

**The Parish of St Joseph Monks Kirby**

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**10<sup>th</sup> February 2019- 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**9:15am Parish Mass – People of the Parish**

<p><b>Masses and Liturgy this week</b></p> <p>Monday- Mass 6:30pm- Our Lady of Lourdes</p> <p>Tuesday- 10am Mass 5pm Reception of Bart Doyle (RIP)</p> <p>Wednesday- 10:30am Funeral Mass of Bart Doyle No Evening Mass today</p> <p>Thursday- No Mass</p> <p>Friday- 6:30pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 7pm Mass</p> <p>Confession is available during Exposition on Friday and after Mass on Wednesday</p>	<p><b>Mass intentions this week-</b></p> <p>Monday- Ollie Bath Tuesday- Gerry Friel Ints Wednesday- Bart Doyle (RIP) Thursday- No Mass Friday- PI</p> <p>Offering a Mass is a really powerful form of prayer as we offer the sacrifice of the Mass for a particular intention. Masses can be booked by seeing Fr Matthew or writing in the parish diary and giving the offering to Liz Hewitt</p> <p>Refreshments after Mass- Please join us after Mass for coffee in the parish room</p>
<p><b><u>Blessed Sacrament Lamp- Margaret Connelly RIP</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Parish Visitation-</u></b> 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> March 2018. This is really important for us as a parish. Please make every effort to support this weekend and the various activities planned. We will hear about this after Mass today</p> <p><b><u>Other Sunday Mass provision</u></b></p> <p>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><b><u>Prayer Group-</u></b> The group next meets on the first Wednesday of March</p> <p><b><u>UCM AGM-</u></b>Friday Feb 15th after 7pm Mass Current members please try to prioritise this meeting. The UCM is open to all women with any connection to the church. New members or prospective members are very welcome. Do come along and see what we do and help us plan the year ahead. Bring your diaries!</p>	<p><b><u>Justice and Peace Group Prayer</u></b></p> <p>The group ask us to say this prayer: Loving Father, We seek your divine protection for all who are exploited and enslaved. For those forced into labour, trafficked into sexual slavery, and denied freedom. We beseech you to release them from their chains. Grant them protection, safety, and empowerment. Restore their dignity and provide them a new beginning. Show us how we might end exploitation by addressing its causes. Help us reach out in support of victims and survivors of human trafficking. Make us instruments of your spirit for their liberation. Amen.</p> <p><b><u>Come Away Lent Retreat- 2<sup>nd</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> April 2019.</u></b> The sisters of Mater Ecclesiae are kindly hosting this retreat which will focus on the life of St John and the island of Patmos. It will involve watching a video by David Payne which will be followed by discussion and reflection. The sisters will provide afternoon tea. Please sign up at the back of Church.</p>
