St. Edward the Confessor

205 Jackson Avenue, Syosset, New York 11791

Growing in Faith, Love, and Christ



Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time September 19th, 2021

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Quick Guide to St. Edward's Parish

Not registered? Please stop by our Rectory during office hours to be included in our parish family!

Telephone Numbers

Rectory	921-8030 ext. 150
Rectory Fax	921-4549
St. Edward Confessor School	921-7767
Religious Education Office	921-8543
RCIA	921-8030 ext. 135
Administration	921-8030 ext. 136
Facilities Scheduler	921-8030 ext. 136
Bulletin Editor	921-8030 ext. 137
PSM/Pantry	921-8030 ext. 140
Music Ministry	921-8030 ext. 150
Youth Ministry	921-8030 ext. 127
Pastoral Center Offices	921-8030 ext. 132
St. Vincent De Paul Society	516-218-7837

Next Week's Presider Schedule

Saturday, Sept. 25	5:00 PM	Msgr. Beckmann
Sunday, Sept. 26	7:30 AM	Fr. Hyacinth
2	9:30 AM	Fr. Celestine
	11:30 AM	Msgr. Beckmann
Deacons Preach*	6:00 PM	Fr. Mike

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

Rectory Hours

The rectory will be open during the following times:

Mondays - Thursdays: 9:00 AM to 5:00 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

Our Weekly Offering

September 12, 2021	\$ 13,691.00
# of Envelopes	216
Automatic Trans.	\$ 2,290.00
# of Transactions	43
Total	\$ 15,981.00

We thank all who contributed to the support of our Parish! Fr. Mike

Websites / Social Media

Websites

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

Twitter: stedwardsyosset
Instagram: stedwardsyosset
Formed: formed.org

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.



"The Lord upholds my life"

Mass Intentions

Mon. - 9/20 - Memorial of Saint Andrew Kim Tae-gon and Saint Paul Chong Ha-sang

Helen & Norman Dick & Family 9:00 am

Tues. - 9/21 - Feast of Saint Matthew 9:00 am Chris Conboy

Wed. - 9/22 - Wed. of the 25th Week in Ordinary Time 9:00 am Rosemary McManus

Thur. - 9/23 - Memorial of Saint Pius of Pietrelcina

Patricia Ann McCardell 9:00 am

Fri. - 9/24 - Fri. of the 25th Week in Ordinary Time

Luanne J. Horan-Risi

Sat. - 9/25 - Sat. of the 25th Week in Ordinary Time 9:00 am Antoinette Scicutella

5:00 pm Liam Francis McAvov

Antoinettte Scicutella John William Bracken Michael Drennan Johanna Grim Evelyn La Russo

Sun. - 9/26 - Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 am Richard Morris 9:30 am Marie Stallone

11:30 am Ann and Michael Calabrese

Joanne and Philip de Jong Allen and Patricia Murray Vincent Del Vecchio

Fred Palumbo Claudine Anne Duval

6:00 pm Joan Jedlicka

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

The Altar Bread & Wine

For the week of September 19 - September 25, 2021 Is Given in Loving Memory of

Peter Paterson

By: Eileen Paterson and Family

The Sanctuary Candle

For the week of September 19 - September 25, 2021 Is Lit in Memory of

Patricia Ann McCardell

By Debbie Zaza and Carpenter Family

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 SEAL Cpl. Matthew V. Balestrieri, U.S. Marine Corps Maj. Joel Bernazzani, U.S. Air Force Pvt. 1/C, Anthony M. Biz, U.S. Marine Corps
Pvt. John J. D'Amico, U.S. Army Airborne
Ens. Ryan Dunleavy, U.S. Navy
Sgt. Noah C. Estey, U.S. Marine Corps
SSgt. Michael Gregory, U.S. Army Special Forces
Petty Officer 3rd Class David Griffin, U.S. Navy
Lt. John Haggeman, U.S. Navy Lt. John Hagerman, U.S. Navy Pvt. Gary Harris, Ú.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 Seaman Liam Pieper, Ú.S. Navy 2nd t. Richard Martin Prestegaard, 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 2nd Lt. John P. Trainor, U.S. Marine Corps 1st Lt. 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. In this way we can accommodate new names".

