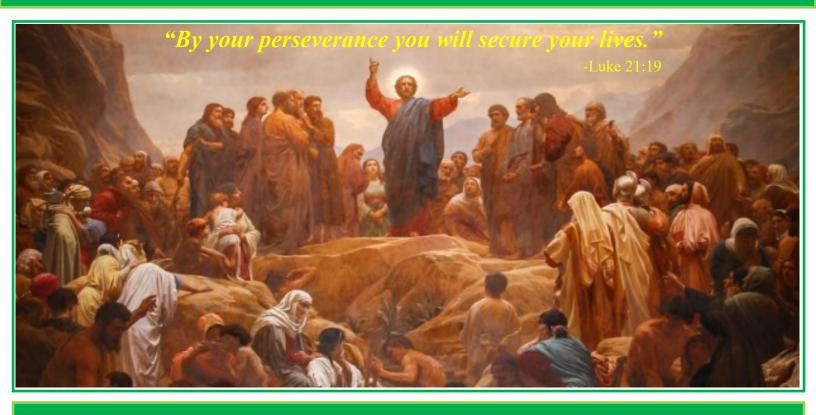
## St. Edward the Confessor

205 Jackson Avenue, Syosset, New York 11791

## Growing in Faith, Love, and Christ



## Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time November 16<sup>th</sup>, 2025



#### THE PASTORAL TEAM

Rev. Michael T. Maffeo, Pastor Rev. Hyacinth Jemigbola, Associate Pastor Rev. Jude Mensah, in Residence Rev. Msgr. Donald McE. Beckmann, Sunday Priest Deacon James F. Murphy Deacon Barry P. Croce



#### **Parish Staff**

St. Edward the Confessor School Mrs. AnnMarie LoManto, Principal Ms. Fabiola Cormican, Secretary Ms. Luisa Ondocin, Business Manager Mr. Miguel DeLeon, Finance Director Mr. John O'Connor, Facilities Manager Mrs. Donna Zaino, Outreach Coordinator Mrs. Maryann Waite, Parish Secretary Mrs. Marjory Vital, Weekend Secretary

## Youth Council Ms. Melanie Sena, Coordinator

#### **Religious Education**

Mrs. Rosemary Pettei, Director Mrs. Maureen Carroll, Director of Confirmation Mrs. Ann Braun, Administrative Assistant

#### **Music Ministry**

Mr. Jeffrey Fox, Music Director Ms. Francesca Lunghi, Cantor Mrs. Marilyn Fox, Choir Director Mrs. Cecilia Hayden, Family Mass Choir

### From Fr. Mike's Desk

Perhaps in your study of World History, you might have heard of the Great Wall of China, the Wall of Hadrian, or the infamous Maginot Line. These were constructed so they could offer protection. The Emperor of China built the Great Wall to keep out invaders, the Emperor Hadrian had his wall built to keep out non-Romans in the English settlement, and then there was the Maginot Line. The French built it following the First World War to keep out invaders who might try to pass through the lowlands. The line was the strongest fixed fortification in the world when it was constructed in 1939. All these fortifications worked for a time; however, the people they were intended to keep out came through. This was not the case with the Maginot Line because it was never put to the test. The Germans simply went around the line and came into France through the Ardennes Forest (which everybody thought was impossible for tanks, and since the line had guns facing the lowlands, they could not stop the invaders).

