

St. Edward the Confessor

205 Jackson Avenue, Syosset, New York 11791

Growing in Faith, Love, and Christ



The Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

November 24th, 2019



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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!

Rectory Office Hours

Monday - Thursday.....9 AM - 8 PM
 Friday.....9 AM - 3 PM
 Saturday & Sunday.....9 AM - 1 PM

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
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 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

Devotions

The Miraculous Medal Novena and Rosary

each Friday at 8:30 AM

Our Lady of Fatima Devotional Rosary

after the 5:00 PM Mass, First Saturday of the Month

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

Benediction at 8:00 PM

followed immediately by night prayer and blessing

Eucharist

Saturdays at 9:00 AM & 5:00 PM

Sundays at 7:30, 9:30, 11:30 AM & 7:00 PM

Weekdays 9:00 AM

Baptism

Celebrated on the 1st and 3rd Sundays of the month at 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 - for the Homebound & Hospital please

contact the Rectory.....921-8030 ext. 150

This Coming Week: 11/25/19 - 12/1/19

Day	Date	Time	Location
Mon	11/25	7:00 am - 1:00 pm 8:00 am - 3:00 pm 9:00 am - 12:00 pm 11:30 am - 1:00 pm 6:00 pm - 10:00 pm	Parish Social Ministry: Cement Parish Social Ministry: HFR SEC School: HFR SEC School: Church / Gathering CYO: GYM / AUD
Tues	11/26	10:00 am - 12:00 pm 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm 4:15 pm - 5:30 pm 6:00 pm - 9:30 pm 6:00 pm - 10:00 pm 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm 7:30 pm - 9:30 pm	Missionary Disciples: Cenacle Rel. Ed. Parent Mtg.: HFR Rel. Education: School / CAF RCIA: 3rd Floor of the School CYO: GYM / AUD Rel. Ed. Parent Mtg.: HFR Bereavement Ministry: Cenacle Knights of Columbus: Fr. Palmer
Wed	11/27	9:00 am - 12:00 pm 11:30 am - 12:45 pm 6:00 pm - 10:00 pm	SEC School: CAF SEC Dance Program: HFR CYO: GYM / AUD
Thur	11/28		THANKSGIVING DAY
Fri	11/29	5:00 am - 6:00 pm 10:00 am - 12:00 pm 11:15 am - 1:30 pm 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm 6:00 pm - 10:00 pm	SEC Parent's Assn.: GYM / HFR Knights of Columbus: Vet's Flags SEC Dance Program: HFR SEC Dance Program: HFR CYO: GYM / AUD
Sat	11/30	8:00 am - 11:59 pm	SEC Parent's Assn.: GYM / HFR
Sun	12/1	8:00 am - 6:00 pm	SEC Parent's Assn.: GYM / HFR

Parish 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

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 for these situations:

516-594-9063

Websites / Social Media

Parish: www.st-edwards.org

School: www.stedwardconfessor.org

Religious Ed: www.saintedwardre.com

Facebook: [stedwardsyosset](https://www.facebook.com/stedwardsyosset)

Twitter: [stedwardchurch1](https://twitter.com/stedwardchurch1)

From Fr. Mike's Desk

At the end of chapter three in the Book of Genesis, we read that after Adam and Eve ate of the fruit of the Tree of the Knowledge of Good and Evil, that God expelled them from the Garden of Eden. As it is written, *"The Lord God therefore banished him from the Garden of Eden, to till the ground from which he had been taken. When He expelled the man, He settled him east of Eden; and He stationed the Cherubim and a fiery revolving sword."* This account, tells us how sin entered into the human family, and how humanity was expelled from Paradise.

"Jesus, remember me when you come into Your kingdom." He replied to him, *'Amen I say to you, today you will be with me in Paradise.'* What an answer to a prayer, but this is not just an answer for the repentant thief, but for every prayer uttered by the human race. By these words and by the actions of our Savior, God removed the great obstacle which sin placed between God and humanity. God destroyed sin, spiritual death, and the darkness that comes from them, and the Church with the singing of Alleluia replaces the sneers of the rulers at the foot of the Cross. Jesus the Christ, the King of Kings has saved us and He did it from the throne of His Cross. He opened the gates of Heaven and bids us to enter into a place far greater than the Garden of Eden. Now the Kingdom of God is open to all who acknowledge Jesus as king of their heart and soul.

