

St. Edward's, Kettering St. Bernadette's, Rothwell

ST. EDWARD'S PARISH



Holy Trinity, Desborough St. Nicholas Owen, Burton Latimer

2 The Grove, Kettering NN15 7QQ. Telephone 01536 512497

Website: https://www.stedwardskettering.org.uk/

Email: parish.stedwardkettering@northamptondiocese.org

Our Parish Safeguarding Representatives:

Vivien Caldwell: safeguarding.stedwardkettering@northamptondiocese.org

Joe Burns: safeguarding.htkettering@northamptondiocese.org

Diocesan Safeguarding Officer:

Danielle Dixon: safeguarding@northamptondiocese.com

Office: 01604 723514 / Mobile: 07833 050628

Church Hall/ Upper Room Bookings: Contact the Parish Office

Parish Priest: Fr. Gregory Marchwiński Assistant Priest: Fr. Elvis Jose

17th Sunday in Ordinary Time, year B 28th July 2024

MASS TIMES AT ST. EDWARD'S, KETTERING

- Tuesday and Wednesday 10.00 am
- Thursday and Friday 7.00 pm (Thursday evening Mass is with music on screen)
- Saturday Vigil Mass 6.30 pm (After Mass confession on request)
- Sunday Early Mass 8.30 am / Sunday Family Mass 10.30 am

MASS TIMES AT BURTON LATIMER

The 1st and 3rd Sunday of every month - 9.00 am

MASS TIMES AT DESBOROUGH

The 2nd and 4th Sunday of every month - 9.00 am

MASS TIMES AT ROTHWELL

The 1st and 3rd Sunday of every month - 12.15 pm

For the 5th Sunday of the month, please check the newsletter

There is a small boy here with five barley loaves and two fish; but what is that between so many?

Jesus took the loaves, gave thanks, and gave them out to all who were sitting ready.



He then did the same with the fish, giving out as much as was wanted.



When they had eaten enough, he said to the disciples, 'Pick up the pieces left over, so that nothing gets wasted'.

THIS WEEK'S INTENTIONS



To see the readings for today's Mass, please follow this link.

Saturday 06.30 pm - Rodolfo Caponpon RIP

Sunday 08.30 am - For the Parish

09.00 am - / Desborough / - For the Parish

10.30 am - Ike's family thanksgiving int.

Monday (No public Mass) - Edward Henry Manning

Tuesday 09.30 am - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

10.00 am - Alfredo Alejandro RIP

Wednesday 10.00 am - John Rothwell RIP

Thursday 07.00 pm - Eileen 10th anniv. and Willie McNulty RIP

Friday 06.00 pm - First Friday Adoration and Benediction

07.00 pm - Aidan Brady RIP

Saturday **06.30 pm -** Oliver Brady RIP

Sunday 08.30 am - For the Holy Souls

09.00 am - / Burton Latimer / - For the Parish

10.30 am - For the Holy Souls

12.15 pm - / Rothwell / - Fitzpatrick family RIP

To request a Mass Intention please contact the parish office.

To respect people's wishes, there has usually been only one Mass Intention per Mass (This Intention might encompass even several people, but it will have been requested by one individual). There are occasional instances though, when there need to be two separate Intentions at a Mass. When this arises, I would be grateful for your understanding.

>>> Fr Elvis is on holiday this week <<<

Thank you to Fr Shalbin for covering our Sunday Mass at Desborough.

CONFESSIONS AT ST EDWARD'S



Confessions at St Edward's are on Saturdays after the Vigil Mass which is at 6.30 pm.

You can always request confession before or after any weekday Mass.

"The first step we must take to build the Kingdom of God on earth is to rediscover and appreciate the importance of the sacrament of confession, which will allow us to appreciate the sacrament of the Eucharist. We cannot appreciate the Eucharist while removing the sacrament of Confession from our spiritual life".

- Fr Gregory

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED



In our prayers, let us remember our deceased parishioners, family members and friends. Let us especially remember those who have recently passed away.

- + Christopher O'Halloran + His Funeral will be at the *Kettering Crematorium* on *Wednesday,* 31st July at 12.00 pm.
- + Antonio Di Pietro + His Funeral will be at St Edward's Church on Tuesday, 6th August at 10.30 am.