And now we come to the Temple of Jerusalem, which was adorned with costly stones and votive offerings. The Great Temple, which the people of Israel 2000 years ago believed would be their salvation and strength. After all, the Temple was God's special dwelling place on Earth, and God would never allow anything to destroy it or the nation that supported it. Many believed that it had a type of magic or power. Yet what does the Son of God say about the Temple, "All you see here - the day will come when there will not be left a stone upon another stone that will not be thrown down." The Great Temple would not be able to prevent or escape the approaching danger, and in 70 AD, we see the Temple destroyed by the Roman General Titus, Emperor Vespasian's son. This structure, no matter how holy, could not protect them as the only dependable protection was, and is God! Walls cannot keep death and destruction from coming, nor can they protect anyone from the death and destruction brought on by Sin. Only God, who sent His only Son, can protect us from sin and the death that comes from it. Only Christ can lead the soul to eternal life, and only Christ will protect us against a world that does not want to hear the Gospel. Even when family members put us to the test, God will be there to help us with what to say and do. As we read, "You will be hated by all because of my name, but not a hair on your head will be destroyed. By your perseverance you will secure your lives." Even the Prophet Malachi suggests this with the closing line

from the first reading: "But for you who fear my name, there will arise the sun of justice with its healing rays."

Keep this in mind anytime life seems too hard to bear! Keep this in mind anytime you read the papers or watch the news and hear about destruction, wars, and natural disasters, and think that nothing can be done or that God has abandoned us! He has not, and with His help, we can try to change the terrible things that keep happening.

God bless you always, and thank you for all you do.

Fr. Mike

## **Next Week's Readings**

The Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ
November 23, 2025

First Reading - 2 Samuel 5:1-3:19-20a Psalm 122:1-2, 3-4, 4-5 Second Reading - Colossians 1:12-20 Gospel - Luke 23:35-43

## **Next Week's Gospel Question**

In Luke's Gospel were hear that while Jesus was hanging on the Cross, one of the criminals next to him began reviling and mocking Him. In response to this taunting the other criminal said, "Have you no fear of God, for you are subject to the same condemnation?"

We are sinners, and continually have to be forgiven our sins. We rely on God's love and mercy. **But do you retain any fear of God for your transgressions, and shouldn't that help you to not sin again?** 

## "Have mercy on me, God, in accord with your merciful love..."

#### **Mass Intentions**

11/17 - Memorial of Saint Elizabeth of Hungary

9:00 am Ann Labriola

11/18 - Tuesday of the Thirty-third Week in Ordinary Time

9:00 am Eugene & Thomas Kempton

11/19 - Wednesday of the Thirty-third Week in Ordinary Time

9:00 am Estelle Maria Rose Adams

11/20 - Thursday of the Thirty-third Week in Ordinary Time

9:00 am Shilo Brandies

11/21 - Memorial of the Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

9:00 am Ann Marie Mastino

11/22 - Memorial of Saint Cecilia

9:00 am Robert Giannino 5:00 pm Michael O'Malley

11/23 - The Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ

7:30 am John Sheehan

9:30 am Myrika & Herbert Douge

11:30 am Christina Angelo

John & Evelyn Dwyer

Luigi Graceffa

Gayle Bentley

Brittany Rose LaGrega

6:00 pm Youth of Our Parish

The church will be open daily for your own private devotions, which may include: An Act of Spiritual Communion, Praying the Rosary, or writing down your own intentions in the book found at the rear of the church.

## **Pray for the Sick**

Kathy Rooney Kevin J. Frobey Renata Sorace

Ron Gagliardi Mary Pieper Ashley Benkin

Paul Cannizzaro Angela Trivits

#### The Altar Bread & Wine

For the week of November 16 - November 22, 2025 Is Given in Loving Memory of

Lilia Maria Alvarenga-Kmiotek

By: The St. Edward Bereavement Ministry

## **The Sanctuary Candle**

For the week of November 16 - November 22, 2025 Is Lit in Memory of

Patricia Oborski

By: Fr. Mike & Parish Staff

### **Military List**

"Lord, hold our troops in your loving hand. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need. I ask this in the name of Jesus, our Lord and Savior. Amen"

Lt. Cmdr. Jameson Adler, U.S. Navy Cpl. Matthew V. Balestrieri, U.S. Marine Corps SPC. Ryan D. Donadio, U.S. Army National Guard

