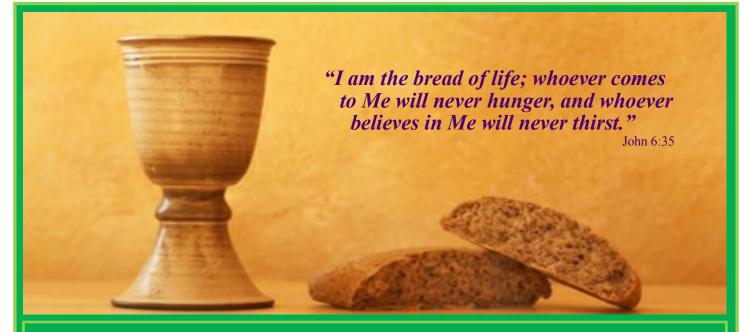
St. Edward the Confessor

205 Jackson Avenue, Syosset, New York 11791 *Growing in Faith, Love, and Christ*



Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time August 12th, 2018



THE PASTORAL TEAM

Rev. Michael T. Maffeo, Pastor Rev. Hyacinth Jemigbola, Associate Pastor Deacon James F. Murphy Deacon Barry P. Croce



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Music Ministry Mr. Jeffrey Fox Mrs. Marilyn Fox Mrs. Cecilia Hayden

Quick Guide to St. Edward's

Not registered? Please stop by our rectory during		
office hours to be included in our parish family!		
Rectory Office Hours	Da	
Monday - Thursday9 AM - 8 PM		
Friday	Mo	
Saturday & Sunday9 AM - 1 PM	WIU	
Telephone Numbers		
Rectory		
Rectory Fax		
St. Edward Confessor School	Tue	
Religious Education Office		
RCIA		
Administration and Ministries		
St. Vincent De Paul Society	We	
PSM/Pantry		
Music Ministry		
Youth Ministry		
Pastoral Center Offices	Thu	
Devotions		
The Miraculous Medal Novena and Rosary		
each Friday at 8:30 AM		
Our Lady of Fatima Devotional Rosary	Fri	
after the 5:00 PM Mass, First Saturday of the Month	111	
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament		
each Friday at 9:30 AM		
concluding with Benediction at 12:00 PM		
Parish Holy Hour of Eucharistic Adoration beginning at 7:00 PM each Friday evening	Sa	
Benediction at 8:00 PM		
followed immediately by night prayer and blessing		
Eucharist	Su	
Saturdays at 9:00 AM & 5:00 PM		
Sundays at 7:30, 9:30, 11:30 AM & 7:00 PM Weekdays 9:00 AM		
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Baptism		
Celebrated on the 1^{st} and 3^{rd} Sundays of the month at 1:00 pM. Please cell the rectory to emerge		
1:00 PM. Please call the rectory to arrange.		
Confessions		
Saturdays from 12:30 PM - 1:30 PM and upon request		
Marriage		
Please contact the rectory upon engagement.		
Anointing of the Sick		
Available upon request		
Holy Communion		
Contact through the Rectory to arrange for Communion		
to be brought to anyone in need at home, in the hospital		
St. Edward's Bulletin Submissions		
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St. Edward's Bulletin Submissions Submit 2 weeks prior to event in Word file format to: BULLETINEDITOR@ST-EDWARDS.ORG

This Coming Week: 8/13/18 - 8/19/18			
Day	Date	Time	Location
Mon	8/13	6:00 - 10:00 pm	CYO: GYM / AUD
Tues	8/14	6:00 - 10:00 pm 6:00 - 10:00 pm	Knights of Columbus: HFR CYO: GYM / AUD
Wed	8/15	6:00 - 10:00 pm	CYO: GYM / AUD
Thurs	8/16	6:00 - 10:00 pm	CYO: GYM / AUD
Fri	8/17	6:00 - 10:00 pm 6:30 - 9:00 pm	CYO: GYM / AUD Boy Scouts Troop 205: HFR
Sat	8/18		
Sun	8/19		

Pastoral Council

Fr. Michael T. Maffeo, Pastor Deacon James Murphy

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

Jo Ann Bonasera	Claire Kapey
Chris Coschignano	David Krieg
Kathy DeNatale	Donna Zaino

Websites / Social Media

Parish: www.st-edwards.org School: www.stedwardconfessor.org Religious Ed: www.saintedwardre.com Facebook: stedwardsyosset Twitter: stedwardchurch1

From Fr. Mike's Desk

"Get up and eat, else the journey will be too long for you!"

This passage from today's first reading, from the First Book of Kings, shares with us the account of the Prophet Elijah going into the desert for a journey of forty days and nights. After some time on the journey, he became sick and tired and prayed for death. However, thanks to the intervention of an angel sent by God, the prophet's needs were met and he was able to carry on his journey.

