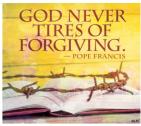
# Saint Edward Catholic Church

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# Week of February 28 ~ Mar. 6, 2021 SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

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

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- 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

<u>October-May</u>

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



# 2<sup>ND</sup> SUNDAY OF LENT

Then a cloud came, casting a shadow over them; from the cloud came a voice, "This is my beloved Son. Listen to him." Suddenly, looking around, they no longer saw anyone but Jesus alone with them. - Mk 9:7-8

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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	. 8:00am	MASS
	6:30pm	RCIA
Thur	s. 9:00am	MASS
	9:30am	Adoration
	NOON	Benediction
	7:00pm	K of C Meeting
Fri.	NOON	MASS
	5:30pm	<b>Stations of the Cross</b>
	6:00pm	NO Soup Supper
Sat.	9:00am	Mass-1st Saturday
	3:30-5pm	Reconciliation
	5:15pm	MASS
Sun.	10:30am	MASS
	1:00pm	MASS SPANISH

# WEEKEND MASS & STATIONS SCHEDULE AT SCIO

EVERY THURSDAY DURING LENT – 6PM CONFESSION, ROSARY, CHAPLET – MASS 6:30PM EVERY SUNDAY AT 8:30AM

"Christ has no body now but yours. No hands, no feet on earth but yours. Yours are the eyes through which he looks with compassion on this world.

Yours are the feet with which he walks to do good. Yours are the hands through which he blesses all the world.

Yours are the hands, yours are the feet, yours are the eyes, you are his body.

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	ntact Roger Maurer at 541-451- 01 or 541-570-8886.
5	First Saturday Masses March 6, 2021 Rosary will begin at 8:30am Mass begins at 9:00am
	Friday Lenten Schedule Mass - Noon Stations of the Cross - 5:30pm Soup Supper - 6:00pm

Knights of Columbus

**Next Meeting** 

March 4th at 7:00pm

If you are interested in joining,

Stations	<u>Soup</u>
Mar. 5 CDA	NO
Mar. 12 Choir	YES
Mar. 19 K of C	YES
Mar. 26 Spanish/RCIA	NO

Archbishop's Catholic Appeal Last weekend was commitment weekend for the 2021 Archbishop's Catholic Appeal. Our parish goal is 22,677.48. If you have not already done so please complete your pledge card, indicating your gift or pledge to our Catholic Church in Western Oregon.

There are envelopes at the Welcome Center and in all the envelope areas.

Please pray for peace and comfort for<br/>the following brothers and sisters who<br/>are shut-ins:Irene JamesIsabel MeyerMuriel KnottTerri Nelson<br/>Irene LaPointeIrene Plinski

LC OK What's Happening In Our Youth Corner Feb. 27 - SET Jr. & Sr. High Group Mar. 7 - Pre-K - 5th Grade Classes Mar. 13 - SET Jr. & Sr. High Group

## EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP -RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS

#### When Sacrifice Becomes Mundane

It seems to happen every year, like clockwork: we drag a bit, as we enter into the second week of Lent. On Ash Wednesday, we feel a bit like soldiers banging our shields, rushing into battle. "We're ready, God!" our hearts cry out. "Transform us through sacrifice! Your will be done!"

But by now, these Lenten resolutions are no longer novelties — they've joined the ranks of everyday inconveniences, which somehow are the hardest to bear. Because transformation, in real life, happens in inches, just as a battle is won slowly in the crash of one sword against another. It's not always a dramatic thing, to the naked eye. It's the perseverance in prayer despite weariness, or the continual denial of some pleasure even though there's that nagging voice in our minds saying: go ahead, God doesn't really mind.

It's a week when we all need a shock to the system — and wouldn't you know it, this Sunday God gives us a doublewhammy of dramatic sacrificial scenes. We picture Abraham, who also cried "Ready!" when God called, never imagining what He would ask: the surrender of his long-awaited son. We see Christ himself transfigured, as God shows us what He is ready to give up for love of us.

We must remain committed, persevering daily in acknowledging that everything belongs to God. What we sacrifice, we simply give back to Him.

If God is for us, who can be against us? Can we still reply, "Ready!" when we hear the call of God?

S			The week of 2/15/20 - 2/21/2021	
<b>General Fund</b>			<b>Restricted Funds</b>	
Sunday & New Year Collection		\$3,304.00	Maintenance Fund	\$285.00
Votive Candles		\$44.07	Scholarship Fund	\$25.00
Religious Ed.		\$15.00	Parish Expansion Fund	\$15.00
Easter Flowers		\$225.00	_	
Lightl	house CD's	\$12.00		
TOTAL (Thank You)		\$3,600.07	TOTAL (Thank You)	\$325.00
Amount Needed each Week \$5,269.00		stedwardlebanon.org → Donate		

— Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS ©LPi

# From the Desk of Fr. Peter

Peace and grace to you all!

