

MASS SCHEDULE

 Saturday
 8:30 a.m. & 5:30 p.m.

 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-Thursday 8:00am Friday 11:30am

HOLY HOUR

Thursday 7:00 p.m.

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 pre-baptism classes on the 2rd and 4th 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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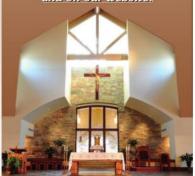
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DEADLINE FOR BULLETIN

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.



I wish you all a Happy New Year.



Baptism of Jesus marks the beginning of His public life and ministry; Jesus set out to do the Father's will and announce the arrival of the kingdom of God. And the moment of the beginning of the messianic work of Jesus is marked by the moment of his baptism in the Jordan. He is acclaimed on earth by the prophet John and links himself to John by being baptized by him. He is acclaimed from heaven by the voice of the Father and the presence of the Spirit. As the people who have heard his preaching and accepted his call, who have confessed him as the Christ, and set out to follow his way,

let us consider the words addressed to Jesus: 'Thou art my beloved Son, with thee I am well pleased.'

In this New Year, let us give up our old self damaged by sin and its pleasures and put on New self which is renewed by our baptism. Renew our New Year resolutions and live in the baptismal grace and let us also be called beloved sons and daughters of the Heavenly Father.

I am glad to share with you one of the message of Pope Francis during the New Year's Day Mass in St. Peter's Basilica on Jan. 1, 2018. He told people to avoid the "banality of consumerism" and "empty chatter" and advised setting aside a moment of silence each day to "be with God" – a safeguard, he said against being corrupted by consumerism, the blare of commercials, the stream of empty words. The Pope spoke about the Year 2017: "God gave humanity "a whole and sound" year, but that "we humans in so many ways ruined and wounded it with works of death, with lies and injustices."

So let us together make this New Year 2018 something beautiful for God.

SAINT EDWARD ANNUAL MINISTRY APPRECIATION NIGHT

In honor of the giving of your time and talent, all adults 21 years and older (alcohol will be served) who serve in a ministry of the parish and their spouses are invited to our Annual Ministry Appreciation Dinner/Dance on Friday, January 26, 2018 from 6pm-9pm in the Parish Life Center. We would like to show our appreciation to all — so whether you are a Lector, EMHC, Usher, Catechist, Chaperone, Room Parent, Choir Member, Parish Council member, Finance Board member, School Board member, etc., please join us for food, fun and fellowship. This year, we will relive the 70's disco era. So come in your favorite psychedelic attire!!

IN MEMORIAM

Father Mario Baldeo

Eladio Balingit

Mary Coffey

" May the souls of all the faithful departed, through the

Mercy of God, rest in peace."

WEEKLY READINGS

Monday The Baptism of the Lord

Is 42:1-4, 6-7 or Is 55:1-11 or Acts 10:34-38 or

1 Jn 5:1-9; Ps 29:1-2, 3-4, 3, 9-10; Is 12:2-3, 4bcd,5-6; Mk 1:7-11

Tuesday 1 Sm 1:9-20; 1 Sm 2:1, 4-5, 6-7, 8abcd;Mk 1:21-28

Wednesday 1 Sm 3:1-10, 19-20; Ps 40:2 and 5,7-8a,8b-9, 10; Mk 1:29 -39

Thursday 1 Sm 4:1-11; Ps 44:10-11, 14-15, 24-25;Mk 1:40-45

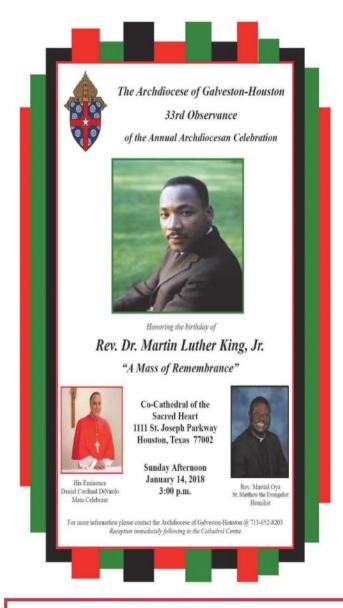
Friday 1 Sm 8:4-7, 10-22a; Ps 89:16-17, 18-19;Mk 2:1-12

Saturday Saint Hilary, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

1 Sm 9:1-4, 17-19; 10:1; Ps 21:2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Mk 2:13-17

Sunday Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

1 Sm 3:3b-10, 19; Ps 40:2, 4, 7-8, 8-9, 10;1 Cor 6:13c-15a, 17-20; Jn 1:35-42



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Weekly

Dec. 24-25 Number of Envelopes Number of Loose Checks Collection Total	267 64 \$24,208
Christmas Number of Envelopes Number of Loose Checks Collection Total	263 71 \$26,227
Dec. 30-31 Number of Envelopes Number of Loose Checks Collection Total	278 77 \$32,631
Faith Direct November	\$33,068
Extraordinary Donations *	\$431,323
Year to Date Collections	\$1,237,662

* A special Thank You to the Parishioner family who through their generosity of heart donated a special Christmas gift to our Parish!