Lt. Ryan Dunleavy, U.S. Navy

2Lt. Patrick Dunleavy, U.S. Army

Lt. Lauren Ehrhard, U.S. Air Force

Sgt. Noah C. Estey, U.S. Marine Corps

Cpl. Spencer Gliner, U.S. Marine Corps

SSgt. Michael Gregory, U.S. Army

Lt. Amanda Hine, U.S. Navy

Sgt. Christopher Hofer, U.S. Air Force

Maj. Christian Kapey, U.S. Marine Corps

Sr. Airman Michael LiBretto, U.S. Air Force

Pvt. Jonathan Maldonado, U.S. Army

2Lt. Richard Martin Prestegaard, U.S. Army

2Lt. Aidan McCabe, U.S. Army

Petty Officer Sean T. Sattler, U.S. Coast Guard

Lt. Brian Shields, U.S. Coast Guard

SSgt. Paul Smith, U.S. Army

Maj. James Tom, U.S. Army

CPT. Michelle Turcios, U.S. Army Lt. Cmdr. Andrew Vann, U.S. Navy

"If you know of any military personnel listed above who are no longer in the service, please call the Rectory at:

516-921-8030 to have their name removed.

## **Pastoral Council**

Fr. Michael T. Maffeo, Pastor Deacon James Murphy

Patricia Beckerle JoAnn Bonasera

John J. Cleary Chris Coschignano

June DeMarco Mary Fay

Sr. Theresa Kelly John O'Connor

Brianna Zaino Donna Zaino

Please feel free to contact any council member, at any time, regarding your "needs, feelings, hopes and reactions." All council members can be reached through the Rectory Office at: 516-921-8030

## Quick Guide to St. Edward's Parish

## **Telephone Numbers**

Rectory	516-921-8030 ext. 150
St. Edward Confessor School	516-921-7767
Religious Education Office	516-921-8543
Finance Director	516-921-8030 ext. 132
Facilities Scheduler	516-921-8030 ext. 135
Parish Business Manager	516-921-8030 ext. 136
Facilities Manager	516-921-8030 ext. 137
Bereavement Ministry	516-921-8030 ext. 137
Bulletin Editor	516-921-8030 ext. 137
PSM/Pantry	516-921-8030 ext. 140
Music Ministry	516-921-8030 ext. 150
OCIA	516-921-8030 ext. 150
Society of St. Vincent de Paul	516-218-7837

## **Rectory Hours**

The rectory will be open during the following times:

Mondays - Thursdays: 9:00 AM to 4:30 PM
Fridays: 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM
Closed for Lunch M-F: 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM
Saturdays - Sundays: 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM
Outside of these hours, please call: 516-921-8030

### Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays - 12:30 to 1:30 PM in the Church

You may also make an appointment by calling the rectory at: 516-921-8030.

## Protect Our Children Hotline

If you or someone you know has experienced an incident of sexual abuse by clergy, an employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Rockville Centre, please contact law enforcement and the diocesan's Office for the Protection of Children and Young People.

The Diocese maintains a special phone number to report these situations:

Tel.: 516-594-9063

### **Next Week's Presider Schedule**

Sat., Nov. 22	5:00 PM	Msgr. Beckmann
Sun., Nov. 23	7:30 AM	Fr. Mike*
	9:30 AM	Fr. Hyacinth*
	11:30 AM	Msgr. Beckmann
	6:00 PM	Fr. Jude*

<sup>\* -</sup> Deacons to Preach

## **Weekly Offerings**

Dates	10/25-26	11/1-2	11/8-9
Collections	\$14,987.00	\$13,286.00	\$13,373.00
# of Env.	196	216	254
Auto. Trans	s. \$2,570.00	\$5,065.00	\$3,080.00
# of Trans.	41	49	44
Totals	\$17,557.00	\$18,351.00	\$16,453.00
All Saints D	Day	\$2,324.00	
CMA	•		\$2,721.00
Military Se	rvice		\$1,337.00
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Thank you for you patience and all who support our Parish! Fr. Mike

#### Websites / Social Media

Parish: www.st-edwards.org School: www.stedwardconfessor.org Religious Ed: www.saintedwardre.com

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#### St. Edward's Mass is Online -

The St. Edward's 7:30 AM and 11:30 AM Sunday Masses are recorded and posted online, both on YouTube and Facebook, and are available for viewing at any time.