The event of the Transfiguration was for Jesus and his disciples a dazzling and affirming memory. Most of us have had moments of glory in our lives in which we have felt blessed, affirmed and strengthened. These memories are imprinted in us and they never fade or leave. I remember my best friend who received the Most Valuable Plaver Award for his outstanding performance through a basketball tournament when we were in High School. He was given a trophy that he still has! Fr. Craig Boly's mother Frances was chosen as the Rose Oueen in 1939 and I know first-hand that it remained a dazzling memory for her!

There have also been moments of extreme awkwardness and discomfort due to misunderstandings, illnesses or mistakes. The Transfiguration provides a contrasting back-drop of dazzling beauty against deformity, horror and ugliness for Jesus and ourselves. For Jesus, it was being arrested amidst false accusations, gross miscarriage of justice, abuse of power, brutal beating and horrible disfigurement of his body by being crucified. For ourselves, it reminds us of our own beauty and glory even though there are failures and struggles in life with injustices, betraval, illnesses or when bad things happen to us or our friends or family and we have no control.

It reminds me of the day my friend William Manfield informed me that he was dving of cancer. The day was bright, sunny and warm while we sat on a park bench in Victoria watching ships and boats pass by in the Straight of Juan de Fuca: it was a lovely day and William still had the glow of life and love showing through him. In the months that followed, that glow faded away as his body was disfigured by the disease and finally by death. It is hard for us to encounter things like that but such times help us to remember what is important and how to cherish those memories.

In the Transfiguration, God gives us an image that far surpasses any earthly glory. It shows God's vision of the human person restored and fully alive! That's who Jesus is! This directs us in faith to the object of our final hope. Like Jesus, we know that our mortal lives are passing, but there is a resplendent, glorious, and eternal life to come! The memories we have can help to anchor our hope in God's faithful promises. The knowledge and belief of Jesus' commitment to God's will leads to final triumph over sin and strengthens us! It firmly sets our moral compass to follow Jesus the guiding star of our lives when darkness surrounds us. Abraham Trusted God in the midst of extreme difficulty. Jesus was obedient to God even when it meant losing his friends and laying down his life. God is asking us to trust and be obedient too. How do your memories help you love, let go and live for God? May God bless you always!+++ Fr. Peter

## **Lenten Reconciliation Opportunities**

Friday, March 5 from 3 - 5:00pm - Fr. Matias helping Friday, March 12 from 3 - 5:00pm - Fr. Francisco helping Tuesday, March 16 from 5 - 7:00pm - Fr. Victor helping Tuesday, March 23 from 5 - 7:00pm - Fr. Peter Only ALSO, every Saturday from 3:30 - 5:00pm

## Readings for the week of February 28, 2021

Sunday: Gn 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18/Ps 116:10, 15, 16-17, 18-19 [9]/Rom 8:31b-34/Mk 9:2-10

Monday: Dn 9:4b-10/Ps 79:8, 9 11 and 13 [cf. 103:10a]/Lk 6:36-38

Tuesday: Is 1:10, 16-20/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23 [23b]/Mt 23:1-12

Wednesday: Jer 18:18-20/Ps 31:5-6, 14, 15-16 [17b]/Mt 20:17-28

Thursday: Jer 17:5-10/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6 [40:5a]/Lk 16:19 -31

Friday: Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a/Ps 105:16-17, 18-19, 20-21 [5a]/Mt 21:33-43, 45-46

Saturday: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12 [8a]/Lk 15:1-3, 11-32

Next Sunday: Ex 20:1-17 or 20:1-3, 7-8, 12-17/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11 [Jn 6:68c]/1 Cor 1:22-25/Jn 2:13-25 or Ex 17:3-7/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9 [8]/Rom 5:1-2, 5-8/Jn 4:5-42 or 4:5-15. 19b-26, 39a, 40-42

## **Observances for the week of February 28, 2021**

Sunday: 2nd Sunday of Lent Wednesday: St. Katharine Drexel, Virgin Thursday: St. Casimir Next Sunday: 3rd Sunday of Lent

#### St. Edward Young Adult Ministry Sunday, February 28

3-5pm In the Community Room at St. Edward. **TOPIC:** Catholic vs Non-Catholic Peaceful Discussion Open to Catholic & Non Catholic, ages 21 - 39.

## Happy Birthday

February 28 - Mar. 6, 2021 Tom Diamantine 3/6 Sandy Johnson 3/1

Conner McIntosh 3/3 Becky Jones 3/6

#### **MASS INTENTIONS** February 28 - March 7, 2021

Sun.	10:30am 1:00pm	Siobhan Triska+ / Pat Barth Parishioners of St. Edward, St. Thomas & St. Bernard
Wed.	8:00am	Danilo Ducusin+ / Family
Thurs.	9:00am	Sherri Ozarowicz+/Paul Osterman
Fri.	NOON	Siobhan Triska+/Teresa Greenly
Sat.	9:00am 5:15pm	Charlie & Jackie Vandehey/Marilyn Danilo Ducusin+ / Family
Sun.	10:30am	Henry Kasner/Advent Angel