SAVE THE DATE

CALLING ALL ST. EDWARD PARISHIONERS!!

Please join us in Austin on January 27th



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St. Edward Respect Life Ministry TEXAS RALLY FOR LIFE

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Join your fellow parishioners for a day of prayer and fellowship to remember the 45th anniversary of Roe vs.

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We will leave Christ the Good Shepherd at 8:45 after 8 am mass

March will begin at 1:00. Cost: \$25

Children under 10 free

Light snacks provided *******Please bring sack lunch

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Or email: dr.jvail@gmail.com

Hail to the Cross, Our Only Hope

This is your last chance to join the men of St. Edward parish for their annual retreat at Holy Name Retreat Center.



The retreat is **next weekend** January 12-14, 2018. For information call John Zak 713-569-1364, Mike Little 281-465-0433, or Joe Notaro 281-355-5402. To register online go to https://

holynameretreatcenter.com/retreats-2/catholicretreats/mens-retreats/ then click on January 12-14, 2018.

Have some fun! Join NORTHEAST CATHOLIC SINGLES, A MINISTRY FOR SINGLES AGES 40 and older, on Wednesday, January 10, to talk/drink/eat at 7:00 P.M. at Zachary's Cajun Cafe, 716 Kingwood Drive in Kingwood. For more info, contact Elizabeth Schields (281-441-2552 or elizabeths2@peoplepc.com) or Peggy Broyles (281-359-4560 or peggybmom4@gmail.com) or subscribe to us on Flocknote on either St. Martha's or St. Mary Magdalene's website.

