

DIOCESE OF CHARLESTON
ST. EDWARD THE CONFESSOR CATHOLIC CHURCH
SHRINE OF BLESSED CEFERINO



MISSION STATEMENT

As a Family of faith and love, we the members of St. Edward parish follow Jesus, Christ, by being united with Him in Prayer and Sacraments, and by strengthening this union through study and reflection of the Word of God, and by reaching out to our fellow human beings with the commitment to spread the Gospel message to us all. We thus contribute our share in the building up of the Kingdom of God.

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 P.M.
Sunday: 10:00 A.M.
Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday:
10:30 A.M.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Thursday
10:00 A.M. – 2:00 P.M.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

After Friday 6:00 P.M. Mass
during Lent

CONFESSION

After Weekday Mass on request
Saturday: 3:00 P.M. – 3:30 P.M.

BAPTISM PREPARATION

By appointment only

ORGANIST & DIRECTOR OF MUSIC

Paul Hennessy

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES

September – May
4:00 P.M. – 5:00 P.M.

ADORATION

Tuesday & Wednesday
11:00 A.M – 3:30 P.M.

WEDDINGS

Arrangements should be made
four months in advance

**Rev. Chidi is available in the Church at the end of Weekly and Sunday Masses to arrange
Baptism Preparation, Marriage Preparation and for any Blessings or other
non-emergency matters.**

ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JUNE 14, 2026

*“They that are planted in the house of the LORD shall flourish in the courts of our God.”
—Psalm 92:14*

GOD’S TIME

We either pay attention to or ignore “clock time” as we play in the summer sun and note the earth’s tilt and the lengthening days. We live by time. We reckon time in seconds and minutes and hours, or we use broader chunks like supertime and summertime.

God keeps another sort of time. God speaks to us of “saving time,” that is, the time of salvation. This sense of time is called *kairos*, and this time is always now, always present and available, always revealing, often surprising.

This Sunday’s readings alert us to the reality and the import of God’s time. Ezekiel and the Gospel of Mark remind us that our labor and our plotting and our planning rest in God. For God takes our smallest efforts and makes of them great works. Paul points us to the “harvest” time, urges us to be watchful for its coming, and calls us to recognize that we must spend our time pleasing God.

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TODAY’S READINGS

First Reading — This is the blood of the covenant that the Lord has made with you (Exodus 24:3-8).

Psalm — I will take the cup of salvation, and call on the name of the Lord (Psalm 116).

Second Reading — Christ is the mediator of a new covenant (Hebrews 9:11-15).

Gospel — This is my body. This is my blood (Mark 14:12-16, 22-26).