YouTube - St. Edward the Confessor Church - Syosset

Facebook Page - St. Edward the Confessor Church

To watch the Sunday Masses on your smartphone, just scan this QR code.



## **Newly Baptized**



Caitlin Harding Murphy
Molly Marie Hauser
Bailey Varacchi
Jayce Dare Mitchell Cha
Austin Charles Darsa
Augustus Angelo Brofka
Casey Brooke Drummond
Chloe Grace Messina
Shannon Mairead Trainor
Christian James Hanlay
Dax Michael Ambrosino

#### **Bulletin Submissions**

All submissions are due to be received by the Bulletin Editor no later than noon on each Monday preceding the bulletin date. See the dates as listed below. Submissions are to be sent by e-mail to:

BulletinEditor@ST-EDWARDS.ORG

Submitted materials are to be in MS Word or Google Doc file format, and must be limited in size. Please do not submit material which will require a full page. If you have materials which you cannot edit or reduce in size such as PDF or image files then contact the Bulletin Editor prior to the submittal date to discuss the situation.

Please note that submitted materials do not require pre-approval by the Pastor. Materials received after the cutoff time as shown below **will not** be published in the next bulletin. **There will be no exceptions** to this procedure, so please be mindful of the submittal dates.

Bulletin Date	Submittal Date
Sunday, November 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Monday, November 17 <sup>th</sup>
Sunday, November 30 <sup>th</sup>	Monday, November 24 <sup>th</sup>
Sunday, December 7 <sup>th</sup>	Monday, December 1 <sup>st</sup>
Sunday, December 14 <sup>th</sup>	Monday, December 8 <sup>th</sup>

### You Are Not Alone - Reach Out

If you are having thoughts of **suicide**, survived an attempt, know someone who did or are worried about someone who might, need a support group, or are in crisis, alone with nowhere to go, reach out.

Call or text 988, or text TALK to 741741.

Someone will be there for you, to listen, connect, support and guide you in a better direction.

## The Saint Joseph Prayer Group



The St. Joseph's Prayer Group meets every Thursday night at 7:30 pm in the Church. Prayer pamphlets for how to pray the Rosary and Divine Chaplet will be made available to everyone. These

powerful prayers are gifts from Heaven, and we should believe in their great promises.

## Adult Bible Study at St. Edward's

The Adult Bible Study Group meets each Wednesday from 7:00 to 8:30 PM in the Cenacle Room. Fr. Hyacinth lead's this group.

All are welcome to attend.

"In losing all, the soul has risen
To the pinnacle of the measureless;
Because it has renounced all
That is not divine,
It now holds in its grasp
The unimaginable Good
In all its abundance,
A loss and a gain
impossible to describe."

#### Blessed Jacopone da Todi O.F.M.

(c. 1230 – 25 December 1306) was an Italian Franciscan friar from Umbria. He wrote several laude (songs in praise of the Lord) in the local vernacular. He was an early pioneer in Italian theatre, being one of the earliest scholars who dramatized Gospel subjects.

## Society of St. Vincent de Paul

The Gospel predicts end times; our challenge though is to live faithfully now. St. Vincent often asked this simple question: "What would Jesus Christ do, if he were in my place now?

Ask yourself "What would Jesus Christ do?" and then put your gift in the Society of St. Vincent de Paul poor box so that those who are suffering will be able to celebrate Thanksgiving.

If you would like to join us as we help our neighbors in need, please come to our next meeting on Monday, November 17<sup>th</sup> at 7:00pm in the Cenacle room.

