



**OUR LADY IMMACULATE AND ST. ETHELBERT'S PARISH,
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THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER (C)

We welcome all to today's Mass, especially visitors and friends who are celebrating with us.

SUN 4/5/2025 MASS: 9:00am Alice & Timothy Sheehy 40th Wedding Anniversary, Philomena & Christopher Lacey RIP, Rose Ajula RIP, Kathleen Shaw Birthday Int. **MASS: 11am:** Nikolas Pesun RIP, Petar Pesun RIP **MASS: 6:30pm**

MON:9.30am: Morning Prayer **MASS: 10.00am** A. Macdonald RIP

TUES: 10am Adoration MASS: 12.30pm

WED: 10am Adoration MASS: 12.30pm

THURSDAY: 10am Adoration MASS: 12.30pm Eloise Mroin-Maalbu RIP

FRIDAY: 10am Adoration MASS: 12.30pm A. Macdonald RIP

SATURDAY: MASS: 12.30am

SUN 11/5/2025 MASS: 9:00am Jimmy Flanagan RIP, Alexandre Freitas RIP, Sister Inocencia Ferreira RIP
MASS: 11am: **MASS: 6:30pm** Shearl Almeida Thanksgiving

CONFESSIONS: NO CONFESSIONS THIS WEEK

OFFICE HOURS: NONE THIS WEEK

MINISTRIES:

Readers for this Sunday, 4th May

9am Mass: Kathleen S, Sr. Pauline, Canelli F.

11am Mass: Fozia K, Leanne K, Joisha S.

6.30pm Mass:

Readers for Next Sunday, 11th May

9am Mass: Kezia, Aleina, Rocky D.

11am Mass: Abeshey I, M.Cheturai, Vicky J.

6.30pm Mass:

Eucharistic Ministers for this Sunday, 4th May

9am Mass Agness S, Alice S, Sr. Caroline

11am Mass: Sr. Theresa O, Cecilia JP. Rosemary M.

6.30pm Mass:

Next Sunday Eucharistic Ministers, 11th May

9am Mass Alice S, Jim B, Millie A.

11am Mass: John I, Jan M, Jessicah M.

6.30pm Mass:

OFFERTORY PROCESSION

This Sunday: 11am Dorothy & Avita

Next Sunday:

Our Readings

First Reading: Acts 5:27b-32, 40b-41

We are witnesses to these things, and so is the Holy Spirit.

Responsorial Psalm: Ps. 30(29):2, 4. 5-6.11, 12a, 13b R 2a
I will extol you, LORD, for you have raised me up.

Second Reading: Revelation 5:11-14

Worthy is the Lamb who was slain, to receive power and wealth.

Gospel: John 21:1-19

Jesus came and took the bread and gave it to them, and so with the fish.

Thank you for your generous giving, May God bless you.

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Notices: Second Collection: There will be a second collection at all masses on Sunday 4th May for the Diocesan Priests Training Fund.

First Holy Communion Group: The First Holy Communion Group will meet on Saturday, 3rd May at 11am.

Confirmation Group: The confirmation group will next meet on Saturday, 10th May at 3pm. Parents, please ensure that your child attends.

Youth Meeting and Youth Mass: The next youth meeting will take place on Saturday, 3rd May at 12.30pm with a youth mass on Sunday 4th May at 11am. Parents, please encourage your young ones to attend.

Online Book of Condolence: As we unite as the Catholic community across our diocese in prayer for the repose of the soul of the Holy Father, Francis, each of us will have a unique memory of his impact on us personally or our world. If you would like to leave a digital message on our diocesan book of condolence visit <https://northamptondiocese.org/book-of-condolence/>

Little Friends of Jesus (LFJ): The LFJ group will meet this Saturday, 10th May at 11am. Children aged one to 10 years are most welcome.

Letter from Bishop David: We have a letter from Bishop David to our children in primary and secondary school. This will be distributed to our children at all masses on Sunday.

Next Week Changes to Services: Please note **additional** changes to services as follows for the following dates:
Mass will be at 12.30pm on 6th – 10th May and 12th May – 16th May (No Morning Prayers on these dates)
Adoration will take place at 10am – 12.30pm on 6th – 9th May and 13th May – 16th May
Sunday 11th May and 18th May services are at the usual times. No confessions or office hours for two weeks.

Missio: Missio have been in touch to thank us for our support. We raised £1752.64 in 2024 through the Red Boxes, including individuals giving directly. Your support is very much appreciated, please continue to use the red boxes which you can take home with you. More are available should you need them. There are some available on the table at the back of the church. A poster with information is available on the church notice board.

Month of May - May is traditionally dedicated to Mary, the Mother of God, this month is a time for special devotion and prayer to Mary. Our Lady statue is available for a day to take home for personal and family prayer. If you would like to do this, please put your name, address and contact number down against the date (1st – 30th May) you want to take Our Lady's statue home. We have two lists as there are two statues available. We will have a rosary procession on 31st May to crown Our Lady and close the month.

Vacancy: We have a vacancy for a Parish Secretary to provide administrative support to the parish of Holy Redeemer, Slough. The role is for 10 hours per week, working pattern to be agreed with the successful candidate. Full information for the position and an application form can be found by visiting <https://northamptondiocese.org/jobs> All candidates should complete a Diocesan application form and email it to: hr.admin@northamptondiocese.org Closing date: Monday 12th May 2025. Interview date to be confirmed.

Interested in training to be a teacher? St Thomas Catholic Academies Trust are running a series of open mornings where you can find out what is involved in our training programme and progress your application for September 2025. To book your place, go to www.stcat.co.uk/become-a-teacher/open-mornings/

MARRIAGE HELP: Retrouvaille helps couples find hope and healing for their marriage. Next date: 20-22 June www.retrouvaille.org.uk Tel: 0788 7296983

Blessing of Graves- Blessing of the Graves will take place on Sunday 18th May at 3pm at Slough Cemetery. Fr. Kevin will be blessing the graves at Parkside Cemetery on Sunday June 1st at 3pm.

Knock Pilgrimage: Jubilee Tour to Westport, Knock & Co Mayo, 08th June 2025. Guest Speaker: Marion Carroll, who was cured at Knock. £799.00 pps. Price incl. flight, 10kg hold luggage, 4 nights' in 4* Castlecourt Hotel, Westport with Dinner, Bed & Breakfast. All entertainment, excursions and transport included. Visit Knock, Kylemore Abbey, Croagh Patrick, Museum of Country Life. Single supplement on Enquiry. Contact 01268 762 278 or 07740 175557 or email knockpilgrimages@gmail.com.

Jubilee Mission Evenings led by Mission Northampton : Monday 12th May, 7.30 - 9pm on zoom:. Please register in order to receive the zoom link. <https://northamptondiocese.org/courses/jesus-our-hope-online-with-mission-northampton/> The evening will include prayer, reflecting on God's Word, testimony, music and guest speaker Pete Burak from Renewal Ministries, USA.