THE WEEK AHEAD

MON., JANUARY 8

Boy's Basketball Game- St. Ed/St. Elizabeth Ann

Seton, Gym, 4:30pm

K of C Meeting, Annex, 6:30pm

Cub Scout Pack 1665 Meeting, Room 2, 6:30pm

Rosary for Vocations, Chapel, 7:00pm

Choir Practice, Church, 7:00pm

Boy Scouts, Youth Room, 7:00pm

Baptism Class, PLC, 7:00pm

TUES ., JANUARY 9

Youth Choir Practice, Church, 4:00pm

Booster Club Meeting, PLC, 5:30pm

CDA Meeting, Annex, 6:30pm

PTO Meeting, PLC, 6:30pm

Men's CRHP Team 1, Room 22, 7:00pm

WED., JANUARY 10

Adult Bible Study, PLC, 9:30am

Daisy Girl Scout Meeting, Elementary Bldg., 3:15pm

Adult Faith Formation, Room 22, 6:00pm

CCE Class, Elementary/Jr. High Bldg., 6:00pm

Blue Army Prayer Cell, Chapel, 6:00pm

Live Christ, Share Christ, PLC Meeting Rm., 7:00pm

H.S. Bible Study, Youth Room, 7:00pm

THUR., JANUARY 11

Science Fair, PLC, 8:00am

Confessions, Church, 6:30pm

Eucharistic Holy Hour, Chapel, 7:00pm

RCIA Pre-Catechumenate, Room 22, 7:00pm

FRI., JANUARY 12

Martha's Moms, PLC, 9:30am

Wolf II Den Meeting, Room 2, 6:30pm

SAT., JANUARY 13

That Man is You, PLC, 6:30am

Stitches of Peace, Annex,8:30am

Confessions, Church, 4:00pm

STED Talk #2, Church, 6:30pm

Sun., January 14

Hospitality Sunday/KC Membership Drive, PLC, 8:30am

RCIA Catechumenate, Room 22,10:00am

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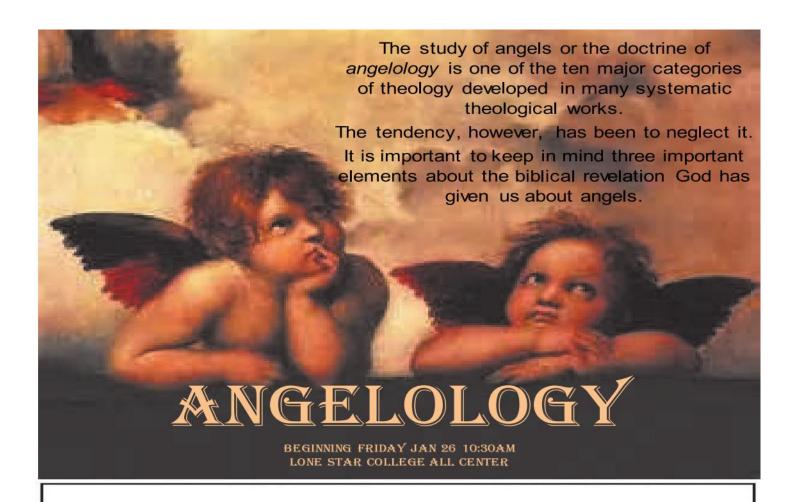
KC Squires, Annex, 10:45am

SPARC, Youth Room, 3:30pm

Adult Faith Formation, PLC, 5:30pm

CCE Classes, Parish Grounds, 5:30pm

Youth Group, Youth Room, 7:00pm





Scripture * Theology * Eucharist * Discipleship

Missionary Discipleship: Start Where You Are Saturday, January 13

5:30 Mass • 6:30 Meal • 7:00 Message

Come and hear how two parishioners at St. Edward who were inspired by small acts of love to commit massive works of mercy.

Matthew Reel started his ministry, "Matthew's Birthday Wish" after he was invited to prepare a "hope bag" for the homeless as part of his preparation for his First Holy Communion. Matthew is now working with area businesses and schools to coordinate food donations to hundreds of families each year. (Did we mention he's in the fifth grade?)

Darlean Newman wanted to learn more about St. Nicholas, the patron saint of children. What she learned eventually moved her to contact a local children's home and ask if they needed any help. Four years and countless birthday parties, Christmas presents, and back-to-school picnics later, Darlean's understanding of God's love and mercy has been forever changed.

Register online at http://www.signupgenius.com/go/30e0d4facaa2ea2fb6-missionary or contact Amy at aauzenne@saintedward.org

Jr. High Family Night

For youth in grades 6-8 & their parents

"The Call"

Everyone has a vocation. How can you discover yours?

January 28, 2018 5:00-7:30pm

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PRAYER LIST FOR THE SICK Please keep the following people in your thoughts and prayers this week as we wish them a return to good health:

Week 2 Karen Hutchens Deanne Nevman Joseph Stachulak Cynthia Fall Vincent Lucido Oberdick Family Parsons Family Rocco Family Traewick Family

Roy Cason Bobbye & James Jenkins Betty Lowe Frank Carrabine Yogi Ybarra Carolyn Wawrykow George Wawrykow Tania Wawrykow Wayne Wohlfred Thomas Michael Cooney

Madilyn Witsberger

Week 3 Gene Hyman Robert Cieslak Mary Ann & Joe Harper Anthony Hemandez Robert Anderson

Week4 Beverly Canales Ms. Nitty Ben Stidd Mary Mobley William Byers Jose Rebolledo Shannon Buzek Jay Espinosa George & Martha Ortiz Ava Stone

Week 5

Leigh Rigby

Stephanie Espinosa Lilia Rivera Molly Ramirez Matt Herbison Sandra & Richard Nowak

Anthony Choo Choo Villarreal Paul Duprey Gilbert Koteras Week 6 Rodney Stead

Jean Bivins Christopher Bussa Janet Blake Kolbie Guyton Steve Hutchens Mel Pollock Ann Doepke Marvelia Novakoski Norma Portier

Our Troops

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, January 8 8:30am † Prina Holland Tuesday, January 9

8:30am † LJ & Thelma Pinder Wednesday, January 10 6:30am LV Nathan Skouby 8:30am † Loenard Kendall

Thursday, January 11

6:30am † Generosa H. Bibat 8:30am † Anna & Joseph Barnoski

Friday, January 12

8:30am LV Matt Herbison

12:10pm † Matilde Tanudtanud

Saturday, January 13

8:30am † Donaciana Almaraz 5:30pm † Mary Ogrodowicz

Sunday, January 14

7:30am LV James Hatcher 9:30am † Germaine Febre 11:30am People of St.Edward

To make a request for someone to be on our prayer list, please call the parish office at 281-353-9774. Your loved one's name will appear on our prayer list for six consecutive Sundays. If a longer period of time is needed, please call to renew your request.

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