Requiem aeternam dona eis, Domine, et lux perpetua luceat eis.

PRAYER FOR THE FOURTH WORLD DAY FOR GRANDPARENTS AND THE ELDERLY 28 JULY 2024



Lord, faithful God, You who created us in Your image, You who never leaves us alone and who accompanies us through every season of life, Do not abandon us, take care of us, And grant us, once again, The ability to discover ourselves and recognise that we are Your children. Renew our hearts with your Word And do not allow anyone to be cast aside. May your Spirit of love fill us with Your tenderness And teach us to say: "I will not abandon you!" To those we meet on our journey. With the help of your beloved Son, may we not lose the taste for fraternity And may we not conform to the sadness of loneliness. Help us to look to the future with renewed hope, And make the World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly A day without loneliness, and a day abundant with the first-fruits of Your peace. Amen.

DEVOTIONS AT ST EDWARD'S

Attending Sunday Mass is something, which we as Catholics do, not only because it is our duty but because our souls gather strength thanks to the Sacrifice of Our Lord. Yet, there are many more occasions when we can come to church, when we can show our appreciation to God, when we can worship, praise and thank Him, when we can share our worries with Him. As well as times of quiet devotion, the church calendar in our parish gives us an opportunity for more organised prayer.



- >>> The Angelus prayer we say after each Tuesday and Wednesday Mass.
- >>> First Friday Adoration on each first Friday of the month adoration starts at 6 pm and is concluded by the Litany to The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus and benediction.
- >>> Weekday adoration on Tuesdays 30 minutes before morning Mass and on Fridays 30 minutes before evening Mass.
- >>> May is the month of Our Blessed Mother.
 - We pray the **Litany of Loreto** after each weekday Mass.
- >>> June is the month of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus.

 We pray the Litany to the Heart of Jesus after each weekday Mass.
- >>> July is the month of the Most Precious Blood of Jesus.

 We pray the Litany to the Blood of Jesus after each weekday Mass.
- >>> Lent Time The Stations of the Cross are led by parishioners after Wednesday Masses at 10 am, and before Friday Masses, that is at 6.15 pm.
- >>> Easter Time we pray Divine Mercy Chaplet on Divine Mercy Sunday at 3 pm, and during the week following Divine Mercy Sunday after weekday Masses.
- >>> October is the month of the Holy Rosary.

 We pray the Rosary 30 minutes before each weekday Mass.
- >>> November is the month of all the faithful departed. We pray the Rosary or Divine Mercy Chaplet for those who have passed away, after each weekday Mass.

PARISH GROUPS AND ORGANISATIONS



Our parish is blessed with many groups. All of them would welcome new members. If you are interested in getting involved in anything in the parish, please speak to Fr Gregory. He will do his best to point you in the right direction. Maybe you have an idea to set up a new group, perhaps a group focused on prayer, or bereavement. Again, please share your thoughts with Fr Gregory. Pray, and make a firm decision if you have reached a time in your life when you can offer something to our community.

GARDENING AT BURTON LATIMER



Our Burton Latimer Community is coming together on the 3rd August at 10 am to help tidy the garden area. All welcome. Please bring gloves and tools.

THE PARISH YOUTH GROUP



If you would like your son or daughter to take part in youth group activities, please email the parish office and request a registration form. The next meeting will be on Friday, 2nd August at 6.30 pm.

COFFEE MORNINGS



The next Wednesday Coffee Morning in the parish hall, will be run by The Desborough Community after 10.00 am Mass on 7th August.

On 4th September - Rothwell / on 2nd October - Soup Kitchen

BAPTISMAL PREPARATION



If you would like your child to be baptised, please contact Fr Gregory. Parents who would like their children to be baptised are invited to attend Baptismal Preparation on the first Monday of the month at **7 pm** at St Edward's Church. The next meeting will be on Monday, **5**th August **2024**.

