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#### MASS SCHEDULE

8:30 a.m. & 5:30 p.m. Saturday Sunday 7:30, 9:30 & 11:30 a.m.

Monday-Friday 8:30 a.m.

Wednesday & Thursday 6:30 a.m.

Friday 12:10 p.m.

#### CONFESSIONS

Thursday 6:30-7:00 p.m. Saturday 4:00-5:00 p.m.

#### ROSARY

Monday-Friday 8:00 a.m.

#### **HOLY HOUR**

7:00 p.m. **Thursday** 

#### ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

1st Friday 9:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m. Benediction at 5:45 p.m.

#### RCIA

Thursday, 7:30 p.m. for those interested in becoming Catholic.

#### SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Call the office for an appointment at least 6 months before the desired wedding date.

#### ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Call the priest.

#### INFANT BAPTISM

1st and 3rd Sunday. No unscheduled baptisms are performed. **Parents** and Godparents must attend prebaptism classes on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Monday, 7:00 p.m.

#### OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Friday 8:30 a.m.-12:00 noon; 1:00-4:30 p.m.; 6:00-9:00 p.m.

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#### DEADLINE FOR BULLETIN

Friday, 9 days before Sunday publication.

ST. EDWARD CATHOLIC CHURCH WELCOMES ALL NEW PARISHIONERS.

Registration forms can be found in the Narthex of the Church and on our website.













# Lent & Easter Schedule

# February 18

7:00pm 24 hour Adoration begins February 19

24 Adoration continues (Benediction at 6:00pm) 5:30-7:00PM Fish Fry 7:00PM Stations of the Cross

# February 21-24 Parish Mission

7:00PM followed by reception

### February 25

7:00pm 24 hour Adoration begins February 26

24 Adoration continues (Benediction at 5:00pm) 5:30-7:00PM Fish Fry 7:00PM Stations of the Cross

#### March 3

7:00pm 24 hour Adoration begins

#### March 4

24 Adoration continues (Benediction at 6:00pm) 5:30-7:00PM Fish Fry 7:00PM Stations of the Cross

#### March 9

Lenten Parish Reconciliation Service 6:00PM St Edward

#### March 10

7:00pm 24 hour Adoration begins March 11

24 Adoration continues (Benediction at 6:00pm) 5:30-7:00PM Fish Fry 7:00PM Stations of the Cross

#### March 17

7:00pm 24 hour Adoration begins March 18

24 Adoration continues (Benediction at 6:00pm) 5:30-7:00PM Fish Fry 7:00PM Stations of the Cross

# March 24: Holy Thursday

Mass 7:00PM Adoration until 12:00

March 25: Good Friday 3:00PM & 7:00PM

March 26: Easter Vigil 8:30PM

# March 27: Easter Sunday

7:30AM 9:30AM 11:30AM

# **CALL TO ACTION**



Eucharistic Adoration
Each Thursday Evening through
Friday Evening During Lent!

Lent is a time for increased prayer and what better way to pray then by spending an hour with Jesus in Eucharistic Adoration. We will have 24 hours of Adoration each week of Lent. In order to make this successful we are in need of a minimum of 3 adorers each hour that Adoration is offered. Sign up after Mass or visit www.saintedward.org.

#### **BAKE SALE & BOUOUETS**

## Altar Society's Valentine Bake Sale Feb 13 & 14



We have a variety of cakes, pies, cookies, candy and fresh pretty flower bouquets. Perfect for your favorite Valentine!

The proceeds will be used to purchase a new altar cloth and other linens needed.

We appreciate everyone's

support in keeping our altar beautiful.

#### CRHP PRAYER AND FELLOWSHIP

On Thursday, February 18, we will have our monthly CRHP get-together. We will begin with Holy Hour in the Chapel at 7 pm and then share refreshments and fellowship in the Parish Life Center until about 9:00. All women who have made a Christ Renews His Parish retreat are invited to join us for this evening of prayer and friendship.

If you have any questions, please contact Sue Brown at luxgirl1513@gmail.com or Lynn Anto at lynnanto@gmail.com.



# "Sacrament of Reconciliation: Our Encounter with the Merciful Father"

-by Father T.J. Dolce for Young Adults (ages 18 to 39)

Thursday, Feb 25th at The Olive Oil Restaurant 373 Sawdust Rd, Spring, TX 77380

# 6:30PM SOCIAL/DINNER - 7:15PM SPEAKER PRESENTATION

Sponsored by Sts. Simon & Jude Catholic Church Questions? Vitsit: www.JP2YoungAdults.org

#### FISH FRY



Join us in the Parish Life Center at 5:30pm Fridays during Lent.