"I am the living bread that came down from heaven; whoever eats this bread will live forever..."

In today's Gospel, Jesus tells His audience about the same action that God did for Elijah and is now doing for them, and doing for us! He provides us food for the journey; only the journey we are on is not just a mere forty days and nights, it is the journey of eternity. For the food He gives us is His very self in the Eucharist. Keep in mind that once the Holy Spirit comes upon the gifts of bread and wine, and the priest speaks the Words of Consecration the bread and wine become the Body and Blood of Christ. They will remain His Body and Blood, until one of us consumes them. At this point the Blessed Sacrament now becomes one with us so we can become one with Christ and one with each other. Thus, Jesus becomes the food for our journey to the Kingdom of Heaven.

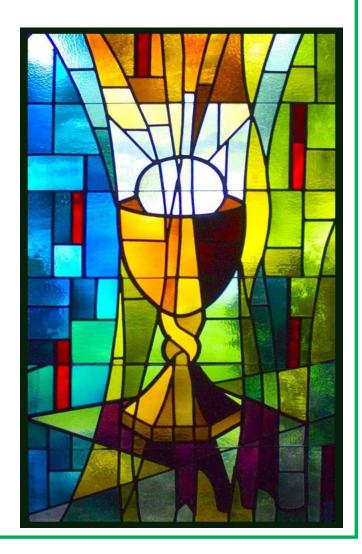
However, in order for Jesus to be the food for our journey, we must believe. We must believe what the religious leaders of Jesus' day refused to believe. They refused to believe that God was teaching them, and they were judging Him by appearance alone. They may have thought that they knew all about Jesus, but all they saw was His humanity. Yes, Jesus is indeed the son of Mary and Joseph, as they understood it, but if they took the time to look deeper and with their hearts, they would see so much more. They would see what St. Thomas saw on that first Sunday after Easter. They would have seen Jesus as the true Son of God. Unless we surpass the understanding of the Scribes, the Pharisees, and the Temple Priests God cannot totally feed us. Our receiving of the Eucharist will certainly be holy, but if we do

not fully realize whom it is we are receiving, we will be just like the people of the Exodus. For they received the Manna from heaven, but as Jesus tells us, they all died. Whoever eats the true bread, which came down from heaven, will never die and will go on to eternal life. Jesus is that true bread that comes down from heaven and He invites us to partake.

This Sunday is the last day of our Annual Summer Festival. Please come down and enjoy all of the fun, the food, and the rides. Come and share some good times with your Parish and Syosset families. See you there!

God bless you always

Fr. Mike



"The greatest and best talent that God gives to anyone in this world is the talent of prayer."

Monday	August 13
9:00 a.m.	Thomas Bulzomi
Tuesday	August 14
9:00 a.m.	Pietro Reda
5:00 p.m.	Maria Rossi
Wednesday	August 15 Assumption
9:00 a.m.	Intention of Cinquegrana Family
12:10 a.m. 7:00 p.m.	(Noreen, Sal, Bonnie & Heidi) Chris Conboy John Mulligan
Thursday	August 16
9:00 a.m.	Leo P. Wetter, Sr.
Friday	August 17
9:00 a.m.	Louis Gugliotta
Saturday 9:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m.	August 18 For Our Parishioners Madeline Tully, Alan Pelkonen Arachtingi Family (Deceased) John Cirello Sharon M. Cummings
Sunday 7:30 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 11:30 a.m.	August 19 For Our Parishioners Joseph Magrino Victor Casagrande Maria Rose Gaita James and John Lovell Intention of Joan & Bob Backofen Carmine Cava
7:00 p.m.	Lena and Chester Piechucki Allan Pelkonen

Whom We Remember With Love and Gratitude

The Altar Bread & Wine

For the week of August 12 - August 18, 2018 Is Given in Loving Memory Of

Joseph Greeley

By: His Loving Family

The Sanctuary Candle

For the week of August 12 - August 18, 2018 Is Lit in Loving Memory Of

Margaret R. Cassidy

By: Doris Lefler

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. Jameson Adler, U.S. Navy SEAL Lt. Kathryn Adler, U.S. Navy Cpl. Matthew V. Balestrieri, U.S.M.C Maj. Joel Bernazzani U.S.A.F 2nd Lt. Connor J. Dunleavy, U.S. Army Capt. Oliver Ennis, U.S. Army Sgt. Noah C. Estey, U.S.M.C. Pvt. Joseph Evola, Jr., U.S. Army SSgt. Michael Gregory, U.S. Army Special Forces Petty Officer 3rd Class David Griffin, U.S. Navy Lt. John Hagerman, U.S. Navy Pvt. Gary Harris, U.S. Army Lt. Amanda Hine, U.S. Navy Airman 1st Class Christopher Hofer U.S.A.F. Capt. Christian Kapey, U.S.M.C. Capt. Karen Kobus, Ú.S.M.C. Sr. Airman Michael LiBretto, U.S.A.F. Cpl. Erik Liebergall, U.S.M.C. Pvt. Jonathan Maldonado U.S. Army Lt. Brian Shields, U.S.C.G. Ssgt. Paul Smith, U.S. Army Lt. Cmdr. Todd Stevens, U.S. Navy Maj. James Tom, U.S. Army 2nd Lt. John P. Trainor, U.S.M.C. Maj. Michael F. Wendelken, U.S.A.F.

