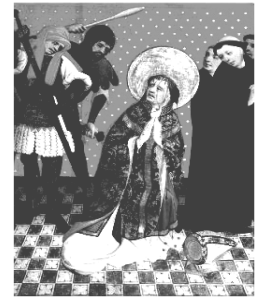




# THE CATHOLIC PARISH OF RUTLAND

## ST JOSEPH, OAKHAM & ST THOMAS OF CANTERBURY, EXTON



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### 23RD SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

5 <sup>th</sup> September	Vigil Mass	Saturday	6.30 pm	St Joseph	Mabel Jenkins RIP
6 <sup>th</sup> September	Twenty-third Sunday of the Year	Sunday	9.00 am	St Thomas	Pro Populo
			10.30 am	St Joseph	John Kelly RIP
7 <sup>th</sup> September	Feria	Monday	9.30 am 2.00pm	Holy Mass	Pat Joe Kissane RIP Requiem Mass for Ron Tovey
8 <sup>th</sup> September	The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary	Tuesday	9.30 am	Holy Mass	All at English Martyrs School
9 <sup>th</sup> September	St Peter Claver	Wednesday	9.00 am	<b>Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament</b>	
			10.00 am	Holy Mass	Private Intention (J.H.)
10 <sup>th</sup> September	Feria	Thursday	9.30 am	Holy Mass	Tony Slipper RIP
11 <sup>th</sup> September	Feria	Friday	9.30 am	Holy Mass	Private Intention (A.R.)
			7.00 pm	Latin Mass	John Beastallis Intentions
12 <sup>th</sup> September	Vigil Mass	Saturday	6.30 pm	St Joseph	Baby Archie McConnell RIP Daniel Quinn-Marriott RIP
13 <sup>th</sup> September	Twenty-fourth Sunday of the Year	Sunday	9.00 am	St Thomas	In Supplication to St Anthony
			10.30 am	St Joseph	Pro Populo

**Confession Times:** Wednesday: 9.15 am – 9.45 am; Saturday: 11.30 am – 12.00 noon & 5.15 pm – 5.45 pm

THIS WEEK ROTAS	Saturday 5 <sup>th</sup> September	9.00 am (Exton)	Sunday 6 <sup>th</sup> September
Welcomers	D Cassidy & E Worrall		M Mildner & Y Nicolle-Anderiesz
Readers	J Widdows & R Streeter	M England	R & C Miller
Minister of Eucharist	M Donn & M Port	J Aitkens	L Perril & G Tennant
Coffee			S Archer & E McCombie
NEXT WEEK ROTAS	Saturday 12 <sup>th</sup> September	9.00 am (Exton)	Sunday 13 <sup>th</sup> September
Welcomers	D Cassidy & E Worrall		T & C Slattery
Readers	J Alston & R Lott	P Pitts	M Port & N O'Rourke
Minister of Eucharist	S Morrell & A Wilkinson	L Knowland	M Pryke & N O'Rourke
Coffee			H Davis
Church Cleaning	H Davis		

<b>Parish Website</b>	<a href="http://www.stjosephs-oakham.org">www.stjosephs-oakham.org</a>	
<b>Primary School – English Martyrs</b>	Willow Crescent, Oakham	<a href="http://www.englishmartyrs.rutland.sch.uk">www.englishmartyrs.rutland.sch.uk</a>
<b>Head Teacher</b>	Mrs S Hooley	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>	Irene Kearney Rose	Tel: 01572 823883
<b>Parish Support Group - HELP</b>	Hilary Davis	Tel: 01572 724256
<b>Prayer Groups</b>	Martin & Barbara Black	Tel: 01572 724918
<b>Chairman – Parish Pastoral Council</b>	Sarah Archer	Tel: 01572 756622
<b>Parish Newsletter</b>	Hilary Davis Maria Marriott Eileen Worrall	<a href="mailto:hilaryj@uwclub.net">hilaryj@uwclub.net</a> <a href="mailto:tantucat@yahoo.co.uk">tantucat@yahoo.co.uk</a> <a href="mailto:eileenworrall@hotmail.com">eileenworrall@hotmail.com</a>

