

The Lantern

Twenty Third Sunday Year C

5th September 2010

Our Lady of the Sacred Heart

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Father, pour out your Holy Spirit on our Parish and Schools. Grant us a new vision of your glory, a new experience of your power, a new faithfulness to your Word, and a new dedication to your service. May your love grow among us and your Kingdom come. Through Christ Our Lord.

Our Lady of the Sacred Heart, pray for us. St Edmund Campion, pray for us. St Hubert, pray for us.

TWENTY THIRD SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME YEAR C

Response to the Psalm: O Lord, you have been our refuge from one generation to the next

Gospel Acclamation: I call you friends, says the Lord, because I have made known to you everything I have learnt from my father.

23rd Sunday	Vigil Mass	6.00pm	Our Lady's	Tadeusz Radon RIP
	Sunday 5	9.00am	Our Lady's	Dr Leo Liyanage RIP
		10.30am	St Edmunds	Ronald Carroll RIP
		12.30pm	Our Lady's	Polish Mass
		5.30pm	St Edmunds	Private Intention
	Monday 6	7.30am	Our Lady's	Sr Mary Dolores RIP
	Tuesday 7	12.30pm	St Edmunds	Parish Life in the Spirit Seminars
	Wednesday 8	12.30pm	Our Lady's	Charles Smith Aitken RIP
	Thursday 9	9.15am	St Edmunds	Eucharistic Service
	Friday 10	10.00am	Junior School	Richard Worthy RIP
	Saturday 11	10.30am	Our Lady's	Ruthine Robin & Margaret St Ville RIP

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1.30am Our Lady's **Marriage** Andrew Whiston and Carmellia

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24th Sunday Vigil Mass 6.00pm Our Lady's Intentions of Gallucci Family

FROM FATHER EDMUNDS DESK Ask yourself: "Have I fully grasped the practical implications of living a Christian way of life? Do I understand that becoming a follower of Christ means sacrificing my other attachments? Ask yourself: "Can I afford to follow Him?" Or rather: "Can I afford NOT to follow Him?" There really is no alternative, because it is only Jesus who is the Way which leads us to God.

FINANCE NEWS Thank you for your offering of £1061 last week. Next Sunday is Racial Justice Sunday and is a Second Collection to support the work of the Catholic Association for Racial Justice.

REGULAR ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK

Monday Group meets for tea and a natter on **Monday from 2pm to 4pm** in the Lourdes Room.

Jesus Prayer Group meets on **Monday from 7.30pm to 9pm** in the Presbytery.

Holy Face Rosary is prayed on **Tuesday at 12.15pm** at St Edmunds before Mass.

St Edmunds Prayer Group meets on **Tuesday from 2pm to 4pm** in the Lourdes Room.

Contemplative Prayer Group meets on **Tuesday from 7.30pm to 8.30pm** in the Presbytery.

Legion of Mary meets on **Wednesday at 7.30pm** in the Presbytery.

Rosary and Confessions on **Saturday at 11am** at Our Lady's after the morning Mass. (1st Sat at St Eds).

LEGION OF MARY We congratulate IRENE SWALES and KARA WOOLVEN who have made their commitments as our first Legionaries. The Legion meets on **Wednesdays at 7.30** in the Presbytery.

MEETING FOR ALL PAPAL PILGRIMS at St Edmunds on **Thursday 9th at 7pm** when Deacon Peter will give you your travel instructions for the 19th. The cost of the coach and Pilgrim Pack of

£25 per person can be paid at this meeting plus car parking fee of £5 per car. We will also sort out cars for the early morning journey to Northampton. There will also be a Sending Off Mass for all pilgrims at St Edmunds on Friday 17th at 7pm which you will also need to attend to receive your Passes for Cofton Park. Please let us know URGENTLY if you cannot attend these meetings

- **Prepare by listening to** a talk on “The Dream of Gerontius”, the magnificent oratorio composed by Elgar from a poem by Newman at St Gregory’s Church Northampton on Wednesday 8th at 7.30pm

- **Prepare by coming** to a lecture given by Father Vivian Boland OP from Blackfriars in Oxford. at St Gregory’s Church Northampton on Wednesday 15th at 7pm after a short prayer vigil.

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CONFIRMATION GROUP meet at St Edmunds on Thursday 9th at 8pm. Please be there.

VENERATION OF OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL SUCCOUR at Great Billing will take place on Sunday 12th at 3pm. Guest Speaker Sr Esther from Turvey Abbey on icons. Refreshments afterwards.

A MIRACULOUS RELIC OF OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE is presently travelling through England and will be hosted by St Joseph’s Church Bedford for nine days. There will be a Diocesan Procession of Faith starting at 2pm on Sunday 12th and a Diocesan Solemn Mass of Our Lady of Guadalupe celebrated by Bishop Peter at 7.30pm on Monday 13th. Contact Mags Reilly on pilgrimqueen.uk@gmail.com.

If you would like to host our parish icon for a few days and say a daily Rosary, contact Donna on 400057

ALPHA begins at the Salvation Army, Salem Lane on Tuesday 14th at 7.30pm and runs for 12 weeks

ROSARY LINK meets four times a year to pray for vocations, priests and the Church. Next meeting on Friday 17th at Our Lady of Charity in Daventry. Begins with Mass at 7pm. Refreshments afterwards.

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LIFE IN THE SPIRIT SEMINARS You are warmly invited to a series of seven nights of Spiritual Renewal to help you deepen your relationship with Jesus. The seminars will take place at Our Lady’s Junior School in Henshaw Road every Friday evening from 7.15pm to 9pm beginning on Friday 24th to Friday 5th November. There will be a different Speaker each evening. Ample parking in the playground and around the school. For further details, please contact Mary Donaldson on 07773 440904 or 01933 674200 or Patrick Mulholland on 07747 441536

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SVP MASS FOR THE SICK on Saturday 25th at 2pm at St Edmunds.

WATCH THE POPE ON EWTN which is available on SKY 589, Radio, NTL, and the Internet. If you want EWTN but not SKY, contact St Clare Media with a one-off payment of £75. For more information and advice, please contact Martin O’Boyle on 01933 223695.

HOSPITAL VISITING Do you like meeting people, listening to their stories, and encouraging them on their spiritual journey? Then this could be a ministry for you. Kettering General Hospital are looking for volunteers who will come in, adopt a ward, and visit the patients on a weekly basis. The Hospital Chaplaincy is organising a Training Course for new volunteers starting on Thursday morning 23rd. For details and Application Form, contact the Lead Chaplain Rev Phillip Staves, Kettering General Hospital, Rothwell Road, Kettering, NN16 8UZ or phone 01536 492609 or email chaplaincy@kgh.nhs.uk

CHURCH CLEANING Currently we have an extremely small group of cleaners at both churches. We clean St Edmunds after the 9.15am Eucharistic Service on Thursdays. Please come along if you can help.

SUMMER PHOTO COMPETITION Entries to be returned please to Berni Hobbs or Father Edmund.