Pray For The Sick

All names on the sick list will remain for six weeks. If you would like a name to remain longer, please call the Rectory.

Christina Fischer	Katy Monte	Christiana Cheng
Helen Ziegler	Rosalie Schiovone	Julianna Key
Kathy Rooney	Alexandra Reuter	Susan Giambalvo
	Fiorinda Colucci	Michele Wesch

Next Week's Presider Schedule

Sat., August 18th 5:00 PM Fr. Mike*

Sun., August 12th 7:30 AM Fr. Mike* 9:30 AM Fr. Humphrey* 11:30 AM Fr. Mike* 7:00 PM Fr. Humphrey*

*Deacons to Preach at all Masses

"As the LORD spoto me, the spirit entered into me and set me on my feet"

Our Weekly Offering

August 5, 2018	\$ 12,669.00
Envelopes:	345
Automatic Transactions:	\$ 527.00
Transactions:	10
Total:	\$ 13,196.00
Property Landscaping	\$ 3,100.00

We thank all who contributed to the support of our Parish! God Bless You Always, Fr. Mike

Society of St. Vincent de Paul

In this Gospel the love that Jesus reveals through the symbol of the cross is: self-giving, sacrificial, healing, forgiving, in solidarity with the weak, confident in the power of God.

During the hot summer months many of the elderly, especially those who are sick, are not able to find relief from the heat. Please help the Society of St. Vincent de Paul to bring respite and hope to them.

We are in need of new or gently used child car seats and child booster seats. If you have one to donate, please bring it to the Parish Social Ministry Office during Pantry hours.

EMPLOYMENT NEEDED! One of our clients is seeking a job in either retail management, import/ export or as a fashion-clothing buyer. If you can help us help this family, please call (516) 218-7837.

Save the date for the St. Vincent de Paul Walk/ Run for the Poor on Saturday, September 29, 2018!

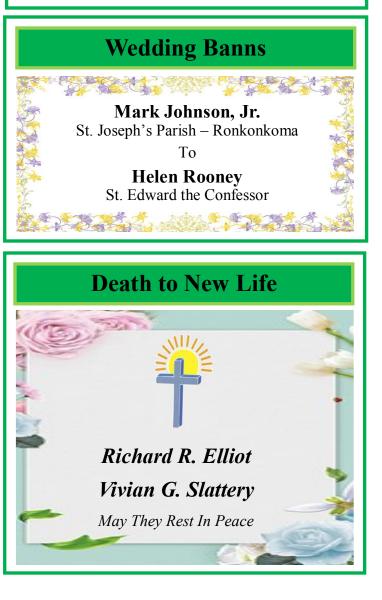
If you know of someone who might benefit from a home visit, please call (516) 218-7837. If you would like to volunteer, please join us at our next meeting on August 20, 2018 at 7:00 pm in the Fa-ther Palmer Room of the rectory.

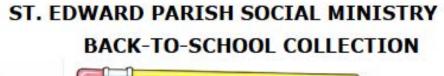
This Week's Readings

August 12, 2018 -Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time First Reading - 1 Kings 19:4-8 Psalms - 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9 Second Reading - Ephesians 4:30-5:2 Gospel - John 6:41-51

Next Week's Readings

August 19, 2018 -Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time First Reading - Proverbs 9:1-6 Psalms - 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7 Second Reading - Ephesians 5:15-20 Gospel - John 6:51-58







Stop & Shop Target Gift Cards \$25.00 donation Before & After Masses Saturday 8/18 & 8/25 Sunday 8/19 & 8/26

We would like the children to have the best learning opportunities possible, beginning with having the tools to succeed in the classroom.

Thank you in advance for

your generosity!

Items Needed: 3 Ring Binders (1" & 2" sizes) Tabbed Dividers Backpacks Pens & #2 Pencils Spiral & Marble Notebooks Pocket Folders Loose Leaf Paper (wide rule) Markers Glue Sticks 12" Ruler Scissors Colored pencils Plain Copy Paper UBS Drive

"Whoever humbles himself like this child is the greatest in the kingdom of heaven. And whoever receives one child such as this in my name receives me." Matthew 18:4-5

ST. EDWARD'S FESTIVAL

St. Edward's will be holding its annual summer festival from Friday, August 10th until Sunday, August 12th.

