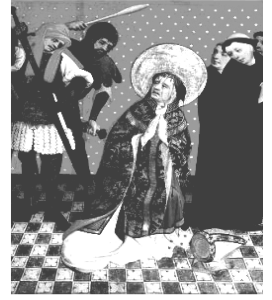




THE CATHOLIC PARISH OF RUTLAND

ST JOSEPH, OAKHAM &
ST THOMAS OF CANTERBURY, EXTON

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Twenty-first Sunday of the Year

20 th August	Vigil Mass	Saturday	4.30 pm	Holy Mass	Ken Williamson, Martin Gauntlett and Colin Berrie RIP
21 st August	Twenty-first Sunday of the Year	Sunday	9.00 am	St Thomas	All Parishioners
			10.30 am	St Joseph	Frances Xueref RIP
22 nd August	The Queenship of Mary	Monday	10.00 am	St Joseph	Service of Word and Holy Communion
23 rd August	St Rose of Lima	Tuesday			No Mass today
24 th August	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	Wednesday	9.00 - 10.00 am	St Joseph	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
	St Bartholomew		10.00 am	St Joseph	Service of Word and Holy Communion
25 th August	St Louis	Thursday	10.00 am	St Joseph	Service of Word and Holy Communion
26 th August	Blessed Dominic of the Mother of God	Friday	10.00 am	St Joseph	Service of Word and Holy Communion
			7.00 pm	Latin Mass	No Latin Mass this week
27 th August	Vigil Mass	Saturday	4.30 pm	Holy Mass	Mary Donn RIP
28 th August	Twenty-second Sunday of the Year	Sunday	9.00 am	St Thomas	All Parishioners
			10.30 am	St Joseph	Torah Savant's Intentions

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 20 th August	Sunday 21 st August
Welcomers	Philip and Mich Sturley	James Fay and Marie-Therese Goldberg
Readers	Ron Streeter and Tom Reilly	Maureen Mildner and Nuala O'Rourke
Coffee		Pauline Morton and James Fay
Flowers	Mair O'Kane	
Church Cleaning	Rosemarie Duncan and Charlie Farmer	
NEXT WEEK'S ROTAS	Saturday 27 th August	Sunday 28 th 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	Mair O'Kane	
Church Cleaning	Rosemarie Duncan and Charlie Farmer	

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	10.30 am Mass in term time
Safeguarding Representative	Maria Marriott	Tel: 07513 725552
Parish Support Group - HELP	Rosemarie Duncan	Tel: 01572 723873
House Faith Sharing Groups	Barbara Black	Tel: 01572 724918
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Chair - Parish Pastoral Council	Andreas Menzies	ppchair@stjosephs-oakham.org Tel: 01572 722308
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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

Anniversaries † Mary Towell, Maureen Gaines, Aileen Nerini, Norah Bagley, Viktor Kray, Ron Tovey, Margaret McGuire, Michael Howes, Anne Caffrey, John Kelly, Hugh Reilly, Lawrence Caffrey, Graham Hunt, Marjorie Kendall, Evelyn Hudson, Graham Johnston, Henry Harper, Fernanda Ruscillo and Kevin O'Shea

Last week's collection

Collections	£270.26
Planned Giving and Donations	£740.26
Total	£1,010.52

Venerable John Lyon

A beautiful carved wooden plaque has been placed near the Sanctuary in memory of Venerable John Lyon, whose anniversary was on 16th July, the feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel. In order for Venerable John Lyon to become Blessed John Lyon, a miracle has to be proved through his intercession. Let's hope and pray one day there will be such a miracle. Fr Stephen will bless the plaque at Holy Mass soon.

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 for the families and friends of pregnant women. That they would recognise their responsibility to care for the mother and child, and that they would shower them with love and support through the journey of pregnancy and beyond. Lord hear us.

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 3 weeks time, so we will try to collect items just for the next 2 weeks. 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

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

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