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16th SUNDAY OF Year A

17th July 2011

Times of Liturgies

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEKEND

SATURDAY	St Edward	6.00pm	Philip McElhenn RIP
SUNDAY	St Edward	8.00am	Frederick George Langley RIP
		10.30am	Dorothy & Martin Mannion RIP
		1.30pm	Polish Mass
		5.00pm	Vespers & Benediction
		7.00pm	Mrs E T Read RIP
	Desborough	9.00am	David Collins (Deacon) Int
	Rothwell	10.30am	For the Parish
	Burton Latimer	9.00am	Mark Sherkle RIP

MONDAY	Convent	7.30am	Anderton Fam Int
	St Edward	7.30pm	Laurence Allen Int
TUESDAY	Convent	7.30am	Anne Dicks RIP
	St Edward	10.00am	Nora Mammana RIP
	Burton Latimer	7.00pm	Norman Franks RIP
WEDNESDAY	Convent	7.30am	Fr Gerald Moorcraft RIP
	St Edward	10.00am	Maureen McVann RIP
THURSDAY	Convent	5.30pm	Michael Madden RIP
	St Edward	10.00am	Hughie Hoare RIP
		7.30pm	Exposition & Benediction
	Rothwell	7.00pm	Pat Leonard RIP
FRIDAY	Convent	7.30am	Kaz Damrath RIP
	St Edward	7.30pm	Legion of Mary Int
SATURDAY	Convent	8.00am	John McLaughlin RIP
	St Edward	10.00am	Theresa Reilly Int

MASS INTENTIONS NEXT WEEKEND

SATURDAY	St Edward	6.00pm	Pat Cotter RIP
SUNDAY	St Edward	8.00am	Horace & Antonio Rootham Fam RIP
		10.30am	Grace Forbes RIP
		1.30pm	Polish Mass
		5.00pm	Vespers & Benediction
		7.00pm	Pippa Milford RIP
	Desborough	9.00am	Elizabeth Boyd RIP
	Rothwell	10.30am	Christine Barrett RIP
	Burton Latimer	9.00am	For the Parish

PASTORAL NOTES

END OF TERM

As we prepare for the end of a school year, and think of those moving on from our schools, we might remember there is a Catholic Secondary School, St Thomas Becket School in Northampton, far off perhaps, but accessible to some. It has been suggested to me that children should specially take with them the greatest commandment, as Jesus tells us – The love of God with all our heart and soul, for everything comes from Him and He alone can be worshipped – and the love of our neighbour as ourselves, which goes with it. We often think of the ten commandments given to Moses, so it is good to think of Jesus's saying about the greatest commandment, especially in trying to explain and share our faith with others who may know little about the Church.

Readings for the week:

Monday 18 July	(Psalter Week 4) Feria	Exodus 14:5-18; Matthew 12:38-42
Tuesday 19 July	Feria	Exodus 14:21-15:1; Matthew 12:1-5, 9-15
Wednesday 20 July	Feria	Exodus 16:1-5, 9-15; Matthew 13:1-9
Thursday 21 July	Feria	Exodus 19:1-2, 9-11, 16-20; Matthew 13:10-17
Friday 22 July	St Mary Magdalene	Song of Songs 3:1-4; John 20:1-2, 11-18
Saturday 23 July	St Bridget of Sweden	Galatians 2:19-20; John 15:1-8
Sunday 24 July	17 th Sunday of Year A	1 Kings 3:5, 7-12; Romans 8:28-30; Matthew 13:44-52

ALTAR SERVERS

MONDAY
R Constantine, J Shobin

THURSDAY
J & E Ike

FRIDAY
A Farrell, J Robbins

SATURDAY
10am
J & E Ike
6pm
E Walsh, A Soto

SUNDAY
8am
Mr J Huzar
10.30am
A T & G Sansone, E & J Ike
A O & A Kularatnam
J Robbins, E O A Owusu
J Sobin
7pm
N Wijesinghe, E Hallam
B McCourt

CONFESSION

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

PLEASE REMEMBER in your prayers Bishop Michael Evans of East Anglia, until 1976 part of Northampton diocese, who died on Monday 11th July, age 59. May he rest in peace. Our prayers and condolences are with family and friends and all the diocese.

THIS SUNDAY
EMERGENCY SPECIAL SECOND COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND – CAFOD Appeal – Ten million people are facing a devastating drought.

Very poor rains have led to crop failure, serious food and water shortages and the deaths of tens of thousands of animals in Kenya, Ethiopia, Somalia and South Sudan. With no rain expected until September, the situation can only get worse. The UN says that in some regions the drought is the worst in 60 years. If you are a UK Taxpayer, please use the special CAFOD gift aid whenever possible. Envelopes, marked "Africa Appeal" can be put in the collection plate over the next few weeks. (Again, please use the Gift Aid envelopes if you can).

THIS WEEK

Tuesday: The Ascent Group meet today at 2.00pm at the Convent for the last time until September. All welcome.

Tuesday: SVP meeting at 8.00pm in the church-hall. New members most welcome.