SEMINARIAN RENVER IN OUR PARISH



In August we will be hosting in our parish Seminarian Renver who came and stayed in our parish in January. He has recently completed his propaedeutic year (year 0) at the Royal English College in Valladolid in Spain, and will soon begin his priestly formation in one of the seminaries in England. We look forward to welcoming him again soon.

ST EDWARD'S CHURCH IS OPEN EVERY WEDNESDAY FOR PRIVATE PRAYER



The church remains open on each **Wednesday** after Mass until **1 pm**. The list of volunteers who look after the church will remain open, and everyone is welcome to join and support the teams. If our current arrangement works well, and if we have more volunteers, we will expand the days and times when people can come and pray privately. Please take this opportunity to spend some time with the Lord.

MANDATORY SAFEGUARDING TRAINING FOR ALL VOLUNTEERS



As a Church we have a responsibility to ensure that all those who undertake work in the name of the Church are adequately trained in safeguarding matters. Nationally, there are new expectations that all volunteers complete safeguarding training every 3 years. As a diocese and parish, it is our role to adhere to this requirement. From 1st August all new volunteers will be expected to have completed the new safeguarding training PRIOR to their commencement in role. All existing volunteers will be expected to have completed the training before the point of their next DBS renewal. This is a mandatory requirement and non-negotiable, however, there are many benefits of increased understanding and confidence around safeguarding. Appropriate support and encouragement will be available through the parish and the diocesan safeguarding team to ensure we are meeting national expectations.

REGISTRATION AT ST EDWARD'S PARISH



Please complete the registration form by clicking on this QR code above, or by typing the link into your browser www.caspar.church/me?ID=56026

TUESDAY, 15 AUGUST - HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION

THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY



Three Masses at St Edward's will be held on:

Wednesday, 14th August, Vigil Mass

at 7 pm

+++++

Thursday, 15th August at
10 am and 7 pm

+++++

We will pray the Rosary and the Litany of Loreto before each Mass.

A NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS



To commemorate the very first Eucharistic Procession since the Reformation (following the Restoration of the Catholic Hierarchy in England and Wales in September 1850) a National Eucharistic Congress is to be held at St Mary's College, Oscott on Saturday, 14th September. The Eucharistic Congress is also part of our national preparations for the 2025 Holy Year. The celebrations at Oscott will include Mass, Eucharistic Procession with Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament, a keynote address, plus a range of activities including a presentation about Blessed Carlo Acutis (who will soon be declared a saint), Holy Rosary Walk, etc. There are a very limited number of tickets available and these will be allocated on a "first come, first served" basis; therefore, if you would be interested in attending this National Eucharistic Congress please contact Fr Christopher Perry at Our Lady of Walsingham Church ASAP: parish.ourladyofwalsingham@northamptondiocese.org / (01536) 203121

ST EDWARD'S PARISH FACEBOOK GROUP



St. Edward - Kettering

https://www.facebook.com/groups/2762598427183322/

St. Nicholas Owen - Burton Latimer

https://www.facebook.com/groups/809856073037388/

PILGRIMAGE TO WALSINGHAM IN REPARATION AND PRAYER FOR THE SANCTITY OF LIFE



Led by Rt Rev. Dr David Oakley, Bishop of Northampton
Commencing at the 12 Noon Pilgrim Mass in the Chapel of Reconciliation
Saturday 3rd August 2024

Coach departs from Cornmarket Hall car park 40 London Road, Kettering NN15 7QA Places £20, £12 for children and unwaged. Bring a packed lunch and drinks

To book contact Wanda Tel. 07886 960062

Email <u>wandaleckie1952@gmail.com</u>
For more information go to <u>www.prolifepilgrimage.org</u>

PARISH CALL AND CARE



The Parish is continuing with its "Parish Call and Care scheme" to support isolated and elderly parishioners. If you are someone who would like to receive calls, from a fellow parishioner, or know of someone who you feel would appreciate such a call, please contact Fr Gregory in the first instance on 01536 512497 or email parish.stedwardkettering@northamptondiocese.org with your name and phone number (and if you are recommending anybody else to receive such calls, their name and phone number (and if you are recommending anybody else to receive such calls, their name and phone number).

