

# Roman Catholic Church of Saint Teresa of the Child Jesus

## NEWSLETTER 3<sup>rd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY 2018

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## THE FIFTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

### MASS DURING THE COMING WEEK

Sat. 3 <sup>rd</sup> Feb.	6.30pm	Michael & Espedy Redding, RIP	
Sun. 4 <sup>th</sup> Feb.	08.00am	The People of the Parish	
	10.00am	Rex Kidd, RIP	
Mon. 5 <sup>th</sup> Feb.	10.00am	Henry Engleheart, RIP	St. Agatha, virgin & martyr
Tues. 6 <sup>th</sup> Feb.	10.00am	Ana Power, RIP	SS Paul Miki & Companions, Japanese martyrs
Wed. 7 <sup>th</sup> Feb	10.00am	Anne Nicell, RIP	Feria
Thurs. 8 <sup>th</sup> Feb.	10.00am	Rex Kidd, RIP	Feria
Fri. 9 <sup>th</sup> Feb.	5.30pm	Ellen (Nillie) Heneghan, RIP	Feria

**HOLY DAY MASSES** usually at 10.00 am & 7.30 pm: **Baptisms and Marriages** by Arrangement;

**Confessions** on Saturday evening at 6pm;

**Saturday Morning Mass** 10.15am on 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday of the month:

**Coffee & Company** on Tuesdays 10.30am

### ANNIVERSARIES: Please pray for:

Elizabeth Gibb, Stella Watley, William Bracken, Mary Wallis, Jonathan Shoesmith,  
Sister Mary Redmond, Jennifer Carr, Rose Gray, Kathleen Farrell,  
Nigel Lord, Lily Shaw and Ray Conyers

### Rotas for next weekend : 10<sup>th</sup>/11<sup>th</sup> February

Mass	Welcomers	Eucharistic Ministers	Readers
6.30 pm	Anne Harding & Pat Roberts	Jane Bunce & Celia Sparkes	Jeanette Hyde & Regina Hall
08.00 am	Margaret Solman & Liz Clark	Betty Cresswell & Olivia Sklenar	Jean O'Brien & Jane Blane
10.00 am	Jeneza Larkin & Margaret Cripps	Mike Giblin & Jenny Tench	Patrick McAleavey & Celia Sparkes

**Offertory:** Maggie Wren **Coffee :** Celia Sparkes & Lavinia Hill

**Children's Liturgy :** Maru Mormina

**Church Cleaning :** Fiona & Robert Moran **Flowers:** Sue & Celia

**Last Weekend's Offertory: £949.55**

**Second Collection this week:** None

**Next Week:** None

Thank you for all you do to help and support Our Parish  
Father Joseph, MSFS

We offer our prayers and sympathy to the family and friends of Martin Champion who died on 31<sup>st</sup> January. Funeral details to be advised.

Thank you to all those who have signed up for the Development Fund. If you are not already a member, it is not too late to join in time for the February draw. The cost is £25 per year and the draw takes place monthly with a 1<sup>st</sup> prize of £30 and a 2<sup>nd</sup> of £20. In addition, there are two "bumper prizes" of £100 and £30 awarded in July and December

Bishop Peter Doyle warmly welcomes you to The Diocesan Mass for Married Life at the Holy Family Catholic Church, 226 Trelawney Avenue, Langley, Slough SL3 7UD on **Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> March**. Gathering from 11.30am followed by Mass at 12 noon. Bishop Peter will give his pastoral blessing to those couples celebrating significant milestones in their marriage (e.g. 1, 10, 20, 25, 30, 40, 50 years, etc.) If you are celebrating such a milestone, please contact Eamonn & Paola McMorrow on 07412151517 or at [mfl@northamptondiocese.com](mailto:mfl@northamptondiocese.com) All are welcome to attend. Refreshments available after Mass.

After our Church Opening celebration last year, several serving dishes and plates were left behind. These will be on display in the clubroom after each Mass this weekend, please check to see if one of them could be yours.

### Dates for the Diary:

- Tues. 20<sup>th</sup> February** – DVD night details to follow
- Fri. 23<sup>rd</sup> February** – CAFOD Family Fast Day. Soup & Roll Lunch at 12.30.
- Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> March** – Church open for prayer and visit. Everyone welcome.
- Sun. 15<sup>th</sup> April** – CAFOD Sponsored Walk & Afternoon Tea.



In preparation for Ash Wednesday on 14<sup>th</sup> February, please bring in your old palms for this year's ashes and leave them in the basket in the narthex.

Ash Wednesday is a day of fasting and abstinence. **Holy Mass will be celebrated at 10am and 7.30 pm**

Members of the CAFOD Group are planning to hold a **Soup Lunch** on one day each week during Lent. Details to follow.

Many thanks to those who signed up to watch in the Church on Thursday. This proved successful and we will continue to open the church for prayer and visit on the **First Thursday of each month**. (Sign up sheets are in the narthex.) Hopefully it may be possible to open on more than one day in future.

**Churches Together in Risborough Lenten Talks** on the theme "A story to tell – my journey of faith" – a series of evening talks open to all on 1<sup>st</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup> March 7.30pm-9.00pm at Costa Coffee in the High Street. See notice in the Narthex for more details.

There are a few copies of the **2018 Diocese Directories** available in the narthex at £5 each. Please leave payment in the box provided.

Perfection does not consist in having no friendship at all  
but in having only that which is good, holy and sacred.

St. Francis de Sales