



THE CATHOLIC PARISH OF RUTLAND

ST JOSEPH, OAKHAM &

ST THOMAS OF CANTERBURY, EXTON

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Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

8 th September	Vigil Mass	Saturday	4.30 pm	St Joseph	Adrian Glover (Good Estate)
9 th September	Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time	Sunday	9.00 am	St Thomas	Holy Souls in Purgatory
			11.00 am	St Joseph	Pro Populo
10 th September	Feria	Monday	9.30 am	Holy Mass	Holy Souls in Purgatory
11 th September	Feria	Tuesday	9.30 am	St Joseph	Service of Word & Holy Communion
12 th September	The Most Holy Name of Mary	Wednesday	9.00 am	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	
			10.00 am	Holy Mass	Holy Souls in Purgatory
13 th September	St John Chrysostom	Thursday	9.30 am	Holy Mass	Holy Souls in Purgatory
14 th September	The Exaltation of the Holy Cross	Friday	9.30 am	Holy Mass	Private Intention
			7.00 pm	Latin Mass	Private Intention
15 th September	Vigil Mass	Saturday	4.30 pm	St Joseph	Daniel Quinn-Marriott & Archie McConnell RIP
16 th September	Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time	Sunday	9.00 am	St Thomas	Holy Souls in Purgatory
			11.00 am	St Joseph	Pro Populo
			12.15 pm	Uppingham School Chapel	Uppingham School Intentions

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

THIS WEEK'S ROTAS	Saturday 8 th September	9.00 am (Exton)	Sunday 9 th September
Welcomers	J O'Shea & C Berrie		P Reilly & Y Trevor
Readers	A de Kremer & J Alston	G Webb	M Mildner & I Kearney-Rose
Minister of Holy Communion	B Black & M Port	TBC	M Pryke & B Ivory
Coffee			J Kelly & C Slattery
NEXT WEEK'S ROTAS	Saturday 15 th September	9.00 am (Exton)	Sunday 16 th September
Welcomers	P & M Sturley		F Rhowbotham & P Donn
Readers	S Taylor & R Lott	B Moore	M Donn & M Port
Minister of Holy Communion	A Wilkinson & J Aitkens	L Knowland	F Rhowbotham & M Mildner
Coffee			R Hunt & R Duncan
Church Cleaning	P Boak & F Quatabin		

Parish Website	http://www.stjosephs-oakham.org	
English Martyrs Primary School	Willow Crescent, Oakham	www.englishmartyrs.rutland.sch.uk
Head Teacher	Alison Chambers	Tel: 01572 722400
Children's Liturgy Group	For children up to First Holy Communion	11.00 am Mass in term time
Safeguarding Representative	Irene Kearney-Rose	Email: irene@kearney-rose.co.uk Tel: 07743 030 460
Parish Support Group - HELP	Hilary Davis	Tel: 01572 724256
Prayer Groups	Martin & Barbara Black	Tel: 01572 724918
Chairman - Parish Pastoral Council	Jim O'Kane	Tel: 01572 755112
Parish Newsletter	Eileen Worrall	eileenworrall@hotmail.com

Please pray for the following who are ill: Colleen Lully, Mary Hurst, Sarah Ennis, Marie-Jeanne Lloyd-Hughes, Enid Wootton, Susan Healey, Helen Reilly, Stephen Walters, Christopher Brown, Elizabeth Brown, Maura and Mike Goulding, Philip Quinn, Simon Duncan, Fiona Ruddle, Theresa Thompson, Patricia Slater, Monique Pryke, Tim Maskell, Elisabeth Simpson, Claire Smith, Peter Tookey, Bill Hiscocks, Sharon Larkworthy, Mark Smith, Tim White, Helena Woolford, Megan Owens, Robert Johnstone, Michael Rimmer, John Rhodes, Elizabeth Fay, Myra Smith, Virginia Barwell, Cindy Johnston, Mary Lambert, John Owens (Snr), Michael Gardiner, Helen Wilson, Baby Luke Somerville, Graham Andrews, John Widdows, May Carrie, Lewis Paul, Floss Jepson, Nigel Stark, Phillip Botteley, Andrena Lynch, Janet and Barry Chalmers-Stevens, Avril Thompson, Jeffrey Miller, Fr Dominic O'Connor, Fr Kevin Clark, Fr Michael Bell, John and Rosemary Went, Cathy Green, Bernard Gandy, Catherine Farndell, Amanda Messer, Fr David Bowler, Aileen Egan, Melissa Barker, David Tookey, Sylvia Minckley, Gabriel Reid, David Morton, Sheila Wilson and Annie Welsh

