



# THE CATHOLIC PARISH OF RUTLAND

ST JOSEPH, OAKHAM &

ST THOMAS OF CANTERBURY, EXTON

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## Twenty-second Sunday of the Year

27 <sup>th</sup> August	Vigil Mass	Saturday	4.30 pm	Holy Mass	Mary Donn RIP
28 <sup>th</sup> August	Twenty-second Sunday of the Year	Sunday	9.00 am	St Thomas	All Parishioners
			10.30 am	St Joseph	Torah Savant's Intentions
29 <sup>th</sup> August	The Passion of John the Baptist	Monday	10.00 am	St Joseph	Service of Word and Holy Communion
30 <sup>th</sup> August	The Dedication of Our Cathedral	Tuesday			<b>No Mass today</b>
31 <sup>st</sup> August	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament St Aidan and the Saints of Lindisfarne	Wednesday	9.00 - 10.00 am	St Joseph	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
			10.00 am	Holy Mass	Kevin O'Shea RIP
1 <sup>st</sup> September	Feria	Thursday	10.00 am	Holy Mass	Monica England's Intentions
2 <sup>nd</sup> September	Feria	Friday	10.00 am	Holy Mass	Frances Cordes' Intentions
			7.00 pm	Latin Mass	Mackenzie John Urquhart, Sybil Pamela Urquhart and Mackenzie John Urquhart RIP
3 <sup>rd</sup> September	Vigil Mass	Saturday	4.30 pm	Holy Mass	Alan Higgins RIP
4 <sup>th</sup> September	Twenty-third Sunday of the Year	Sunday	9.00 am	St Thomas	All Parishioners
			10.30 am	St Joseph	Max Goldberg RIP

**CONFESSION TIMES: Wednesday: 9.30–10.00 am Saturday: 11.30 am–12.00 noon and 3.30–4.00 pm**

THIS WEEK'S ROTAS	Saturday 27 <sup>th</sup> August	Sunday 28 <sup>th</sup> August
Welcomers	Tom and Belinda Reilly	Gary Nicolle-Anderiesz and Fran Rhowbotham
Readers	Joan Burns and Meryl Vincent	Marjorie Port and Brian Moore
Coffee		Gary Nicolle-Anderiesz
Flowers	Mich Sturley	
Church Cleaning	Rosemarie Duncan and Charlie Farmer	
NEXT WEEK'S ROTAS	Saturday 3 <sup>rd</sup> September	Sunday 4 <sup>th</sup> September
Welcomers	Caroline Berrie and Ann Robinson	Maureen Mildner and Chris Jones
Readers	Ron Streeter and Siobhan Taylor	Marjorie Port and Lorraine Perril
Coffee		Hilary Davis
Flowers	Mich Sturley	
Church Cleaning	Elizabeth Keogh and Ron Streeter	

<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	10.30 am Mass in term time
<b>Safeguarding Representative</b>	Maria Marriott	<a href="mailto:Maria.MarriottPSR@dioceseofnottingham.uk">Maria.MarriottPSR@dioceseofnottingham.uk</a> Tel: 07513 72555
<b>Parish Support Group - HELP</b>	Rosemarie Duncan	Tel: 01572 723873
<b>House Faith Sharing Groups</b>	Barbara Black Maureen Mildner	Tel: 01572 724918 Tel: 01572 756477
<b>Chair - Parish Pastoral Council</b>	Andreas Menzies	<a href="mailto:ppchair@stjosephs-oakham.org">ppchair@stjosephs-oakham.org</a> Tel: 01572 722308
<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 Lloyd-Hughes, Philip Quinn, Teresa Thompson, Sharon Larkworthy, Myra Smith, Janet and Barry Chalmers-Stevens, Fr David Bowler, Annie Welsh, Floss Jepson, Joy Widdows, Krystyna Chritchlow, Sally Blythin, Richard Goodger, Jim Whalley,, Fr John Trenchard, Elisabeth Simpson, Florence Valentine, Alison Pepperdine. Neil Mackenzie, David Price, Fr Kevin Gradwell, Moira McCormick, Claire Smith, Fiona Ruddle, Calum Simpson, Angela Munton, John Shortmoor, Joseph Shortmoor, Fr Tom McGovern, Elizabeth Ann Hill, Melanie McDonald, Ita Jones, Michael Dawson and John McCaul – 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 †** Hugh Reilly, Lawrence Caffrey, Graham Hunt, Marjorie Kendall, Evelyn Hudson, Graham Johnston, Henry Harper, Fernanda Ruscillo, Kevin O'Shea, Kathleen Murray, Dr Allan Smith, Una Ayling, Mary Watson, Peter Kelligan, Eileen Halpin, Karen Camplejohn, Bernard Rafferty, Henry Hooper, Henry Phipps, Eileen Tomlinson, Jergy Grenville, Elizabeth Hulse, Oswald Healey, Patsy Clapperton and Michael Nicolle-Anderiesz

