



Saint Edward Catholic Church

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Week of February 14 - 20, 2021
The Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

PARISH STAFF:

Rev. Peter O'Brien - Pastor
Rev. Mr. Richard Triska - Deacon
Teresa Greenly - Office Manager
Marilyn Saether - Pre-K - 5th Grade
- Youth Ministry 6th - 8th
- Youth Ministry 9th - 12th
Randy Chrestensen - Maintenance

MASS:

Saturday Vigil 5:15 PM
Sunday 10:30 AM
Spanish Mass Sunday 1:00 PM

Daily Mass - Chapel

Rosary & Divine Office 7:20 AM
• Wed - Mass 8:00 AM
• Thurs - Mass 9:00am
• Fri - 12:00 - Mass & Adoration

RECONCILIATION:

Saturday 3:30 - 5:00 PM
Anytime by Appointment

BAPTISMS:

Classes Required - Contact Office

MARRIAGES:

Contact the office six (6) months
beforehand

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK:

Friday after Noon Mass

RCIA (RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS)

Wednesday's 7:00 pm in the
Community Room

October-May

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: 541.258.2224

Sunday Gatherings and Classes:
Pre K - 5 12:00 - 12:50 PM
Grade 6-12 5:30 - 8:00 PM

NEW PARISHIONERS

We are happy to have you in our Faith Family.
Please fill out an information card either on our
website, or at the back of the church and drop it in
the collection basket or take it to the office.

THANK YOU AND WELCOME



6TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

He said to him, "See that you tell no one anything, but go, show yourself to the priest and offer for your cleansing what Moses prescribed; that will be proof for them." The man went away and began to publicize the whole matter. He spread the report abroad so that it was impossible for Jesus to enter a town openly. - Mk 1:44-45b

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OFFICE HOURS:

Mondays - Office Closed
Tuesday - Friday - 8am - 1:00pm

Our Parish Mission Statement

We, the Faithful of St. Edward Catholic Church, are called through prayer and worship to make Jesus Christ known and loved in our respect and care for each other in our hospitality and charity for all people.

THIS WEEK

Sun. 10:30am MASS
 1:00pm MASS SPANISH
 Mon. 9:00am St. Vincent de Paul
 Wed. NOON MASS-Ash Wed.
 6:30pm RCIA
 7:30pm MASS Ash Wed.
 Thurs. 9:00am MASS
 9:30am Adoration
 NOON Benediction
 Fri. NOON MASS
 5:30pm Stations of the Cross
 6:00pm Soup Supper
 Sat. 3:30-5pm Reconciliation
 5:15pm MASS
 Sun. 10:30am MASS
 1:00pm MASS SPANISH

**WEEKEND MASS
 SCHEDULE AT SCIO
 EVERY SUNDAY AT 8:30AM**

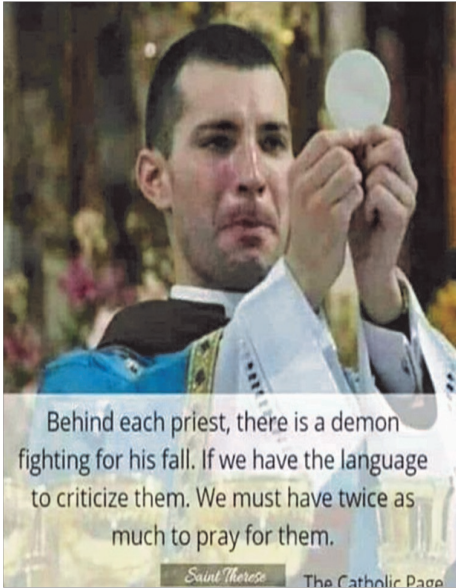
Formed
 Led by the Spirit
 Daily Lenten Reflections
 with Dr. Tim Gray
 This is a simple Lenten plan for everyone to focus on the daily Mass readings: explanation and commentary by renowned scripture scholar Dr. Tim Gray. It's simple; just go to formed.org/lent and enter your email and click on the sign up button and you are ready to go.

Please pray for peace and comfort for the following brothers and sisters who are shut-ins:
 Dolores Edwards Irene La Pointe
 Irene James Isabel Meyer
 Muriel Knott Terri Nelson

**Ash Wednesday
 February 17**
 Masses: Noon & 7:30pm
 Scio: 5:30pm

Friday Lenten Schedule
 Mass - Noon
 Stations of the Cross - 5:30pm
 Soup Supper - 6:00pm

Lenten Regulations
 All Catholics 14 years & older must abstain from meat on Fridays of Lent, Ash Wednesday & Good Friday.
 All Catholics between 18 & 59 are to fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday.
 To fast means to eat one full meal; the other two meals that day should be less than the normal amount unless they are already at a minimum for good health. Eating between meals is not permitted: however, liquids including coffee, milk and fruit juices are allowed.



**LOOK What's Happening
 In Our Youth Corner**
 Feb. 21 - Pre-K - 5th Grade Classes
 Feb. 27 - SET Jr. & Sr. High Group
 Mar. 7 - Pre-K - 5th Grade Classes

End of Mass

Question: Is it ever Ok to leave Mass before it ends?
Answer: This is an interesting question because beneath the surface there seems to be an assumption that if it's okay, then why do we have to stay after we receive communion? The short answer is "no," but we definitely want to go a bit deeper as we consider why.

First, when we think about questions like this, we must consider this in adult terms. If there is something gravely important that we need to do, then we must attend to that. However, if it is a matter of convenience or preference, then we really have to stop and think again. First, while we always want to recognize the importance of sacramental communion in the Mass, we also need to understand how important the time of thanksgiving and prayer after communion is. This is summarized in the Prayer After Communion offered by the celebrant and then we are also commissioned to "Go forth" during the Dismissal of the Mass, reminding us that we have been entrusted with a gift — the Word of God and the Presence of Christ in the sacrament — and that we are to share that gift with others.

