



# THE CATHOLIC PARISH OF RUTLAND

ST JOSEPH, OAKHAM &

ST THOMAS OF CANTERBURY, EXTON

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## Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time



21 <sup>st</sup> September	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	Saturday	11.00am	St Joseph	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
	Vigil Mass		4.30 pm		Peter & Chris Martin's Intentions
22 <sup>nd</sup> September	Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time	Sunday	9.00 am	St Thomas	Marcel & Suzanne Moréchand RIP
			11.00 am	St Joseph	Pro Populo
23 <sup>rd</sup> September	St Pius of Pietrelcina	Monday	9.30 am	Holy Mass	Margaret Kenning RIP
24 <sup>th</sup> September	Our Lady of Walsingham	Tuesday	9.30 am	Holy Mass	Private Intention (VS)
25 <sup>th</sup> September	Feria	Wednesday	9.00 am	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	
			10.00 am	Holy Mass	Marie & Harold Johnson (In Thanksgiving)
26 <sup>th</sup> September	Saints Cosmas & Damian	Thursday	2.00 pm	Holy Mass	Requiem Mass for Michael Brophy RIP
27 <sup>th</sup> September	St Vincent de Paul	Friday	9.30 am	Holy Mass	Edward Smyth RIP
			7.00 pm	Latin Mass	Mackenzie John Urquhart, Sybil Pamela Urquhart & Mackenzie John Urquhart RIP
28 <sup>th</sup> September	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	Saturday	11.00am	St Joseph	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
			4.30 pm	St Joseph	Martin Gauntlett RIP
29 <sup>th</sup> September	Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time	Sunday	9.00 am	St Thomas	Joe & Mairead Scott's Intentions
			11.00 am	St Joseph	Patricia Hutton & Family (Well-Being)
			12.15 pm	Uppingham School Chapel	Pro Populo

**Confession Times:** Wednesday: 9.15 – 9.45 am; Saturday: 11.30 am – 12.00 noon & 3.15 – 3.45 pm

THIS WEEK'S ROTAS	Saturday 21 <sup>st</sup> September	Sunday 22 <sup>nd</sup> September	
	4.30 pm (St Joseph)	9.00 am (Exton)	11.00 am (St Joseph)
Welcomers	R Lott & A Robinson		J Hickie & F Rhowbotham
Readers	A de Kremer & J Aitkens	C Knowland	L Perril & J Burns
Minister of Holy Communion	E Worrall & A Wilkinson	tbc	K Wigmoré & F Rhowbotham
Coffee			V Wands
NEXT WEEK'S ROTAS	Saturday 28 <sup>th</sup> September	Sunday 29 <sup>th</sup> September	
	4.30 pm (St Joseph)	9.00 am (Exton)	11.00 am (St Joseph)
Welcomers	C Berrie & E Worrall		M Mildner & Y Nicolle-Anderiesz
Readers	M Vincent & J Aitkens	P Gatheral	I Kearney-Rose
Minister of Holy Communion	A Wilkinson & J Burns	tbc	M Port & A Nguyen
Coffee			Y Nicolle-Anderiesz & G Anderiesz
Church Cleaning	C Wignall & H Davis		

<b>Parish Website</b>	<a href="http://www.stjosephs-oakham.org">http://www.stjosephs-oakham.org</a>	
<b>English Martyrs Primary School</b>	Willow Crescent, Oakham	<a href="http://www.englishmartyrs.rutland.sch.uk">www.englishmartyrs.rutland.sch.uk</a>
<b>Head Teacher</b>	Alison Chambers	Tel: 01572 722400
<b>Children's Liturgy Group</b>	For children up to First Holy Communion	11.00 am Mass in term time
<b>Safeguarding Representative</b>	James Belderbos	Email: <a href="mailto:james.belderbos@gmail.com">james.belderbos@gmail.com</a> Tel: 07535 940 048.
<b>Parish Support Group - HELP</b>	Hilary Davis	Tel: 01572 724256
<b>Prayer Groups</b>	Martin & Barbara Black	Tel: 01572 724918
<b>Chairman - Parish Pastoral Council</b>	Jim O'Kane	Tel: 01572 755112
<b>Parish Newsletter</b>	Eileen Worrall	<a href="mailto:eileenworrall@hotmail.com">eileenworrall@hotmail.com</a>

**Please pray for the following who are ill:** Colleen Lully, Mary Hurst, Sarah Ennis, Marie-Jeanne LloydHughes, Enid Please pray for the following who are ill: Philip Quinn, Teresa Thompson, Claire Smith, Sharon Larkworthy, Halina Woolford, Elizabeth Fay, Myra Smith, Janet and Barry Chalmers-Stevens, Fr David Bowler, Annie Welsh, Daniel Dopson, Floss, Jepson Joy Widdows, Pat Dawson Krystyna Chritchlow and Sally Blythin and Dennis Trevor.