REGISTRATIONS FOR FIRST HOLY COMMUNION AND CONFIRMATION FOR CHILDREN FROM NON-CATHOLIC SCHOOLS



>>> <u>Registration</u> for *First Holy Communion* takes place **after Christmas**. For more information, please keep an eye on the parish newsletter at the beginning of December. *Children must be in year 3 or older.*

>>> <u>Registration</u> for **Confirmation** takes place **before Easter**. For more information, please keep an eye on the parish newsletter at the beginning of March.

If you have any questions regarding preparation for these two sacraments, please call the parish office on a Monday between 10 am and 12.30 pm and speak to Mrs Everington.

SAFE SPACES



Safe Spaces We welcome contact from anyone hurt by abuse, whether that be through your experience within the Church or elsewhere. **Safe Spaces** is a free and independent support service, providing a confidential, personal and safe space for anyone who has been abused through their relationship with either the Church of England or the Catholic Church in England and Wales.

safeguarding@northamptondiocese.org

Please have a look at this page from the Northampton Diocese website:

Northampton Diocese Resources which gives further information and contact details.

Safe Spaces is an independent and confidential support service for adults who have been abused by someone in the Church. Please see parish noticeboards for further details.

DIOCESAN NEWS



Parish Secretary Vacancy

We have a vacancy for a Parish Secretary to provide an efficient and effective secretarial, administrative and financial administrative support to the parish of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart in Wellingborough. The role will be for 14 hours per week (working pattern to be agreed) Full information for the position and an application form can be found by visiting

https://northamptondiocese.org/jobs

All candidates should complete a Diocesan application form and email it to: hr.admin@northamptondiocese.org

Application accepted until further notice.

Interview dates to be confirmed.

Youth Worker Vacancy

The Diocese is currently recruiting for a Youth Worker to join the Youth Ministry Office. The role will be for 35 hours per week and will include evening and weekend work. Full information for the positions, including how to apply, can be found by visiting https://northamptondiocese.org/jobs/ The closing date for applications will be 10th August. Interview dates to be confirmed. The start date for the position will be Tuesday 10th September 2024.

All candidates should complete an application form and email it to: hr.admin@northamptondiocese.org

Taizé Pilgrimage

Open to all those aged 15-35 years of age, Fr Alessandro Reno will lead this pilgrimage to Taizé in France. Departing on Saturday 17th August and returning on Monday 26th August. Please visit https://st-augustines-church.org.uk/taize-2024/

A Diocesan Music Day for Parish Musicians

Saturday 21st September 2024 11am to 3.30pm with Christopher Walker Holy Ghost Catholic Church, Westbourne Road, Luton, LU4 8JD. When the Church Sings, She Comes Alive! A day of song and prayer with Chris Walker. "Come for practical ways to enliven our parish music and help our musicians prepare for the Year of Prayer and Jubilee." *Christopher Walker is an inspirational Composer and Conductor of Church Music*. Adults £10, children free but must be accompanied by a parent. Booking details to follow...

For Group bookings please email music@northamptondiocese.org

Youth 2000 Summer Festival 2024

Our annual Youth 2000 Summer Festival will take place from Friday 23rd August - Monday 26th August 2024 in the beautiful surroundings of Ampleforth Abbey, North Yorkshire.

This festival is an opportunity for young people (aged 16-35) from across the UK to grow in their relationship with God, form friendships and be inspired to live out their faith! The programme will include input from incredible speakers, a wonderful variety of workshops, and loads of opportunities to be with Jesus and encounter His love. Tickets (which include food and accommodation) can be purchased from www.youth2000.org/events.

Tickets are also available for priests, religious, families and groups. If you have any questions, please email events@youth2000.org.

Diocesan Mass for Marriage

The annual Mass for Marriage and Family Life will be celebrated by Bishop David on 7 September 2024 at Northampton Cathedral. Gathering will be from 11:30am followed by Mass at 12noon.

Bishop David will give his pastoral blessing to those couples celebrating significant milestones in their marriage i.e. 1, 10, 20, 25, 30, 40, 50, 60 years etc.

If this is a special anniversary year for you please contact Sam Canning (MFL Co-ordinator) via email mfl@northamptondiocese.org. by 25 August 2024.