If we simply leave after we receive communion, we risk two things. First, there is the possibility that we will turn our reception of communion into a purely personal, individual experience that is separated from our common experience of worship — and communion in the fullest sense — and, second, we lose an opportunity for gratitude and serious reflection if we simply leave after communion. This time of thanksgiving, reflection, and, ultimately, missioning, are important and, in the end, an essential part of the celebration of the Mass. LPI

COLLECTION RECEIPTS		The week of 2/1/20 - 2/7/2021	
General Fund		Restricted Funds	
Sunday & New Year Collection	\$8,747.85	Maintenance Fund	\$740.00
Votive Candles	\$16.33	Scholarship Fund	\$60.00
Religious Ed.	\$15.00	Parish Expansion Fund	\$125.00
Other Income	\$78.00		
TOTAL (Thank You)	\$8,857.18	TOTAL (Thank You)	\$925.00
Amount Needed each Week	\$5,269.00	stedwardlebanon.org → Donate	

From the Desk of Fr. Peter

Peace and grace to all!

Both the first and second readings this weekend refer to how those suffering with the effects of sin should be treated. In the first reading, the individual with a sore is to present himself to the priest for inspection, and the priest is supposed to determine whether or not the individual is unclean. In those days, there was a lot of fear and concern for contagious diseases and due to that, there were many declared unclean and ostracized from the community even if they didn't have leprosy. The people avoided them and shunned them--mostly out of fear and ignorance. This came at a time when the person afflicted needed support and assistance the most! Imagine if you got sick and as a result, everyone rejected you. Of course one of the allegorical meanings of leprosy is sin and in this case, it is a serious sin that separates someone from the life-giving presence of the community. The leper in the story has enough courage to approach Jesus and make a request in faith. When everyone else turned away, Jesus remained unafraid and compassionate. That is because Jesus did not come to condemn, but to save! Jesus came to be the bridge, the transcendence that crosses over the chasm that fear, ignorance and sin have brought into our lives. Fear, ignorance, bigotry, hardheartedness, isolation and marginalization are realities in the lives of people today. It includes the poor, the sick, the migrant, the addict, the prostitute, the post abortive, the abused, those of different cultures and faith traditions than our own, and those who do not yet understand the Gospel of Life. For many, there is an inclination to be hard of heart, reject and ostracize others who have a different perspective than our own; just look at Big Tech and the mainstream media. The challenge against such an attitude, is to not let the darkness take over our hearts and prevent us from reaching out to others. If we separate ourselves from the Church, we separate ourselves from Jesus and we cannot bring the healing that Jesus wants to work through us. It also requires us to be mature in our personal dispositions and faith so that we too may experience healing and grow in holiness. God bless you all!+++ Fr. Peter

WorldWide MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER:

"He cured many who were sick with various diseases." Is your marriage suffering from lack of communication or kindnesses? Are you looking for a way to bring your marriage back to its fullness. Jesus can cure all! The next Virtual Experiences are on February 19-21, 2021, and April 17-18, 2021. To apply for YOUR WWME Experience or search other dates go to rediscoverthepark.org. For information about WWME call 503-853-2758 or by email reservations@rediscoverthepark.org

 Repent, and believe in the Gospel

Readings for the week of February 14, 2021

Sunday: Lv 13:1-2, 44-46/Ps 32:1-2, 5, 11 [7]/1 Cor 10:31—11:1/Mk 1:40-45
 Monday: Gn 4:1-15, 25/Ps 50:1 and 8, 16bc-17, 20-21 [14a]/Mk 8:11-13
 Tuesday: Gn 6:5-8; 7:1-5, 10/Ps 29:1a and 2, 3ac-4, 3b and 9c-10 [11b]/Mk 8:14-21
 Wednesday: Jl 2:12-18/Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 12-13, 14 and 17 [cf. 3a]/2 Cor 5:20—6:2/Mt 6:1-6, 16-18
 Thursday: Dt 30:15-20/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6 [Ps 40:5a]/Lk 9:22-25
 Friday: Is 58:1-9a/Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 18-19 [19b]/Mt 9:14-15
 Saturday: Is 58:9b-14/Ps 86:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 [11ab]/Lk 5:27-32
 Next Sunday: Gn 9:8-15/Ps 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [cf. 10]/1 Pt 3:18-22/Mk 1:12-15

Observances for the week of February 14, 2021

Sunday: 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time; World Marriage Day; Valentine's Day
 Monday: Presidents' Day
 Wednesday: Ash Wednesday
 Next Sunday: 1st Sunday of Lent

St. Edward Young Adult Ministry

Sunday, February 14

3-5pm In the Community Room at St. Edward.

TOPIC: Single, Dating & Marriage Discussion
 Open to Catholic & Non Catholic, ages 21 - 39.

Happy Birthday

February 14 - 20, 2021

Richard Hernandez 2/16 Xavier Macedo 2/20
 Jan Howe 2/14 Brian Mahoney 2/18
 Henry Kasner 2/14 Lucas Masog 2/17
 Cassandra Kragness 2/19

MASS INTENTIONS

February 14 - 21, 2021

Sun.	10:30am 1:00pm	Siobhan Triska+ / Lisa Stellbrink Parishioners of St. Edward, St. Thomas & St. Bernard
Wed.	Noon 7:30pm	Siobhan Triska+ / Family RCIA Participants /
Thurs.	9:00am	Danilo Ducusin+ / Family
Fri.	NOON	Danilo Ducusin+ / Family
Sat.	5:15pm	Tom+ & Marceil+ Alley / Family
Sun.	10:30am	Ron Baker+/Bob & Joanne Scott