



THE CATHOLIC PARISH OF RUTLAND

ST JOSEPH, OAKHAM &
ST THOMAS OF CANTERBURY, EXTON

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Third Sunday of Easter

22 nd April	Vigil Mass	Saturday	4.30 pm	St Joseph	The Faithful Departed
23 rd April	Third Sunday of Easter	Sunday	9.00 am	St Joseph	Sister Joy Worrall RIP
			10.30 am	St Joseph	All Parishioners
24 th April	St George, Patron of England	Monday	10.00 am	Holy Mass	The Faithful Departed
25 th April	St Mark, Evangelist	Tuesday			No Holy Mass today
26 th April	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	Wednesday	9.00 am	St Joseph	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
	Easter Feria		10.00 am	Holy Mass	Torah Savant's Intentions
27 th April	Easter Feria	Thursday			No Holy Mass today
28 th April	St Peter Chanel	Friday	10.00 am	Holy Mass	Bernadette Carroll's Intentions
				Latin Mass	No Latin Mass this week
29 th April	Vigil Mass	Saturday	4.30 pm	St Joseph	Odette and Frank Garcia-Busch and Family
30 th April	Fourth Sunday of Easter Good Shepherd Sunday	Sunday	9.00 am	St Joseph	Nicholas Tomlinson (Good Estate)
			10.30 am	St Joseph	All Parishioners

CONFESSION TIMES: ~~Wednesday: 9.30-10.00 am~~ Saturday: 11.30 am-12.00 noon and 3.45-4.15 pm

THIS WEEK'S ROTAS	Saturday 22 nd April	Sunday 23 rd April
Welcomers	Philip and Mich Sturley	Marie-Therese Goldberg and Chris Jones
Readers	Irene Kearney-Rose and Ron Streeter	Brian Moore and Nuala O'Rourke
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	Andrew Wilkinson and Barbara Black	Marjorie Port and Anthony Nguyen
Coffee		Phil Boak
Flowers	Bridget Francis	
Church Cleaning	Rosemarie Duncan and Charlie Farmer	
NEXT WEEK'S ROTAS	Saturday 29 th April	Sunday 30 th April
Welcomers	Tom and Belinda Reilly	Fran Rhowbotham and Maureen Mildner
Readers	Meryl Vincent and Tom Reilly	Ed Anderson and Marjorie Port
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	Judy Aitkens and Eileen Worrall	Billy Ivory and Mary Hatton
Coffee		Veronica Wands
Flowers	Judy Aitkens	
Church Cleaning	Elizabeth Keogh and Ron Streeter	

Please note: This Church is monitored by CCTV cameras and/or live streaming cameras during Holy Mass.

Parish Website	http://www.stjosephs-oakham.org	
English Martyrs Primary School Head Teacher	Willow Crescent, Oakham Alison Chambers achambers@englishmartyrs.rutland.sch.uk	www.englishmartyrs.rutland.sch.uk Tel: 01572 722400
Children's Liturgy Group	For children up to First Holy Communion	10.30 am Sunday Mass in term time
Safeguarding Representative	Maria Marriott Maria.MariottPSR@dioceseofnottingham.uk	Tel: 07513 72555
Parish Support Group - HELP	Rosemarie Duncan	Tel: 01572 723873
House Faith Sharing Groups	Barbara Black Maureen Mildner	Tel: 01572 724918 Tel: 01572 756477
Chair - Parish Pastoral Council	Andreas Menzies	ppcchair@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, 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, John Shortmoor, Joseph Shortmoor, Fr Tom McGovern, Elizabeth Ann Hill, Ita Jones, Michael Dawson, Kevin Gallagher, Nick Reid, Margaret and Tom Horn, Fr Stephen Dye and Frank Ward– 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 † John Edward Wooton, Edith O’Brien, Daniel Finn, Raymond Port, Michael Ellis, Sheila Adams, Jean Tylee, Rita Sheahan, Annie Holan, Declan O’Brien, John Murrell, Violet Brophy, Lee Cole, Elizabeth Rubini, Ruth Tennant and Richard Turnbull

Last week’s collection

Collections	£190.82
Planned Giving and Donations	£745.15
Total	£935.97

Fr Stephen sincerely thanks parishioners who kindly sent him Easter Offerings, Easter cards and, of course, prayers. Your generosity is very much appreciated.

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



Second Collection There will be a second collection after Holy Masses next weekend for the Clergy Formation Fund.

Safeguarding Sunday The Diocese has designated Sunday 14th May as Safeguarding Sunday. This is an opportunity for the Diocese to reflect on the theology and spirituality of safeguarding and to express gratitude for the work of all our parish safeguarding representatives, who assist us in assuring that our Church is a safe place for all children and vulnerable adults. To inform congregations of the journey of the Catholic Church and how safeguarding has evolved over the years and the current changes that have now been implemented.

Room to rent We have had a request from a carer who works at Aspen Manor to ask if anyone would be willing to rent them a room. Their name is Aljin Antony, telephone number 07767 956131.

Neophytes’ Mass 2023 Bishop Patrick is inviting all those who have been baptised or received (known as Neophytes) into the Catholic Church this Easter, or in the last year or so, to a special celebration of Mass with him on Sunday 21st May. This will be celebrated at 3.00 pm at St Mary’s Church, Countesthorpe Road, South Wigston, LE18 4PG. The Mass will be followed by some light refreshments and it is a great way to celebrate together.

The Christian Heritage Centre at Stonyhurst is offering two upcoming events: Building a Catholic Culture in Education between Friday 12th and Sunday 14th May, and A Great Mystery: Marriage Enrichment Retreat between Friday 19th and Sunday 21st May. More information can be found on the posters at the back of church, or at <https://christianheritagecentre.com/events>

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English Martyrs School News

Coffee Morning for parents, pre-school children, members of the parish and all visitors. Everyone is welcome! Last Friday of the month term time at 9.15 am. Do pop in and see us and bring your friends!

Celebration Assembly: Every Friday at 2.30 pm in school. All members of the parish are invited to this event. We would love to see you and welcome you to our school.

We are also collecting items for the local food bank at school. You can support us by dropping off any food items at school. Thank you for all your support.

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.

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

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.

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