Pray For The Sick

Joseph Kempton Malda Casagrande Kathy Rooney Ryan DeRiggi Edward Morea James Mc Glone

Nancy Klingler-Petzold

Irma Concilio

From Death to New Life



Rita A. Navaretta Marianne Cusati

The Readings for the Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Reading 1 - Wisdom 2:12, 17-20

The wicked say:

Let us beset the just one,
because he is obnoxious to us;
he sets himself against our doings,
reproaches us for transgressions of the law
and charges us with violations of our training.

Let us see whether his words be true; let us find out what will happen to him. For if the just one be the son of God, God will defend him and deliver him from the hand of his foes. With revilement and torture let us put the just one to the test that we may have proof of his gentleness and try his patience. Let us condemn him to a shameful death; for according to his own words, God will take care of him.

Resp. Psalm – 54:3-4, 5, 6 and 8

R. The Lord upholds my life.

- O God, by your name save me, and by your might defend my cause.
- O God, hear my prayer; hearken to the words of my mouth.

R. The Lord upholds my life.

For the haughty have risen up against me, the ruthless seek my life; they set not God before their eyes.

R. The Lord upholds my life.

Behold, God is my helper; the Lord sustains my life. Freely will I offer you sacrifice; I will praise your name, O LORD, for its goodness. R. The Lord upholds my life.

James 3:16-4:3

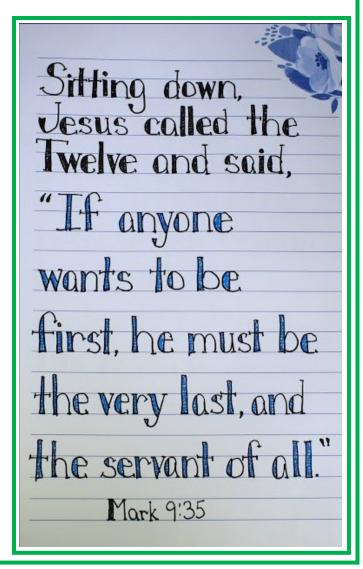
Beloved:

Where jealousy and selfish ambition exist, there is disorder and every foul practice. But the wisdom from above is first of all pure, then peaceable, gentle, compliant, full of mercy and good fruits, without inconstancy or insincerity. And the fruit of righteousness is sown in peace for those who cultivate peace.

Where do the wars and where do the conflicts among you come from? Is it not from your passions that make war within your members? You covet but do not possess. You kill and envy but you cannot obtain; you fight and wage war. You do not possess because you do not ask. You ask but do not receive, because you ask wrongly, to spend it on your passions.

Gospel – Mark 9:30-37

Jesus and his disciples left from there and began a journey through Galilee, but he did not wish anyone to know about it. He was teaching his disciples and telling them, "The Son of Man is to be handed over to men and they will kill him, and three days after his death the Son of Man will rise." But they did not understand the saying, and they were afraid to question him. They came to Capernaum and, once inside the house, he began to ask them, "What were you arguing about on the way?" But they remained silent. They had been discussing among themselves on the way who was the greatest. Then he sat down, called the Twelve, and said to them, "If anyone wishes to be first, he shall be the last of all and the servant of all." Taking a child, he placed it in the their midst, and putting his arms around it, he said to them, "Whoever receives one child such as this in my name, receives me; and whoever receives me, receives not me but the One who sent me."



From Fr. Mike's Desk

As we look at our Old Testament reading from the Book of Wisdom, and today's Gospel from Mark we can see why the liturgists put these two readings together for this Sunday. Remember, except for the Easter Season, when the first reading comes from the Acts of Apostles, the first reading comes from the Old Testament, and it matches (in some way) the Gospel for the day. The connection can be seen when this passage takes on a prophetic tone relating to the Messiah, when it states, "Let us beset the just One...He sets Himself against our doings." "For if the just One be the Son of God, God will defend Him and deliver Him from the hands of His foes... Let us condemn Him to a shameful death; for according to His own words, God will take care of Him.' Now compare this to what Jesus tells the Apostles in today's Gospel, "The Son of Man is to be handed over to men and they will kill Him."

