

CATHOLIC CHURCH

Saint Edward

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Second Sunday in Lent, March 17, 2019

Segundo Domingo de Cuaresma, 17 de Marzo, 2019

PARISH DIRECTORY

Parish Office Hours

Monday - Friday 8am-12pm,
12:30-4:30 pm

St. Edward School 815.398.2631

Religious Education 815.229.8914

Weekend Mass Schedule

English: Saturday 4:30 pm,

Sunday 7:30 am, 9 am, 5:30 pm

Español: Domingo 10:30 am & 12 pm

Daily Mass Schedule

Monday - Thursday 8 am,

Wednesdays School Mass 8:45am

Saturday 8am

Holy Day Vigil 5:30 pm

8am, 9am, 5:30 pm English

7pm Spanish

Confessions:

Wednesday 6-7pm

Saturday 3:30-4:15 pm

Thursdays for Lent 8:30-9:30 am

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Wednesdays 5-7pm

Baptism Class

1st Saturday (English) 9-10:30 am

4th Saturday (Spanish) 8:45-10:30 am

Community Center.

No children allowed.

Baptisms 9:30am

1st Saturday English

2nd & 3rd Saturday Spanish

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2nd Sunday OF LENT

While he was praying his face changed in appearance and his clothing became dazzling white. - Lk 9:29

Mientras oraba, su rostro cambió de aspecto y sus vestiduras se hicieron blancas y relampagueantes. - Lc 9, 29

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Mission Statement: The Catholic Community of St. Edward Parish will continue to evangelize and proclaim the Good News that Jesus Christ is Lord. We, as a catholic parish, through the Holy Mass, strive to be better Christians in faith, hope, love and mercy, to serve the family of God, and to grow in our relationship with Him.

FROM THE PASTOR...

Dear Families,

The prefer scenario in St. Luke's gospel for Jesus important moments was the mountain. The mountain became a place for encounter and prayer. According to the evangelist, important moments took place on a mountain: for instance, his temptations, the great preaching, the agony, his crucifixion and in Today's Gospel, his transfiguration. The transfiguration was prayer event. It describes Jesus' prayer and encounter with God the Father. It truly was a great mystical moment even for the three witnesses, Peter, James and John. Peter attested to that, "Master, it is good that we are here".

We don't go often time up on a mountain especially living in Illinois. Nonetheless, we come every Sunday to the Church. It is in the Church where we meet Christ. Our Sunday's liturgy is a prayer event too and we can make it a mystical one. The more we come to Church the more we shine, the more we are transformed, the more we identified ourselves with God. As we gather to celebrate the Holy Eucharist, let us pray that we may have a true conversion of mind and heart and be able to say with Peter: "Master, it is good that we are here."

God bless you,
Fr. Lopez



Queridas familias:

La montaña es el escenario preferido para los momentos importantes de Jesús en el Evangelio de San Lucas. La montaña se convirtió en un lugar de encuentro y oración. Según el evangelista, tuvieron lugar momentos importantes en una montaña: por ejemplo, sus tentaciones, la gran predicación, la agonía, su crucifixión y en el Evangelio de hoy, su transfiguración. La transfiguración fue un evento de oración. Describe la oración de Jesús y el encuentro con Dios Padre. Realmente fue un gran momento místico incluso para los tres testigos, Pedro, Santiago y Juan. Pedro le dijo: "Maestro, ¡qué bueno que estemos aquí!".

No vamos con frecuencia a una montaña, especialmente viviendo en Illinois. No obstante, venimos todos los domingos a la Iglesia. Es en la Iglesia donde nos encontramos con Cristo. La liturgia de nuestro domingo también es un evento de oración y podemos hacerla mística. Cuanto más venimos a la Iglesia, cuanto más brillamos, más nos transformamos, más nos identificamos con Dios. Mientras nos reunimos para celebrar la Sagrada Eucaristía, oremos para que podamos tener una verdadera conversión de mente y corazón y podamos decir con Pedro: "Maestro, ¡qué bueno que estemos aquí!"

Dios los Bendiga,
Padre Lopez



St. Edward's Annual Lenten Fish Fry

Friday, March 8th through
Good Friday, April 19th

5:00 P.M. TO 7:00 P.M.