St. Vincent de Paul provides services on a confidential basis. We can help with:

- ♦ Food Assistance
- Clothing
- ♦ Furniture Referrals to SVdP Furniture Store
- Limited Emergency Financial Assistance/past due bills
- Social Services Referrals
- Referrals for Informal Counseling
- Home Visitation to better understand the people we serve

"Help should be given in such a way that the recipients may gradually be freed from dependence on others and become self-sufficient"

If you are in need of any of the above, please contact us at (516) 218-7837 or email at svdpsteds@gmail.com

#### A Heartfelt Thank You to our Cantor

This weekend we celebrate with *Francesca Lunghi* as she marks <u>10 years of service</u> to the parish as Cantor. She has brought grace, elegance, and beauty to our celebrations, and continues to lift our song in praise of God. Her talent and dedication are constants in our liturgies. We wish her many more fruitful years with us. Thank you, Francesca!

## ADVENT LESSONS AND CAROLS

A Service of Readings and Music for the Advent Season

Tuesday, December 9, 2025 8:00 p.m.

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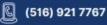
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## **Parish Social Ministry**



Tel: 516-921-8030 Pantry Hours: 9:30-12:00 noon Monday-Thursday and 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of the month

#### **Items Needed**

**Food:** Canned Vegetables, Stuffing, Mashed Potatoes, Gravy, Yams, Muffin Mix Mayonnaise, Canned Chicken, Tuna, Coffee, Tea, Mustard, Soup, Jar of Tomato Sauce, Macaroni & Cheese, Jello, Pudding, Chips/Snack bags, Brownie Mix, Chicken Broth, Ramen Noodles, Egg Noodles and Rice

**Personal Grooming:** Shampoo, Soap, Razors, Deodorant, Tooth Paste **Cleaning Supplies:** Paper Towels, Laundry Detergent, Toilet Paper

We are collecting new socks for men and women living in the homeless shelters as well as any travel size toiletries. I have a parishioner who makes up bags of these items and delivers them to the shelter. She is very appreciative of your support.

Donations can be dropped off during pantry hours or left in the vestibule inside the brown box on the left hand side. We appreciate any and all donations.

Upcoming November Events: Winter Coat Collection November 22nd and November 23rd, Thanksgiving Food Drive month of November, and Mass Anointing of the Sick on 11/9/25 at 3:00 PM.

Thank you for your Support!

#### Volunteer Opportunities: Drivers with SUV, Van or Truck:

Volunteers to help with our pick up schedule local store; Stop and Shop Oyster Bay, Lidl Syosset, Trader Joe Plainview and Fox Hollow Woodbury, Redefine Meals Syosset. Pick ups are scheduled for Monday and Thursday Mornings.

If you are interested in any of the above volunteer opportunities please call me at the pantry, 516-921-8030 ext.140 Thank you,

Donna Zaino

Outreach Coordinator

## St. Edward The Confessor School

## CHRISTMAS TREE SALE!

Wreaths: \$35

Grave Blankets: \$60

• 6-8 ft Trees: \$100

• 9-10 ft Trees: \$125

• 12 ft Trees: \$200

Sale starts Nov.28th

<u>Wed-Fri</u> 5:30-8:30pm

<u>Sat & Sun</u> 9am-8:30pm



## Did You Know...



As many of you may be aware, a small group of St. Edward's parishioners were fortunate enough to travel to a small town called Medjugorje in Bosnia on October 3rd. We stated for 1 week, but in that week, we experienced multiple happenings that have changed our lives in many ways. We wanted to share those experiences with our fellow parishioners. So on Wednesday, October 29th in the holy family room of St. Edward's, we gave a presentation and slide show. Our mediator, Shawn Gladstone, carefully took the audience through the story of Medjugorje beginning with Mother Mary's first apparition to six children in 1981 and continuing to present day. With the help of

numerous slides, Sean carefully outlined the story of Medjugorje, the humility and poverty of its people, and the countless thousands of people who travel daily from all over the world to make the pilgrimages up to apparition Hill and Cross Mountain. Those of us in the group who had traveled with Shawn also shared our personal and collective experience with everyone including 1 or 2 small miracles of our own. Father Hyacinth had been a member of this group and participated in an even more important role by joining nearly 200 other priests in the church of St. James for the celebration of masses and adoration on a daily basis. He also climbed both apparition hill (The sight of Mother Mary's first apparition) and Cross Mountain and actually got the people who were making the climb to sing along with him up and down the mountain. When our final day came to leave, part of our hearts stayed behind. It could not be helped. So much had taken place in one short week that it will stay with us for the rest of our lives.