Yes, they seem to work together, however, the human author of Wisdom did not intend this to be a prophecy about the Messiah. He wrote it to tell us about human nature and human weakness. Look at many of the saints in our Church's history, the prophets of old, and any great person in this world's history that worked for the good of others. So many times, people have tried to take them down, or look for flaws in their lives and the author of Wisdom is asking why? Why do we not rally behind these good people? Why do we not immediately follow their example? Perhaps it comes out of fear of being hurt because we believe that not everyone is trustworthy. We know of so many "con" men throughout history who at first looked good but turned out to be bad. People like Caesar, Napoleon, Hitler, and you can add your own names. So, while we should be careful at the beginning, why is it after the person has showed him or herself to be good, so many still go against him or her? Perhaps it comes from jealousy, or from fear that we could never be as good as that person. So, Wisdom's author warns us of this behavior and tells us to avoid it! Once we know that the person is truly good and has been sent by God, we should try to follow him or her. We should try to follow the Divine behavior and listen without doubt.

If only the teachers and leaders of the people during Jesus' time, had understood Wisdom's lessons, perhaps their response to Jesus would have been different. Even the Apostles did not understand that lesson when they argued amongst themselves as to who was the greater. perhaps allowed their fears to get the best of them, as they thought they were going to be left behind. But this is not what it's meant to be one of Christ's followers. If we have totally accepted Christ in our lives, then we must work for the good of all, and we must do it together. That is why Jesus places the child in their midst and tells them, "Whoever receives one child such as this in my name, receives me; and the One who sent me." Why the Child? In Jesus' day a child was considered the property of his or her father, and the child owned nothing and did not have the power to control their lives. So, if Christ's Disciples act as innocently and as powerless as a child, they will in fact gain everything. earthly power and authority, but heavenly power and authority. So, let us follow the advice of Jesus, Wisdom's author and the Holy Spirit and follow the good person who is Jesus!

God bless you always!

Fr. Mike

Prayer to St. Michael

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle, be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him we humbly pray; and do thou, O Prince of the Heavenly host, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

Next Week's Readings

Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 26, 2021

First Reading - Numbers 11:25-29 Psalms - 19:8, 10, 12-13, 14 Second Reading - James 5:1-6 Gospel - Mark 9:38-43, 45, 47-48

Saint Pius X Residence for Senior Priests

September 2021

Dear Friends:

Please accept my deepest thanks for your prayers and continued financial support for our senior priests residing at St. Pius X Enriched Living Facility.

When a diocesan priest is ordained, he makes a lifelong commitment to serve the needs of the faithful in the Diocese of Rockville Centre. Even in retirement our priests continue to make a profound impact on the spiritual and personal lives of Catholics of all ages. They celebrate Mass in area parishes, visit the sick and homebound, and bring God's Word to those in prison. After a lifetime of sacrifice and service, no priest should face retirement without the care and support they may need with daily living.

St. Pius X provides a life-enriching experience for the men who live there, enabling our dedicated priests to live or recuperate at a facility that gives them the extra care and attention that they need. At the same time, St. Pius X allows them to serve as active, fully engaged members of the community.

I encourage you to give prayerful consideration of a gift in support of our retired priests living at St. Pius X Enriched Living Facility. May I ask that you remember all our priests in your prayers as I know you and your family are remembered in ours.

Sincerely in Christ:

+ Aph O. Banes

Most Reverend John O. Barres Bishop of Rockville Centre

The St. Joseph's Prayer Group - Every Thursday at 7:30 PM

All are welcome to attend at the church, or pray from home.

Come to this prayer group, and **add your special intentions** as we pray the Rosary and The Chaplet of Divine Mercy. By adding your prayers you will be answering the "*universal call to holiness*".

