



ST EDWARD'S PARISH KETTERING

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21st SUNDAY OF Year A Times of Liturgies

| MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEKEND | | |
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| SATURDAY | St Edward | 6.00pm Aubrey Mackenzie-Smith RIP |
| SUNDAY | St Edward | 8.00am John Brazier RIP |
| | | 10.30am George & Margaret Richardson RIP |
| | | 1.30pm Polish Mass |
| | | 7.00pm Margaret Rothwell Int |
| | Desborough | 9.00am For the Parish |
| | Rothwell | 10.30am Reg Barrick RIP |
| | Burton Latimer | 9.00am Sharon Hodsdon RIP |

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| MONDAY | Convent | 8.00am Hinson, Kerry Fam. RIP |
| | St Edward | 7.30pm Eddie Gormley RIP |
| TUESDAY | Convent | 8.00am Harford, Lannon Fam. RIP & Holy Souls |
| | St Edward | 10.00am Vincenzo Donadi RIP |
| | Burton Latimer | 7.00pm Bill Markham RIP |
| WEDNESDAY | Convent | 8.00am Bialkowskich, Brzozowjkich F&F RIP |
| | St Edward | 10.00am John Smith RIP |
| THURSDAY | Convent | 5.30pm Walsh & Fitzgibbon F&F RIP |
| | St Edward | 10.00am Eileen Chappelle-Knight RIP |
| | | 7.30pm Exposition & Benediction |
| | Rothwell | 7.00pm Edward Henry Manning RIP |
| FRIDAY | Convent | 8.00am Campbell & Tierney Fam. RIP |
| | Desborough | 7.00pm Canon William Hunting RIP |
| | St Edward | 7.30pm Shan Alex RIP |
| SATURDAY | Convent | 8.00am Shey Conway RIP |
| | St Edward | 10.00am George/Gary Smallman, McAleer Fam. RIP |

| MASS INTENTIONS NEXT WEEKEND | | |
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| SATURDAY | St Edward | 6.00pm Florence Lund RIP |
| SUNDAY | St Edward | 8.00am Maggie Doherty RIP |
| | | 10.30am Tom & Doris Murphy (50 th) |
| | | 1.30pm Polish Mass |
| | | 5.00pm Vespers & Benediction |
| | | 7.00pm Sue Conway Int. |
| | Desborough | 9.00am Pat Leonard RIP |
| | Rothwell | 10.30am For the Parish |
| | Burton Latimer | 9.00am Norah Noone RIP |

PASTORAL TEACHINGS AT HOLY COMMUNION
Preparing ourselves for Holy Communion we say the prayer together, 'Lord, I am not worthy to receive you, but only say the word and I shall be healed'. It is a prayer which looks to a story in the Gospel, where an important Roman officer asks Jesus to heal his servant at home, and Jesus offers to accompany the soldier to his house. But the officer replies that he is not worthy to have Jesus under his roof, and Jesus only has to say the word and the officer is confident that his servant will be healed. Our new translation bears this story in mind more literally. 'LORD, I AM NOT WORTHY THAT YOU SHOULD ENTER UNDER MY ROOF; BUT ONLY SAY THE WORD AND MY SOUL SHALL BE HEALED.' These changes indicated in the newsletter are relatively few, but there are changes to all the prayers said by the priest and their use will be a test of their adequacy. The Order of the Mass remains the same.

| Readings for the week: | (Psalter Week 1) | |
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| Monday 22 August | The Queenship of Mary | Isaiah 9:1-6; Luke 1:26-38 |
| Tuesday 23 August | Feria | 1 Thessalonians 2:1-8; Matthew 23:23-26 |
| Wednesday 24 August | St. Bartholomew | 1 Thessalonians 2:9-13; Matthew 23:27-32 |
| Thursday 25 August | Feria | 1 Thessalonians 3:7-13; Matthew 24:42-51 |
| Friday 26 August | Feria | 1 Thessalonians 4:1-8; Matthew 25:1-13 |
| Saturday 27 August | St. Monica | 1 Thessalonians 4:9-11; Matthew 25:14-30 |
| Sunday 28 August | 22 nd Sunday of Year A | Jeremiah 20:7-9; Romans 12:1-12; Matthew 16:21-27 |

| ALTAR SERVERS | |
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| MONDAY | A Loom, R Constantine |
| THURSDAY | E & J Ike |
| FRIDAY | Z Warne, A Farrell |
| SATURDAY | 10am E & J Ike 6pm A Soto, A & C Hill |
| SUNDAY | 8am Mr J Huzar 10.30am A T & G Sansone, J Sobin R Constantine, S Mone J Jomon, A & E Owusu H Fawcett, A Shinson 7pm N Wijesinghe |

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

PLEASE REMEMBER in your prayers Eileen Chappelle-Knight who died on 12th August and whose funeral was at St Edwards last Friday (19th August). Our prayers are with all family and friends at this time.

THIS WEEK
Saturday: Cransley Hospice & Sunley Court invites us to a coffee morning today to celebrate the opening of their newly designed front Garden (10.00am to noon).