> This year's festival will once again be located in the LIRR Parking Lot right next to the Syosset Fire Department Headquarters.





FRIDAY, AUGUST 10 (6 PM - 11 PM) IS COUNTRY NIGHT featuring the Long Island Band Southbound

SATURDAY, AUGUST 11 (4PM - 11 PM) IS OLDIES NIGHT featuring the Long Island band The History of Rock and Roll.

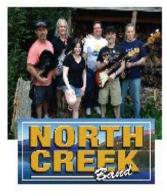
The evening will also feature a Classic Car Show of all makes and models.



We conclude the evening with a spectacular fireworks show thanks to our Firework Sponsors Ferrari's Auto Repair and Sterling National Bank



FOOD



SUNDAY, AUGUST 12 (4 PM - 10 PM) the festival continues with fabulous rides, food, and entertainment by **North Creek Band**.

The evening concludes with the Grand Prize Raffle Drawing

What a great way to spend some time with family and friends!

GAMES



Crown Club Winners



St. Edward's Crown Club

Following are the lucky Crown Club Winners for July!

Prize	Ticket #	Winner
\$1,000	396	Gus Avena
\$500	381	Thomas J. Fierro
\$350	452	Doreen Moore
\$150	368	Rich and Mary Shelton

Congratulations to all our winners!



Mary Mullan Russomanno Youth Ministry Director mmullan@st-edwards.org Michelle Sena

Music Director msena@st-edwards.org



St. Edward's Crown Club

Back by Popular Demand!

You Can Double Your Chances to Win Again

Dear Parishioner,

That's right you can double your chances to win again! Our next series of drawings begins in September, and if you buy one ticket for \$75.00 you can get a second ticket, in the same name, for only \$25.00 more. That's right, two tickets for only \$100.00! Since we first began the Crown Club your fellow parishioners have shared in \$60,000.00 in prize money, and some of them have won more than once. We are all geared up to begin our next round of drawings. This round will go from September to February and tickets are on sale now. Your participation in The Crown Club is not only fun but important. The proceeds go a long way in helping St. Edward's to maintain many of our programs and ministries.

If you haven't played before, here's how it works. You buy a ticket, or as many as you'd like, for \$75.00 each. For each ticket you buy you can get another ticket, in the same person's name, for only \$25.00. These tickets entitle you to be entered in our monthly drawing every month from September through February. Even if you win, your number goes right back in and is eligible for the next month's drawing.

Our prizes each month are:

1** Prize \$1,000.00

3rd Prize \$350.00

4th Prize \$150.00

Buy tickets as gifts or join in with others to purchase a ticket. There are no limits to the number of tickets you can buy. For your convenience you can mail in your entry and check, drop it in the collection basket or bring it over to the rectory. Whichever you prefer. Drawings take place the end of each month.

I look forward to your participation and hope to be pulling yours as the winning number!

2nd Prize \$500.00

God bless and thanks for your support!

Sincerely,

Father Mike

Please complete and return the entry form below along with your check:

ST	. EDWARD'S CROWN ((PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY)		
Enclosed is my check for \$	for	ticket(s) in St. Edward's Crown Club.	
Name:			
Address:	E-mail A	ddress:	
City:	State:	Zip:	
Home Phone: ()	Cell Pho	ne: ()	
Good Luck and Thanks for PlayingI			

Harvest House

Summer Splash for Seniors

Did you ever wish to go on vacation but thought....it's too far, it's too hot, it's too much!



UNITED STATES DIACONAT





How about an "August Adventure" it's near, dear and fun a splashing good time!!



> Poolside barbecue
> Patio lunches

> "Mystery" trips

- > Sing-a-longs
- > Relaxing on the patio

WHEN: August 19-24 (Sun to Fri) WHERE: Harvest House, Syosset NY COST: \$350 per week Make your reservation! CALL: Sr. Jeanne at (516) 496-9796

50th Anniversary of the Restoration of the Diaconate Thursday, September 27, 2018



MASS OF THANKSGIVING

at 5:00 PM

Church of St. Paul the Apostle 2534 Cedar Swamp Road, Brookville, NY 11545

DINNER RECEPTION

IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING AT The Milleridge Cottage 585 N. Broadway, Jericho, NY 11753 \$100 per individual; \$175 per couple Reservation required.

JOURNAL AD — ONE-HALF PAGE ONLY — \$50.00 PER AD — IN WORD OR PDF FORMAT ADDRESSED TO: pmaturo@optonline.net

Please detach and return the completed form below, together with your check PAYABLE TO: **Diocese of Rockville Centre** and, if applicable.

one-half page journal ad or journal message NO LATER THAN AUGUST 31st!

Fiftieth Anniversary Celebration, Seminary of the Immaculate Conception440 West Neck Road, Huntington, NY 11743-631-423-0483 Ext. 176

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