Enjoy some great food and fellowship before the Stations of the Cross.

#### THE WEEK AHEAD

#### MON., FEBRUARY 15

Knights 1st Degree Ceremony, Annex, 6:30pm Boy Scouts, Youth Room, 7:00pm

Choir Practice, Church, 7:00pm

#### TUES., FEBRUARY 16

Spanish Bible Study, Parlor, 9:30am

American Heritage Girls Meeting, Room 2, 3:30pm

Youth Choir Practice, Church, 4:15pm

Adult Confirmation Class, SEEC 22, 7:00pm

#### WED., FEBRUARY 17

Senior Saints Travel Committee, PLC, 9:00am

Adult Bible Study, PLC MR, 9:30am

Blue Army Prayer Group, Chapel, 6:00pm

Adult Ed Class, SEEC 22, 6:30pm

CCE Class, 6:30pm

High School Bible Study, Youth Room, 7:00pm

Knights Officers' Meeting, Annex, 7:00pm

School Board Meeting, Conference, 7:00pm

#### THUR., FEBRUARY 18

Catechetical Leaders Deanery Meeting, PLC, 10:00am

Vocation Committee Meeting, Parlor, 6:00pm

CRHP Team 7 Meeting, Annex, 6:30pm

CRHP Fellowship, PLC, 6:30pm

Confessions, Church, 6:30pm

24 Hour Eucharistic Adoration, Chapel, 7:00pm

**RCIA**, SEEC 22, 7:00pm

#### FRI., FEBRUARY 19

24 Hour Eucharistic Adoration, Chapel

Positive Parenting Program, PLC MR, 9:30am

Stations of the Cross, School, Church, 1:30pm

Lenten Fish Fry, PLC, 5:30pm

Stations of the Cross, Church, 7:00pm

#### SAT., FEBRUARY 20

That Man is You, PLC, 6:30am

Confessions, Church, 4:00pm

#### SUN., FEBRUARY 21

Children's Liturgy of the Word, Chapel, 9:30am

RCIA, SEEC 22, 12:00pm

RCIC, SEEC 21, 12:00pm

JP2CYAM Ultimate Frisbee, Field, 3:00pm

Lenten Mission, 7:00pm



# St. Edward Catholic Church 2016 Lenten Mission

February 21– 25 / 7pm Nightly Led by Fr. Robert Cary, CSP

Sunday, February 21—God of Justice, God of Mercy.

The Old Testament God of judgment we fear is really a God of second chances.

Monday, February 22—Jesus, Moved with Compassion . . . The healing and reconciling ministry of Jesus.

Tuesday, February 23—Encounter Jesus and be changed.

Let the sacrament of reconciliation change you.

Wednesday, February 24—Be Jesus, Do Mercy.

How we live Jesus in the world: the corporal and spiritual works of mercy.

Thursday, February 25
Celebration of the Sacrament of Reconciliation

#### SAINT EDWARD SCHOOL NEWS



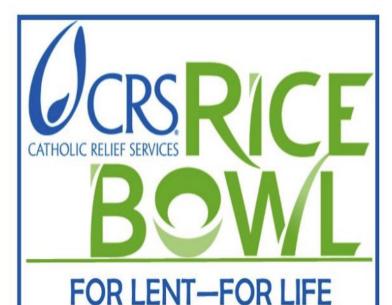
St. Edward Catholic School celebrated Catholic Schools Week February 1-5. State Senator Paul Bettencourt and State Representative Debbie Riddle visited to tour the school and to view activities, artwork and projects on display. They are pictured with Mr. Clark, principal, and St. Edward students.

# ST. EDWARD CATHOLIC SCHOOL: RAISING FUNDS FOR THE NEW SCHOOL



We are encouraging both the school and the parish to participate in this year's Steps-4-Students program which occurs on Saturday, 20 February 2016. This event last year raised over \$1M dollars and had over 11,000 participants on race day downtown. All donations made to St. Edward go to the school. There are numerous prizes for the students and homeroom competition up until race day. Just follow the steps below to register – you can donate and not run/walk or donate and stay home and sleep. Visit www.steps4students.org for more

information. If you choose "Donate" make sure it is for St. Edward On behalf of the school community we certainly thank each one of you. God Bless!



