

# St. Edward's Church

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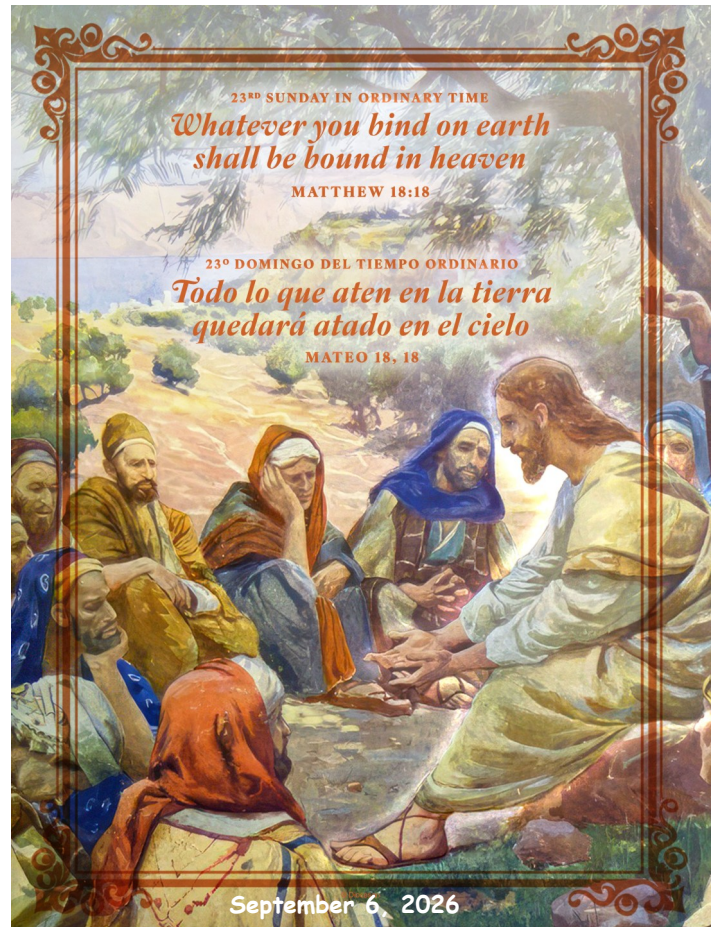
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**Sacrament of Reconciliation:** Saturday, 4:00-4:45pm, Tuesday, 6:00 –6:45pm, Wednesday & Thursday, 8:00-8:45am, Friday, 11:00-11:45am and 6:00-6:45pm.

## Sacrament of Marriage:

Contact a priest at least six (6) months before date of marriage about requirements.

## Sacrament of Baptism: Please call the office.

### RCIA:

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults is a process of faith sharing and liturgical celebrations for those who are seeking full initiation into the Catholic Church.

## First Reconciliation & Communion/Confirmation:

Children wishing to receive these sacraments must attend the PRE Program regularly for two years prior to special preparation for the sacraments. Special Preparation for Reconciliation & Communion is offered when a child reaches the age of seven (7) (typically during the 2nd grade).

Confirmation Preparation is offered when child reaches age 14 and 9th grade.

**Sacramento de Reconciliación:** sábado 4-4:45 pm, martes, 6:00 –6:45pm, miércoles y jueves, 8:00-8:45am , viernes 11-11:45am y 6:00-6:45pm.

## Sacramento de Matrimonio:

Hablar con la Sra. Shelton en la oficina de la iglesia seis (6) meses antes de hacer planes para su boda para revisar los requisitos.

## Sacramento de Bautismo: favor llamar a la oficina

### RICA:

Preparación de Adultos para recibir los sacramentos de Bautismo, Primera Comunión y Confirmación. Para más información, llamar a la Sra. Victoria Shelton en la oficina de la iglesia

## Primera Reconciliación, Comunión y Confirmación:

Los niños que deseen recibir estos sacramentos necesitan asistir al catecismo dos años previos. Pueden recibir los Sacramentos de Reconciliación y Comunión a la edad de siete(7) años y la Confirmación a la edad de 14 y en el noveno grado.

## Quince años:

Se requiere asistir regularmente al Catecismo y recibir las Clases de Preparación si desea celebrar sus quince años en la Iglesia. Para más información hablar a la oficina de la iglesia.

