



ST EDWARD'S PARISH KETTERING

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4th Easter Sunday Year B
Times of Liturgies

26th April 2015

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEKEND		
SATURDAY	St Edward	6.00pm Edmund Rutler RIP
SUNDAY	St Edward	8.00am Richard Nolan RIP
		10.30am Lorenza Mazzone RIP
		1.30pm Polish Mass
		4.00pm Malayalam Mass
		7.00pm Dale White RIP
	Desborough	9.00am David Baxter RIP
	Rothwell	10.30am Bronte Elliott RIP
	Burton Latimer	9.00am For the Parish

MONDAY	Convent	8.00am Martin Alexander P.I.
	St Edward	7.30pm David Dicks Int
TUESDAY	Convent	8.00am P.I. (MH/BC)
	Burton Latimer	10.00am Alec/Anne Coakley RIP
WEDNESDAY	St Edward	10.00am Graham Knight RIP
THURSDAY	Convent	5.30pm Marion Forsdyke RIP
	St Edward	7.30pm Exposition & Benediction
	Rothwell	7.00pm Mary Lawman RIP
FRIDAY	Desborough	7.00pm William Rourk, Peggy McManaman RIP
	St Edward	7.30pm Fr Denis Hall RIP (KSC)
SATURDAY	St Edward	10.00am Trish & Family Int

MASS INTENTIONS NEXT WEEKEND		
SATURDAY	St Edward	6.00pm Christopher Harford RIP
SUNDAY	St Edward	8.00am Shibu & Vanessa Thomas Spec Int
		10.30am Perry Fam Int
		1.30pm Polish Mass
		5.00pm Vespers & Benediction
		7.00pm Jim Hughes RIP
	Desborough	9.00am Thanksgiving (Van der Liet)
	Rothwell	10.30am For the Parish
	Burton Latimer	9.00am Sebastiana Rizzo RIP

PASTORAL NOTES **ST CATHERINE - PATRON OF EUROPE**
St Catherine of Siena (1347-1380) along with St Benedict and St Bridget of Sweden have been named by recent Popes as patrons of Europe. St Catherine's feast-day is on 29th April. She was a citizen of the very beautiful Italian city of Siena and became a member of the lay third Order of St Dominic. For her spiritual writings she has been given the title Doctor of the Church, but was also famous in her life-time for standing by condemned criminals even to the scaffold, helping them make a good death, and for her efforts at peace-making between the Pope and civil rulers in Italy. In her time the Popes had fled Rome and settled in Avignon, France, but St Catherine managed to have an audience with the Pope there and persuade him to do the right thing and return to Rome - a good reason for making her a patron for unity in Europe also today. She is buried in a church near the Pantheon in Rome, and a statue stands at the end of the street facing St Peter's, remembering her efforts for unity in the Church.

Readings for the week:		
Monday 27 April	Feria	Acts 11: 1-18; John 10: 1-10
Tuesday 28 April	St Catherine of Siena	1 John 1: 5-2: 2; Matthew 11: 25-30
Wednesday 29 April	Feria	Acts 11: 29-26; John 10: 22-30
Thursday 30 April	Feria	Acts 13: 13-25; John 13: 16-20
Friday 1 May	Feria (St Joseph the Worker)	Acts 13: 26-33; John 14: 1-6
Saturday 2 May	St Athanasius	Acts 13: 44-52; John 14: 7-14
Sunday 3 May	5th Easter Sunday B	Acts 9: 26-31; 1 John 3: 18-24; John 15: 1-8

ALTAR SERVERS	
MONDAY	R & J Binnie
THURSDAY	R & A Thottam
FRIDAY	T Bayatola, L Mendoza
SATURDAY	10.00am A George, S Joseph
	6.00pm A & C Farrell, G Herbert J Ike
SUNDAY	8.00am A & C Loom, T Joy
	10.30am A & A Kularatnam, J Sobin B & J Makkil, J Simon R Constantine, J Robbins, G Sansone, A Reddy J Jamon
	7pm E Hallam, T Batayola L Mendoza, J & R Binnie

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

THIS SUNDAY
10.30 Mass at St Edward's will be led by St Thomas More School, and a chance to welcome the new Headteacher, Julia Rutherford-Bate.
2nd Collection for Priests' Training Fund.

