

THE CATHOLIC PARISH OF RUTLAND

ST JOSEPH, OAKHAM &

ST THOMAS OF CANTERBURY, EXTON

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Divine Mercy Sunday

18 th April	Vigil Mass	Saturday	St Joseph	Holy Souls in Purgatory
19 th April	Divine Mercy Sunday	Sunday	St Joseph	All Parishioners
20 th April	Easter Feria	Monday	Holy Mass	Well-being of the Hutton Family
21st April	St Anselm	Tuesday	Holy Mass	Holy Souls in Pugatory
22 nd April	Easter Feria	Wednesday	Holy Mass	Mary Martin RIP
23 rd April	St George	Thursday	Holy Mass	In Thanksgiving (P & MD)
24 th April	St Adalbert	Friday	Holy Mass	Holy Souls in Purgatory
25 th April	Vigil Mass	Saturday	St Joseph	Peter Mackay Mason RIP
26 th April	Third Sunday of Easter	Sunday	St Joseph	All Parishioners

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

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	James Belderbos	Email: james.belderbos@gmail.com Tel: 07535 940 048		
Parish Support Group - HELP	Hilary Davis	Tel: 01572 724256		
Prayer Groups	Martin and Barbara Black	Tel: 01572 724918		
Chair - 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 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 † *Marjorie Tomlinson, John Edward Wooton, Edith O'Brien, Daniel Finn, Raymond Port, Michael Ellis, Sheila Adams, Jean Tylee, Rita Sheahan and Annie Holan*

Last Week's Collection				
Envelopes	£			
Loose Plate	£			
Standing Orders	£ <u>590.00</u>			
Total	\mathbf{f}_{\cdot}			

Our sincere condolences to the family and friends of Dorothy Maxwell who died recently. Also to the family and friends of Gilbert Tennant who died this past week. 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.

Uppingham School Masses

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

• tbc

Extract from Cardinal Vincent's letter

"We want everyone to understand that in these emergency circumstances, and for as long as they last, the obligation to attend Mass on Sundays and Holy Days is removed. This is, without doubt, the teaching of the Church (Catechism of the Catholic Church 2181). This pandemic is the 'serious reason' why this obligation does not apply at this time."

<u>Communication</u> It is very helpful if we can email parishioners with information, particularly in the present circumstances. If you have an email address, could you let us know at **rcchurchoakham@live.co.uk** and let any of your contacts know? If you are on Facebook, please join our St Joseph's page. Thank you.

<u>Due to government advice</u> for the over 70s, please be aware of your elderly neighbours and parishioners. Do they need any help? Can you do some shopping for them? Also remember all the advice we have been given about washing hands and social distancing. Please stay safe.

<u>Faith in Families</u> The first half-yearly collection for Faith in Families was £371.72. Many thanks for your continued support.

<u>Planned Giving Scheme - Envelope holders</u> 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.

<u>Our Sick List</u> 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: rechurchoakham@live.co.uk

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

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