



ST EDWARD'S PARISH KETTERING

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3rd Easter Sunday Year C

4th May 2019

Times of Liturgies

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEKEND		
SATURDAY	St Edward	6.00pm B.C.P. P.I.
SUNDAY	St Edward	8.00am Mary Incles RIP
		10.30am Christopher Harford RIP
		1.00pm Polish Mass
		7.00pm Mary Jefferies, Jean Ayrton RIP
	Desborough	9.15am Nancy Collis RIP
	Rothwell	10.45am Bronte Elliott RIP
	Burton Latimer	9.00am For the Parish

MONDAY	St Edward	7.30pm Alexa (B'day Int)
TUESDAY	Burton Latimer	10.00am Raitt, Thompson, Riley, Win Dixon RIP
WEDNESDAY	St Edward	10.00am John Bradley RIP; Marin, Allen, Ranee P.I.
THURSDAY	Convent	5.30pm Mateusz Garkowski RIP
	St Edward	7.30pm Exposition & Benediction
	Rothwell	7.00pm Fr Stan, Mr & Mrs Condon RIP
FRIDAY	St Edward	10.30am REQUIEM: Mario Di Rienzo
		7.30pm Annamma Joseph RIP
SATURDAY	St Edward	10.00am Alice Wathen RIP

MASS INTENTIONS NEXT WEEKEND		
SATURDAY	St Edward	6.00pm Bridget Wilsdon RIP
SUNDAY	St Edward	8.00am Wilfred Pettitt RIP
		10.30am Kevin Smyth RIP
		1.00pm Polish Mass
		7.00pm Tommy McCarney RIP
	Desborough	9.15am For the Parish
	Rothwell	10.45am Moire Erskine RIP
	Burton Latimer	9.00am Veronica & Jim Kemp RIP

ALTAR SERVERS

MONDAY
D Binoy, M Biju

THURSDAY
C Miles, H Stephens

FRIDAY
T Lally, J Manoj

SATURDAY
10.00am
A Skariah, K Mishore
6.00pm
E Neeson, C Miles

SUNDAY
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 Moni
George Biji, E Ezeani,
J Zachariah
7pm
J Mendoza, T & T Batayola

CONFESSION

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

PASTORAL NOTES

Harmony & Peace Between People of Different Faiths

I handed in the following letter in response to the personal visit from Iman Khan from the Kettering Muslim Association.

"I am writing to say how much I and the community of St Edward's have been touched by your most loving expression of grief over the recent attack on a Catholic Church in Sri Lanka. May we in turn express our horror and dismay at all such murderous actions, such as at the Mosque in New Zealand, and pray that the sense of unity and respect between people of faith may grow under God's guidance. With kindest wishes from us all. (Canon) John Koenig."

Pope Francis and other leaders continue to make efforts to mutual respect and understanding. We continue with our regular prayers for these efforts to bear fruit, and that we remain determined ourselves to be guided by our Saviour, the Prince of Peace.

Readings for the week:

Monday 5 May	Feria	Acts 6: 8-15; John 6: 22-29
Tuesday 6 May	Feria	Acts 7: 51-8: 1; John 6: 30-35
Wednesday 7 May	Feria	Acts 8: 1-8; John 6: 35-40
Thursday 8 May	Feria	Acts 8: 26-40; John 6: 44-51
Friday 9 May	Feria	Acts 9: 1-20; John 6: 52-59
Saturday 10 May	Feria	Acts 9: 31-42; John 6: 60-69
Sunday 11 May	4 th Easter Sunday C	Acts 13: 14.43-52; Revelation 7: 9. 14-17; John 10: 27-30

PLEASE REMEMBER in your prayers Mario Di Rienzo who died 21st April and whose Requiem is on Friday 10th May at 10.30am. May he rest in peace. Our prayers and condolences are with all family and friends.

NEXT SUNDAY

2nd collection for Priests' Training Fund

Sunday 12th May: Start of Christian Aid Week

Sunday 12th May: St Edward's Walking group meet outside the church at 11am for a 3 mile walk around Burton Latimer. Bring walking stick and snack. All welcome.

THIS WEEK

Tuesday 7th May: Annual May Day procession at St Edward's School, 2.00pm. All parents and parishioners welcome.

Wednesday 8th May: Baptism class 8-9pm in the Presbytery.