GENERAL NOTICES
Weddings are taking place over these summer months. Please remember these couples and all preparing for marriage in your prayers.
No coffee etc. served after 10.30am Mass at St Edward's during August. Thanks to all helpers for their support. Anyone interested in helping on new rota starting in September, please phone K 460909.
Over the next few weeks the Pastoral Notes will be concerned with explaining the coming **new translation** of the Mass. The order of the Mass will remain the same.
Children's Liturgy is taking a summer break and will restart on Sunday 4th September. We thank all the leaders and helpers and wish them a refreshing holiday. If there are any new volunteers to help, please make yourselves known, so that the CRB check can be got under way.
Advantage Notice: The Church Hall will not be available for **outside letting** between Friday 2nd and Monday 19th September inclusive.
The Rosary will be prayed each Monday night before Mass for our own intentions.
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.

Save St Jude's!! - The Drop-In Centre's future is once again in question as we need more money - approx £2000 per month, with immediate effect! We want to make a plea for 100 people to pledge £25 per month, or 25 people to pledge £100 per month, or 50 people to pledge £50 per month - this will ensure that the valuable work done by the Drop In can continue. Will you stand with us? In the longer term we envisage a Drop In that is run by Christian volunteers alongside professionals, where we can offer a greater variety of services to homeless, vulnerable and lonely people. If you can help in any way - by pledging money, by volunteering some time, and/or by praying, please contact Tony & Fiona de Boltz (01536) 485690 or 516818. Thank you.

Could you find some time to support CAFOD?
Do you have three or four days a year which you would be prepared to give to CAFOD to support those in need? We are looking for volunteers to speak for CAFOD in our Parishes and Schools. Full training is given and all travel costs covered. You will be a confident speaker who is committed to working for peace and justice, but need not have any experience of speaking in public. Full training and information is given about CAFOD and the work we do, you will also be given the skills to speak in parishes or to school classes and assemblies. For those who wish to work with schools, some familiarity with giving presentations using IT will be helpful. If you are interested, please contact the CAFOD Diocesan Office on 01604 785 254 or email: northampton@cafod.org.uk or write to: CAFOD, St Gregory's School, NORTHAMPTON NN3 2AX.

DATES FOR THE DIARY
Divine Mercy in my Heart – Bank Holiday Mon 29th August at The Friars, Aylesford Priory. Full details on poster in the porch. All Welcome. Contact Shrine Secretary on 01622 717272.
Canon John has a birthday on 30th August and the event will be marked by a celebration in the hall after the evening Mass on 2nd September.
Next UCM coffee morning and table top sale Tuesday 6th September at 10.00am in the Church Hall. All welcome.
Next UCM meeting is on Monday 12th Sept at 8.00pm in the lower room. New members always welcome.
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.
The Rosary Link meet four times a year to pray for vocations, seminarians and priests in our Diocese. The next Mass is on Friday 16th September at Our Lady of Lourdes, Aylesbury - 9.30am; St Francis of Assisi, Shefford - 9.30am; Our Lady of Ransom, Kempston - 7.00pm; St Mary Magdalene, Stony Stratford - 7.00pm and Holy Ghost, Luton 7.00pm. Contact Fr Damien Walne 01604 406410.
Come and join our Divine Mercy prayer/study group, held every 2nd Wednesday of the month. The next one is 14th September 2011 at 7.00pm – 9.00pm at St Edward's upper room. As this is much more than just a devotion, get to know the deeper meaning and significance of the Divine Mercy image, Chaplet, and Feast Day celebrations as given by Our Lord to St Faustina and taught by Blessed John Paul II. Learn the Scriptural and Liturgical bases for this great devotion, so that by Easter we can all be more fully prepared to take part in the feast day and by doing so, receive the promises Our Lord gave us.
Lux.call on 24th September will be an opportunity for young men and women (15-25) to discover more about their own calling from God, whatever that may be. The day will be led by Fr Christopher Jamison, former Abbott of Worth Abbey and current Director of the National Office for Vocations. Fr Christopher will look at two aspects of discernment: (1) How to listen to God's voice and (2) Saying 'Yes' to God once we've heard him. Cost is £5 per person and venue is St Mary's Catholic Church, Woburn Sands. If you are interested please let Fr Andy know.
Symposium & Retreat for the Vocation of Marriage 2011, Saturday 24th September 9.30-3.00pm (Mass at 9.00am) at St Mary Magdalene's Parish Hall, Stony Stratford. Full details on poster in the porch.
Kettering & District Church History - Coach Trip to York Saturday 1st October. £6 per person. Departs 8.30am returns 8.30pm. Full details on the poster in the porch.
Northampton Diocese Justice & Peace Commission invite you to **Meeting God in Friend and Stranger** on Saturday 15th October at Luton – Keynote Speaker: Archbishop Kevin McDonald. More details later.

Considering becoming a Catholic? Know someone who might be or would like to look deeper? The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults is a course designed for you to explore our faith further without obligation. Please phone Kettering 460909 for a chat to find out more or register your interest with Canon John.