

Parish Newsletter

## THE CATHOLIC PARISH OF RUTLAND

ST JOSEPH, OAKHAM &

ST THOMAS OF CANTERBURY, EXTON

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## Florenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time					
16 <sup>th</sup> June	Vigil Mass	Saturday	4.30 pm	St Joseph	John Owens and Family Intentions
17 <sup>th</sup> June	Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time	Sunday	9.00 am	St Thomas	Janet Cole and Lee Cole RIP
			11.00 am	St Joseph	Stephen Blackwell RIP
			12.15 pm	Uppingham School Chapel	Pro Populo
18 <sup>th</sup> June	Feria	Monday	9.30 am	St Joseph	Service of Word & Holy Communion
19 <sup>th</sup> June	St Romuald	Tuesday	9.30 am	St Joseph	Service of Word & Holy Communion
20 <sup>th</sup> June	St Alban	Wednesday	9.00 am	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	
			10.00 am	Holy Mass	Bridget Davis RIP
21st June	St Aloysius Gonzaga	Thursday	9.30 am	Holy Mass	Maria Marriott's Intentions
22 <sup>nd</sup> June	Saints John Fisher and Thomas More	Friday	9.30 am	Holy Mass	Elizabeth Keogh's Intentions
			7.00 pm	Latin Mass	John Widdows (Good Estate)
23 <sup>rd</sup> June	Vigil Mass	Saturday	4.30 pm	St Joseph	Bridget Davis RIP
24 <sup>th</sup> June	Solemity of the	Sunday	9.00 am	St Thomas	Michel Dupé (Well-being)
	Nativity of John the Baptist		11.00 am	St Joseph	Pro Populo
<b>Confession Times:</b> 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 16 <sup>th</sup> June		9.00 am (Exton)	Sunday 17 <sup>th</sup> June
Welcomers		R Lott & C Berrie			P Reilly & Y Trevor
Readers		A de Kremer & T Reilly		B Moore	M Port & J Burns
Minister of Holy Communion		J Aitkens & J Widdows		TBC	K Wigmore & M Pryke
Coffee					E McCombie & S Archer
NEXT WEEK'S ROTAS		Saturday 23 <sup>rd</sup> June		9.00 am (Exton)	Sunday 24 <sup>th</sup> June
Welcomers		P & M Sturley			F Rhowbotham & P Donn
Readers		M Vincent & R Streeter		B McDonald	M Mildner & L Perril
Minister of Holy Communion		B Ivory & E Worrall		L Knowland	N O'Rourke & M Donn
Coffee					M Kenning & V Wands
Church Cleaning		M Marriott & A Munton			
Parish Website		http://www.stjosephs-oakham.org			
English Martyrs Primary School Head Teacher		Willow Crescent, Oakham Alison Chambers			www.englishmartyrs.rutland.sch.uk 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: 07743 030 460
Prayer Groups		Martin & Barbara Black			Tel: 01572 724918
Chairman - Parish Pastoral		Jim O'Kane			Tel: 01572 755112
Council		Eller Wennell			-11 @h-41

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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, Margaret West-Sadler, Lewis Paul, Floss Jepson, Angela Munton, 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 and Gabriel Reid

Anniversaries † Walter Weston, Eunice Rawlings, John Adler, Patrick Leo Kelly, Edward Hayes, Kathleen Gillett, Clarissa Brain, Mary Wallace, Anne Hindley, William Healey, Margaret McGunnigal, Annette Kelly, Valerie Cook, William Mathers, Hazel Woodruff, Sheila Carroll and Ellen Brogan

## **Last Week's Collection**

Envelopes £117.85

Loose Plate £336.80

Standing Orders £520.00

Total £974.65

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



choir, followed by the Blessed Sacrament, blessing of the sick and concluding with Benediction.

Congretulations and Bost Wishes to Daniel Borradele and Nucle Steeps who colebrated their

Next Mass at Uppingham School will be celebrated in the School Chapel at 12.15pm on Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> June.

<u>Congratulations and Best Wishes</u> to Daniel Barradale and Nuala Steans who celebrated their Wedding on Friday 15<sup>th</sup> June at St Thomas of Canterbury, Exton. May God be with them as they begin their new life together as a married couple.

The Diocesan Annual Rosary Rally is to be held this year in the beautiful setting of Mount St

Bernard Abbey in Leicestershire by kind permission of the Abbot on Sunday 26th August starting at

break for refreshments, picnics, etc. in the lovely grounds of the monastery. The second part of the

Rally will consist of the crowning of a statue of Our Lady, a procession with Rosary and hymns with a

2.00 pm. The Rally will commence with sung Holy Mass at 2.00 pm, after which there will be a

Mother's Prayers will be held on Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> June at 2.00 pm at 5 Old Brewery Court, Somerby. For further information, please contact Lorraine on 01664 452117.

