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Second Sunday of Lent
Times of Liturgies

8th March 2020

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEKEND

SATURDAY St Edward 6.30pm Susan Hayes RIP. Sister Patrica Gannon RIP.
SUNDAY St Edward 8.00am Teresa Antill RIP
10.30am Anne Coughlan RIP. Jacqueline Fleming RIP.
St Edward 1.00pm Polish Mass
4.00pm Malayalam Mass

WEEKDAY MASS

TUESDAY St Edward 7.30pm Ronnie Whitelaw RIP. John Bijumon
Thanksgiving.
WEDNESDAY St Edward 10.00am Jean Ayrton RIP. Anne Delaney RIP.
THURSDAY St Edward 10.00am Canon Thomas Walmsley Carter RIP.
FRIDAY St Edward 7.30pm Aaron, Thanksgiving.

MASS INTENTIONS NEXT WEEKEND

SATURDAY Burton Latimer 5.00pm Fr Henry Stanley RIP.
St Edward 6.30pm Andrew Joy RIP.
SUNDAY St Edward 8.00am Bridget Maloney 70th Anniversary.
St Edward 10.30am Margaret Cormac. Jacqui 50th Birthday.
St Edward 1.00pm Polish Mass
4.00pm Malayalam Mass

This Sunday

There will be a second collection for CAFOD Lent Fast Day.

ALTAR SERVERS

TUESDAY

7.30pm
L Sebastian, D Binoy, J
Sharmon, J George.

FRIDAY

7.30pm
H Gama, R Rony, I & I
Verbosa

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:

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

On 29 March, 2020, England will be rededicated as the 'Dowry of Mary.' This will happen in Westminster Cathedral, in Walsingham, in every Catholic Cathedral, in every parish and in as many homes as possible. Mgr John Armitage, the Rector of the National Shrine of Our Lady at Walsingham, has asked people to prepare spiritually for the rededication by praying the Angelus every day after our parish Masses.

The Angelus is a most suitable prayer to prepare us spiritually for the rededication, recalling, as it does, 'some essential moments in the History of Salvation, reminding us of Mary's 'yes' to the Angel Gabriel, which undid Eve's 'no' in the Garden of Eden.' We profess our faith in 'The Word, who was made flesh, and dwelt amongst us,' and in his Death and Resurrection, the eternal destiny to which each of us is called in Christ. We are encouraged as a Diocese to respond to Mgr Armitage's invitation to pray this beautiful prayer after our daily Masses, so that our hearts may be spiritually prepared for the rededication of England as the 'Dowry of Mary' on 29 March 2020. Mary, Our Lady, welcomed the coming of Christ into the world and into our lives. She will help us to do the same. On Sunday, 29 March, our new Bishop will celebrate the 11am Mass in Northampton Cathedral.

Please click on the following link to pray the Angelus:
<https://www.catholic.org/prayers/prayer.php?p=1138>.

NEWS FROM BURTON LATIMER

The Rosary Group next meet on **Thursday 26th March** at St Nicholas Owen at 2pm followed by refreshments. Please spare 40 minutes for this worthwhile gathering. All welcome.

Come and let us join together as a Parish each Friday for Stations of the Cross at 6.30pm 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.

Sunday 8th March: St Edward's Walkers meet outside the church at 11am for a 3 mile walk around Lowick. Bring a walking pole and snack. All welcome.

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

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Service of Reconciliation with Lenten Reflection to prepare for Holy Week. Saturday April 4th.

Lenten Reflection – "The 7 Last Words of Christ" with film, music and prayer starts at 11am. with confessions available between midday and 2pm. Canon Michael and Father David will help me on that day.

Please pray, for the repose of the soul of Father Joseph Pham who died on Wednesday evening, 26 February 2020 after a long period of serious illness. May he rest in peace. Funeral Mass at 11 am on Saturday, 14 March, in Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Bedgrove, Aylesbury followed by a reception in the Parish Hall. Father Joseph's body is being taken for burial in Sweden where his relatives live.

Please pray also for Peter McCartin whose funeral service is on Wednesday 18th March in St Edward's church at 12:00pm.

Thursday 12th March - Union of Catholic Mothers meeting - 1.00pm - 3.00pm. New members welcome.

Please note this meeting will be held on the 2nd Thursday of the month between 1.00pm and 3.00pm. From May to September 2020 (inclusive), meetings will resume on the 2nd Monday of the month at 8.00pm. New members always most welcome.

On Wednesday March 11th, St Giles Ladies Fellowship, Desborough are hosting the World Day of Prayer at 2pm in the Community Centre. We would like to invite anyone from the Desborough Ladies Group to join us. This year the service comes from Zimbabwe and the Speaker is the Revd Sophie Cowan, our Curate. Drinks and refreshments will be served afterwards. If you would like more information or are interested in attending please contact me via email penwhite48@yahoo.com

SVP News

The SVP would like to thank all who helped and supported the coffee morning held on March 4th raising a total of £108.40p for SVP funds. The next coffee morning is on Wednesday April 1st.

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

Message from Father Gregory

11 am on 19 March Episcopal Ordination of Canon David Oakley as the XIIIth Bishop of Northampton followed by a reception. Both the Mass and the reception are ticket only. Please pray for Bishop Peter and Bishop Elect David Oakley

CORONAVIRUS UPDATE: Communion will be in one form only (reception of the Host) for the time being and by hand only to help contain the spread of the coronavirus. Bishops have asked all Catholics to sanitise their hands before going to Mass and that Eucharist Ministers sanitise their hands before and after distributing the Host. Ministers please note that non-irritant hospital grade sanitiser foam is being provided for this purpose on the Sanctuary. The sign of peace has also been suspended for the time being.