If you cannot come to the church, then pray with us online by using the 'Watch Mass Live' link located on the home page of the St. Edward Church's website (www.st-edwards.org).

Banns of Marriage



Joel Tamayo Miami, FL

To

Rebecca Alizzi

St. Edward the Confessor

Jesus is asking for Altar Servers

Is Jesus calling you?

We are seeking young people, in the fourth grade or older, who are interested in becoming an altar server here in our parish. If you are interested or know of someone who is interested, please contact the rectory office. Deacon Barry, who trains the new servers along with Fr. Mike will get in touch with you. Altar servers receive free training and preferred seating in the church during mass! Talk about a sweet deal! And you get to serve the God who loves you more than you'll ever know in this life, our Lord Jesus Christ!

Bereavement Support



For those who have lost a loved one, either recently or during the pandemic, St. Edward's Bereavement Ministry will be starting a new Support Group. The group will meet once per week, for eight weeks beginning on Thursday,

September 30th at 7:00 PM. The Group will gather on the 3rd floor of the school building. Registration is required in order to participate. To register, please send an email with your name and telephone number to:

Bereavement@st-edwards.org

If you prefer, you may call the Rectory at:

516-921-8030

Once your information has been received you will be contacted within 24 hours by John O'Connor, Bereavement Facilitator for St. Edward's Parish, who will confirm your registration and will provide you with additional information about the Group.

Society of St. Vincent de Paul



In today's Gospel Jesus called the Twelve, and said to them, "If anyone wishes to be first, he shall be the last of all and the servant of all." Taking a child, he placed it in their midst, and putting his arms around it, he said to them, "Whoever receives one child such as this in my name, receives me; and whoever receives me, receives not me but the One who sent me."

Your gift to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul will help hungry children feel the arms of Jesus around them. We invite you to participate in the Friends of the Poor Walk with our conference. If you cannot participate, please consider donating to our conference. See our full-page flyer in the bulletin for more information.

If you know of someone who might benefit from a home visit, please call our conference at:

(516) 218-7837

CALLED TO BE A DEACON?

If you are discerning a vocation to the diaconate, you and your wife are invited to attend an



INFORMATION SESSION

ONE OF THREE MEETING DATES:

7:00 PM Thursday, September 16th 4:00 PM Sunday, September 19th 7:00 PM Tuesday, September 21st

at the

Seminary of the Immaculate Conception 440 West Neck Road, Huntington, NY 11743.

To reserve a place at one of the meetings, contact Carol Rizzotti, at 631-423-0483 Ext. 179 or email diaconateformation@drvc.org.

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER & HOLY COMMUNION

Training Opportunities—Fall 2021



This training is required for all those who are beginning as Ministers. This "BASIC" training is required for all who wish to serve as Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion. Those who wish to minister in hospitals, nursing homes and to the homebound are required to attend "SPECIALIZED" training in addition to BASIC training. One must attend BASIC training prior to SPECIALIZED training.

Plans for SPEICALIZED training will be shared in a separate communication

How to Register for Extraordinary Minister Training

Each pastor who has qualified candidates he wishes to be trained as Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion must send a nomination letter to Bishop Barres requesting the training. One letter from each parish is fine, as long as each individual attending is named on it. This letter must should be received one week prior to the training date requested. This letter must indicate the date and location of the training session each person(s) will attend.

Dates and Locations for Ministry Training

Nassau County: St. Paul the Apostle / Brookville: Saturday, September 25, 2021 9:00 am—12 noon

St. Christopher / Baldwin: Wednesday, September 29, 2021 7:00 pm—10:00 pm

Suffolk County: St. Elizabeth of Hungary / Melville: Thursday, Sept. 30, 2021 7:00 pm - 10:00 pm

St. Rosalie / Hampton Bays: Saturday, Oct. 30, 2021 9:00 am—12 noon

Doors will open one half hour prior to start time so that attendees can check-in and pick up materials.

