



THE CATHOLIC PARISH OF RUTLAND

ST JOSEPH, OAKHAM & ST THOMAS OF CANTERBURY, EXTON



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Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

24 th June	Vigil Mass	Saturday	4.30 pm	St Joseph	John and Jan Williams (In Thanksgiving)
25 th June	Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time	Sunday	9.00 am	St Thomas	Pro Populo
			11.00 am	St Joseph	Bridget Davis and Stephen Blackwell RIP
26 th June	Feria	Monday	9.30 am	St Joseph	Service of Word and Holy Communion
27 th June	St Cyril of Alexandria	Tuesday	9.15 am	Holy Mass	<u>At English Martyrs School</u> School Intentions
28 th June	St Irenaeus	Wednesday	9.00 am	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	
			10.00 am	Holy Mass	Sister Anthony's Intentions
29 th June	Solemnity of St Peter and St Paul	Thursday	9.30 am	Holy Mass	Mgr Pat McAleenan RIP
30 th June	The First Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church	Friday	9.30 am	Holy Mass	Private Intention (CW)
			7.00 pm	Latin Mass	Mackenzie John Urquhart, Sybil Pamela Urquhart and Mackenzie John Urquhart RIP
1 st July	Vigil Mass	Saturday	4.30 pm	St Joseph	Karen and Philip Black
2 nd July	Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time	Sunday	9.00 am	St Thomas	Private Intention (CW)
			11.00 am	St Joseph	Pro Populo

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 24 th June	9.00 am (Exton)	Sunday 25 th June
Welcomers	R Lott & J O'Shea		M Mildner & Y Nicolle-Anderiesz
Readers	J Widdows & R Streeter	G Webb	R Tennant & I Kearney-Rose
Minister of Holy Communion	A Wilkinson & J Burns	J Aitkins	M Pryke & M Port
Coffee			Y Nicolle-Anderiesz
NEXT WEEK'S ROTAS	Saturday 1 st July	9.00 am (Exton)	Sunday 2 nd July
Welcomers	P & M Sturley		P Donn & J Hickie
Readers	T Reilly & M Donn	J Aitkins	C Miller & J Burns
Minister of Holy Communion	R Lott & J Widdows	L Knowland	N O'Rourke & M Mildner
Coffee			J Fay & P Morton
Church Cleaning	C Wignall & H Davis		

Parish Website	http://www.stjosephs-oakham.org	
Primary School – English Martyrs	Willow Crescent, Oakham	www.englishmartyrs.rutland.sch.uk
Head Teacher	Mrs A 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	Tel: 01572 823883
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, Bernadette Wilkinson, 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, John O'Brien, Elisabeth Simpson, Claire Smith, Peter Tookey, Bill Hiscocks, Sharon Larkworthy, Mark Smith, Tim White, Helena Woolford, Megan Owens, Robert Johnstone, Monica Holt, 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, Yvonne Trevor, Floss Jepson, Angela Munton, Nigel Stark, Karen Black, Shane Spencer, Phillip Botteley and Andrena Lynch

Anniversaries † Jan Maciejski, John Catterall, May Berridge, Stephen Blackwell, John Mildner, Barbara Palmer, Margaret Stephens, William Keogh, Michael Healey and Ian Fullager

Last Week's Collection

Envelopes	£269.55
Loose Plate	£454.64
Standing Orders	£540.00
Total	£1,264.19

A visitor to the Parish Fr Thomas Staples OSB from Ealing Abbey will be staying in the presbytery over this weekend and celebrating the 9.00 am Mass at Exton on Sunday (25th). Please make him welcome.

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



Please note Mass on Tuesday 27th June will be celebrated at English Martyrs School, Willow Crescent at **9.15 am**. All welcome!

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

Dates to be confirmed

Congratulations and Best Wishes to Alex Stafford and Natalie Thomas who were married at St Thomas of Canterbury, Exton on Saturday 24th June. May God be with them as they begin their life together as a married couple.

Second collection There will be a second collection after all Masses this weekend for Peter's Pence.

Mother's Prayers will be held on Tuesday 27th June at 2.00 pm at 5 Old Brewery Court, Somerby. For further information, please contact Lorraine on 01664 452117.

Oakham Parish Sewing Group will meet on Saturday 1.30 pm to 3.30 pm. All welcome.

Fully escorted Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine, Ireland – 28th September 2017 Cost £649 per person sharing. Price includes flights from East Midlands with 15kg checked in bag, all taxes, luxury transfers, 4 nights in newly refurbished Knock House Hotel with full Irish breakfast each morning and 4 course dinner each evening. All entertainment, excursions and guided tours included. Wheelchair accessible rooms in the hotel. Limited single rooms at a supplement of £50. Groups and individual bookings welcome. Contact Patricia anytime on 01268 762278 or email knockpilgrimages@gmail.com. Knock pilgrimages is a member of the Travel Trust Association and is fully protected by ATOL T7613.

An appeal on behalf of English Martyrs RC Primary School As I am sure you have seen many times in the news in the last few months, schools are facing a more and more uncertain future with the challenges of reduced funding and rising costs. The Senior Leadership Team and the Governors have had to make some very difficult decisions with regards to staffing and resources whilst maintaining the excellent standards of our successful parish school. We have been delighted to welcome 22 extra children during this academic year, and we will have 25 new children starting with us in Early Years/Reception in September, however, this brings its own difficulties as we won't receive funding for these extra children until the start of the academic year in September 2018. So today I am appealing for help from parents, grandparents, great grandparents and parishioners alike, we need to raise vital funds in the next 12 months to ensure the continued education of our children at English Martyrs. If you can help in any way, however large or small, please place your donation in the envelopes available in the foyer, marked English Martyrs, and place in the collection or leave in the sacristy. Alternatively please feel free to contact me directly. Thank you so much on behalf of our Head Teacher, Alison Chambers, Staff, Governors and most importantly our wonderful children. Sarah Archer (Chair of Governors) email: chair@englishmartyrs.rutland.sch.uk

English Martyrs School News Our Year 6 children have had an amazing week at The Briars in Crich. They have visited Chatsworth House, canoed at Cranford, visited the Heights of Abraham and the Tramway Museum. They even got filmed by the BBC for East Midlands Today! The BBC are also coming into school next week to film some of our gardening club children in relation with Blooming Marvellous – Oakham in Bloom. On Thursday, we had a special Holy Communion Liturgy in school for the children who made their First Holy Communion last weekend.

Church Repository Please take the time to visit our Church Repository in the Meeting Room. There is a great selection of cards and gifts, all at reasonable prices. If you would like to order any, please use the notepad provided.

Book of Remembrance As many of you will have noticed, our Book is on display in the Church in the wooden cabinet. This is an ongoing project and as more names are handed in they will be added in due course. As a reminder, there are slips in the Church porch giving details of how to have names of loved ones inscribed in the Book.

Mary's Meals Many thanks for your amazing ongoing support for this charity. We still need toothpaste and pencil cases to complete more backpacks – your help would be gratefully received.

Church Mouse The Spring edition of the Church Mouse is available in the Church porch – cost £1. Please pick up a copy today.

Our Sick List 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