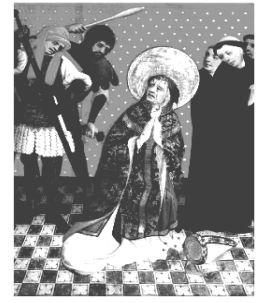




THE CATHOLIC PARISH OF RUTLAND

ST JOSEPH, OAKHAM & ST THOMAS OF CANTERBURY, EXTON



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24TH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

12 th September	Vigil Mass	Saturday	6.30 pm	St Joseph	Baby Archie McConnell RIP Daniel Quinn-Marriott RIP
13 th September	Twenty-fourth Sunday of the Year	Sunday	9.00 am	St Thomas	In Supplication to St Anthony
			10.30 am 12.15 pm	St Joseph Uppingham School Chapel	Pro Populo Agnus Gallaghers's Ints
14 th September	The Exaltation of the Holy Cross	Monday	9.30 am	Service of the word & Holy Communion	
15 th September	Our Lady of Sorrows	Tuesday	11.00 am	Holy Mass	Requiem Mass for Kevin O'Shea
16 th September	Saints Cornelius & Cyprian	Wednesday	9.00 am	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	
			10.00 am	Holy Mass	John & Martha Cassidy RIP
17 th September	St Robert Bellarmine	Thursday	9.30 am	Holy Mass	Annette Sacher RIP
18 th September	Feria	Friday	9.30 am	Holy Mass	John & Megan Owen's Ints
			7.00 pm	Latin Mass	David Cowlshaw RIP
19 th September	Vigil Mass	Saturday	6.30 pm	St Joseph	Susan Ferguson's Ints
20 th September	Twenty-fifth 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 12 th September	9.00 am (Exton)	Sunday 13 th 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
NEXT WEEK ROTAS	Saturday 19 th September	9.00 am (Exton)	Sunday 20 th September
Welcomers	S & N Taylor		J Nash & P Reilly
Readers	A de Kremer & S Taylor	P Pitts	R Tennant & P Reilly
Minister of Eucharist	R Lott & M Port	S Allen	J Burns & M Donn
Coffee			C Slattery & J Kelly
Church Cleaning	R Duncan & M Port		

Parish Website	www.stjosephs-oakham.org	
Primary School – English Martyrs	Willow Crescent, Oakham	www.englishmartyrs.rutland.sch.uk
Head Teacher	Mrs S Hooley	Tel: 01572 722400
Children's Liturgy Group	For children up to First Holy Communion	10.30 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	Sarah Archer	Tel: 01572 756622
Parish Newsletter	Hilary Davis Maria Marriott Eileen Worrall	hilaryj@uwclub.net tantucat@yahoo.co.uk eileenworrall@hotmail.com

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

Anniversaries †

John O'Brien, George Crawley, Daniel Quinn Marriott, Archie McConnell, Patricia Bosworth, Norma Mould, Mary Phillis, Brian Tully, Daisy Harrington, Richard Micklethwait, John Borneo, Rose Phelan, Geoffrey Hayes, Maureen Gaines, Kristina Lesiakowski

Last Week's Collection

Loose Plate	£276.10
Envelopes	£148.05
S/O	£540.00
Totals	£964.15

New Priests in the Deanery

We welcome Fr Simon Gillespie to the Parish of St Mary & St Augustine Stamford, and Fr Victor Dakwan to the Parish of Sacred Heart & St Gilbert Bourne, with Market Deeping Our Lady & St Guthlac. Fr Christopher O'Connor remains in the Deanery but has moved to the Parish of St Mary the Immaculate, Grantham.

Please pray them as they begin their new Ministries in the Grantham Deanery.

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



A New Priest for the Diocese

Fr Kevin Athaide was ordained to the Sacred Priesthood on Saturday 12th September by Bishop Kenny of Birmingham at Holy Cross Dominican Church in Leicester. Fr Kevin came to stay as a Church student in our Parish two years ago during the summer. We wish him well in his new Ministry and look forward to him being in the Nottingham Diocese. Fr Kevin is currently doing further studies at the Venerable English College in Rome.

Sunday Masses at Uppingham in the School Chapel at 12.15 pm:

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

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.

Please donate both in money, kind, and in person to help this stall MSF [Doctors without Borders]. **Annual Bring & Buy Cake Stall on Saturday 19th September** **HAS been cancelled until the 10th October** For further information Please contact: 01572 723616 [after 12pm], 01572 722869, Mobile 07929852064

Proclaim 15 Resource Day – Welcome to Witness: The Diocese is holding a resource day following on from the national Proclaim on Saturday October 17th at Christ The King School in Arnold, Nottingham. Guest speakers are Father Paul Cannon, Episcopal Vicar for Evangelisation, and Sharon Beech, Project Development Co-ordinator for Evangelisation both from the Diocese of Salford. There will be six workshop options on the theme of Evangelisation incorporating resources for The Year of Mercy. The cost of £15 to include hot lunch- the event will be useful for Parish Priests & Parishioners alike.

The Bishop's Certificate in Catechesis is a foundational course of twelve sessions covering the basics of faith and also the practical skills needed for catechesis. Starting in **Oadby Leicestershire** it runs over 9 months on one or two evenings a month for two hours and ends with a commissioning service. The course will be helpful for new catechists and also for those who wish to learn more and improve their skills as catechists. The other great benefit of the course is that catechists get together from different parishes and share their experience and best practice. The Parish will help with the cost of this.

Catholic certificate in Religious Studies There is also a CCRS course beginning in October, in Shepshed. The CCRS is aimed at all those interested in exploring their faith and supports professional development for teaching in Catholic schools by providing those who take it with knowledge and understanding of their Catholic faith. It is awarded by the Board of Religious Studies on behalf of the Bishops' Conference of England & Wales

Parish Reminder for Faith in Families' Box Holders

It is time to bring your box to your Parish box collector. Every donation made really does make a difference to the lives of vulnerable children in our Diocese.

Faith in Families would like to thank you for your ongoing support. Your kind donations from the collection boxes enables them to provide outstanding Social Work Services to the children in our Catholic schools throughout the Diocese, help and advice to people who were adopted via the Catholic Children's Society and support to families in need across the R C Diocese of Nottingham.

If you would like further information regarding the work of Faith in Families, please contact Andrea Kelly on 0115 955 8811 or email andrea.kelly@faithinfamilies.org

A very warm welcome to all our visitors this weekend