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE FOLLOWING WHO ARE ILL:** Colleen Lully, Mary Hurst, Bernadette Wilkinson, Pearl Duffy, Mary Crump, Sarah Ennis, Marie-Jeanne Lloyd-Hughes, Eileen Cox, Enid Wootton, Susan Healey, Helen Reilly, Stephen Walters, Christopher Brown, Elizabeth Brown, John O'Brien, Maura & 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, Veronica Wands, Robert Johnstone, Monica Holt, Tricia Brophy, Michael Rimmer, John Rhodes, Elizabeth Fay, Myra Smith, Eileen Keating, Mike Ellis & Rhona Morris

### Anniversaries †

Bernard Stausbridge, Beatrice Miller, Beatrice Brady, Janette Watts, Terri Green, Beatrice Grogan, Josephine Trigg, Miriam Murphy, Josephine Berridge, Veronica Anderson-Theodor, Stefanie Tyler, Rita Dawson, John O'Brien, George Crawley, Daniel Quinn Marriott

### Last Week's Collection

Loose Plate	£299.75
Envelopes	£204.75
S/O	£540.00
Totals	£1044.74

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



### Sunday Masses at Uppingham

in the School Chapel at 12.15 pm:

- 13th September
- 4th October
- 15th November
- 6th December

### Rutland Ride and Stride

This biennial event takes place on Saturday 12th September. As usual we need volunteers to sit in the church foyer - or outside if the sun is shining - and act as recorders for the passing participants. I have left a clipboard in the foyer and if you can help for an hour or so from 9.45 am until 6.00 pm I would be very grateful. For those of you who would like to join in and ride and stride, sponsor forms and details are also in the foyer. For any further information you can contact me, Sarah Archer, on 756622.

### 200 club

1st Prize £100 Gavin Slattery  
2nd Prize £29 George Wells  
3rd Prize £17 Helen Jones

### Appeal for children's liturgy catechists

We are in need of catechists to present children's liturgy! We would very much appreciate your participation, either by assisting or especially by leading the session. Your turn would come around twice a term. Help will be offered! If you are not sure, please consider assisting first, before leading a session. Contact Hanna Coomber on hanna.coomber@gmx.com, or 01572 723406, or see me at Church on Sunday.

Our Sincere condolences to Jan, the family and friends of our dear Parishioner Kevin O'Shea who died recently. Kevin was often at Mass during the weekdays as well as Sundays. He also was on the Readers' Rota. We shall miss him. Please remember him in your prayers. Eternal rest grant unto him O Lord and let perpetual Light shine upon him, may he rest in peace Amen. Kevin's Requiem Mass will be on Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> September at 11:00am

### Aid for Chad

Do you have any unwanted gifts, toiletries, or books that can be so the poor of Chad to buy medicines and food? if so please pop them in the yellow box in the porch. Chad is one of the charities we are supporting in St Joseph's parish. Many thanks.

Leicestershire Active Catholics Youth (LACY) plan to have monthly Youth Masses around the Leicestershire Parishes and enjoy a Pizza afterwards! Our first Mass will take place on FRIDAY 11<sup>th</sup> September 2015 at 7.00pm at St Mary's Catholic Church, Counterthorpe Road South Wigston LE18 4PG All young people Comprehensive school age are warmly invited to come along and share in the different ministries or just to be there and share this special time with other young people. Anyone interested in being involved in the different ministries of the Mass are asked to come along at 6:30pm. Bring your instruments! Bring your voices! Bring your talents and your families & friends. Looking forward to hearing from you & seeing you all! More information and to advise on numbers for catering email [iancardwell50@hotmail.com](mailto:iancardwell50@hotmail.com) or [paulinepayne@hotmail.com](mailto:paulinepayne@hotmail.com)

### RCIA

If you are thinking about becoming a Catholic, or know anybody who might be interested, please contact Fr Stephen as soon as possible. Sessions will be starting in the Autumn with Rev Raymond. Many thanks.

Please donate both in money, kind, or in person to help this stall MSF [Doctors without Borders]. Annual Bring & Buy Cake Stall on Saturday 19th September from 8.30am at the Oakham Butter Cross. Raffle Prizes very much need, plus cakes, sweets, jams, pickles etc. Personal help is also required. Help in any way you can. For further information Please contact: 01572 723616 [after 12pm], 01572 722869, Mobile 07929852064

*A very warm welcome to all our visitors this weekend*