*In case of death, please contact the Parish Office directly in order to make the necessary arrangements. A funeral meal may be provided. Please contact the office so the Bereavement team will be able to contact the family.*



| MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS |                                                                   |                                                |                             | Please Remember in your Prayers:                                                                                          |                        |
|---------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------|
| DAY                       | TIME                                                              | PARISH                                         | INTENTION                   |                                                                                                                           |                        |
| Saturday—5                | 5:00 pm                                                           | St. Edward                                     | Kim Hughes†                 | Callan Adams                                                                                                              | Kathleen Johnson       |
| Sunday—6                  | 8:00 am                                                           | St. Edward                                     | Pro Populo (For the people) | Gunner Ashby                                                                                                              | Hannah Judd            |
| Sunday—6                  | 9:00 am                                                           | Sacred Heart, Foreman                          | Peter Michael Bui†          | Jamie Ashby                                                                                                               | Diana Lacaze           |
| Sunday—6                  | 11:00 am                                                          | St. Edward                                     | Virginia Moser              | Jane Bansal                                                                                                               | Kathy Mackenzie Lane   |
| Sunday—6                  | 11:00 am                                                          | St. Elizabeth, Ashdown                         | Gene Cooley                 | Jim Barnes                                                                                                                | Jason Lott             |
| Sunday—6                  | 2:00 pm                                                           | St. Edward (Spanish)                           | Vicente Mendoza†            | Shane Bellew                                                                                                              | Colton Lusk            |
| Sunday—6                  | 6:00 pm                                                           | St. Edward (Spanish)                           | Emanuel Parra               | Marilyn Jo Borgognoni                                                                                                     | Janet Lynch            |
| Monday—7                  |                                                                   | NO MASS                                        | NO HABRÁ MISA               | Bourgeois Family                                                                                                          | Tom Lynch              |
| Tuesday—8                 | 5:15 pm                                                           | St. Edward                                     | Aubrey W. Strutton†         | Kaygan Bowman                                                                                                             | Nancy Martin Coe       |
| Tuesday—8                 | 7:00 pm                                                           | St. Edward (Spanish)                           | Lorenzo Valdez†             | Sherry Brackeen                                                                                                           | Theresa Matthews       |
| Wednesday—9               | 9:00 a.m.                                                         | St. Edward                                     | Mike Ashby†                 | Angie Bui                                                                                                                 | Charlotte McClory      |
| Thursday—10               | 9:00 a.m.                                                         | St. Edward                                     | Susan Harder Mervish†       | Amanda Brook Burt                                                                                                         | Damian McCoy           |
| Friday—11                 | 12:05 p.m.                                                        | St. Edward                                     | Sandi Rogado                | Scott Buzhardt                                                                                                            | Kevin McCrary          |
| Friday—11                 | 7:00 pm                                                           | St. Edward (Spanish)                           | Ana Berta Vasquez†          | Terah Marie Camponovo                                                                                                     | Loretta Morris         |
| Saturday—12               | 5:00 pm                                                           | St. Edward                                     | Theresa Colbert             | Gloria Candelaria                                                                                                         | Marisol Moya           |
| Sunday—13                 | 8:00 am                                                           | St. Edward                                     | Cay Bui & Mi Le             | Kitty Caplinger                                                                                                           | Teresa Moya            |
| Sunday—13                 | 9:00 am                                                           | Sacred Heart, Foreman                          | Cheryl Kugel†               | Edwina Cernosek                                                                                                           | Pat Newman             |
| Sunday—13                 | 11:00 am                                                          | St. Edward                                     | David Perry Scallion†       | Hugo Chávez                                                                                                               | Lee Nguyen             |
| Sunday—13                 | 11:00 am                                                          | St. Elizabeth, Ashdown                         | Cody Colton Graf†           | Joyce Childs                                                                                                              | Phuong Nguyen          |
| Sunday—13                 | 2:00 pm                                                           | St. Edward (Spanish)                           | Carmen Olmos†               | Bill Cigainero                                                                                                            | Ly Nguyen              |
| Sunday—13                 | 6:00 pm                                                           | St. Edward (Spanish)                           | Pro Populo (For the people) | Danielle Cigainero                                                                                                        | Dusty Nichols          |
|                           |                                                                   |                                                |                             | George Cigainero                                                                                                          | Alvis Pate             |
|                           |                                                                   |                                                |                             | Theresa Colbert                                                                                                           | Lis Pennington         |
|                           |                                                                   |                                                |                             | Sheila Crossland                                                                                                          | Karen Peters           |
|                           |                                                                   |                                                |                             | Cathy Demets                                                                                                              | Anna Pickens           |
|                           |                                                                   |                                                |                             | Michelle Akin                                                                                                             | Cindy Putman           |
|                           |                                                                   |                                                |                             | Hannah Doan                                                                                                               | Joe Redden             |
|                           |                                                                   |                                                |                             | Jack Dodez                                                                                                                | Donna Reed             |
|                           |                                                                   |                                                |                             | Andrew & Brittany Downy                                                                                                   | Mac Richardson         |
|                           |                                                                   |                                                |                             | Victor Durand                                                                                                             | Laura Ríos             |
|                           |                                                                   |                                                |                             | Caroline Eckel                                                                                                            | Jacobo Rivera          |
