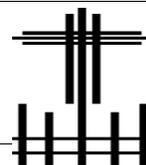


# St. Edward The Confessor, Milton Keynes



Lent 4: Year A. March 26, 2017

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## Mass of anointing

If you are being anointed by Bishop Peter, please be here no later than 7.15pm. Tell me you are here, and then sit in the front row, tabernacle side.

Anyone with an illness may be anointed. Approach the priests in the aisle. Please do not intrude on the bishop. I hope you will stay for refreshments afterwards.

## Thank you, Michael

Michael Murray has resigned from his finance role for health reasons. For the last few years he kindly acted as overseer of the parish finances, dealing with all the returns & submissions for which the diocese has asked, as well as keeping the books balanced and the records up to date. On behalf of the whole parish community, Michael, I wish to thank you for everything you have done for St. Edward's over the years.

## Thank you

I'm very grateful to the parishioner who left a beefy donation in the collection last Saturday evening.



And there's a page in the April Vine describing the history of Mothering Sunday and Mothers' Day.

## Lent devotions

Saturday 5.15pm: Way of the cross.

Sunday: 5-6.00pm: Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

## Children

To all children between the ages of five and ten:

The Events Team would like to invite you to join us on Sunday, April 2 between 10.30 and 12.30 for Easter crafts. Tickets cost £3, with 50p discount for siblings. Tickets on sale now until the end of March.

## CAFOD

Thank you for your generosity last weekend. I sent off £320. 20p from the emergency appeal for East Africa.

## Your offering: March 20

1st: £ 1,095.17

2nd: £72. 90

Thank you.

Weekend Masses: Sat. 6pm: Sun. 9.30am. Weekday Mass (in the chapel): Tuesday, 7.30pm. Wednesday to Friday: 9.30am. Reconciliation: Sat. 5.15-5.45pm and by appointment.

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### Celebration

If you are one of the people who likes to know these things, so far I've recruited 30 teenagers for Celebration.



### Passover meal

Coming up on April 8. It's the ancient Jewish solemnity, kept by Jesus on Maundy Thursday, which forms the origin of the Mass.



### Noticeboards

Please don't put up notices without asking me first. I always take them down when I spot them.

### Holy water



For those who don't know, there is a supply of holy water in the container by the swing door to the chapel. There's a regular demand for it, and I'm told that Mary has a supply of neat plastic containers in the shop. They used to be made in Woburn Sands when Plysu had their factory there.

### Don't miss it

Events meeting: Wednesday night, 7.30pm

### The Vine

The April issue is here. Not every diocesan paper has the Pope on the front page, and there are some very familiar faces inside. (I did not provide the headline—which is very incorrect English)

### Thank you

... to Jason and Vijay (his dad) for all the energy and expertise they gave me this week!



Did you change your clock last night? If you did, have a happy summertime.