**Proceeds to benefit St. Edward Church &
Knights of Columbus #470**



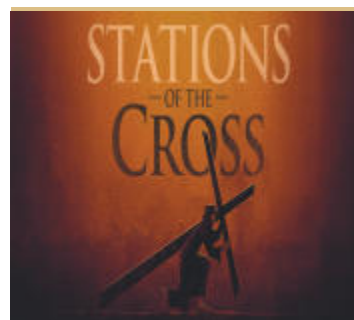
Lenten Almsgiving: CRS Rice Bowl boxes are available in the back of church. Please take one home and return it with your donation on Good Friday.

Confessions

Wednesday - 6-7:00 p.m.

Thursday during Lent—8:30-9:30 am

Saturday—3:30—4:15 pm



Fridays during Lent

5:00 pm (English)

6:30 pm (Spanish)

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament every Wednesday 5-7pm

Religious Education News

First Communion Reminder (Recordatorio)

Tuesday, March 19, 2019

5:30-7:30pm

Conference for the following Classes/
 Conferencias para las siguientes clases:
 Lozano, Robles, Olivas, Torres, Rodriguez and Trujillo. First come, first served basis. Se atendera de acuerdo al orden de llegada

All other classes not mentioned please go directly to the classroom. Las clases no mencionadas ir directo al salon.

CONFIRMATION Reminder (Recordatorio)

All pending exercises and forms are due ASAP at the RE Office.

Todos los ejercicios y formas pendientes deben de entregarse lo más pronto possible en la oficina de la catequesis.

Parish Secretary Position

St. Edward Catholic Church in Rockford, IL is seeking a self-starting, self-motivated person of the Catholic faith to work as a full time or part time secretary. Requisites: Bilingual: speak and write both Spanish and English

Be familiar with Microsoft Word and Publisher
 Interested parties should send cover letter, resume and salary history to stedrockford@aol.com by April 8th.



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Last Month's Collection:	\$ 30,883.01
Last Month's budget:	\$ 31,236.61
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Mass Intentions

Sunday, March 17

- 7:30 am † Gene Blais by Caroline
Fr. William by Martin & Pat Glennon
- 9:00 am † Mike Stahl by Ian & Julie Sievert
† Doug Jackson by Dolores Gerl
- 10:30 am † Sergio Quiroz by Alejandro y Blanca Quiroz
Por la salud de Francisca Bravo Mateo by Family Ortiz
Didier y Luis Ortiz for their birthday
† Rogelio Sánchez Valles by Esthela Sánchez
- 12:00 pm † Marcos Quintero
† Paz Quintero
- 5:30 pm Fr. William

Monday, March 18

- 8:00 am † Mike Stahl by Karen Leick
† Cipriano Cervantes
† Manuela Acosta

Tuesday, March 19

- 8:00 am † Mike Stahl by Nicosia Family
† Loreto Barraza
† Adela Jiménez

Wednesday, March 20

- 8:00 am † Joan Gaines by Andrew & Chelsea Thompson
- 8:45 am Fr. William
† Dolores Cervantes

Thursday, March 21

- 8:00 am † Joan Gaines by Bonita Stahl
† Ernesto Cervantes

Friday, March 22

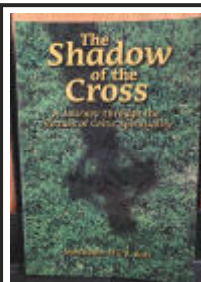
- 8:00 am NO MASS

Saturday, March 23

- 8:00 am Tim Vahle & Jayne Vahle by Don & June Robinson
- 4:30 pm † Geraldine Bakunowicz by Jan Swanson

Sunday, March 24

- 7:30 am Jerome & Mary Meehan by Jim & Mary Thompson
Fr. William by Martin & Pat Glennon
- 9:00 am † Frank Gerl by Dolores Gerl
- 10:30 am † Sergio Quiroz by Alejandro y Blanca Quiroz
- 12:00 pm † Santos Escamilla by Family
- 5:30 pm



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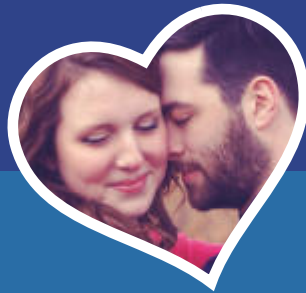
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