THIS WEEK
Monday 27th: Bible Time-line 8.00pm in the Hall
Wednesday 29th: "Footsteps" begins again, 6.00pm in the Hall. Come and join us, ages 11-13.
Friday 1st May: Knights of St Columba will be holding their monthly meeting at 8.00pm in the Church Hall.
Saturday 2nd May: SVP Coffee Morning and Raffle, 10.30 to noon St Edwards Church Hall.

DATES FOR THE DIARY
Thursday 7th May: Parish Forum in St Edward's Church Hall at 8.00pm
Sunday 10th May: St Edward's Walkers meet at 11.00am outside the church for a 5 mile walk around Exton. A walking stick is essential and a snack. All welcome.
Monday 11th May: Union of Catholic Mothers meet at 8.00pm in the main hall. New members welcome.
Monday 11th May: St Paul's School Chapel, Milton Keynes MK6 5EN at 7.00pm - "Thinking Theology lecture "Institution, Intellect and Experience on the Road to Emmaus"
Wednesday 13th May: Baptism classes, 8-9.00pm in the Presbytery.
Sunday 7th June Parish Corpus Christi Procession, St Edward's School Grounds, 3.00pm
Saturday 27th June: Thomas Becket School Reunion All former pupils and families welcome. See poster in porch or contact kathy@salaman.co.uk 07704 804026
23rd to 25th July: Advance notice - NORES Diocese Summer School "Following Christ"
21st to 28th August: Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes Following the recent death of Fr Damien Walne Deacon Michael Fleming has taken on the responsibility as Diocesan Director of the Pilgrimage his email contact is mvf@btinternet.com. (The Jumbulance pilgrimage to Lourdes is from 20th to 29th August)
Walsingham Pilgrimages 2015
Sunday 31st May: "A Day With Mary", see poster at back of all churches
Saturday 13th June: Our own Diocesan Pilgrimage.
Tuesday 7th July: UCM pilgrimage.

CAFOD
Reminder, any donations received by Cafod by 17th May can qualify for the 100% government Subsidy.

Notices for Newsletter
should be in writing please and delivered to 2 The Grove, NN15 7QQ or emailed to canon.john@stedwardskettering.org.uk
The deadline is Wednesday at 1.00pm

GENERAL NOTICES
Confirmation classes have already started! Every Friday at 5.00pm in the Hall behind our St Edward's church - in the Upper Room.
Ordination of Pius Amoako Saturday 4th July at Northampton Cathedral at 11.15am
As a seminarian, Pius was here on placement a few years ago, and it would be good if a few parishioners were there. If anyone would like to attend, please contact Canon John.
Christian Aid Week falls on 10th to 16th May. Envelopes will be made available on 10th May which you are asked to return on 16th May. Many thanks. (Our KSC organise this every year).

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

Weekly Offertory Envelopes for 2015/2016. The new year starts in two weeks time, on 3rd May. 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 now like to start now.

Why Use Offertory Envelopes?
Please remember, there is NO Commitment to pay any particular amount each week, you can still pay what you wish, when you wish, and miss a week if desired.
There are several reasons why the use of offertory envelopes are a good idea:-
1. Being dated, you can be sure not to miss a week accidentally, but you are not committed to pay for weeks when it is not convenient.
2. You will not embarrass your neighbour who might not be able to be as generous as you.
3. You can put any amount, in any week, into the collection, If you pay under Gift Aid amounts are totalled throughout the year and the appropriate tax claim is made on behalf of the Parish automatically. If you are paying sufficient UK Income or Capital Gains tax the parish, being a charity, can claim back the tax that you paid on that money. That could increase your gift by 25%! (If you do wish to take advantage of the Gift Aid scheme, please contact Ken Anderton 01536 514302.