|                           |                                                                   |                                                |                             | Jennifer Eckelkamp                                                                                                        | Joel Rivera            |
|                           |                                                                   |                                                |                             | Lynn Evans                                                                                                                | Jaxson Rivera          |
|                           |                                                                   |                                                |                             | Dave Farren                                                                                                               | Emily Roberts          |
|                           |                                                                   |                                                |                             | J. Marty Filogamo                                                                                                         | Sloan Roberts          |
|                           |                                                                   |                                                |                             | Wanda Foster                                                                                                              | Ted Roeser             |
|                           |                                                                   |                                                |                             | Marjean Freeman                                                                                                           | Sophia Rosas           |
|                           |                                                                   |                                                |                             | Ruth Gill                                                                                                                 | Jean Ruth              |
|                           |                                                                   |                                                |                             | Alexander Girdner                                                                                                         | Frances Sargosey       |
|                           |                                                                   |                                                |                             | Christina Glass                                                                                                           | Delores Sax            |
|                           |                                                                   |                                                |                             | Lindola Griffin                                                                                                           | Tambi Shirk            |
|                           |                                                                   |                                                |                             | Raymond Griffin                                                                                                           | Don Stanley            |
|                           |                                                                   |                                                |                             | Ana Guzmán                                                                                                                | Rhonda Steele          |
|                           |                                                                   |                                                |                             | Jan Guzman                                                                                                                | Lisa Tirrito           |
|                           |                                                                   |                                                |                             | Kinsley Hall                                                                                                              | Malisa Trovence        |
|                           |                                                                   |                                                |                             | Jeff Hallenbeck family                                                                                                    | Mike Tullos            |
|                           |                                                                   |                                                |                             | Mark Hallenbeck family                                                                                                    | Jenifer Unger          |
|                           |                                                                   |                                                |                             | Khadijah Harden                                                                                                           | Fr. Richard Walz OSB   |
|                           |                                                                   |                                                |                             | John Heath                                                                                                                | Jim Whiteside          |
|                           |                                                                   |                                                |                             | Lanie Heigle                                                                                                              | Tom & Loretta Williams |
|                           |                                                                   |                                                |                             | David & Patricia Henderson                                                                                                | Nancy Wilson           |
|                           |                                                                   |                                                |                             | Julian Carson Hooper                                                                                                      | Annette Wimberly       |
|                           |                                                                   |                                                |                             | Loretta Hopkins                                                                                                           | Lesa Young             |
|                           |                                                                   |                                                |                             | Rodney Jackson                                                                                                            |                        |
|                           |                                                                   |                                                |                             | If you know that someone on the list has passed away or no longer needs prayer, please call the church office. Thank you. |                        |
|                           |                                                                   |                                                |                             | The Outreach Center needs volunteers. Please contact Dcn. Leon if you can help.                                           |                        |
|                           |                                                                   |                                                |                             | El Centro de Asistencia necesita voluntarios. Favor comunicarse con el Diácono Leon si pudiera ayudar.                    |                        |
| Saturday, 5th             | 2nd Collection for St. Edward Catholic Charities Outreach         |                                                |                             | Outreach Clothes Closet Needs: Men's shoes, men's pants 30"- 40", men's shirts-all sizes, backpacks, reading glasses.     |                        |
| Sunday, 6th               | 2ª colecta para el Centro de Caridades Católicas de San Eduardo   |                                                |                             |                                                                                                                           |                        |
| Monday, 7th               | Labor Day - offices closed<br>Día del Trabajo - oficinas cerradas |                                                |                             |                                                                                                                           |                        |
| Wed, 9th                  | 6 am                                                              | Men's Prayer Breakfast at Johnny B's           |                             |                                                                                                                           |                        |
| Wed, 9th                  | 6 pm                                                              | OCIA - Order of Christian Initiation of Adults |                             |                                                                                                                           |                        |
| Wed, 9th                  | 6 pm                                                              | High School Youth Group                        |                             |                                                                                                                           |                        |
| Saturday, 12th            | 9 am                                                              | Lay Carmelite                                  |                             |                                                                                                                           |                        |
| Sunday, 13th              | 9:15 am                                                           | PRE starts                                     |                             |                                                                                                                           |                        |
|                           | 12 pm                                                             | Comienza la Doctrina                           |                             |                                                                                                                           |                        |

