

The Parish of St Joseph Monks Kirby

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Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Sexagesima)

9:15am Parish Mass

Parish website- www.monkskirbystjoseph.org

<p>Masses and Liturgy this week</p> <p>Monday - 6:30pm</p> <p>Tuesday-10am Mass</p> <p>Wednesday-No Mass today</p> <p>Thursday – 6:30am MAss</p> <p>Friday- 6:30pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 7pm – Mass</p> <p>Confession- After Mass on Monday this week or during exposition on Friday. There will also be a penitential service during lent at St Maries in Rugby.</p>	<p>ASH WEDNESDAY (26th Feb)- Mass with imposition of ashes will be celebrated at 7:30pm on this day. The time is later that usual to allow those who work to attend. Mass will be celebrated at 9:15am at English Martyrs for those who prefer a morning celebration</p> <p>LENT SERVICES (all at 7pm) 5th March -St Edith's 12th March – St Joseph's 19th March – All Saints, Harborough Magna</p> <p>26th March- URC Brinklow</p> <p>Stations of the Cross in Lent- During Lent we will have Stations of the Cross each Friday at 6:30pm.</p>
<p>Mary's Dowry-England has been known as the 'Dowry of Mary' for up to 1,000 years, going back to the time of St Edward the Confessor (1042-1066), in whose reign the replica of the Holy House of Nazareth was built. On the Feast of Corpus Christi, 1381, King Richard 11 dedicated England to Mary as 'her dowry.' He went on pilgrimage to Walsingham two years later.</p> <p>And so, for 1,000 years, Walsingham has been the great shrine of prayer and pilgrimage for the people of this country in honour of Our Lady.</p> <p>On 29 March, 2020, England will be rededicated as the 'Dowry of Mary.' This will happen in Westminster Cathedral, in Walsingham, in every Catholic Cathedral, in every parish and in as many homes as possible. We prepare for this by praying the Angelus after each Mass and encouraging parishioners to use this prayer in their lives. As part of this MASS ON 29TH MARCH WILL BE AT 11AM AND THERE WILL BE NO 9:15AM MASS ON THAT DAY. This will be celebrated as a special Mass of Our Lady</p>	<p>Midweek Masses- Please continue to support the weekly rythym and round of worship in the parish. It is important that we are first and foremost a community of prayer and faith and so having regular worship is central to this. Can you give 20 minutes extra to support this?</p> <p>Mass Intentions- Thank you for those who have booked Mass intentions. Please insure that only one intention is booked per day and write the word Mass after it in the book. A Mass offering should then be passed to Fr Matthew or Liz. In the diocese it is suggested that a Mass offering is between £10-20 (which is part of the priests income) but it is an offering and so if you cant afford that you can make any offering.</p> <p>Attending Mass when you cant get to St Josephs- All Masses in other parishes and notice sheets are now on the Rugby Catholic Deanery website-rugby-catholicdeanery.org.uk If you cant attend the Sunday Mass in your own parish you can fulfil your obligation by attending a vigil Mass or Sunday evening Mass elsewhere</p>