Thursday: The Rosary Group meet at St Nicholas Owen at 2.00pm with refreshments afterwards. All welcome.

Thursday: Belcanto Choir Concert at St Nicholas Owen at 7.30pm. £5 per ticket on the door including refreshments.

Friday: The Corby Male Voice Choir are at **Holy Trinity Church, Desborough** at 7.30pm. Sellers are Frank 760357; David 760641; Peter 506632 (all 01536). £6 including refreshments.

DATES FOR THE DIARY

On **26-28 July** NORES will be running a **Summer School** for adults that will explore the theme of 'Ministries in the Church'. Topics include "Ministry – Theology and Practice" (Dr Anne Inman on 26th July), "Recruiting and Supporting Volunteers for Mission and Ministry" (Barbara Wallace on 27th July), "Ministering with Confidence" (David Payne on 28th July). For more info see poster and booking forms at the back of church, or e-mail admin.nores@btconnect.com, Tel. 01908 233121 or see www.nores.org.uk (Events).

The Dowry of Mary Pilgrimage, Walsingham, Sunday 11th September, led by Archbishop Peter Smith of Southwark. 11.30am Reception of Flags, 12 noon Mass, 2.15pm Procession to Priory Grounds for Benediction and Prayers at the Original Shrine site. Parishes and Groups are invited to bring their Banners and Flags. Celebrating 950 years of Pilgrimage.

NEWS FROM BURTON LATIMER

The Rosary Group meet at St Nicholas Owen on Thursday 21st July at 2.00pm with refreshments afterwards. Please spare 40 minutes for this worthwhile gathering. All welcome.

The Belcanto Choir Concert at St Nicholas Owen Thursday at 7.30pm. £5 per ticket on the door, including refreshments.

NEWS FROM ROTHWELL

Councillor Margaret Talbot, Mayor of Kettering, would like to extend a personal invitation to all Church congregations in Rothwell to share with her in the Civic Service to be held at Holy Trinity Church on Sunday 17th July 2.30pm and afterwards to share in light refreshments.

GENERAL NOTICES

School Holidays are looming, summer term ending on Friday 22nd July. Our prayers for all teachers and staff for a good rest and for children and families, after another hard-working year. Every good wish to those leaving for new schools.

Canon's Books: Some have borrowed books on the Old Testament, New Testament, Early Church – please return them when finished so that others can enjoy them! Thanks **The Sisters of Our Lady** invite you to come and have a cup of tea – and a little more! – in the Convent Garden on Sunday 24th July, from 2.30pm. Do come along and enjoy our beautiful flowers and delicious homemade scones with strawberries and cream.

Advance Notice: The Church Hall will not be available for **letting** between Friday 2nd and Monday 19th September inclusive.

Mass at Desborough on Friday 22nd July is cancelled.

The Apostleship of the Sea second collection advertised for this week will not now take place due to the urgency of the CAFOD appeal. A substantial donation equal to last year's collection is being made direct to The Apostleship of the Sea.

Congratulations to Thomas Becket Catholic School upon gaining the "Inclusion Quality Mark" in June 2011. A copy of the full report can be found on the website: www.thomasbecket.northants.school.uk

The White Father Appeal last weekend raised £1184.23. Thanks to everyone, and to Father Joseph Cummings and prayers for the Missionaries of Africa (as the White Fathers are now known).

Sponsored Run: Please put donations for Fr Andy's sponsored run for the Jumbulance into an envelope marked: 'Fr Andy – Sponsored Run'. Thank you.

Prayers/Petitions – Sr Theresa is still offering these prayers each day from 11-12 in the morning. If you have a special intention do let her know, perhaps in an envelope.

Prayer Support Needed: Please continue to keep the Street Pastors in your prayers. We are hoping that some of our congregation might wish to support this ecumenical project of ministry and mission in the town centre on Saturday nights by becoming prayer partners. You could offer to support us in prayer either from home or by coming to the base occasionally for an hour or two, or even all night (10pm - 3.30am)! If you feel that this might be something you would like to do please contact Fiona Inman on 481304 or e-mail fiona.inman@yahoo.com to find out more. Not all the parishioners can support the street pastors with the communal prayer on Saturday nights, we can also give support by coming to church about 6.45pm each Friday (before Mass) where the Rosary and Chaplet of Divine Mercy will be prayed each week just for the street pastors in anticipation of their ministry the next night.

The Rosary will be prayed each Monday night before Mass for our own intentions.

St Edward's Walking Club-thanks to all who supported the Garden Party for Father Jo. £335.10 was raised to help with education for the children in the settlement.

Many thanks to all who supported 'OLD KETTERING FILM' evening. £289 was raised. Ashley Armer and four friends will be cycling from Lands End to John O'Groats for the Claire Rowland and Samantha Dickson Brain Tumour Trust.

NEWS FROM DESBOROUGH

Tickets are now available for a concert by the **Corby Male Voice Choir** to be held in **Holy Trinity Church on Friday 22 July at 7.30pm**. Sellers are Frank 760357; David 760641; Peter 506632 (all 01536). £6 incl refreshments.