



THE CATHOLIC PARISH OF RUTLAND

ST JOSEPH, OAKHAM &
ST THOMAS OF CANTERBURY, EXTON

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Thirty-second Sunday of the Year

5 th November	Vigil Mass	Saturday	4.30 pm	Holy Mass	Michael Paine RIP
6 th November	Thirty-second Sunday of the Year	Sunday	9.00 am	St Thomas	Tim Hales RIP
			10.30 am	St Joseph	All Parishioners
7 th November	Feria	Monday	10.00 am	St Joseph	Service of Word and Holy Communion
8 th November	Feria	Tuesday			No Holy Mass today
9 th November	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	Wednesday	9.00 - 10.00 am	St Joseph	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
	The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica		10.00 am	Holy Mass	The Faithful Departed
10 th November	St Leo the Great	Thursday	10.00 am	Holy Mass	The Faithful Departed
11 th November	St Martin of Tours	Friday	9.30 am	Holy Mass	Augustine and Priscilla Menezes RIP
			7.00 pm	Latin Mass	The Faithful Departed
12 th November	Vigil Mass	Saturday	4.30 pm	Holy Mass	Kathleen Benson RIP
13 th November	Thirty-third Sunday of the Year	Sunday	9.00 am	St Thomas	The Faithful Departed
			10.30 am	St Joseph	All Parishioners

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 5th November	Sunday 6th November
Welcomers	Tom and Belinda Reilly	Pauline Morton and James Fay
Readers	Siobhan Taylor and Irene Kearney-Rose	Brian Moore and Marjorie Port
Coffee		Gary Nicolle-Anderiesz
Flowers	Bridget Francis	
Church Cleaning	Rosemarie Duncan and Charlie Farmer	
NEXT WEEK'S ROTAS	Saturday 12th November	Sunday 13th November
Welcomers	Caroline Berrie and Ann Robinson	Marie-Therese Goldberg and Fran Rhowbotham
Readers	Irene Kearney-Rose and Siobhan Taylor	Annie de Kremer and Lorraine Perril
Coffee		Hilary Davis
Flowers	Bridget Francis	
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	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	Maria.MarriottPSR@dioceseofnottingham.uk Tel: 07513 72555
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	ppcchair@stjosephs-oakham.org

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Parish Newsletter	Eileen Worrall	eileenworrall@hotmail.com

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 and Michael Dawson – 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 Murcott, Alan Organ, Minnie Hudson, Annunziato Romeo, Gemma McCormick, Rt Hon Violet Cripps, Kathleen Joan Williams, Donald Hunt, Margaret Healey, Timothy Hales, Charles McNulty, Agnes Hudson, William Docherty, John Kearney, Margaret Hibbit, Edward Hudson, Evelyn Maiden, Dr Agnes Robb, Bernadette Wilkinson, Karen Flint, Marie Johnson, Terasina Kilpatrick and Mary Crump

Last week's collection

Collections	£208.33
Planned Giving and Donations	£738.00
Total	£946.33

We are now in the month of November, which is traditionally the month when we remember the Faithful Departed. If you would like your loved ones to be remembered especially, please use the envelopes provided at the back of the Church, along with the list of names and offering if you wish. The list of names will remain on the altar throughout the month.

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



Cemetery Visit On Sunday 6th November at 3.00 pm, we meet at the Cemetery entrance on Kilburn Road. We will pray the rosary for those buried there and elsewhere, also to bless the graves of our loved ones.

Sincere thanks to Deacon Raymond and Jeremy Jepson for the evening commemoration on the Solemnity of All Souls. The readings were most moving, as was the beautiful performance of Gabriel Fauré's Requiem.

CAFOD Family Fast Day Many thanks to all those who have generously donated to the CAFOD Family Fast Day. Please remember to bring your envelopes back to Church with any donation you wish to make asap. Many thanks.

A gentle reminder to all members of the Parish Pastoral Council. There will be a meeting in the Meeting Room on Thursday 10th November at 6.30 pm.

Aid for Chad and Peru A huge thank you for your continuous support for these two missions by leaving so many items that can be sold for the poor in Lima and Chad. This helps us so much to survive. If you have any donations, they can be left on the Chad chair in Fr Stephen's porch. Thank you for remembering us.

Philippines We have received a lovely thank you for the clothes and gifts we have sent from St Joseph's to this appeal. They will make such a difference to the children and the folk generally in the remote village in the Philippines. Many thanks for your generosity.

School admissions to Catholic Primary Academies (Reception Year) - Children born between 01/09/2018 and 31/08/2019 The deadline for submitting your application for a school place is 15th January 2023. Application forms are available on your 'home' Local Authority website. For every Catholic school you apply for if you wish your child to be considered and ranked under a faith criterion you must also complete a supplementary information form, and return this form to the school by the deadline, (forms are available from the LA and the school). You MUST also include the supporting evidence as required eg baptism certificate (photocopies acceptable). Failure to supply the required supporting evidence will mean your child is ranked is a lower criterion which may affect your chance of a place. If you do not have the required evidence, please contact the parish where your child was baptised for a copy certificate in good time.

The Online Catechist Network is delighted that the next Diocesan Network will be a resource showcase. We will welcome CaFE (Catholic Faith Exploration) and Aid to the Church in Need: ACN presenting resources for use with children and teenagers, as well as some upcoming campaigns; CaFE launching their new course Belong and Believe aimed at parishes engaging with the wider community to understand how to be more missional. Register at www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/events or email: adult.formation@dioceseofnottingham.uk

English Martyrs School News

On the last Friday of each month, there will be a coffee morning in the school hall for parents and pre-school children, as well as members of the parish. This will start about 9.15 am as parents are dropping off. We would also like to encourage families beyond school with pre-school children to join us, please mention this to any that you know. The first one will be on Friday 25th November, parents can make a small donation for tea and coffee should they wish to. Parishioners are also very welcome to attend our celebration assembly on Fridays at 2.30 pm in the school hall.

School council and digital leaders have met this week to start designing some animations and explanations of our 10 virtues to share with parents and the wider community. Look out for these once we have finished them - they will be on the school website! Well done to the sports hall athletics team who competed at UCC on Thursday. They worked really well as a team and put in some superb performances. We were third on the night - fingers crossed it will be good enough to earn us a finals place.

Shoebox Appeal Oakham Baptist Church are delighted to be a national Collection Centre for this year's Shoebox Appeal! The opening times to receive completed shoeboxes are: Thursday 17th November 10.00 am – 12 noon; Friday 18th November 3.00 – 5.00 pm and Saturday 19th November 10.00 am – 12 noon. During these times, the church will be open to receive shoeboxes; there will also be free refreshments (cake!). Information on how to fill a shoebox can be found [here](#); please read it as some items are not allowed to be exported due to Customs laws. If you have any questions, please email Suzanne Johnson at the Baptist Church at: suzanne.johnson@boss-consultancy.com.

Please note: Shoeboxes should be taken to the Baptist Church and not left at St. Joseph's. Also, there are some empty shoeboxes in the Meeting Room if anyone would like to use them.

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