# St. Edward will participate in the 41st annual Catholic Relief Services (CRS) Rice Bowl Program again this Lenten season. Donations to this program help CRS meet crucial medical,

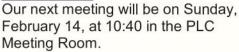
educational, and social needs in poor communities around the world. *Participating is easy:* 

- Pick up a program guide after all Masses on Ash Wednesday, February 10. The program guide includes a cardboard "rice bowl" for donations as well as daily Lenten reflections and meatless recipes from countries where CRS is working.
- As a family, decide how you will support Rice Bowl. (For example, praying for CRS missionaries or giving up a favorite treat and donating the money you would have spent.)
- Check the bulletin each week for updates and Lenten resources from CRS.
- Turn in your donation when you attend Good Friday services on March 25.

For more information (including how to download their cool new app), check out the CRS website at crsricebowl.org or contact Amy at aauzenne@saintedward.org or 281-353-9774

#### RESPECT LIFE MINISTRY

#### **Next Meeting:**





We would love to have you join us!

#### Mark Your Calendar:

SAVE THE DATE!
APRIL 16, 2016 6:30 P.M.
"WRITE FOR LIFE"
SCHOLARSHIP BANQUET

#### "Write for Life" Scholarship Essay Contest

Who: 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grade students who are members of St. Edward Catholic Community and will be attending St. Edward School or a Catholic High School in the fall of 2016 or will be home school students using an accredited Catholic homeschool curriculum.

What: Write an essay on what the Sanctity of Life means to you in one of these 3 categories:

The Importance of Life
Why Every Life is Worth Living
Why I am Pro-Life

Essays should be between 500 and 700 words typed and double spaced and turned into the office or submitted electronically to write4lifescholarship@gmail.com.

Entries must be in by March 1, 2016.

Three scholarships will be awarded: 1<sup>st</sup> Place \$500.00; 2<sup>nd</sup> Place \$300.00; 3<sup>rd</sup> Place \$200.00. For more information please email write4lifescholarship@gmail.com or call Marilyn Burns at 281-782-5555.

#### Did You Know?

A Texas grand jury indicted David Daleiden and another pro-life activist, Sandra Merritt, behind the videos that exposed Planned Parenthood's secret of selling babies' body parts after aborting them. Instead of prosecuting Planned Parenthood for selling aborted baby parts, Daleiden was indicted for buying the videos.

Daleiden posted bail on February 4th in response to what his attorneys and pro-life groups explain are bogus charges related to his undercover investigation and exposure of the Planned Parenthood abortion business selling the body parts of aborted babies. Dozens of pro-life advocates turned out to support him.

To read more, go to Lifenews.com

If you would like to be put on our email list for RLM updates, please email Evelin Martinez at <a href="mailto:evelinmart@yahoo.com">evelinmart@yahoo.com</a>.

# Thank You

Thank you for your participation in our Advent bible drive!

Through your generous support, we were able to purchase almost 30 new children's bibles for our religious education students. Each time we open these bibles, our students will be praying for the friends and family members in whose honor they were donated:

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For information about donating a bible in honor of your loved one, contact Amy Auzenne in the parish office.

#### JUNIOR HIGH YOUTH GROUP NEWS



#### WEEKLY READINGS

Monday, February 15 Lv 19:1-2, 11-18; Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15: Mt 25:31-46

Tuesday, February 16 Is 55:10-11; Ps 34:4-5,6-7, 16-17, 18-19; Mt 6:7-15

Wednesday, February 17 Jon 3:1-10; Ps 51:3-4, 12-13,18-19; Lk 11:29-32

Thursday, February 18 Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25; Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 7c-8; Mt 7:7-12 Friday, February 19 Ez 18:21-28; Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-7a, 7bc-8; Mt 5:20-26

Saturday, February 20 Dt 26:16-19; Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 7-8; Mt 5:43-48

Sunday, February 21 Gn 15:5-12, 17-18; Ps 27:1, 7-8, 8-9, 13-14; Phil 3:17-4:1 or 3:20-4:1; Lk 9:28b-36

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Our Troops The Families of Debra Kitrell, Rita Turner and Delbert Uhl ÷+++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO ADD SOMEONE TO THE NEW PRAYER LIST. PLEASE CALL THE PARISH OFFICE AT 281-353-9774.

#### **MASS INTENTIONS**

Monday, February 15 8:30am LV Health for Cecil Tuesday, February 16 8:30am † Louis & Otillie Psencik Wednesday, February 17 6:30am LV The Myers Family 8:30am LV Isel & Marco Vignali Thursday, February 18 6:30am 8:30am † Antonio Castiglione Friday, February 19 8:30am † Egidio Fazi 12:10pm † Angela Mayfield Saturday, February 20 8:30am LV Sara Mora 5:30pm Small Faith Community Rio Grande Valley Sunday, February 21 7:30am People of Saint Edward 9:30am LV Frances Bernardic

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