



# Saint Edward Catholic Church

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Week of July 18 - 24, 2021  
Sixteenth 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 – Main Church

Rosary & Divine Office 7:20 AM  
• Wed – Mass 8:00 AM  
• Thurs - Mass 9:00am Adoration 9:30  
• Fri – Mass NOON

## 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 6:30 pm in the Community  
Room

October-May

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: 541.258.2224

Sunday Gatherings and Classes:  
Pre K-5 - 1st & 3rd Sun. 12:00 –12:50 PM  
Grade 6-12-2nd & 4th Sat. 3:30-4:45PM

## 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**



## 16<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

When he disembarked and saw the vast crowd, his heart was  
moved with pity for them, for they were like sheep without a  
shepherd; and he began to teach them many things. - Mk 6:34

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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.*

# Hospitality Corner



**THISWEEK**  
Young Adult Group

**NEXT SUNDAY**  
Catholic Daughters

## THIS WEEK

**Sun. 10:30am MASS**  
**1:00pm MASS SPANISH**

**Mon. 9:00am St. Vincent de Paul**  
**9:00am Bazaar Workshop**

**Tues. 7:00pm SJ Diego Men's Grp**

**Wed. 8:00am MASS**

**Thurs. 9:00am MASS**  
**9:30am Adoration**  
**NOON Benediction**


**Fri. NOON MASS**

**Sat. 3:30-5pm Reconciliation**  
**5:15pm MASS**

**Sun. 10:30am MASS**  
**1:00pm MASS - SPANISH**

**WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE**  
**AT SCIO & JEFFERSON**

Scio - 1st, 3rd, 5th Sunday 8:30am  
Jefferson - 2nd & 4th Sunday 8:30am



**American Red Cross** | Blood Services


The Lebanon Knights of Columbus are sponsoring a Red Cross Blood Drive on **Monday, August 23rd** in our parish hall. The drive runs from noon - 5 pm. To donate you must make an appointment. The appointments are at 15 minute intervals. You can either make an appointment on-line by going to <https://www.redcrossblood.org/give.html/find-drive> or contact Roger Maurer at 541-570-8886.

**Scholarship Thank You**  
Thank You, St. Edward!  
Hi, my name is Alyssa Berg, and I am blessed to receive the Rev. Paul P. Maher, OMI St. Edward Catholic Church Scholarship. I will be attending Film Connection Film Institute to study film production and editing. I would love to create videos to entertain others as my profession. I also plan on pursuing dance as well as continuing my jewelry business Aquila-Pacific. Dance is a true passion of mine, and I love being creative. I am very excited to start the next adventure in my life and am so thankful for the support from the St. Edward community. The generous donation I received will help me with film school. I have been attending St. Edward since I was in third grade. And I will be forever grateful to the St. Edward parish for helping me start my new life journey.

Sincerely,  
Alyssa Berg

**St. Edward Women**

You are invited to a faith and friendship evening Thursday, July 29th at 6pm at the home of Mary Lou Belozzer. We will share in a potluck style dinner and fellowship. All are invited to come. More info to follow. For more info contact Tawny Pruet at 541-409-4009.



**Pro-Life Tidings**

**"Since the first century the Church has affirmed the moral evil of every procured abortion. This teaching has not changed and remains unchangeable." (CCC2271)**

## EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP - RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS

**The Steward's Work Is Never Done**

Woe to the shepherds who mislead and scatter the flock! When you hear these strong words from the Old Testament, you're probably thinking, thank goodness I don't have any sheep — dodged that bullet. Nobody misled here! No flock scattered on my watch! However, we are all shepherds of a kind, called to tend our own sheep: our families, our parishes, our communities.

But it's exhausting. Don't we all sometimes just want to take a break from being a steward? The excuses are so familiar: we're tired, we've done enough, we've given all we can, what more does the parish (or my spouse, or my kids, or my boss, or my friends, or my community) want? We give ourselves permission to be selfish. So, what if the flock scatters just a little?

Jesus gets that. We can just imagine him weary with exhaustion, can't we? We see him on his boat, attempting to sneak away for a quick break — maybe just a chance to eat a bite of food in peace. He is God, but he was still human, after all. Even the most dedicated shepherds need to sleep. But people couldn't leave him alone. They were hungry for him. They needed what he could offer, and they needed it now.

As tough as it is, that's the example we are tasked with imitating. Everyday Stewardship demands accountability. It demands our showing up even when we are tired. It demands that we look at our lives, our time, our energies, our talents, our hearts, our bank accounts and think: where do I still have more to give? — Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS ©LPi

COLLECTION RECEIPTS		The week of 7/5 - 7/11/2021	
<b>General Fund</b>		<b>Restricted Funds</b>	
Sunday Collection	\$2,995.68	Maintenance Fund	\$985.00
Votive Candles	\$11.00	Scholarship Fund	\$10.00
Coffee & Donuts	\$48.35	Parish Expansion Fund	\$125.00
Religious Ed.	\$15.00		
Other Income	\$75.00		
<b>TOTAL (Thank You)</b>	<b>\$3,145.03</b>	<b>TOTAL (Thank You)</b>	<b>\$1,120.00</b>
<b>Amount Needed each Week</b>	<b>\$5,269.00</b>	<b>stedwardlebanon.org → Donate</b>	

Please pray for peace and comfort for the following brothers and sisters who are shut-ins:

Isabel Meyer	Wilbur Reiling
Terri Nelson	Grace Schumacher
Irene Plinski	Jay White

## From the Desk of Fr. Peter

Peace to you!