Fees and Contact Information

The registration fee for this training will be \$25 per attendee. Each parish will be billed after the training sessions have been completed. Once the training has been paid for, the Pastor will be issued identification cards for those who have been trained. These cards may then be distributed to the newly trained Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion at a commissioning ceremony at a time of the Pastor's choosing.

Please send your nomination letters to Suzanne Lynn at the Office of the Western Vicariate. These letters can be emailed to slynn@drvc.org; faxed to 516-746-6900 or mailed to 42 Dover Street, Williston Park, NY 11596. You can reach Suzanne at 516-744-6850 if there are any questions.



DIOCESE OF ROCKVILLE CENTRE OFFICE OF WORSHIP & CATHOLIC HEALTH



TRAINING OF VOLUNTEERS IN THE MINISTRY TO THE SICK

Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion Part B

Location, Dates, & Time:

NASSAU: St. Paul the Apostle; 2534 Cedar Swamp Rd., Brookville, NY 11545 Saturdays, October 16 AND October 23, 2021 9:00 am to 4:00 pm

And

St. Francis Hospital, 100 Port Washington Blvd., Port Washington, NY 11576

Saturday, October 30, 2021, 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

SUFFOLK: St. Rosalie Parish Center; 31 Montauk Highway, Hampton Bays, NY 11946

Saturdays, November 6 AND November 13 9:00 am to 4:00 pm

And

Good Samaritan Hospital, 1000 Montauk Hwy., West Islip, NY 11795

Saturday, November 20, 2021; 9:00 am to 4:00 pm Attendance required at all 3 sessions

Cost: \$40 per person (Includes lunch)

All appropriate candidates are encouraged to apply for this ministry. Advanced registration plus \$40 payment is required. All registrants MUST have previous EMHC "A" Training.

Course topics will include:

- Understanding the meaning of being called
- Discerning the call
- Understanding the theology of ministry to the sick and the ministry of accompaniment
- Developing the skills to serve
- Understanding the sacramental nature of visiting the sick
- Understanding the unique roles of parish and hospital ministry
- Integrating the theory and practice of the ministry to the sick

Presenters:

Dr. James Spencer (Nassau & Suffolk)
Senior Vice President for Mission
and Ministry CHSLI
Sr. Pauline Gilmore, FMM (Nassau)
Deacon Richard Becker (Suffolk)



For more information, contact Suzanne Lynn 516-744-6850 slynn@drvc.org				
Please forward the completed registration form along with a check payable to: Office of Worship. Mail to Suzanne Lynn, Diocese of Rockville Centre, 42 Dover St., Williston Park, NY 11596				
Name	_ Phone			
Address	_City/Zip			
Parish / Parish Town				
Email				
Registration Fee:	I will attend NASSAU	SUFFOLK		



Liturgical Minister Training for Lectors

Because readers provide a bridge between the Word of God and the assembly, helping Christ speak to his people, they need to understand, believe, and love the Word of God they proclaim.

The Office of Worship will be offering LECTOR TRAINING for those who wish to proclaim the Word of God at their parishes. All men, women and young adults who wish to become a lector at their parish should attend a diocesan training session.

Even 'seasoned' lectors are invited to participate and refresh their skills and meet others who participate in this valuable ministry.

TRAINING FOR LECTORS: PLEASE USE THE TEAR-OFF BELOW TO REGISTER.

In Nassau:	In Suffolk:
Saturday, September 25: 9 AM—12 noon	Saturday, October 30: 9—12 Noon
St. Paul the Apostle, Brookville	St. Rosalie, Hampton Bays
EVENING SESSION for LECTOR TRAINING: Wednesday, September 29 : 7—10 pm St. Christopher, Baldwin	Thursday, September 30: 7—10 pm St. Elizabeth of Hungary / Melville

WORKSHOP FEE:

Lectors: \$20 per person, please make checks payable to "Office of Worship"

Please call Suzanne Lynn at 516-744-6850 or email slynn@drvc.org with any have questions

REGISTRATION FORM FOR LECTOR TRAINING

Mail this registration form to the Suzanne Lynn, 42 Dover Street, Williston Park, NY 11596, e-mail to worship@drvc.org, or fax to 516-746-6900.



