



ST EDWARD'S PARISH KETTERING

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Seventh Sunday of the Year
Times of Liturgies

23rd February 2020

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEKEND

SATURDAY Rothwell 5.00pm Private Int. Canon Bernard Murray RIP
St Edward 6.30pm Boyle & Collacott Families RIP

SUNDAY St Edward 8.00am Nellie Saunders RIP Elizabeth Blackman RIP.
10.30am Joseph Audley RIP. Francesco Ielapi RIP
St Edward 1.00pm Polish Mass
4.00pm Malayalam Mass

WEEKDAY MASS

TUESDAY St Edward 7.30pm Eamon & Pauline Mangan RIP

WEDNESDAY St Edward 10.00am Breege Conway 80th Birthday
(Ash Wednesday) St Edward 7.30pm For the Parish

THURSDAY St Edward 10.00am John O'Donnell

FRIDAY St Edward 7.30pm Bridgie Mangan RIP. Patrick McElroy RIP.

MASS INTENTIONS NEXT WEEKEND

SATURDAY St Edward 6.30pm Mary Tomkins & Mary & Bert Neil RIP

SUNDAY St Edward 8.00am John & Christina Friel RIP
St Edward 10.30am Eileen O'Donnell RIP
St Edward 1.00pm Polish Mass
4.00pm Malayalam Mass

Message from Father Gregory

On Wednesday we will begin the period of Lent. I would like to encourage everyone to experience this time very deeply. Through fasting, prayer and almsgiving – that is specific charitable works – we will prepare our hearts to meet the Resurrected Jesus in the mystery of Easter.

Masses on Ash Wednesday will be at the following times:

9.10am at St Edwards School – Service with Ashes (for school children only)
10.00am at St Edwards
11.00am at St Thomas More School – Service with Ashes (for school children only)
7.30pm at St Edwards

Stations of the Cross will begin 28th February at 6.30pm, all are very welcome.

ALTAR SERVERS

TUESDAY

7.30pm
D Binoy, Sebastian, A Kurian, A Sheby.

FRIDAY

7.30pm
G Manoj, A Prosho, D Milis, Mathew.

SATURDAY

6.30pm
E Neeson, C Miles, A Sheby, A Joy.

SUNDAY

8.00am
A C & J Loom, T Joy,
G Meledeth, G & T Rajesh. D Binoy
10.30am
B D & J Lopez, S Juanta
Angelo & Melbin Biju, C Miles,
H Calaunan, J Robbins, H
Stephens, S Moni, George
Biji, T & T Batayola, J
Mendoza. J Zachariah, K
Kishore, E Ezeani.

CONFESSION

Saturdays – After Mass
Other times upon request

March Mass Times on Saturdays:

07th March – Mass in St Edwards at 10.00am
14th March - Mass in Burton Latimer at 5.00pm
21st March – Mass in Desborough at 5.00pm
28th March – Mass in Rothwell at 5.00pm

The Rededication of England as The Dowry of Mary

The following is the timeline for rededication:

Friday 21st February 2020

All Catholics will be invited to begin a personal 33-day consecration to Jesus through Mary. This will include an invitation to go to the Sacrament of Confession during Lent.

Wednesday 25th March 2020, Solemnity of the Annunciation of the Lord.

All who are following the consecration will consecrate themselves to Jesus through Mary on this day.

Thursday 26th to Saturday 28th March 2020

A three-day triduum of Prayer in which all will be invited to recite the Litany of Saints and Martyrs of England, to pray the Rosary and go to Confession in preparation for the Rededication.

Sunday 29th March 2020

The personal rededication of England as the Dowry of Mary. This will happen in Walsingham, in every Catholic Cathedral, in every parish and in as many homes as possible. In addition to the events outlined above, we are encouraged to prepare spiritually for the rededication by praying the Angelus. This is a communal opportunity for Catholics and all people of good will to place their total trust in Jesus through Mary and to renew their own 'Fiat', 'Yes' to God. Everyone is invited to participate from wherever they are. Like Our Lady, let us say with faith: 'I am the servant of the Lord, be it done to me according to Thy word' (Lk 1:38). I hope that our parish may be spiritually prepared for the rededication of England as the 'Dowry of Mary' on Sunday 29th March 2020.

Booklets for Consecration available at the back of the Church. For more information visit www.dowrytour.org.uk/

Come and let us join together as a Parish each Friday for Stations of the Cross at 6.45pm to pray for the sick, dying, spiritually sick and deceased family, friends and all in need of prayer. Holy Mass concludes this prayer time at 7.30pm.

Episcopal Ordination

As you know the Holy Father has appointed Canon David Oakley as our new Bishop, his Episcopal Ordination will take place in the Cathedral on Thursday 19th March at 11.00am. I will represent our Parish at the Ordination with two of our Parishioners.

Please pray for Bishop Peter and Bishop Elect David Oakley.

Safeguarding: St Edward's Parish is committed to Responsible Caring.

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Ash Wednesday For Schools Only

9.10am at St Edwards School – Service with Ashes (for school children only)
11.00am at St Thomas More School – Service with Ashes (for school children only)

Bishop Peter welcomes new Multi Academy Trusts - 1 February sees the formation of two new Multi Academy Trusts in the diocese. Our Lady Immaculate Catholic Academies Trust (OLICAT) will encompass schools in Bedford, Northampton town and Northants whilst St Thomas Catholic Academies Trust (STCAT) will cover Luton, Central Bedfordshire and Slough. Around half of our schools are currently members of these new MATs and it remains the Bishops wish that all schools will join *in time*. For more information about your local Catholic school and the new MATs check the NORES website or contact us on admin@nores.org.uk

CAFOD

There is a very small CAFOD group in the parish which means that what we can do is limited. Some of the activities that CAFOD is organising at the moment are:

Generations Unite Campaign to restore our common home, Memories Appeal

Are you a Carbon Bigfoot?

Sustainable Development Goals-Local Experts as well as The Lenten Family Fast Day on Friday March 6th. It would be good if potential volunteers could attend the Volunteers Day on February 22nd or email or ring the parish office to express an interest in becoming part of an active CAFOD group.

Easter Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine, 08th April 2020. £699.00 per person. Single supp £100.00. Flight with 10kg bag, 5 nights' Knock House Hotel with breakfast and dinner. All excursions included. Lunches on days out. Contact Patricia on 01268 762 278 or **07740 175557** or email knockpilgrimages@gmail.com. Knock Pilgrimages ATOL T7613.

We are excited to announce the beginning of a new parish children's choir. Our aim is to give children the chance to discover a love of singing and music. Children will be able to share their talents while enjoying a prayerful experience alongside their peers. We welcome children of all abilities and there is no audition process. Just come along and join in. Choir practice will be on Thursday at 4-430pm at St Edwards church. Starting on Thursday 27th February (after half term)

For further details please contact the Presbytery."

First Holy Communion and Confirmation Dates:

The revised times for First Holy Communion are:
St Edwards Primary School – Sunday 7th June 2020 2.30pm
St Thomas More School – Sunday 14th June 2020 2.30pm
Children in Non-Catholic Schools – Sunday 28th June 2020 10.30am

The date for Confirmation is:
Tuesday July 14th 2020 at 7pm

