

APRIL 7th 10:30 am
FAMILY EUCHARIST

Every Sunday in April and May 10:30am SUNG EUCHARIST

> Sunday 19th May PENTECOST SUNG EUCHARIST Come Holy Spirit

Sunday 26th May
TRINITY SUNDAY SUNG EUCHARIST

"Our humanity comes to its fullest bloom in giving.

We become beautiful people when we give whatever we can give:
a smile, a handshake, a kiss, an embrace, a word of love, a present,
a part of our life ... all of our life."

HENRI NOUWEN

2024 Sustaining Our Church

Your contribution is vital for St. Edward's Church, as we are entirely self-funded

- Your generosity covers the running costs of the beautiful church where we worship
- Pastoral, liturgical, and social initiatives for the Christian growth of children and adults
- Outreach to charities both local and international
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as we look to the future

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Eastertide to Trinity Sunday 2024

Join us for worship and fellowship every Sunday at our 10:30 Mass. Family Eucharist April 7th - Sunday School presentation based on John Chapter 20. Sunday 19th May- we celebrate the gift of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost.

Dear beloved community of St. Edward's Church

As we celebrate this joyous feast of Easter, I am filled with gratitude for the opportunity to share this message of hope and renewal with each and every one of you. In a world often shrouded in darkness, Easter reminds us of the transformative power of the Resurrection and the profound impact it has on our lives.



This Easter let us take a moment to reflect on the significance of Christ's victory over death. Just as the disciples were initially filled with fear and uncertainty, we too may find ourselves facing challenges that test our faith and resolve. Yet, it was the Resurrection that transformed these fearful disciples into bold proclaimers of the Good News – that Christ has risen from the dead!

In the midst of our own trials and tribulations, let us rediscover the joy of being Christian. Let us embrace the light that Christ's Resurrection brings into our lives, illuminating even the darkest corners of our hearts. For it is in this light that we find hope, strength, and the courage to face whatever may come our way.

As we gather to celebrate Easter, let us not only rejoice in the promise of eternal life, but also in the power of Christ's love to transform our world. Just as the Resurrection changed the course of history, so too can our faith in Christ inspire us to be agents of positive change in our communities and beyond.

May this Easter be a time of renewal and spiritual awakening for each of us. May we carry forth the message of Christ's Resurrection with boldness and conviction, knowing that it has the power to change hearts and minds, and to bring light into even the darkest of places. Wishing you and your loved ones a blessed and joy-filled Easter!

Yours in Christ, Fr. Paul Hrynczyszyn

Here we are in Casa Benson making
Christingle Oranges for Candlemas.
Sunday School activities throughout the
year provide lots of opportunities for the
young and slightly older to join in fun
and fellowship, as together we build
God's Kingdom. During the Sung Eucharist
Father Paul reminded us that we can all
shine with Light like our Christingles!





On 4th Lent our young disciples handed out the gifts they had made in Sunday School ...

Bookmarks with bible verses to celebrate Mothering Sunday ... a gift to celebrate all within this church family, who joyfully exemplify that model of patient love we see in the image of the Blessed Virgin and infant Jesus ... an image of God's redeeming love for all His children.

Next Youth Group Gathering
Saturday 20 April - 4pm Casa Benson

There are plans afoot to go bowling again. Everyone in our church family is welcome. Youngsters under the age of 18 must be accompanied by an adult, who is responsible for them at all times. For directions, venue & times go to the website or contact Father Paul





Two young ladies stirring up the fun at our Shrove Tuesday Party and in the background, Nolene, our Pancake Queen, at the hatch ready to serve more multi-coloured and delicious treats to the many friends that came to enjoy fellowship on the eve of Lent.

Following the elections at our Annual Chaplaincy Meeting Sunday 17th March







Elected Churchwardens and vice-chairs

Lester Carissimi and Diana Dell'Acqua wardens@stedwards.ch

Your elected council members

Christine McCreary & James McCreary
Sebastian Ganesh
Elizabeth Geldenhuys
Julia Matthews
Patty Pellegrini

Jennifer Jamieson: Treasurer
Bonnie Staley: co-Archdeaconry Rep

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t briefly to appoint a Treasurer,

Following the AGM, the new council met briefly to appoint a Treasurer, Secretary, and reaffirm our Safeguarding Officer and Electoral Roll officer and elect the vice-chair(s)



Chair of the Church Council, Father Paul Hrynczyszyn, Chaplain

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Parish Picnic in Parco Tassino – Sunday 28h April after the 10:30 Eucharist

We've been there before!

Please bring your own family picnic, drinks and something to sit on \odot

New Flyers will be available in church nearer the time with directions.





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