If you cannot see your loved one's name in this sick list online you need to sign a consent form – please email Maria at [rcchurchoakham@live.co.uk](mailto:rcchurchoakham@live.co.uk)

**Anniversaries †** Donald Wright, Tony Harris, Daniel Hill, Paulene Lynch, Laurence Keating, Scott De Caux, Mary Rutherford, Kenneth Hughes, Catherine Palmer, Joan White, Gilbert Cook and David Tookey

**Last Week's Collection**

Envelopes £165.75  
Loose Plate £279.44  
Standing Orders £570.00  
Total £1,015.19

**Second Collection** The second collection for Home Mission Sunday raised £167.10.

**Our sincere condolences** to the families and friends of two good parishioners, Margaret Kenning and Michael Brophy who both died recently. Please remember them in your prayers. Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace. Amen.

Michael's Requiem Mass is at 2.00 pm on Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> September at St Joseph's. Margaret's Requiem Mass is at 11.00 am on Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> October at St Joseph's.

**Uppingham School Masses** Mass will be celebrated in Uppingham School Chapel at 12.15 pm on:

- 29<sup>th</sup> September
- 3<sup>rd</sup> November
- 1<sup>st</sup> December

**St Joseph's Parish Council** There will be a full Parish Council meeting on **Monday 14<sup>th</sup> October**. If you wish to ask a question or suggest an item for the agenda, please submit in writing by **Monday 7<sup>th</sup> October** to Jim O'Kane via the presbytery or by email at [jjok1946@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:jjok1946@hotmail.co.uk).

**Don't forget** to join us for coffee after Mass on Wednesday and Sunday.



**Parish Mission October 2019 - For more details on our Parish Mission, please visit:** <http://www.stjosephs-oakham.org/index.php/events/icalrepeat.detail/2019/09/10/193/-/parish-mission-october-2019>

**Congratulations and Best Wishes** to Leah Abbott and Arturo Toledano, who celebrated their Wedding on Saturday at St Thomas of Canterbury, Exton.

**Bible Group – Change of Date** The next meeting of the Bible Group will take place on Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> October at 2.00 - 3.00 pm in Fr Stephen's Conservatory. Please read Mark 7-8 v 1-10.

**Morning with Mary** A "Morning with Mary" and the Diocesan Relics of Saints Jacinta and Francisco will take place on Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> October from 9.15 am – 1.00 pm, at St Paul's Catholic Church, Lenton Boulevard, Nottingham, NG7 2BY. This special Fatima event is being organised by the World Apostolate of Fatima in England and Wales, and includes the Rosary (9.15 am), Holy Mass celebrated by Fr David Palmer (10.00 am), Exposition, Confessions, a talk on the Rosary, Veneration of the Diocesan Relics of Saints Jacinta and Francisco, and a video about Fatima. There will also be an opportunity to buy Fatima books, booklets and DVDs. For more details, please call 07817 839415 or email: [donal.foley@worldfatima-englandwales.org.uk](mailto:donal.foley@worldfatima-englandwales.org.uk).

**Faith in Families** It is once again time for the half yearly collection of boxes. Please leave in the sacristy or give to Mair O'Kane. Please do not leave full boxes in the Church porch. Only returned empty boxes will be put in the porch for your re-collection. Thank you for your continued support and generosity.

**Churches Together in Oakham** There will be a joint service at All Saints Church, Oakham on **Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> September** at 6.00 pm as part of the National Prayer Weekend. An opportunity for all of us to pray together for the New Day Dawns Mission (see leaflets and posters in our Church), for our community and our nation. Refreshments to follow the service. All are welcome.

Once again, it is time to collect the **APF Mission boxes**. Please either leave them in the sacristy or hand them to me. If you need them collecting, please contact me - Hilary Davis on 01572 724256.

**Mary's Meals** A huge thank you for two beautifully filled backpacks this week - 2 little people will be very happy with them! Many thanks too for the toothbrushes, toothpaste and towels left this week.

**Mother's Prayers** The next Mother's Prayers meeting will be on Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> September - 2.00-3.00 pm at 5 Old Brewery Court, Somerby. All welcome. Further details available from Lorraine Perril on 01664 452117.

**Church Mouse** The next edition of the Church Mouse is now available in the Church porch. Please pick up your copy today!

**English Martyrs School News Catholic Life in school** - This year, for the first time, we have two groups of pupil leaders helping to support the children with the Catholic Life of our school. The Little Lights will be busy planning activities for younger children at lunchtime to help develop our themes of Encounter, Discipleship and Missionary Discipleship. Our Mini Chaplains will be supporting all children to help them plan and deliver liturgies and other forms of collective worship.

Please can parishioners who shop in Aldi collect the stickers for school. If you spend £30 or more, you will receive a sticker which the school can use to win sporting equipment! You can hand them in directly to school or to Claire McGrory and Sarah Archer at Church. Thank you.

**Y6 Legacy-pond update** - We have finished stage 1 of the pond redevelopment plan. Thanks to a further donation of £250 from the Rutland Lions, we are now moving forward to building an outside learning shelter. We will continue to fundraise to buy pond-dipping equipment, clip boards and bird houses.

**Mass Intentions** If you wish to have a Mass said for anyone living or deceased, please use the envelopes provided in the Church porch.

**Our Sick List** If you would like someone to be added to the Sick Parishioners list, please fill in a consent form available in the Church porch or email Maria at: [rcchurchoakham@live.co.uk](mailto:rcchurchoakham@live.co.uk)

**Please note:** Any cheques made out to the Parish should read **St. Joseph's Oakham RCP**. Thank you.

*A very warm welcome to all our visitors this weekend*