<b><u>Last week's collection</u></b>	
Collections	£187.40
Planned Giving and Donations	£704.50
Total	£891.90

**Churches Together in Oakham** are holding a service with hymns, prayers and readings in Cutts Close, Oakham, on Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> September from 2.00 pm until 4.30 pm, to which all are warmly invited.

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



**Praying for the unborn and women facing crisis pregnancies**  
We pray that, as a church, we would improve how we look after those who are experiencing difficulty in their pregnancies and provide the care and support they need in welcoming their child to the world. Lord hear us.

**Children's Liturgy - Autumn** Dear Parents and Children, Children's Liturgy will resume on Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> September. It is aimed at 4-8 year olds and younger children are welcome to attend with older siblings. The catechists are Hanna, Tess and Smita, assisted by Agi and Torah. We anticipate that Children's Liturgy will take place every Sunday during school term time. However sometimes, for unavoidable reasons, the session will be cancelled. IF THE NOTICE BOARD IS IN THE CHURCH ENTRANCE, Children's Liturgy is on! We are always looking for volunteers to lead and help during the sessions. If anyone would like to join us, we would be most appreciative. Many thanks. Hanna, Tess, Smita, Agi and Torah

**Recycling** A cheque for £32 has been received for CAFOD from all the recycling items you have donated. Many thanks for popping them in the box. Let's hope we can collect some more!

**Philippines** There is a box in the Church porch for any mixed cotton items of clothing you can spare. These will be sent to the Philippines for the poor. Any items are welcome for adults and children and will be so gratefully received. It doesn't matter at all if they are worn or faded - used sandals and crocs can be sent as well. The container will leave in 2 weeks time, so this is the last week to collect items. The clothing will be given to those most in need. Thanks so much for your kind support.

**Prayer to Saint Michael the Archangel** As St Michael is the Patron Saint of Kyiv, the capital city of Ukraine, we will say this prayer during Holy Mass in support of the people of Ukraine and for peace in the whole world.  
**Holy Michael, Archangel, defend us in the day of battle; be our safeguard against the wickedness and snares of the devil; may God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, Prince of the Heavenly Host, by the power of God, thrust down to hell Satan, and all evil spirits who wander through the world for the ruin of souls. Amen.**

**Repository:** Please take the time to visit the Repository in the Meeting Room as we have a lot of new items for sale. If you don't have cash with you, you can pay via the card reader machine in the Church Porch.

**Mass Intentions** If you wish to have a Mass said for anyone living or deceased, please contact Maria at [rcchurchoakham@live.co.uk](mailto:rcchurchoakham@live.co.uk)

**Our Sick List** If you would like someone to be added to the Sick Parishioners list, please contact 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.

**Planned Giving Scheme - Envelope holders** If you wish to contribute via the parish bank account, please contact Maria at [rcchurchoakham@live.co.uk](mailto:rcchurchoakham@live.co.uk) Many thanks for your ongoing support.

**Book of Remembrance** This is an ongoing project, so if you wish to have the names of loved ones inscribed in our book, please contact Maria at [rcchurchoakham@live.co.uk](mailto:rcchurchoakham@live.co.uk)

**Facebook** Don't forget St Joseph's has a Facebook page on which future events can be advertised, members can be alerted to, for example, changes in service times, and ideas can be put forward. If you would like to join, please email Maria at [rcchurchoakham@live.co.uk](mailto:rcchurchoakham@live.co.uk)