



Saint Edward Catholic Church

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*A Happy and Blessed
New Year to each and
every one of you!*

Week of December 26 ~ Jan. 1, 2022
The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph

PARISH STAFF:

Rev. Peter O'Brien – Pastor

Rev. Mr. Richard Triska – Deacon

Teresa Greenly – Office Manager

Marilyn Saether – Pre-K - 5th Grade

Floyd & Samantha-Youth Ministry 6-8th

Rich & Tish-Youth Ministry 9th - 12th

Randy Chrestensen- Maintenance

WEEKEND MASSES:

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- Every Other Sun. 3 - 4:30pm

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



THE HOLY FAMILY

After three days they found him in the temple, sitting in the midst of the teachers,
listening to them and asking them questions, and all who heard him were astounded
at his understanding and his answers. - Lk 2:46-47

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

OFFICE HOURS:

Mondays - Office Closed

Tuesday - Friday - 8am - NOON

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
NO COFFEE & DONUTS

NEXT SUNDAY
NO COFFEE & DONUTS

THIS WEEK

Sun. 10:30am MASS - Bilingual
1:00pm NO Spanish MASS
Mon. 9:00am St. Vincent de Paul
Tue. 7:00pm SJ Diego Men's Grp
Wed. 11:00am MASS - Funeral
6:30pm NO RCIA Class
Thurs. 9:00am MASS
9:30am Adoration
NOON Benediction
7:00pm SJD Women's Gr
Fri. NOON Mass
Sat. 8:30am Rosary 1st Saturday
9:00am 1st Saturday Mass
3:30-5pm Reconciliation
5:15pm MASS
Sun. 10:30am MASS
1:00pm MASS - SPANISH

PRAYER FOR HEALING AND PEACE IN THE FAMILY

Lord Jesus, my family needs Your help today. We need Your peace and tranquility, an end to discord. Give us strength and compassion to understand each other, wisdom and love to help each other, and the trust and patience we need to live peacefully together. Grant that, through the intercession of Your mother, Mary, and St. Joseph, our family too may become a holy family, a family that works together as one, a family that embraces peace and love, a family whose members are dedicated to each other and to You. AMEN.

Olive Wood from Bethlehem

We will be having olive wood carvings available for purchase after all masses the weekend of January 1st & 2nd. The proceeds are to support Christian Catholic families in the Holy Land since it is the major source of income for them there. More than 75 families in Bethlehem hand carve these items. They are very beautiful and unique items. (Nativities, crucifixes, Rosaries, Statues). The Christian population has dropped from 22% to less than 2% in the past two decades. This is a way to support them so that they can stay there. Thank you for your help and support.

Funeral

Please pray for the soul of

Nadine Greiner

who the Lord has called home.
may Eternal Light shine upon her,
may she rest in peace.

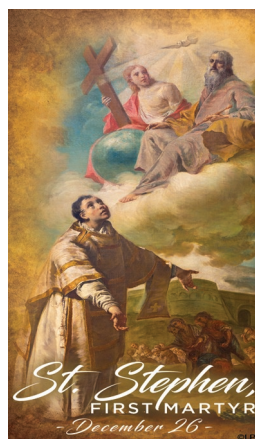
Rosary: Wed., Dec. 29th at 10:30am

Funeral Mass Wed., Dec. 29 at 11am

5 First Saturday Masses January 1, 2022

Rosary will begin at 8:30am

Mass begins at 9:00am



LOOK What's Happening In Our Youth Corner

Dec. 26 - NO Pre-K - 5th grade Classes

NO SET Jr/Sr/Confirmation Classes

Jan. 2 - Pre-K - 5th Grade Classes

SET Jr/Sr/ Confirmation Classes

The Search Begins

MEN, start your New Year with great discussions and fellowship! The Men's Prayer Group finished Into the Breach successfully! We will resume Mondays starting January 3rd at 6:30pm. We'll begin **The Search** exploring the questions: What is this Journey in between the event we call birth and the one we call death? Is the journey taking you somewhere, or are you leading yourself to some kind of destination? Refreshments provided.

AVAILABLE NOW!

PRINT & DIGITAL AD SPACES

The Support of Your Business is Greatly Appreciated

Shannon Miller from LPi, our bulletin printer, will be securing new ads for our church the month of December. It is the support of the business community that helps to make our church thrive. Please consider purchasing a print and/or

Church bulletin advertising

is a cost-effective way to advertise 52 times per year and show support for your local community; in turn, parishioners will support you!

Digital advertising allows your business to be front and center to anyone who visits a church profile page on ParishesOnline.com — that's approximately 500,000 page views per month!

YOUR AD HERE



Shannon Miller

p: (800) 950-9952 Ext. 2257

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COLLECTION RECEIPTS

The week of 12/13- 12/26/2021

General Fund

Sunday Collections	\$
Votive Candles	\$
Coffee & Donuts	\$
Religious Ed. Donations	\$
Other Income	\$

2 week totals next week

TOTAL (Thank You) \$

Restricted Funds

Maintenance Fund	\$
Scholarship Fund	\$
Parish Expansion Fund	\$
Ret. Fund for Rel. Coll.	\$

2 weeks totals next week

TOTAL (Thank You) \$

Amount Needed each Week \$5,269.00

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

Joy Karo

Muriel Knott

Irene LaPointe

Isabel Meyer

Terri Nelson

Theresa Nolan

From the Desk of Fr. Peter

Merry Christmas everyone!