In a way, this Sunday could be called Good Shepherd Sunday because Jesus felt pity for the people who seemed like sheep without a shepherd.

In the Gospel story this weekend Jesus and the disciples don't get much rest between the demands of the crowds. One thing that stands out is what Jesus said to his partners in ministry: "come away by yourselves to a deserted place and rest a while." God knows how important it is that we take care of ourselves and get some rest. That's because we are human and we all need a chance to recharge our batteries!

Sunday is our principal day to come to the Lord for blessing, renewal and rest as a community. Many of us have perhaps been wearied by the tedium of the week and we need God's strength and to be revitalized through the Eucharist. We all experience spiritual renewal in our souls and we are sanctified, made holy, by participating in the Eucharist. This is the new energy and joy that comes with the Eucharist. We also enjoy communion with the community by getting a cup of coffee, a donut and some conversation with other people in our faith community. We're ready for another week of whatever comes next and we're happy about it! It's amazing how the Lord calls us, nourishes us and sends us out again and again to be his messengers! After living this pattern and enjoying the goodness it brings to life, it's hard to imagine that anyone would choose to separate themselves from the Word and Sacraments of Christ.

In the first reading the prophet is sent to call the people back to God. The leaders of God's people decided to shoot the messenger so-to-speak and reject his call. Things deteriorated after that and the country fell into civil war followed by foreign invasion/occupation and captivity. 500 years later the attitude of the leaders in Jesus' day was unchanged: they crucified Jesus rather than listen to him. Then civil war erupted and their temple was razed to the ground. Today, over 2000 years later, a Muslim Mosque stands in the place of Solomon's Temple.

The people Jesus meets in the Gospel are outside of the towns because they are not finding what they need in town. At least they knew enough to search for what they needed!

As leaders, whether of a faith community, civil community, state or country, we have to know that we need to come away to hear God's voice, to rest in his love and grace, to be nourished and strengthened by him. We need to be led and fed by God so that we can lead and feed others in the right way. If the leaders don't listen and follow, how can they expect others to listen and follow? If God is not listened to, people go the wrong way, greed, avarice, lust, evil, destruction and war result. Perhaps you know someone who could use some divine nourishment. Invite them to come and encounter Jesus, the Good Shepherd! God bless you always!+++ Fr. Peter

## Happy Birthday July 18 - 24 2021

Remedios Bertalot 7/22  
JoAnne Burns 7/22  
Gertrude DeButts 7/18  
Glen Holland 7/21  
Eileen Houston 7/22

Vickie Jenkins 7/23  
Sarah Martinez 7/24  
Pearl Nysewander 7/21  
Harry Wilson 7/18

## Readings for the week of July 18, 2021

Sunday: Jer 23:1-6/Ps 23:1-3, 3-4, 5, 6 [1]/Eph 2:13-18/Mk 6:30-34

Monday: Ex 14:5-18/Ex 15:1bc,-2, 3-4, 5-6 [1b]/Mt 12:38-42

Tuesday: Ex 14:21—15:1/Ex 15:8-9, 10 and 12, 17 [1b]/Mt 12:46-50

Wednesday: Ex 16:1-5, 9-15/Ps 78:18-19, 23-24, 25-26, 27-28 [24b]/Mt 13:1-9

Thursday: Sg 3:1-4b or 2 Cor 5:14-17/Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9 [2]/Jn 20:1-2, 11-18

Friday: Ex 20:1-17/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11 [cf. Jn 6:68c]/Mt 13:18-23

Saturday: Ex 24:3-8/Ps 50:1b-2, 5-6, 14-15 [14a]/Mt 13:24-30

Next Sunday: 2 Kgs 4:42-44/Ps 145:10-11, 15-16, 17-18 [cf. 16]/Eph 4:1-6/Jn 6:1-15

## Observances for the week of July 18, 2021

Sunday: 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Tuesday: St. Apollinaris, Bishop and Martyr

Wednesday: St. Lawrence of Brindisi, Priest and Doctor of the Church

Thursday: St. Mary Magdalene

Friday: St. Bridget, Religious

Saturday: St. Sharbel Makhlūf, Priest; BVM

Next Sunday: 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

## Vacation Bible School

### Marvelous Mystery \* The Mass Comes Alive

Dates: August 2 - 6, 2021

Time: 9:00am - 12-Noon

Who: Students Entering Kindergarten - 5th Grade

Fee: NO CHARGE

Registration begins the weekend of July 17 & 18 after all the Masses & 8am until 12noon Wednesday - Friday in the office. Please pre-register your student so that ample food and craft supplies can be ordered and prepared. A light snack will be served during the morning. Due to the uncertainty of the covid restrictions, registration is limited to St. Edward parishioners and their families and friends.

## MASS INTENTIONS

July 18 - 25, 2021

Sun.	10:30am 1:00pm	Ron Baker+/Knights of Columbus Parishioners of St. Edward, St. Thomas & St. Bernard
Wed.	8:00am	Ronda Froemke+ / Teresa Greenly
Thurs.	9:00am	Siobhan Triska+ / Family
Fri.	NOON	Gerald Johnson+/Knights of Columbus
Sat.	5:15pm	Tom+ & Marceil+ Alley / Family
Sun.	10:30am	Rose Nixon+/Betty Dadey