Everyone is very welcome to attend and there will be refreshments after Mass in the Cathedral Centre.

WEEKLY/MONTHLY DONATIONS



If there are any Parishioners who would like to join the weekly box system / gift aid scheme, then please do let us know by completing a form, available from the porch table and putting it on the collection plate or through the Presbytery letterbox.

To those who already donate through the Gift Aid Scheme, please be reminded that if your tax situation has changed or you have moved house, then please let us know.

There are several other ways of donating as follows;

Online This can be done via the Diocesan website which can be found at https://northamptondiocese.org/. Scroll down to find the 'Donate' button and follow the instructions on the Catholic Diocese of Northampton Virgin money

giving page. By indicating in the notes section of the donate page that the donation is for "**St. Edward's Kettering**" your donation will go into our parish account with the diocese, and will at the same time help our diocese as a whole. Please note that there is the facility to Gift Aid any donation to your parish if you are a taxpayer.

- Standing Order via your own bank. Alternatively, you can set up a standing order for donations to your parish using your online bank account. The information required to make the donation is as follows. Bank; NatWest Sort Code; 60-06-11 Account Name; 46898093 Account Name; Northampton Roman Catholic Diocesan Trust Payment Ref; St. Edward's, Kettering
- Make a donation to your own parish over the phone Each 'Tuesday' between 10.00am and 4.00pm, a member of the finance team will be available at Bishop's House to take your calls to donate to your parish community over the telephone. To donate simply call 01604 712065 with your debit or credit card details. (If you get the answering machine just leave your name and number NOT bank details and you will be called back). You can make a one-off donation or regular weekly or monthly payments, on any Tuesday until further notice.
- You can also support the Parish by **making a donation through the letterbox** of the presbytery at any time.

DONATIONS BY CARD

You will find the **DONA STATION** next to the statue of the Sacred Heart.

Thank you for any help you can give.

YOUR LEGACY

Your Legacy - Invest in the future of your parish and our Diocese. Gifts in your Will are a memorable and lasting way you can continue to support the Church's ministry and mission and help meet the needs of future generations. Please consider gifts to the Church and Catholic charities next time you update your Will. For more information, pick up a bookmark; contact your parish office, alternatively, go to www.northamptondiocese.org/your-legacy or contact Brian Emmanuel on 01604 600337 or brian.emmanuel@northamptondiocese.org





Welcome!

Perhaps you are new to the parish, or have been coming to Mass each week for years, but not sure how to go about getting involved?

Our parish has many groups. All of them would welcome new members.

We have different gifts, according to the grace given to each of us......

If it is to encourage, then give encouragement; if it is giving, then give generously; if it is to lead, do it diligently; if it is to show mercy, do it cheerfully. 13. Romans 12:6a, 8

Do you have a skill, talent or interest that with the right support and encouragement, you would feel able and willing to share with others in time.

We would love to hear your ideas

Your voice matters

We are blessed with such a rich, diverse and vibrant catholic community in Kettering, that we want to ensure everyone feels they belong to St. Edwards, and a valued parishioner.

If you are interested in getting involved in anything in the parish, please speak to Fr Gregory after mass, or contact him via email or telephone. He will do his best to point you in the right direction. **Telephone:** 01536 512497