Anniversaries † Josephine Trigg, Miriam Murphy, Josephine Berridge, Veronica Anderson-Theodor, Stefanie Tyler, Rita Dawson, John O'Brien, George Crawley, Daniel Quinn Marriott, Eileen Keating, Archie McConnell, Patricia Bosworth Norma Mould, Mary Phillis and Brian Tully

Last Week's Collection

Envelopes	£161.22
Loose Plate	£201.49
Standing Orders	£520.00
Total	£882.71

St Joseph's Parish Council

There will be a full Parish Council meeting on Monday 8th October 2018. If you wish to ask a question or suggest an item for the agenda, please submit in writing by Monday 1st October to Jim O'Kane via the presbytery or by email at jjok1946@hotmail.co.uk.

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



Data Protection Letter

You will have received a letter in the newsletter recently regarding Data Protection and what it means for our parishioners. Please ensure you read the letter, sign and return it asap. If you didn't pick up a copy, they are available in the Church porch. Many thanks.

Uppingham School Masses

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

- 16th September
- 4th November
- 2nd December

Deanery Eucharistic Procession

to celebrate the Eucharistic Congress takes place on Sunday 9th September at 3.00 pm. Meeting at St Francis School/Convent, Dalby Road, Melton Mowbray, LE13 0BP, we shall be walking from the Convent Chapel to St John's Church in the town centre. Distance approx. 1 mile. Parking at the School next to the Convent. There will be Benediction, the Rosary, hymns and prayers.

Sunday Coffee If any parishioners would like to join the rota, please contact Hilary Davis on 01572 724256 or email hilaryj@uwclub.net. The more people we have on the rota, the less often it comes round!

St Joseph's and English Martyrs' 200 Club winners for July

are:	1 st prize	£100	Jessica Tyers
	2 nd prize	£20	Mr & Mrs O'Kane
	3 rd prize	£10	Ken Williamson

Mother's Prayers

The next Mother's Prayers meeting will be on Tuesday 25th September at 2.00-3.00 pm at 5 Old Brewery Court, Somerby. All welcome. Further details available from Lorraine Perril on 01664 452117.

English Martyrs School News

Years 4, 5 and 6 had an amazing day at the School Games at Loughborough University on Friday. They watched some great sport including netball and athletics. It was a truly inspirational day and we are incredibly thankful to Mr Thomas for offering us this opportunity as part of our celebrations of our success in the Rutland Sports League last year. Our Year 3 and Years 4/5 classes had an enjoyable day on Monday as they celebrated their topics - Stone Age and Ancient Greece - by dressing up doing fun activities.

Great News! Our application for Tesco Bags of Help has been successful and we are hoping to win the top grant of £4,000 for a new storage facility for our sports equipment. If parishioners shop in Tesco, Oakham, please ask for a blue token and you can vote in the English Martyrs box in the Tesco Foyer. Thank you!

Books for CAFOD

This will be the last week for all the books kindly donated to support Cafod who work tirelessly with refugees. We are so grateful for the many varied books received for this worthy cause. Many thanks.

Parents and children

Children's liturgy starts again on 16th September. It is aimed at 3-8 year olds. Younger children are welcome to attend with a parent. If anyone is interested in joining our group as a catechist or helper, you would be very welcome. Please see Hanna Coomber or Fr Stephen. Many thanks. Hanna

Church Repository

There are many cards and gifts available in our repository in the Meeting Room. If you would like to order anything, please use the notepad provided.

Book of Remembrance

This is an ongoing project, so if at any time 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. Thank you.

Mary's Meals

£100 is to be sent to Mary's Meals this coming week, thanks to your amazing continued support. This is in response to an urgent appeal by Magnus, to support the people in Kerala. Father Joson, who is in charge of Mary's Meals in Kerala, is providing some 13,000 emergency meals every day to families, thanks to the charity. The recent floods are the worst in living memory - homes are still under 7 feet of water and many people have lost all their possessions. Mary's Meals always tries to respond to any emergency. Our gift will provide food and hope for those in desperate need. Thank you so much.

Mass Intentions

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

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

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