It should be noted that both Apparition Hill and Cross Mountain is all rocky terrain and extremely difficult to climb. People from all over the world were not deterred and come each day to make it!



14" DECORATED WREATHS: \$35
DECORATED GRAVE BLANKETS: \$60
6" POINSETTIAS
(RED, WHITE, OR JINGLE BELL): \$10

CONTACT: ST. EDWARD SCHOOL 516.921.7767

PRESALE ENDS: 11/17 PICK UP: SAT 11/29 AT THE CHRISTMAS TREE SALE You've been asking to bring it back!

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# St. Edward's Crown Club



## November 2025 to April 2026 \$2,000 Awarded Each Month

Buy **one** ticket for **\$75.00** or **two** (same name) for only **\$100.00** or **three** tickets (same name) for only **\$150.00** 

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Your participation in St. Edward's Crown Club is a wonderful way to help
St. Edward's continue with our many ministries assisting
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Please complete and return the entry form along with your check by mail or drop off at the rectory

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Good Luck and Thanks for Playing!











### St. Edward the Confessor Church PARISH SOCIAL MINISTRY







## WINTER COATS, BOOTS & ACCESSORIES COLLECTION



- Children & Adult Sizes -



























Parish Social Ministry is collecting new and gently used clean winter coats, boots, mittens, gloves, hats, and scarves.





Children's sizes are especially needed.



Please bring items to weekend Masses.

St. Edward the Confessor Church - 205 Jackson Avenue, Syosset, NY







Thank you for your support!









## A Special Thank You to Our Veterans



On Veterans Day the Knights of Columbus hosted a luncheon to honor our local veterans from the Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW) and the American Legion. All gathered on the Field of Honor for a quick photo, before heading inside for a catered meal. We honor and thank each one of you for your service to our great nation.

## Virtus Training for Volunteers

## Attention: All volunteers

If you have not yet taken the Virtus course, here is an opportunity to do so!

## Virtus Training

A Child Protection Program



Wednesday, Wednesday, November 19th at 7:00 pm Class will be held in the Holy Family Room.

If you are interested in signing up for the above Virtus training session, kindly register online at www.virtus.org or for further info, please call Rosemary Pettei at 921-8543.

## St. Edward's Christmas Lights of Peace, Hope & Remembrance 2025

Dear Parishioners, School Families, and Friends,

We are excited to announce the continuation of a cherished tradition: *The St. Edward's Lights of Peace, Hope & Remembrance Christmas Tree Field.* Sponsored by our Knights of Columbus – Council #5091, this initiative offers you a heartfelt opportunity to embrace the Christmas spirit while helping us raise funds to support those in need within our community.

By sponsoring a tree, you can honor a loved one or symbolize peace, hope, and remembrance during this festive season. Picture the joy you will feel as you visit your beautifully lit display of lights. In December, over 100 illuminated Christmas trees will grace the church lawn surrounding the crèche, wishing a Merry Christmas filled with love, joy, hope, and peace to all. Each tree will be a fresh-cut 5 to 6-foot Balsam tree, adorned with lights and a personalized placard.

**Sponsorship Details:** Your generous donation of \$150.00 per tree includes the tree, lights, setup, and placard. With your support, we can ensure that *St. Edward's Christmas Lights of Peace, Hope & Remembrance* is a successful fundraiser, benefiting both our parishioners and our neighbors.