DATES FOR THE DIARY

Monday 13th May: UCM meet at 8.00pm in the Lower Room. New members welcome

Thursday 16th May: Catholic Basics "The Moral Life" at the Diocesan Centre, Luton LU4 8JD. Mass at 9am, course from 10am to 3pm. To book or for details contact Jackie admin@nores.org.uk or phone 01582 723312.

Wednesday 22nd May: Annual Mass in honour of Blessed Peter Wright, local martyr born in the village of Slipton, in what is now Thrapston parish, will take place at Thrapston Church of St Paul, Sackville Street at 7.00pm. All welcome: lifts to the Mass available.

Special Thanks to all who made Our Divine Mercy Feast Day last Sunday such a lovely culmination of the Easter Octave. A packed church experienced contemplative music set to imagery which encouraged a really prayerful atmosphere amidst colourful decorations and lighting effects. Thanks especially to the Malayalam and Filipino communities for providing singing during communion, excellent young readers and a musical version of the Lord's Prayer by the children. All rounded off by a meal together in the hall provided by these communities. The collection for **Aid to the Church in Need** (targeting their work in rebuilding our Christian community in Sri Lanka) raised an incredible £603.86. Well done and thank you!

Confirmation Classes for Children in non-Catholic Schools have now started, late registration is possible by attending the next class at 6.00pm on Friday 10th May in the upper room of ST Edwards Church Hall any enquiries to Maureen on 01536 513516

Mass for victims and survivors of abuse, their families and supporters at St Mary's in Woburn Sands at 12 noon on 12 October 2019.

All victims and survivors of abuse, their families and supporters are invited to this Mass. The focus will be on healing, reconciliation and the forming of compassionate links with the Church. There will be light refreshments after the Mass

GENERAL NOTICES

You will notice that the very lovely Easter decorations have now been partially removed as we continue through the season of Eastertide. The water display remains on the Sanctuary and the clergy hope in due course to bless the houses as requested.

Charity Concert – Big About Singing - Saturday 18th May at 7.30pm in St Edward's Church Hall. Tickets £5 from Sue on 07747 663957 or on the door, with refreshments and raffle – Mary's Pilgrims Trust Jumbulance to Lourdes.

A Day with Mary – Sunday 2nd June at the Basilica of Our Lady of Walsingham. See poster at the back of church.

Weekly Offertory Envelopes for 2019/20

The new year has started. If you used envelopes last year your new supply is available at the back of churches from today. Please collect yours as soon as possible. Unless it is known that you attend one of the other three Churches in the parish they will be in your nearest church. They are arranged in number order. Please contact Ken Anderton 01536 514302 if you cannot trace your envelopes, if there is any change of address, if you would like them delivering to another church next year, or if you have not previously used envelopes, but would like to start now, please contact Ken direct at this time even if you have already asked for a supply recently.

Individual meetings for victims and survivors, families and supporters with Bishop Peter

Bishop Peter is offering to meet with victims and survivors, their families and supporters commencing from May 2019 and continuing on a bimonthly basis. For more details or to book a meeting with the Bishop, contact the safeguarding office on: 01604 723514.

ST EDWARD'S SCOUT GROUP IN CRISIS We need at least 3 new leaders to help with Beavers and Cubs or our whole Scout Group will close in the summer. Hopefully some good Christian folks might step forward to help. For further information, or to volunteer please contact Theresa 07904 585215.

DIOCESAN REQUEST FOR VOLUNTEERS Would you like to help shape the future of Catholic education in the Diocese? Do you have the skills to help direct the strategy and ethos of academies which currently educate over 10,000 pupils across the Diocese? Bishop Peter is currently recruiting Foundation Directors (non-executive) for our new Multi Academy Trusts in the north and south of the Diocese. The closing date for the first round of applications is 31 May 2019. Application details at: <https://bit.ly/2OPBIYx> or by contacting Debbie Main on 01582 723312 or main@nores.org.uk **"ACADEMY DIRECTOR RECRUITMENT" POSTER IN EACH CHURCH**

NEWS FROM BURTON LATIMER

The Rosary Group next meet on Thursday 23rd May at 2.00pm at St Nicholas Owen with refreshments. Please spare 40 minutes for this worthwhile gathering. All welcome.

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