The Christmas season has officially begun! For a lot of people, Christmas season seems to have begun much sooner. I noticed this year that decorations, advertisements and Christmas theme items began to appear the day after Halloween instead of the day after Thanksgiving. I guess there are a couple of different ways to view that but it seems to me that our world longs for the Christmas season because we long for more of Jesus in our lives. Although we may complain about consumerism and a loss of the sense of the sacred in our society, there are still a great many believers and to them, it is truly Christmas that we celebrate! I have a special attraction to Advent and to Christmas so I don't mind the extra time of decorations that announce Christ's coming. To me, it all serves to extend the reminder of Christ's special presence among us "Emmanuel" and God's incomparable gift of forgiveness that brings peace, reconciliation, joy and salvation to the whole world! This is truly worthy of an extended celebration! In one of the traditional songs, "The Twelve Days of Christmas" it mentions that a special gift was received on each day of the Christmas season, which continues to the Epiphany of the Lord. The song reminds me that one way of making Christmas Season special may be to space out our gift giving and gift opening so that it extends through the Christmas season. As you know, the song mentions that the gifts received came from "my true love," which is God. The partridge in the pear tree is Christ. 2 turtle doves are the Old and New Testaments. 3 French hens are the theological virtues of Faith, Hope and Charity. 4 calling birds are the 4 Gospels. 5 gold rings are the first 5 books of the Old Testament. 6 geese laying are the first 6 days of creation. 7 swans swimming are the seven seven sacraments. 8 maids milking are the beatitudes. 9 ladies dancing are the fruits of the Holy Spirit. 10 lords leaping are the Ten Commandments. 11 pipers piping are the 11 faithful disciples. 12 drummers drumming are the 12 points of doctrine in the Apostle's Creed. We offer tokens of love and esteem to each other in the form of presents and kindness. This is important because love flows forth from God who is the source of love and God's love within us then reaches out to others. We also know that our most true and lasting gifts come to us from God's love and mercy! The Christmas season is interspersed with special feasts: Saint Steven, The Holy Innocents and The Holy Family and Epiphany. Each of these feast days offers a particular window from which to view the mystery of Christ and his mission to save us. Let us ponder with Mary and Joseph, the shepherds and kings the gift of Christ who is our true love and give thanks to God for our families: family of origin and our family of faith! Blessings of peace and joy to you all!

+++ Fr. Peter

Happy Birthday

December 26 - Jan 1, 2022

Toya Ballard 12/26 Sylvia Frey Puttbrese 12/30
Rebecca Duerr 12/26 Duane Masog 12/26

Readings for the week of December 26, 2021

Sunday: Sir 3:2-6, 12-14/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5 [cf. 1]/Col 3:12-21 or 3:12-17/Lk 2:41-52 or
1 Sm 1:20-22, 24-28/Ps 84:2-3, 5-6, 9-10 [cf. 5a]/1 Jn 3:1-2, 21-24/Lk 2:41-52
Monday: 1 Jn 1:1-4/Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12 [12]/Jn 20:1a, 2-8
Tuesday: 1 Jn 1:5—2:2/Ps 124:2-3, 4-5, 7b-8 [7]/Mt 2:13-18
Wednesday: 1 Jn 2:3-11/Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 5b-6 [11a]/Lk 2:22-35
Thursday: 1 Jn 2:12-17/Ps 96:7-8a, 8b-9, 10 [11a]/Lk 2:36-40
Friday: 1 Jn 2:18-21/Ps 96:1-2, 11-12, 13 [11a]/Jn 1:1-18
Saturday: Nm 6:22-27/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8 [2a]/Gal 4:4-7/Lk 2:16-21
Next Sunday: Is 60:1-6/Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-11, 12-13 [cf. 11]/Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6/Mt 2:1-12

Observances for the week of December 26, 2021

Sunday: The Holy Family
Monday: St. John, Apostle and Evangelist
Tuesday: The Holy Innocents, Martyrs
Wednesday: St. Thomas Becket, Bishop and Martyr
Friday: St. Sylvester I, Pope; New Year's Eve
Saturday: New Year's Day; Mary, The Holy Mother of God; World Day of Peace
Next Sunday: The Epiphany of the Lord; Sts. Basil the Great and Gregory Nazianzen, Bishops and Doctors of the Church

Upcoming Oregon Right to Life Event
January 29th: Join hundreds of other pro-life advocates in Salem for the Oregon March for Life on the steps of the Capitol at 2:15pm.



MASS INTENTIONS December 26 - Jan 2, 2022

Sun.	10:30am 1:00pm	Deceased members of Burlison Fam. Parishioners of St. Edward, St. Thomas & St. Bernard
Wed.	11:00am	Nadine Greiner+
Thurs.	9:00am	Lori McDaniel /
Fri.	NOON	Donnie E. Cannon+/John/Kay Cortez
Sat.	5:15pm	Lori McDaniel/
Sun.	10:30am	Madeline Frey+/Jan Horner Eicher