Annual Tree Lighting Ceremony: Join us for our Annual Tree Lighting Ceremony on December 6, 2025 following the 5PM Mass.

Our Family
(Family Name Only to Appear on Plaque - Please Print Clearly)
My Business
(Business Name to Appear on Plaque - Please Print Clearly or submit Business card)
In Memory
(Name to Appear on Plaque - Single Name, Husband & Wife, or Family Name Only)
closed is \$ (Donation of \$150 per tree. Please make checks payable to <b>Joseph J. Gorman Council</b> 091.)
nme:
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ease note that all the trees will be lit in white by the council. No additional lights or modifications may be

Thank you for your continued support and generosity. Together, we can light up this holiday season with peace, hope, and remembrance.

Please return this form with payment to the: St. Edward's Rectory Office, or mail to Knights of Columbus

Warm regards,

Joseph J. Gorman Council #5091

Syosset P.O. Box 26, Syosset NY 11791



YOUTH in GRADES 6-12 are invited to share their time, GIFTS & TALENTS as part of the SEC Youth Ministry by participating at the 6:00PM Sunday Mass and at our monthly meetings/community service events. Meet new FRIENDS and earn COMMUNITY SERVICE CREDITS for participation while helping the community.

#### YOUTH GROUP/VISION NOVEMBER & DECEMBER EVENTS:

COME FIND OUT ABOUT THE YOUTH MINISTRY 25-26 PROGRAM— See the REGISTRA-TION FORM below, Visit the <u>YOUTH GROUP TABLE</u> Before or After SUNDAY 6PM MASS, EMAIL US @ <u>youth@st-edwards.org</u> and <u>FOLLOW us on INSTAGRAM @stedwardsyouth</u>

<u>Sunday, Nov. 16, 23&30 & Dec. 7, 14, 21&28 6:00PM MASS</u>: Teen Volunteers needed at 6PM Mass—please arrive by 5:45PM in Church Vestibule&earn community service credits.

Sunday, Nov. 23 & 30 & Dec. 7 5:30PM: CHURCH VESTIBULE—SPIRIT OF CHRISTMAS DRIVE - Sorting & Organizing Donations Collected

Sunday, Dec. 7<sup>th</sup> FELLOWSHIP — COOKIES/TREATS provided at end of 6PM Mass in the Church Vestibule Courtesy of the Youth Group

Sunday, Dec. 14<sup>th</sup> YG MEETING/COMMUNITY SERVICE & CHRISTMAS PARTY in Youth Office -Lower Level of School— FUN & GAMES & SNACKS will be served

Sunday, Dec. 14<sup>th</sup> 7:00PM: CHURCH— TEEN VISION CHOIR's CHRISTMAS CONCERT (Immediately following the 6PM Mass & Refreshments Served After Concert)

Wednesday, Dec. 24th 6:30PM CHURCH-TEEN VISION CHOIR AT CHRISTMAS EVE MASS

VISION TEEN CHOIR: JOIN US-PRACTICE (5PM) & SINGING EVERY SUNDAY 6PM MASS -TEENS WE NEED YOUR VOICESCONTACT: msena@st-edwards.org

#### 2025-2026 REGISTRATION & PARTICIPATION:

There are many ways to get involved at the Sunday 6PM Mass—Indicate your INTERESTS: SING:VISION TEEN CHOIR\_\_LECTOR/READ \_\_ GREET\_\_ COLLECT OFFERING\_\_ BRING UP GIFTS\_\_ALTAR SERVE\_\_ ADULT VOLUNTEER\_\_YG/ COMMUNITY SERVICE\_\_ PLEASE PROVIDE INFORMATION: YOUTH NAME GRADE/PARENT CONTACT



## SPIRIT OF CHRISTMAS BABY/FAMILY DRIVE

November 16 - December 14, 2025

### Please Donate NEW:

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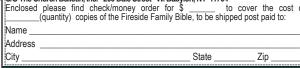
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