Meet the Parish Council Come along for a glass of wine or cup of tea/coffee to chat to members of the PPC in the Meeting Room at 7.00 pm on Monday 9<sup>th</sup> July. The Parish and Finance Reports for the year will be presented on the night. If you would like to ask a question of interest to the whole Parish, please submit it by email to Jim at jjok1946@hotmail.co.uk or via the presbytery by 1<sup>st</sup> July and be there to ask it personally on the night.

The Society for the Protection of Unborn Children (SPUC) has launched a petition calling on the Prime Minister not to give any parliamentary support to moves to decriminalise abortion. Decriminalising abortion will strip from unborn children any remaining effective legal protection from abortion. Please support this petition. Petition forms and fliers are available at the back of the Church or you can sign online at: www.spuc.org.uk.

The Family of Shane Spencer wish to thank parishioners for their prayers. Sadly Shane recently passed away.

Mary's Meals Magnus is asking for help in Sudan as sadly there is another famine. All information is on the MM website – www.marysmeals.org.uk. Thank you.

10 more backpacks are now ready to go. Many thanks once again for your amazing continued support!

Auction of promises – Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> July - 7.00 pm English Martyrs will be hosting an auction of promises here at St Joseph's on Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> July. We would be delighted to welcome parishioners/parents/friends for a fun night of socialising and raising money for our School. Cheese and wine, prosecco and soft drinks will be served during the evening. If you would like to volunteer any promises/pledges to help with much needed funds, slips are available in the foyer to fill in and leave in the box. A week before the event, each donation will be given a number and a list will be published, you can then bid beforehand if you are unable to attend on the night. Ideas for promises/pledges can be a meal for 2 at a local restaurant, food hamper, cake, gardening services, babysitting tokens, ironing or housework, dog walking, car cleaning, hobby lessons, pampering, sports coaching or maybe a villa in Italy for a week! Please come and share your talents/skills with others through our auction and help to raise School funds! For further information, please contact the School Office on 01572 722400 or talk to Sarah Archer (email sea2@oakham.rutland.sch.uk).

English Martyrs School News The Year 5 and 6 Quad Kids athletics team were in action in the finals event on Thursday. We performed incredibly well with strong performances in all 4 disciplines. Overall we ended the event in 4<sup>th</sup> place. The children were fantastic throughout and gave 100%.

Following their success in the Rutland event on Tuesday, the Year 6 cycling team took part in the Leicestershire and Rutland Go-Ride Cycling event representing Rutland on Thursday at Brooksby College, Melton. We were amazing in the team pursuit, lapping our opposition after the 4<sup>th</sup> lap of 6. We did well in the second event which was the cross-country relay, finishing in 5<sup>th</sup> position. Overall we ended the event in 7<sup>th</sup> place from a field of 10.

<u>Sea Sunday 2018</u> Please note that Sea Sunday will be on 8<sup>th</sup> July this year. It is a day on which we are asked to encourage prayer and financial contributions to support the work of the Apostleship of the Sea. There will be a second collection during the weekend of 7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> July and this collection is vital for the future of the Apostleship of the Sea and their support to seafarers. Please give as generously as you can.

Hosanna House Childrens' Pilgrimage Trust (HCPT) Many parishioners will be aware of the excellent work of HCPT in organising groups of disabled and disadvantaged children to go to Lourdes each year on life-changing pilgrimage holidays. To bring us up to date with their work, and to spread the word, HCPT have offered to run a Discovery Hour in the Meeting Room at 2.00 pm on Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> June. It will last one hour maximum, and is not a fundraising event, but is designed to be a powerful introduction/reintroduction to HCPT. Led by HCPT's CEO from their HQ in Rugby, they will give a virtual "tour" of their work, and you will hear from volunteers, and beneficiaries whose lives have been changed by the organisation. Please let us know if you can attend, so that we can arrange refreshments. Philip and Mich Sturley, Tel: 01780 460912 or email michsturley@yahoo.co.uk.

<u>Church Repository</u> 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.

St Joseph's Parish Sewing Group meets in the Meeting Room on Saturdays (except last Saturday of the month) from 1.30 pm to 3.30 pm. Come and share tea/coffee, company, conversation and expertise. Bring your own project, sewing, knitting, embroidery etc. The last meeting in June is on the 23<sup>rd</sup>. Any questions, telephone Jenny Urquhart on 01572 770 580.

<u>Our Sick List</u> If you would like someone to be added to the Sick Parishioners list, please make Fr Stephen aware 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