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: The Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Friday: St. Romuald

~~~~~PRAYER CORNER~~~~~

PRAYER FOR PERSONAL HEALING

Lord God, I come to You in prayer, seeking the blessing of good health, that I may serve Your Divine Son more faithfully and love Him with greater sincerity. I wish to be well and strong, that I may use the talents and gifts you have given me, in Your honor, in service to my family, and for the good of others. Help me to bear patiently with illness, and to grow always in Your wisdom and grace. Amen.

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday: Parishioners of St. Edward’s Parish
Monday: Eddie O’Hara Birthday †
Amy Boo Birthday †
Tuesday: Eddie Joseph Birthday
Eddie & Patricia Birthday
Wednesday: Rose Pie 30th Anniversary †
In honor of the Infant Jesus of Prague and St. Joseph for all the sick and for all the Holy Souls in Purgatory
Thursday: Juliet 14th Birthday
Tommy Jerome Birthday
Friday: In honor of the Holy Souls and Precious Blood
Barney Shot †

GOD CARES FOR YOU

Begin the day with a light heart.

Let all your worries be swept aside.

Smile a moment and thank God, for every moment.

He cares for you all the way.

CATHOLIC APPEAL OF SOUTH CAROLINA

The Catholic Appeal of South Carolina (CASC) is the primary source of funding for many critical ministries. We are impacting the lives of our brothers and sisters both spiritually and physically – but there is still much to do. We must continue to fund programs focused on charitable works, outreach, education, and evangelization. Your participation is highly appreciated and let us reach our goal by fulfilling the pledge and generous contribution. Thank you for your continued generosity and support.

JOKE OF THE WEEK

An American and a Dutchman were talking. “What does your flag look like?” asked the American.

“It has three stripes,” replied the Dutchman, “red, white and blue. We say they have a connection with our taxes – we get red when we talk about them, white when we get our tax bills, and when we pay them all we’re blue in the face.”

“That’s how it is here,” replied the American, “only we see stars, too.”

OUR GIFTS RECORD

Last Week's Collection	\$2,203.00	\$1,285.00
Number Families Contributing	61	46
Total Pledge for 2026	\$101,140.00	\$108,740.00
Pledged to Date (20 Weeks)	\$42,790.00	\$46,120.00
Received to Date	\$52,013.00	\$37,820.00
Envelopes Outstanding	(\$9,223.00)	\$8,300.00

LADIES OFFERTORY RECORD

Amount given last week	Amount given to Date in 2026
\$296.00	\$8,425.00

12 Ladies contributed last week.

PARISH LIFE CENTER HALL FUND WEEKLY REPORT

Amount given last week	Amount given to Date in 2026
\$0.00	\$8,050.00

No one made a P.L.C. contribution last week.

CATHOLIC APPEAL OF SOUTH CAROLINA (BAA)

Amount given to date	2026 GOAL
\$2,358.00	\$17,737.00

POOR BOX totaled \$100.00

1 CHILD contributed \$5.00.

FLOWERS IN THE CHURCH ARE OFFERED BY:

1. The Family of Bridget Marie Carroll in loving memory of her on the 15th Anniversary of her death;
2. and a Parish Member in thanks to St. Expedite.

FLOWERS IN THE ATRIUM IN FRONT OF THE BLESSED MOTHER STATUE ARE OFFERED BY:

Carol Ann

If anyone would like to get flowers in front of the Blessed Mother statue contact Winnie Ann.

SPECIAL COLLECTION The second collection this weekend will be for the *Annual Seminary Collection*.

LESSON FROM A LITTLE BIRD

*A little bird high on a branch
does what he can do best.
He sits and sings with all his might
and leaves to God the rest.*

*He is not anxious about food,
for God himself will give
The little morsels day by day
that give him the strength to live.*

*Should we be worried when we think
about our needs today?
Does God, who made the universe,
not hear us when we pray?*

THANK YOU to a parish member for a donation in honor of St. Anthony for something lost; a parish member for a donation in honor of the Sacred Heart and Holy Spirit; a parish member for a donation in honor of St. Monica for a special intention; and to a parish member for a donation in thanks to St. Expedite.

THINK ABOUT IT

- If you want your dreams to come true, don't oversleep.
- The smallest deed is better than the grandest intention.
- Of all the things you wear, your expression is the most important.
- Don't learn safety rules by accident.
- The Ten Commandments are not multiple choices.
- The happiness of your life depends on the quality of your thoughts.
- Ideas won't work unless YOU do.
- The heaviest thing to carry is a grudge.
- One thing you can still give and keep...is your word.

READERS

Sat. June 13th, 4:00 P.M.
Macy & Reed

Sun. June 14th, 10:00 A.M.
Lauren Ashley & Josie

Sat. June 20th, 4:00 P.M.
Christina & Natalie

Sun. June 21st, 10:00 A.M.
Lauren Ashley & Josie

READERS – WEEKDAYS

Monday	-	Christina
Tuesday	-	Macy
Wednesday	-	Marlo
Thursday	-	Natalie
Friday	-	Julie Ann

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS – WEEKDAYS

Monday	-	Julie Ann
Tuesday	-	Willie's Michelle
Wednesday	-	Julie Ann
Thursday	-	Jack's Mary Rita
Friday	-	Rosie Marie

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS – WEEKEND

4:00 P.M.	June 13 th
Right	Theresa Hun
Left	Cathy Carroll

Sunday 10:00 A.M

June 14th
Ned's Rose Marie

June 21st
Ned's Rose Marie