



**THE CATHOLIC PARISH OF RUTLAND**  
**ST JOSEPH, OAKHAM &**  
**ST THOMAS OF CANTERBURY, EXTON**

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## Fourth Sunday of Easter

2 <sup>nd</sup> May	Vigil Mass	Saturday		St Joseph	Claire Smith's Intentions
3 <sup>rd</sup> May	Fourth Sunday of Easter	Sunday		St Joseph	All Parishioners
4 <sup>th</sup> May	The English Martyrs	Monday		Holy Mass	Staff and Pupils of English Martyrs School, Oakham
5 <sup>th</sup> May	Easter Feria	Tuesday		Holy Mass	Holy Souls in Purgatory
6 <sup>th</sup> May	Easter Feria	Wednesday		Holy Mass	Helen and Pat Lee and Family
7 <sup>th</sup> May	Easter Feria	Thursday		Holy Mass	Private Intention (CW)
8 <sup>th</sup> May	Easter Feria	Friday		Holy Mass	Ella King RIP
9 <sup>th</sup> May	Vigil Mass	Saturday		St Joseph	Children of the Yemen
10 <sup>th</sup> May	Fifth Sunday of Easter	Sunday		St Joseph	All Parishioners

**Fr Stephen** wishes all Parishioners to know that they are remembered in the daily Mass, as well as the daily intention.

<b>Parish Website</b>	<a href="http://www.stjosephs-oakham.org">http://www.stjosephs-oakham.org</a>	
<b>English Martyrs Primary School Head Teacher</b>	Willow Crescent, Oakham Alison Chambers	<a href="http://www.englishmartyrs.rutland.sch.uk">www.englishmartyrs.rutland.sch.uk</a> 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 and Barbara Black	Tel: 01572 724918
<b>Chair - 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, Krystyna Chritchlow, Sally Blythin, Dennis Trevor, Richard Goodger, Jim Whalley, Margaret  
Reid, Anne Stevenson and Fr John Trenchard and Florence Valentine

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

**Anniversaries †** James Stokes, William Rothwell, Liam Caffrey, Catherine Sumner-Fergusson,  
Elizabeth Doyle, Michael Gardiner, Andrew Smith, Albert Tyler, Harold Healey, Patrick Cleere, Anne  
Camus, Margaret Reeves, Norah Cassidy, Cyril Ecob, David Morton and Jean Cook

**Last Week's Collection**

Envelopes	£
Loose Plate	£
Standing Orders	£590.00
Total	£

**Spiritual Communion**

**My Jesus,  
I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.  
I love You above all things,  
and I desire to receive You into my soul.  
Since I cannot at this moment receive You Sacramentally,  
come at least spiritually into my heart.  
I embrace You as if You were already there  
and unite myself wholly to You.  
Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen**

**Uppingham School Masses**

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

- tbc

**Sewing for the NHS** Can you sew? If so, maybe you would like to help with some sewing for the  
NHS - scrubs, scrub bags, etc. Please contact Rutland Sewing on 01572 756468 or  
**jeandenyermbe24@hotmail.com** for more details. They are in desperate need. Please help if you  
can. Many thanks.

**Please see attached article - A People who Hope in Christ - A Message from the Metropolitan  
Archbishops of the Catholic Church in England and Wales**

**Communication** It is very helpful if we can email parishioners with information, particularly in the  
present circumstances. If you know of any parishioner with an email address he or she has not told us  
about and would be happy to do so, could you ask them to let us know  
at **rcchurchoakham@live.co.uk**. For the same reason, if you or they are on Facebook, please think  
about joining our St Joseph's page. Thank you.

**English Martyrs School News** As the children are not in school this year for us to celebrate English  
Martyrs day together, we have set the children some creative activities over the weekend to show how  
special our school is. Over the coming weeks we will continue to think about our Martyrs and our  
special school and we hope to be back together soon.

**Planned Giving Scheme - Envelope holders** If you are concerned about not being able to donate  
weekly, you may wish to contribute via the parish bank account. If so, please contact Maria at  
**rcchurchoakham@live.co.uk**. Many thanks.

**Mother's Prayers** There will be no Mother's Prayers meetings until further notice.

**Book of Remembrance** This is an ongoing project, so if you wish to have the names of loved ones  
inscribed in our book, please collect a slip from the Church porch which gives details of what to do.

**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**

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

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