Keep in mind, that our King is not one who oppresses anyone or treats us like slaves. Our King does not force Himself on us, no, He allows us to choose life with Him. He is indeed a king who wishes to be in a personal relationship with us, even allowing us to call the one who sent Him, Abba/Father.

This is the last Sunday of the Liturgical Year, and it is indeed fitting that we end the year with this acknowledgement of Jesus as our King and the total focus of our lives. As we end this year (just as we do with the end of the secular year) let us look at how far we have grown in the practice of our faith and in our relationship with God. Have we served God with all our heart, soul, mind and in our very being? Have we put ourselves in service to our brothers and sisters? Have we tried our best to avoid sin, have we sought forgiveness of those we have hurt, and have we offered forgiveness to those who have hurt us? After we answer these questions, we will begin next

Sunday, the First Sunday of the year, which is the First Sunday of Advent; we will start the cycle all over again. It is hoped that in starting again, the New Year will be better and we will have grown. As we light the First Advent Candle, we seek to get closer and closer to the world's true light, Jesus our King.

This Thursday November 28, is Thanksgiving Day and we will have Mass at a special time, 10 AM. Please bring any food items you would like to have blessed for your table. We will bless them at this Mass. On behalf of Fr. Hyacinth, Deacons Jim, Barry, and the entire staff of St. Edward's we wish you and your family a very Happy Thanksgiving.

God bless you always!

Fr. Mike



“Wait for the Lord to lead, then follow in his way”

Mass Intentions

Mon. - Nov. 25 - Monday of the 34th Week in Ordinary Time
9:00 am Igino Massa

Tues. - Nov. 26 - Tuesday of the 34th Week in Ordinary Time
9:00 am Grace and Kenneth Kempton

Wed. - Nov. 27 - Wednesday of the 34th Week in Ordinary Time
9:00 am John Henry Lovisek

Thurs. - Nov. 28 - Thursday of the 34th Week in Ordinary Time
10:00 am Donna Kelly Thanksgiving Day

Fri. - Nov. 29 - Friday of the 34th Week in Ordinary Time
9:00 am Joseph D'Alessio

Sat. - Nov. 30 - Feast of St. Andrew, Apostle
9:00 am Deirdre Grady
5:00 pm Paul Zakhary
Thomas Wallace
Marianne Dickson
Linda Reens
Marge and Pat Driscoll
Veronica Yen

Sun. - Dec. 1 - First Sunday of Advent
7:30 am Antonio Scarola
9:30 am Lori Ann Bronte
11:30 am Philip and Martha Hefft
Antonino and Rosa Barreca
Audrey E. Guarascio
Denise Higgins
Marge and Pat Driscoll
Vivian Kershan
7:00 pm For Our Parishioners

Whom We Remember With Love and Gratitude

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. John J. D'Amico, U.S. Army Airborne
1st. Lt. Connor J. Dunleavy, U.S. Army
Sgt. Noah C. Estey, U.S. Marine Corps
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
Sgt. Christopher Hofer, U.S. Air Force
Maj. Christian Kapey, U.S. Marine Corps
Capt. Karen Kobus, U.S. Marine Corps
Sr. Airman Michael LiBretto, U.S. Air Force
Cpl. Erik Liebergall, U.S. Marine Corps
Pvt. Jonathan Maldonado, U.S. Army
Seaman Liam Pieper, U.S. Navy
Airman Sean T. Sattler, U.S. Coast Guard
Lt. Brian Shields, U.S. Coast Guard
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. Marine Corps
2nd Lt. Michelle Turcios, U.S. Army
Lt. Cmdr. Andrew Vann, U.S. Navy
Maj. Michael F. Wendelken, U.S. Air Force

The Altar Bread & Wine

For the week of November 24 - November 30, 2019
Is Given in Memory Of
Paul Zakhary
By: The Zakhary Family

The Sanctuary Candle

For the week of November 24 - November 30, 2019
Is Lit in Memory Of
Christina Angelo
By: Your Loving Parents

*‘To Jesus Christ, our sov’reign King,
Who is the world’s Salvation,
All praise and homage do we bring
And thanks and adoration.’*

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.