Presented by Fr. William Burmester:

# GOOD GRIEF

A retreat for widows and widowers.

**Date: September 12<sup>th</sup>****Time: 9am - 2pm****Location: Parish Hall****RSVP by: September 9<sup>th</sup>****Already Grieved Well?**

- Come and be a support for those currently in the grieving process.

**Are You Currently Grieving?**

- Learn how to live with grief and find comfort, hope, and God's presence along the journey.

**What to Expect:**

- 9:00am Mass
- Breakfast & Lunch covered
- Fellowship
- Find Support and Resources
- Meaningful Talks
- Time for Prayer & Reflection



**TO RSVP BY SEPT 9<sup>TH</sup>.**  
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Classes in English are 9:15—10:45 am

Please register your children NOW, before the first day.

Por favor, registre a sus hijos ahora, antes del primer día.

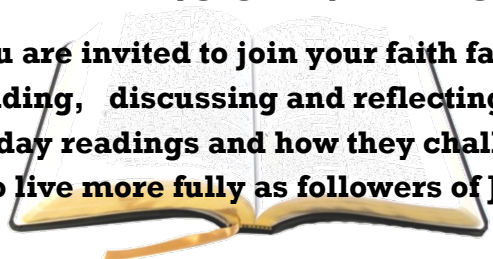
Las clases de español son de 12 pm– 1:30pm

Clase para Adultos en el salón 13

¡Ven a ayudarnos a elegir el tema que te  
gustaría aprender para fortalecer su fe,  
el amor al Señor y su Iglesia!

## BREAKING OPEN THE WORD

You are invited to join your faith family in reading, discussing and reflecting on the Sunday readings and how they challenge us to live more fully as followers of Jesus!



## Catechesis & Coffee

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**9:00 AM - 2:00 PM**

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## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

|                  |                                                                         |
|------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Monday</b>    | 1 Cor 5:1-8; Ps 5:5-6, 7, 12; Lk 6:6-11                                 |
| <b>Tuesday</b>   | Mt 5:1-4a or Rom 8:28-30; Ps 13:6ab, 6c; Mt 1:1-16, 18-23 or Mt 1:18-23 |
| <b>Wednesday</b> | 1 Cor 7:25-31; Ps 45:11-12, 14-15, 16-17; Lk 6:20-26                    |
| <b>Thursday</b>  | 1 Cor 8:1b-7, 11-13; Ps 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 23-24; Lk 6:27-38            |
| <b>Friday</b>    | 1 Cor 9:16-19, 22b-27; Ps 84:3, 4, 5-6, 12; Lk 6:39-42                  |
| <b>Saturday</b>  | 1 Cor 10:14-22; Ps 116:12-13, 17-18; Lk 6:43-49                         |
| <b>Sunday</b>    | Sir 27:30-28:7; Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12; Rom 14:7-9; Mt 18:21-35   |

## LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

|                  |                                                                              |
|------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Lunes</b>     | 1 Cor 5, 1-8; Sal 5, 5-6. 7. 12; Lc 6, 6-11                                  |
| <b>Martes</b>    | Mi 5, 1-4a o Rom 8, 28-30; Sal 12, 6ab. 6cd; Mt 1, 1-16. 18-23 o Mt 1, 18-23 |
| <b>Miércoles</b> | 1 Cor 7, 25-31; Sal 44, 11-12. 14-15. 16-17; Lc 6, 20-26                     |
| <b>Jueves</b>    | 1 Cor 8, 1-13; Sal 138, 1b-3. 13-14ab. 23-24; Lc 6, 27-38                    |
| <b>Viernes</b>   | 1 Cor 9, 16-19. 22-27; Sal 83, 3. 4. 5-6. 12; Lc 6, 39-42                    |
| <b>Sábado</b>    | 1 Cor 10, 14-22; Sal 115, 12-13. 17-18; Lc 6, 43-49                          |
| <b>Domingo</b>   | Ecl 27, 30—28, 7; Sal 102, 1-2. 3-4. 9-10. 11-12; Rom 14, 7-9; Mt 18, 21-35  |

All aboard for our Hot Meal Mamas (and some Papas) Meal Train! Please consider joining in this fun ministry that blesses our wonderful priests with a meal or two during the week. You can home-cook it, order from a restaurant, or whatever suits you, your family, and your schedule—just sign the sheets at the entrances and you will be contacted with more information. Thank you!

The collection for the weekend 8/8-9 is as follows:

|             |             |
|-------------|-------------|
| Regular     | \$14,501.17 |
| Calvary     | 500         |
| Outreach    | 1,666.14    |
| Building    | 6,726       |
| Youth       | 33          |
| Diocesan    | 5           |
| K. C. Coats | 3,156       |

The collection for the weekend 8/15-16 is as follows:

|          |          |
|----------|----------|
| Regular  | \$ 9,546 |
| Calvary  | 500      |
| Outreach | 502      |
| Building | 566      |
| Youth    | 200      |
| Diocesan | 2,971    |

The collection for the weekend 8/22-23 is as follows:

|          |              |
|----------|--------------|
| Regular  | \$ 10,079.86 |
| Calvary  | 500          |
| Outreach | 155          |
| Building | 15,268.08    |
| Youth    | 494          |



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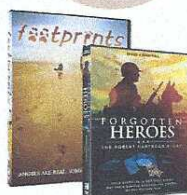


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