Email: parish.stedwardkettering@northamptondiocese.org

Be part of our rich, diverse and vibrant catholic community



Pilgrimage to Walsingham in Reparation & Prayer for the Sanctity of Life

led by

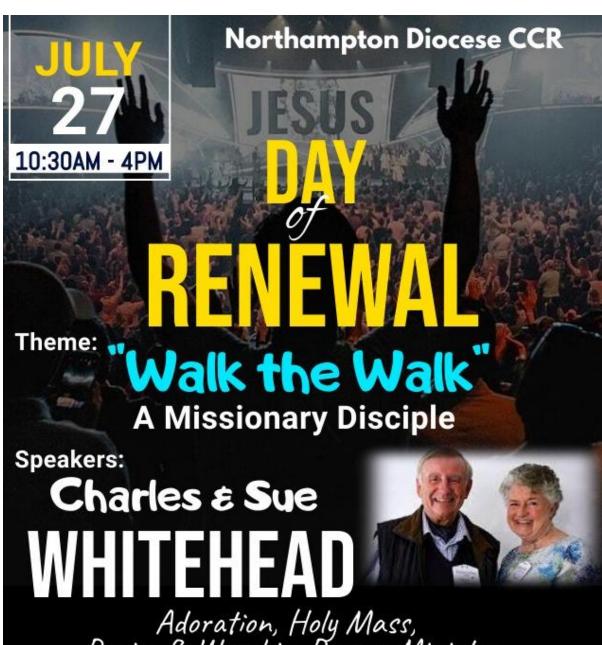
Rt Rev. Dr David Oakley Bishop of Northampton commencing at the 12 Noon Pilgrim Mass in the Chapel of Reconciliation

Saturday 3rd August 2024

<u>Pick-up Points in the Diocese of Northampton</u> Aylesbury, Bedford, Dunstable, Luton, Milton Keynes, Northampton and Kettering

For booking details go to www.prolifepilgrimage.org or call 01858 571242 / 07779 122365

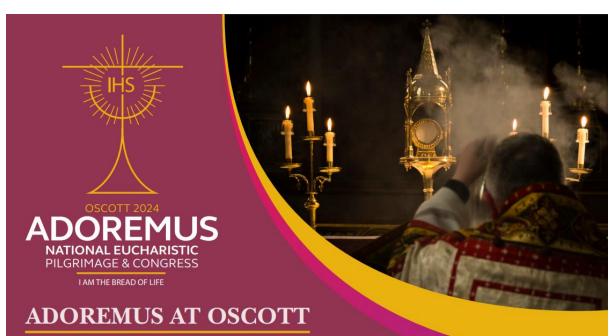
follow online at walsingham.org.uk/live-stream/



Adoration, Holy Mass, Praise & Worship, Prayer Ministry

No pre-registration required. Bring a packed lunch. Tea/Coffee/Biscuits will be served. Good News Bookshop will be available. Also art & icons display by the renowned Christian artist Yvonne Bell ALL ARE WELCOME!!

Our Lady of Lourdes Church, St Paul's School, Leadenhall, Milton Keynes, MK6 5NA For more information contact: cdscnorthampton@gmail.com Text: 07725200866



The 2024 National Eucharistic Congress Saturday 14th September 2024

The Catholic Church in England and Wales, Bishops, Priests and People from all Dioceses, will gather at St Mary's College, Oscott for a day of renewing and deepening devotion to the Eucharist.

St Mary's College, Oscott was the venue for the first Eucharistic Procession since the Reformation, and in 2024 the Procession will help lead the Church in preparing for the Jubilee Year.

From	
10 00 200	Site Activities For Those Who Arrive Early
10.00 am	Site Activities For Those Who Arrive Early

11.00 am **Welcome And Keynote Address**

Angelus And Mass Principal Celebrant Cardinal Vincent Nichols 12 noon

will be available throughout the afternoon in the College Chapel

1.15 pm Lunch

2.00 pm **Keynote Address**

3.00 pm Site Activities And Afternoon Break

Eucharistic Procession And Benediction 4.30 pm

6.00 pm **Departures**

Site activities include: Carlo Acutis presentation, Rosary walk in the grounds, Pilgrimage walk Scripture encounter, Museum visits, International Eucharistic Congress links, Lectio Divina Workshop









Diocese of Northampton * Liturgy Commission * Music Section

A Diocesan Music Day for Parish Musicians SATURDAY 21 SEPTEMBER 2024

11am to 3.30pm with Christopher Walker HOLY GHOST CHURCH, WESTBOURNE RD, LUTON LU4 8JD

When the Church Sings, She Comes Alive! A day of song and prayer with Chris Walker

"Come for practical ways to enliven our parish music and help our musicians prepare for the Year of Prayer and Jubilee."



Christopher Walker is an inspirational Composer and Conductor of Church Music

The Liturgy Commission Music Section aims to promote liturgical music within the parishes of the diocese, to offer formation to support this and to liaise with other sections of the Liturgy Commission.