Arthur English	Cathleen English	Christiana Cheng
Kathy Rooney	Rosalie Schiovone	Julianna Key
Michele Wesch	Fiorinda Colucci	Susan Giambalvo
Katy Monte	Christina Fischer	Alexandra Reuter
Bob Backofen	Alvaro Banchar	Linda Dragunat

Next Week’s Presider Schedule

<i>Sat., Nov. 30</i>	<i>5:00 pm</i>	<i>Fr. Hyacinth</i>
<i>Sun., Dec. 1</i>	<i>7:30 am</i>	<i>Fr. Mike</i>
	<i>9:30 am</i>	<i>Fr. Mike</i>
	<i>11:30 am</i>	<i>Fr. Mike</i>
	<i>7:00 pm</i>	<i>Fr. Hyacinth</i>

“I call on thee, Lord Jesus Christ, I have none other help but thee”.

Our Weekly Offering

November 17, 2019	\$ 16,002.00
Envelopes:	380
Automatic Transactions:	\$ 2,407.00
Transactions:	26
Total:	\$ 18,409.00
Parish Social Ministry	\$ 4,189.00

On behalf of Fr. Mike, Fr. Hyacinth, Deacons Jim, Barry, and the entire staff of St. Edward's we wish you and your family a very Happy Thanksgiving.

This Week's Readings

November 24, 2019 -

The Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ

First Reading - 2 Samuel 5:1-3

Psalms 122:1-2, 3-4, 4-5

Second Reading - Colossians 1:12-20

Gospel - Luke 23:35-43

Next Week's Readings

December 1, 2019 -

First Sunday of Advent

First Reading - Isaiah 2:1-5

Psalms 122:1-2, 3-4, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9

Second Reading - Romans 13:11-14

Gospel - Matthew 24:37-44

Anointing of the Sick

A special Sunday Mass will be held on December 1st at 3 pm to receive the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick: The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick is administered during the Mass to a baptized person who is suffering from serious illness, preparing for surgery, in danger of death, or advanced in age, through prayer and the anointing of the body with the oil of the sick. The proper effects of the sacrament include a special grace of healing and comfort to the Christian who is suffering. If you or a loved one is sick or advanced in age and would like to receive this Sacrament come to the Mass. The Sacrament is also available upon request. Prayer shawls will be blessed and made available. Light refreshments will be served after Mass.

Death to New Life



Dr. Anthony Joseph Petrini

Thanksgiving Day Mass

On Thanksgiving Day, November 28th, the daily mass will be held at 10:00 AM in the church.

God's Fertile Soil

In a message to the 20th Latin American Meeting of National Youth Pastoral Leaders which took place earlier this week in Peru, the Pope encouraged the young people to deepen their knowledge of the person of Jesus, and called them *“the fertile and new soil that God gives to Christian communities”*. He called upon today's youth to be missionary disciples and witnesses of God's tenderness. In this way, other young people will approach Jesus, and experience the joy of His friendship and lead a life founded on fraternity and Christian solidarity.

Rectory Office Hours

The rectory office will be closed on Thursday, Thanksgiving Day, November 28th.

The rectory office will be open on Friday, November 29th from 9:00 AM until 1:00 PM.



