

Parish of Christ the King



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LITURGICAL CALENDAR & MASS INTENTIONS
19th to 27th May 2018

- Sat 19th 5pm Confessions
6pm Vigil Mass: Maureen & Hector
Bunting-Gray (RIP)
- Sun 20th PENTECOST
8.15am Confessions (also after Latin Mass)
8.30am Latin Mass - Extraordinary Form
(Whit Sunday): Pro Populo
Celebrant Fr James Mawdsley FSSP
10am Sung Mass: Sebastian Grech (RIP)
12 noon Zimbabwe Mass Celebrant Fr Beal
3pm Mass Procession & Benediction
- Mon 21st Mary, Mother of the Church - Memorial
6.35pm Holy Rosary
7pm Mass: Mary Quin (RIP)
- Tue 22nd St Rita of Cascia, Religious - Memorial
10am Mass: Altar Servers (Int.)
10am Mass: Lino Perla (RIP)
- Wed 23rd 10am Mass: Unity of Christians (Int.)
- Thu 24th 10am Mass: Unity of Christians (Int.)
- Fri 25th St Bede the Venerable, Priest &
Doctor - Memorial
12 noon Mass: Luke Hutton (RIP)
12.30pm Mothers Prayers
- Sat 26th St Philip Neri, Priest - Memorial
5pm Confessions
6pm Vigil Mass: Tim Condon (RIP)
- Sun 27th MOST HOLY TRINITY
8.15am Confessions (also after Latin Mass)
8.30am Latin Mass - Extraordinary Form:
Pro Populo - Celebrant Fr Matthew Goddard FSSP
10am Sung Mass: Sue & Nigel
(45th Wedding Anniv. Int.)



This weekend 19/20 May we
celebrate the gift to all Christian
people of the Holy Spirit.
He knows no bounds, and He
transcends all the divisions of
mankind. At Pentecost (Whitsunday) we
express this belief by wearing national
costume, by praying in different languages,
and by sharing international food.

TODAY'S SUNG MASS
Responsorial Psalm, Gospel Acclamation
on back of this newsletter

GLORIA – Page 5
Glory to God in the highest, glory to
God in the highest, and on earth peace,
peace to people of good will.

SANCTUS – 467 or 966

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION
966 (E)

AGNUS DEI – 467 or 966


1st HOLY COMMUNION PARENTS' MEETING
In the Patrick Donegan room at 11.15 to see
the last in the DVD series. First Holy
Communion children to meet at the front of
the church.

MEET YOUR PRAYER PARTNER!
If you have been praying for a Holy
Communion child this year, please come to
the front after Mass today (Sunday) and if
possible, you will be introduced. This will be
repeated next Sunday, 27 May for those who
did not meet their child today.

MAY PROCESSION
This afternoon (Sunday) at 3 pm. Rosary,
Procession, Exposition and Benediction,
followed by refreshments in the hall.
All welcome to honour Our Lady
in her special month.

LETTER FROM BISHOP PETER
"Thank you for the welcome and hospitality I
received during the visitation of Christ the
King Parish. It was a joy to celebrate the
Masses, including the Mass in the
Extraordinary Form, and to meet so many
members of the parish. My thanks and
blessings to everyone. The gathering of so
many people actively involved in the life of
the parish was especially impressive,
particularly as they were clearly very happy in
the service of the Church. It was also good to
see all the improvements in the church, in the
facilities, and in the grounds. Thank you for a
most enjoyable and uplifting time with you.
With every blessing,
+ Peter, Bishop of Northampton.
(Full text available from Fr Patrick)

ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY
Our next meeting will be on Tuesday
22nd May at 8pm in the parish room.
All Welcome

LEGION OF MARY
The Legion of Mary works for the
building up of the Church throughout
the world. Our local praesidium meets
at 7:30pm each Tuesday in the Patrick
Donegan building.

ALTAR FLOWERS SPONSORSHIP
19/20 May: Maureen Gertrude & Hector
Joseph Bunting-Gray (RIP)

CONDOLENCES
To the recently bereaved families and friends
Karl Thomas (RIP),
Patrick Dempsey (RIP),
Patrick Dorney (RIP)

CAR PARKING ON SUNDAYS
Many of you will have noticed that we have a
car parking issue on a Sunday morning
between the 2 masses. It is proposed that the
10am will move to 10.30am from 1st January
2019. If anyone has any questions about this
please talk to Father Patrick

CALLING ALL PRO-LIFE SUPPORTERS
Please join us at the 2018 Mass for the work
of the Pro-Life organisations and the right to
hold silent vigils, Saturday 26th May, 2 pm at
the Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe
(Protectress of the Unborn). The Church of
the Holy Child and St Joseph, Brereton Road,
Bedford MK40 1HU. The Principal Celebrant
will be Fr Jeremy Davies and Mass will be
followed by refreshments.

CHURCH CLEANING
The next church cleaning day is
next Saturday 26th May at 10am.
More cleaners are required to help keep our
church clean and tidy. Please just turn up

RETIRING COLLECTIONS
16/17 June - Day for Life
30 June/1 July: Peter's Pence
7/8 July: Apostleship of the Sea

BARN DANCE
Friday 6 July at 7.30 pm.
Tickets on sale at £5 adults, £3 children.
Bring your own food, bar available. Prize for
the best barn dance outfit. Proceeds
between the parish and the FSSP

ALTAR LINEN ROTA
20th Marion Mangan / 27th Teresa Williams

PRAYERS FOR OUR SICK
Please pray for the following who are ill:
Claude Akpokavie, Stephen Billington,
Marie Crofts, Rose Donaghy, Theresa Dunne,
Freya Ellis, Lil Fay, Zaphiline Houeto, Yvonne
Irvine, Philip Iwanji, Emily Lomas, Robert
Lopez, Patricia McManus, Canon Desmond
Millett, Pauline Pulley, Christine Robinson
Shindy, Mary Stretton, Jane Thomas,
George Tomkinson, Lisa Underwood,
Maura Walsh, Philip Ward,
Adam Woolmore.



STABLES CHRISTIAN CENTRE – Job Vacancies
As a Christian project, which has been
running for over 30 years, and with a heart
for the gospel at its core, we are looking to
recruit Christians with a passion for the
marginalised. See poster at back of church for
details. admin@stableschristiancentre.co.uk

THE SISTINE CHAPEL
Holy Father's personal choir, performs a
sacred choral music concert from repertoire
they sing in Vatican on Sat 26th May 2018 at
8 pm. Concert will last hour & is free of
charge (no tickets required). Come &
experience this world-famous singing in
beautiful setting of Westminster Cathedral.
All are welcome.

MISSIO RED BOXES
The Missio Red Boxes have been counted and
banked with a total of £400 many thanks to
those contribute to the missions via the Red
Boxes. The next Red box collection will be in
October. There are some named empty boxes
at the back of the church.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY
Collections £813.04 Latin £301.97
Retiring Collection: Mass Media £86.48

DIOCESAN ALTAR SERVERS MASS
Northampton Cathedral, Saturday 16th June
at 12 noon. Principal Celebrant: Bishop
Peter. All our Servers, families, friends and
parishioners invited. Buffet lunch after.

**National Grandparents Pilgrimage to
Walsingham - Sunday 22nd July. Mass at
12noon. Walsingham Story at 2:30pm
Benediction 4pm Bring Picnic Lunch.**

VINTAGE TEA AFTERNOON
2pm to 4pm Friday 25th May in the
Parish Hall. Join us for a lovely relaxing
afternoon with friends. Dance if you wish
Bone china service. Raffle. Entry only £3.
Old English Tea Shop atmosphere.