

The Parish of St Joseph Monks Kirby

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19th August 2018- 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:15am Parish Mass –People of the Parish

<p>Masses and Liturgy this week Monday- 7pm Mass- Mater Ecclesiae- Tuesday- 10am Mass- St Joseph's Wednesday- 5pm Mater Ecclesiae Thursday- 9:15am Mass- Mater Ecclesiae Friday- 6:30pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. 7pm Mass- St Joseph's</p>	<p>Mass intentions this week- Intentions as announced for this week</p> <p>If you would like to have a Mass offered please see Fr Matthew</p>
<p>Blessed Sacrament Lamp- The lamp this week burns for Geoff Wolfe RIP</p> <p>The cost of dedicating the lamp is £3 each week which pays for the candle. Please see Fr Matthew if you wish to book this or have a Mass said.</p> <p>UCM- Details of the UCM away weekend are available from Maryanne Parnell. This takes place on September 22nd for an overnight stay at Launde Abbey. Anyone who would like to join in is very welcome. I'll have the details next week but it will cost around £80 for dinner bed and breakfast, and a guided tour of Peterborough cathedral. Please pray for all those who are going that they may be blessed in their time together.</p> <p>Bishops Visitation- If anyone would like to join the parish subcommittee for the planning and preparation for the Bishop's Visitation please let Fr Matthew Liz Crosskey know as soon as possible. We had a very productive meeting on Wednesday to begin planning this..</p> <p>Prayer and Christian Meditation- A new group will begin in September which will meet in Church/Hall. Maria Lee has more information. Details to follow</p> <p>Other Sunday Mass provision Please remember that if you are ever unable to come to Mass on Sunday at St Joseph's there are other Masses in the deanery where you can fulfil your obligation. These are, Saturday Evening: St Francis (Bedworth)- 4pm Sacred Heart- 5pm Lutterworth 5:30pm St Maries- 6pm English Martyrs 6:30pm Sunday Evening St Maries- 6pm Narborough 7pm</p>	<p>Parish Census- At the parish meeting we decided to renew our list of parishioners. The present list is very outdated. Please complete a form and give to Phil Bianco at the back of Church. This is still important even if you have completed a form before. THERE ARE MORE SHEETS AVAILABLE TODAY</p> <p>Justice and Peace- Maria Lee has agreed to be our parish representative. She will work to get a group together over the next few months.</p> <p><u>DIOCESAN SAFEGUARDING REVIEW</u> Archbishop Bernard has commissioned a review of our current safeguarding/child protection practices in light of the National Catholic Policies and Procedures. This review is to be welcomed as a means of ensuring that our systems to protect our children and young people are as effective as possible. This review is being conducted by an independent charity called SCIE (Social Care Institute for Excellence). As part of the review SCIE would like to speak with any individuals who have had experience with any safeguarding issues within the Archdiocese, and have experience of working with our parish safeguarding representatives and the safeguarding team at the Archdiocese. Anyone impacted by abuse issues can contact the safeguarding team on 90121 230 6240 (emergency out of hours 07976 516629). If you are able to contribute to this important review and share your experience with SCIE then please contact Hugh Constant using Hugh.Constant@scie.org.uk or 0207766 7374 or 07872 602207.</p> <p>A Prayer for the Holidays... Lord, slow me down: allow me to notice you in your creation and in the people that I meet. Help me to remember that rest is part of your plan for all people and that nothing lasting is created without wisdom, patience and time. Keep me from hurrying past what matters and do not let me be so busy that I use your gift of time without remembering you who gave it to me. Through Christ our Lord. Amen</p>