St. Edward's 2019 Calendar of Events

<i>Daily Mass</i>	<i>9:00 am</i>
<i>Friday Exposition</i>	<i>Following the 9:00 am Mass</i>
<i>Friday Lunchtime with Jesus</i>	<i>11:30 am-12:00 noon</i>
<i>Friday Evening Holy Hour</i>	<i>7:00 pm-8:00 pm</i>
<i>Anointing of the Sick Mass</i>	<i>3:00pm Sunday December 1</i>
<i>Family Rosary and Pasta Supper</i>	<i>Monday Dec. 2nd 6:30 pm</i>
<i>Parish Rosary</i>	<i>Saturday Dec. 7th following 5:00 pm Mass</i>
<i>National Night of Prayer for Life (still occurring on the Night of the 8th)</i>	<i>Saturday Dec. 8th 9:00 pm-1:00 am</i>
<i>Feast of the Immaculate Conception Masses (not a Holy Day of Obligation this year)</i>	<i>Monday Dec 9th 9:00 am, 12:10 pm</i>
<i>Blessing of the Crèche & Tree Lighting</i>	<i>Saturday Dec. 14th following the 5:00 pm</i>
<i>Mass for Deceased Children</i>	<i>Sunday Dec. 15th 3:00 pm</i>
<i>Lessons and Carols</i>	<i>Monday Dec. 16th 8:00 pm Church</i>
<i>Daytime Confessions</i>	<i>Thursday Dec. 19th 2:00 pm-3:00 pm</i>
<i>Evening Confessions</i>	<i>Thursday Dec. 19th 7:30 pm-9:00 pm</i>

As you prepare your home for a joyous Christmas with family and friends, allow yourself time to prepare your heart for Christ the Lord. Join fellow parishioners in prayer, liturgy, meditation, reconciliation, scripture and music.



“Prepare Ye the Way of the Lord” Advent Family Rosary Celebration

Monday, December 2nd

6:30 pm in the Church

Fr. Mike will lead us in prayer.

All Are Welcomed!

Come join with your parish family to pray Our Lady’s Rosary. This Rosary gathering will be a “child friendly” prayer service.

What a wonderful way to begin this Advent Season! Place your family under the loving care of our Blessed Mother during this season of “getting ready” for Christmas.

Our Monday evening 8th Grade students will be attending this Rosary gathering during their scheduled class time.

All children attending will receive a pair of rosary beads.

A Pasta Supper will follow this Rosary Gathering in the Cafeteria.

All are welcomed to “Come Mangia” with us!

Baked Ziti, Rigatoni Ala Vodka, Baked Macaroni and Cheese, Pasta Bolognese, Pasta and Broccoli as well as Buttered Spaghetti, hot bread, beverages and dessert.

This Pasta Supper is free of charge, however, good will offering buckets will be available for donations.



7th and 8th graders can receive Confirmation service hours by volunteering with baking and/or set up for this gathering.

For further info about volunteering or donating, please contact Rosemary Pettei by calling 921-8543 or by emailing rpettei@st-edwards.org

Managing Stress During the Holiday's



Tuesday, Dec. 3rd
7:00pm
Holy Family Room
Presenter:
Dr. Ray Shelton



Holiday Stress - *it's a knotted feeling in your stomach...a headache that won't go away...anxiety that you will never accomplish all that needs to be done. The stores are crowded, traffic seems impossible, the cookies need to be baked, presents must be wrapped – and the clock is running out. You feel overwhelmed, frazzled, burned out, and it's only the day after Thanksgiving!!*

The holidays are upon us a time of parties, shopping, entertaining, religious observances, family gatherings, and decorating, the holiday season can be full of excitement and promise. However, with this time of year inevitably comes stress.



Give yourself a gift this holiday season.
Join us for an evening program
and learn simple tips to reduce your holiday
stress. Let this holiday season be one
you enjoy with family and friends.