THE 13TH ANNUAL FRIENDS OF THE POOR 5K WALK



"The Journey of Hope Continues..."

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul invites you to join us to walk 3.1 miles or make a donation to help.

Saturday, September 25TH
Bethpage Community Park
Check-In: 9 AM Walk Start: 10 AM

To register or donate: runsignup.com search SVDPLI

For more information: info@svdpli.org svdpli.org

To Donate: Make checks out to SVDP - St Edwards Conference

Mail to: SVDP St Edwards Conference

205 Jackson Avenue 5yosset, New York 11791 To Participate: Come down Saturday, September 25th

Bethpage Community Park

Check in: 9am



St. Edward CYO Travel Basketball registration now open for the 2021/22 Season!

<u>Visit www.stcibuardsexo.org to register</u>



FOR BOYS & GIRLS GRADES 3 Thru 12



- High school boys and girls season starts September 17th, with registration closing September 5th. It is a 10-game season with playoffs for those eligible. The regular season ends October 31st
- Girls' grades 3 -8 the season starts October 15th with registration closing September 20th. Grades 3 and 4 is a 10-game instructional format season with no playoffs. Grades 5 thru 8 are a 12 games season with playoffs for those eligible. The regular season ends January 9th.
- Boys' grades 3 -8 the season starts November 19th with registration closing October 13th. Grades 3 and 4 is a 10-game instructional format season with no playoffs. Grades 5 thru 8 are a 12 games season with playoffs for those eligible. The regular season ends February 20.

For questions, more information and to register visit www.stedwardscyo.org



Education Registration

Registration Info for the 2021-2022 School Year

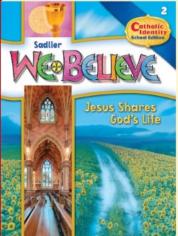


St. Edward's Religious Education is an 8 year faith formation program. Public School Students are required to begin their religious studies in grade 1 and finish their classes in grade 8.

Preparation for the reception of First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion takes place in grades 1 and 2. Students will receive their First Reconciliation in March of grade 2 and their First Holy Communion in May of grade 2. Grades 3 through 6

are required continuation years for students in their religious education studies. Preparation for Confirmation occurs in grades 7 and 8. Students will receive the Sacrament of Confirmation in the Fall of grade 9.

After a year of virtual learning due to the pandemic, we are planning to resume in school classes for religious studies this coming fall. Our scheduled opening date for Sunday classes is September 26th with weekday classes scheduled to begin the following week.



Families whose children were enrolled in Religious Education Classes last year, should have received a Registration Email on May 17th. These emails will be sent out again during the summer. If you did not receive this email on May 17th, please contact Mrs. Braun at abraun@st-edwards.org

Families who are new to the Program may register online by going to our website: saintedwardre.com. Select the link:

On-Line Registration for NEW Families. These new families will later be contacted by our Office so that information may be given about the religious education program for your child.

**Please note that the Religious Education Office will reopen on August 30th. Any questions or concerns over the summer can be emailed to abraun@st-edwards.org or a message can be left on 516-921-4583.



St. Edward's Crown Club

Time for the Next Round of Winners! \$2,000 Awarded Each Month

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

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October 2021 through March 2022

Over \$130,000 in prize money already paid out!

Your participation is so greatly appreciated and so greatly needed!

The pandemic continues to restrict many of our usual fundraising opportunities and

Crown Club is an excellent way to help St. Edward's continue with the many

ministries that help the people of our parish and community.

We greatly appreciate your kindness and generosity!

Complete and return the entry form along with your check by mail or at the rectory

ST. EDWARD'S CROWN CLUB (PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY) Enclosed is my check for \$_______ for _______ ticket(s) in St. Edward's Crown Club. Name: ________ Address: _______ City: _______ Zip: _______ Email: _______ Phone: () ______ Cell: () _______

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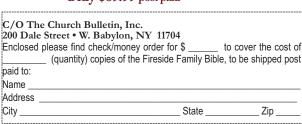
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