, she was then eventually sent to her death in the concentration camp, an example to us all. On Friday we remember a deacon, St Lawrence, a martyr with the then Pope and others around 250 AD. Finally, St Clare, friend of St Francis: he said she understood his message more than anyone.

## Readings for the week:

Monday 6 August	Transfiguration of the Lord	Daniel 7: 9-10. 13-14; 2 Peter 1: 16-19; Mark 9: 2-10
Tuesday 7 August	Feria	Jeremiah 30: 1-22; Matthew 14: 22-36
Wednesday 8 August	St Dominic	Jeremiah 31: 1-7; Matthew 15: 21-28
Thursday 9 August	St Benedicta of the Cross	Jeremiah 31: 31-34; Matthew 16: 13-23
Friday 10 August	St Lawrence	Nahum 2: 1-3; 7; Matthew 16: 24-28
Saturday 11 August	St Clare	Habakkuk 1: 12-2: 4; Matthew 17: 4-20
Sunday 12 August	19 <sup>th</sup> Ordinary Sunday B	1 Kings 19: 4-8; Ephesians 4: 30-5: 2; John 6: 41-51

**PLEASE REMEMBER in your prayers** Cliff Corbett who died on Monday 30<sup>th</sup> July. His funeral service will be at St Edward's on Friday 10<sup>th</sup> August at noon, followed by Cremation at Edgar Newman Chapel at 1.00pm. His body will be brought in to the Church at 5.00pm on Thursday. May he rest in peace. Our prayers and condolences are with all families and friends.

## NEXT SUNDAY

**St Edward's Walkers** meet outside the church at 11.00am for a 3 mile walk around Paulespury. Bring a stick and a snack. All welcome.

**11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> August Mission Appeal by Columban Fathers** who will also supply a priest to say Masses in Canon John's absence.

## THIS WEEK

**Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> : Baptism classes** 8-9pm in the Presbytery.

## DATES FOR THE DIARY

**21<sup>st</sup> to 26<sup>th</sup> August: World Meeting of Families**, Dublin, Ireland, "The Gospel of the Family: Joy for the World" [info@worldmeeting2018.ie](mailto:info@worldmeeting2018.ie) [www.worldmeeting2018.ie](http://www.worldmeeting2018.ie)

**24<sup>th</sup> to 31<sup>st</sup> August: Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes** (see posters in all Churches).

**7-9<sup>th</sup> September: National Eucharistic Congress** in Liverpool (see Notice board)

**Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> October: Diocesan Justice and Peace Commission** invite all to a conference on **Modern Day Slavery and Trafficking 10.00am to 1.30 pm in Luton. Posters in all Churches**

**Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> October: (preliminary notice)** we will be hosting a "Fatima Day" in St Edward's further details will be available in due course.

**"Data Protection.** Most of you will have heard that new legislation which came into force on 25th May requires all organisations to tighten up on how they handle personal information. We are therefore advised to remind you that the Parish holds a lot of personal data about its parishioners, which is generally used for the administration of the parish and does not go outside it. We do our best to keep it securely. If personal data is given to us for an event or course, and we need to retain it after it has finished, we will seek your specific consent, as we will if data has to be shared with any other organisation. So you may hear from the organisers of any rotas you belong to. Information about how we handle your data, and your rights, is in our Privacy Notice which is available on our website and in the Parish Office on request. The Diocesan Data Protection Policy and other documents can be seen at [www.northamptondiocese.org/data](http://www.northamptondiocese.org/data).

**Divine Mercy Apostolate's DIVINE MERCY PILGRIMAGE - MONDAY BANK HOLIDAY 27<sup>th</sup> August 2018 10:00 am - 5:00 pm Aylesford Priory Aylesford, Kent, ME20 7BX** See poster in all churches Enquiries to DIVINE MERCY APOSTOLATE - phone: 020 89980925; email: [info@divinemercury.org.uk](mailto:info@divinemercury.org.uk)

## GENERAL NOTICES

This week, all weekday Masses will be in St Edward's.

**18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> August** and following week (to ensure all Masses are covered) appeal for "Aid to the Church in Need" (posters to follow)

This Year's **Diocesan Pilgrimage** to Lourdes takes place between 24<sup>th</sup> and 31<sup>st</sup> August, please join with the Pilgrims in prayer.

## Kettering and District Foodbank Appeal

The Kettering and District Foodbank supported over three thousand people in food poverty last year and many of them were families with young children.

We have two peak demand times during the year, during the winter, as you would expect, but also now during the school summer holidays. Many families whose children receive free school meals during term times do not get this support during the school holidays. This causes significant pressure on the parents limited resources and they just can't manage, so have to resort to Foodbanks.

The Kettering and District Foodbank urgently needs the support of our community to help us ensure that no one in genuine need goes hungry in our Town. If you can help with food, especially tinned, meat and fish, vegetables, fruit, tea and long life milk we will be very grateful. Donations can be given directly to our Foodbank in Stanier Close, Kettering, our KCU shops in Gold Street and High Street or our offices next to the Fuller Church. Monetary donations can be made on the "My Donate" page on our website [www.kcultd.org.uk](http://www.kcultd.org.uk). Any support you can give will be greatly appreciated.

## NEWS FROM BURTON LATIMER

**The Rosary Group** next meet on Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> August at 2.00pm at St Nicholas Owen, with refreshments. Please spare 40 minutes for this worthwhile gathering. All welcome.

**CONFIDENTIAL HELPLINE:** Diocesan Listening & Prayer Ministry for adults with personal problems: For free local appointments, phone or text **075 31 55 27 28** or leave a private voicemail.

**Safeguarding: St Edward's Parish is committed to Responsible Caring.** Parish Safeguarding Representative: [viviencaldwell@hotmail.com](mailto:viviencaldwell@hotmail.com) or 01536 501255. Diocesan Safeguarding Coordinator: [safeguarding@northamptonshirediocese.com](mailto:safeguarding@northamptonshirediocese.com)