Dr. Raymond D. Shelton is an author, consultant, international conference presenter, workshop and seminar leader. He has been a member of the Emergency Service community for 40 years, serving as a fire fighter and EMS educator. As co-author of the book, *Comprehensive Acute Traumatic Stress Management*, he develops programs in the hospital, corporate, government, mental health, religious and emergency service communities to safely and effectively manage the stress of crisis and catastrophe. Dr. Shelton



Come to the Harvest Jazz Brunch



For the benefit of
HARVEST HOUSES
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Maureen Nickel

Deacon Raymond D'Alessio



Date: Sunday, November 24, 2019

Time: 12:00 to 4:00 PM

Location: Crest Hollow Country Club, Woodbury

Cost: \$100 per person

Call Sr. Jeanne A. Brendel, O.P. to Reserve Tickets

Tel: 516-496-9796

**Pope John XXIII
 Humanitarian Award**

Emmaus Mission Award

ST. EDWARD'S' CROWN CLUB WINNERS

Congratulations to the lucky **Crown Club Winners for October!**



Prize	Ticket #	Winner
\$1,000	#80	Lawrence Wojtusiak
\$500	#197	Thomas Goldrick
\$350	#203	Kathi Barnett
\$150	#358	Betty Sheehan



Entry forms may be obtained at the rectory for the next drawing in November!

SEC Men's Club Meeting

The St. Edward's Men's Club will meet on Tuesday, December 3rd at 10:00 AM in the Holy Family Room. The guest speaker will be Mrs. Loretta Von Burg. The topic will be: Lectio Divina, a form of Catholic Prayer. Mrs. Von Burg has a certificate from the Pastoral Formation Institute and a certificate in Spiritual Counseling from Fordham University. All parishioners and friends are invited to attend. - John Mulvey

SEC Women's Group

Christmas Luncheon

Please join us for a Christmas luncheon on Friday, December 13, 2019 at **Pomodoro Restaurant**, located at:

326 Jericho Turnpike, Huntington, NY, 11743

If interested, please call either:

Ann De Primo: 558-7221 or Claire Kapey: 364-2958

Send checks to Claire at:

81 Convent Road, Syosset, NY 11791

All are Welcome

PARISH SOCIAL MINISTRY



Tel: 516-921-8030

Pantry Hours: 9:30-12:00 noon Monday-Thursday and
2nd Saturday of the month

We gratefully acknowledge the Girl Scouts from Jericho Troop 3095 and 3751 for holding a food drive for our pantry. The girls collected both food and basic needs of daily living items. A special thanks to Fran O'Connor Troop leader for organizing, collecting and delivering the items with the girls.

Thank you to anyone who has made a donation at Life Time Athletic in Syosset for the Island Harvest Food Drive. Our pantry is the recipient of your donations.

The items not covered by food stamps and are always greatly needed: Laundry Detergent, Toothpaste, Toothbrush, Dental Floss, Soap (both hand & dish), Feminine Hygiene Products, Deodorant, Shampoo, All Household Cleaning Products, Paper Towel, Toilet Paper, and Tissues Baby Diapers all sizes. Our next collection will be December 7th & 8th many of these items we use on a daily basis and you may not realize the difficulty of those with limited incomes to be able to find the money to purchase such basic items. Please consider making a donation of any of the basic needs of daily living items at our next collection on December 7th and 8th

Gift cards for Christmas will be sold in the vestibule of the church each weekend during Advent from 12/1-12/22

Have a Blessed and Happy Thanksgiving!

St. Edward the Confessor Early Childhood Program

Saint Edward the Confessor's Early Childhood program began in September 2000. Today nearly 110 nursery and pre-k students are developing socially, intellectually, physically and spiritually. Our program whose tag line is "Planting the Seeds of Success," offers a curriculum aligned with the NYS ELA and Math Standards as well as the Diocese of Rockville Centre. Our youngest students are immersed in project-based activities and are engaged in religion, social studies, STEM, art, music, and physical education. Our students are the most fully prepared for kindergarten with high skills and a set to learn attitude.

Our air-conditioned, newly renovated classrooms are child-centered. Sounds of active learning and the joyful noise of children at play can be heard at all times. Smartboard technology, I pads, and our Imagination Playground enable us to meet the needs of the 21st-century learner.

Our goal as Catholic educators is to have children follow in Jesus' footsteps, and to provide an atmosphere where children can discover, experiment and explore. Our program teaches a rich, meaningful and balanced curriculum of skills and information through age-appropriate activities. A registered nurse and high-security measures ensure that your child is in a safe, secure environment.

We value and appreciate the support of our pastor, Fr. Mike and our principal, Mr. Vincent Albrecht. We also appreciate the support of the parish and all the testimonials that you have provided to friends, relatives, and neighbors. We are offering early registration for the 2020-2021 school year.

Come tour St. Edward the Confessor and begin your child's Catholic education in our early childhood center. Contact our school office at 516-921-7767.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL



Today as we celebrate Christ the King, may we open the door of our heart so wide that we may listen to the voice of Jesus calling us to help build his kingdom here on earth.

In the month of November, through your gifts, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul was able to help build the kingdom of God by assisting families and providing food and help with utility and rent bills, etc. Thank You!

If you know of an elderly person who may need help with snow removal this winter, please contact the St. Vincent DePaul office.

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 Monday, December 2, 2019 at 7:00 pm in the meeting room on the third floor of the school.

Catholic Ministries Appeal

WE ARE ALMOST THERE !

As of November 19th, 2019 our parish is now within 5% of our goal, and less than \$6,000 is needed to reach \$113,600.

By reaching our goal, the Diocese will rebate our parish \$20,000.

Don't delay. Please consider making a pledge in whatever amount you can. We welcome and appreciate every donation. You may make a 10 month pledge, or a one-time gift in any amount.

Your gifts to the Catholic Ministries Appeal help our Church to bring the "light of the Lord" to more than 600,000 people a year through programs that feed the hungry, house the disadvantaged, care for our seniors, support our Priests and Deacons in their formation and continue to educate our children as they grow in their faith.

Youth Ministry



Join our group on Flocknote to get updates!

Text SECYouth to 84576



Follow us on Instagram:

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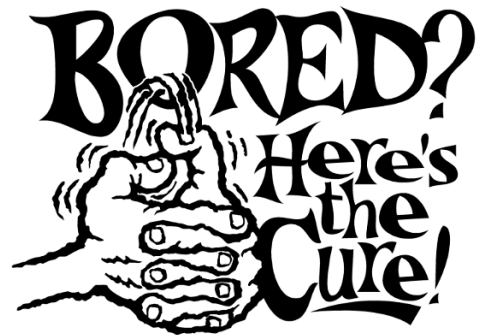


Save the Date!

Annual Christmas Concert

**December 20, 2019
8:00pm in the church!**

The Youth Choir formally known as Vision is actively looking for middle school and high school students to come sing with us! The choir sings at the 7pm mass every Sunday and practices are held Sunday before mass from 6:00pm-6:45pm in the church. Anyone interested in joining the choir, please email Michelle for more information!



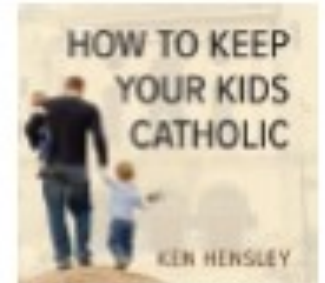
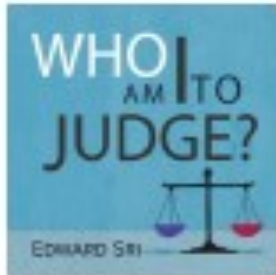
Michelle Sena, Music Director
msena@st-edwards.org



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St. Edward the Confessor Church
ST. VINCENT DE PAUL CONFERENCE
& PARISH MISSIONERS



Annual Collection of

**WINTER COATS, BOOTS,
& ACCESSORIES**



November 23 & 24, 2019



***Collecting new and gently-used clean coats, boots,
scarves, hats and gloves for men, women
and children***



**Please bring items to the week-end Masses where
volunteers will be accepting donations.**



***THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT.
THE 2018 DRIVE WAS A TREMENDOUS SUCCESS!***



IGNITE CONFERENCE



A DAY OF FORMATION FOR ADULTS ON EVANGELIZING YOUTH

JANUARY 4, 2020

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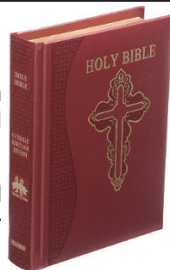
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