



**PASTOR**  
**REV. PETER B. LISZEWSKI**

**SUNDAY MASS**  
Saturday Vigil: 4:00pm  
Sunday: 9:00am

**WEEKDAY MASSES**  
Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday @ 8:00am  
Friday @ 8:00am  
No Mass on Thursdays

**CONFESSIONS**  
Saturdays 3:00pm to 3:30pm  
or by appointment

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**For Bulletin Notices**  
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By Monday @ 3:00pm

**ST. EDWARD MISSION STATEMENT**  
The Parish Family of St. Edward the Confessor,  
a Roman Catholic faith community,  
strives to be the living expression of Christian faith in  
our worship and in our community  
by welcoming all who seek to enrich their relationship  
with our one true God - Father, Son and Holy Spirit.



## The Eucharistic Revival- The Eucharist, did you know?

How is God present to us? God is present to us through both general and particular forms of revelation. We believe that God is present “everywhere” and “always” as the creator and sustainer of our existence. As St. Elizabeth Seton said, “God is everywhere, in the very air I breathe, yes everywhere, but in this sacrament of the altar, God is as present actually and really as my soul within my body; in this sacrifice daily offered, {God is present} as really as {when} once offered on the Cross.”

We also believe that God chooses to reveal God’s own reality to us through particular created realities, most importantly, through the person of Jesus of Nazareth. Theologian Richard McBrien in his book *Catholicism* (p.262) explains that “Because God is totally other than we are, because God is totally of the spiritual order, because God, therefore, is not visible to our bodily senses, our experience of God is always mediated. We experience the reality of God through our experience of created things, or particular persons, or particular events, or through a psychic sense of divine presence (mysticism). Consequently, every contact with God is mysterious, or sacramental. The hidden God completely permeates a visible reality. In grasping that visible reality we grasp the hidden God.” *Used with permission from God’s Real Presence, by Steve Mueller. Published by Living with Christ. All rights reserved.*

### Faith Formation

We are looking for volunteers to help with our All Saints Day party being held on Sunday, November 6 at 11:30 am. The students will be dressing up as their favorite saint and enjoying a pizza lunch with games and crafts. Volunteers are needed to help serve lunch and organize games and crafts. If you are interested, please email [stedfaithform@gmail.com](mailto:stedfaithform@gmail.com).

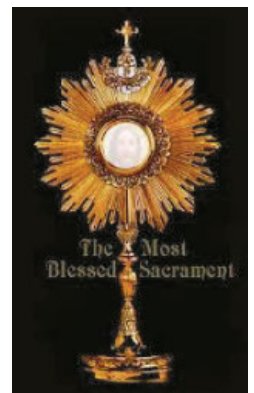
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Offertory for weekend of 10/23/2022.....\$3,261.50  
Oil Bill for Month of October.....\$8,171.00

### Eucharistic Holy Hour for Vocations

On Thursday, November 10, 2022, come join us in praying with Bishop Cote a Eucharistic Holy Hour for Vocations.

This holy hour will be at St. Joseph, Rockville, from 6:00p.m. to 7:00p.m. Come pray for those who are called to priestly or consecrated religious life. Pray for our seminarians and those in the process of applying to the Diocese.



## MASS INTENTIONS

**Saturday Vigil, October 29, 2022**  
**Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
4:00pm †KEN BLANCHARD by Kerry & Deb

**Sunday, October 30, 2022**  
**Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
9:00am †ETALO & †LENA TIZIANI AND SON  
†TOMMY by Tom & Eleanor Kyc

**Monday, October 31, 2022**  
8:00am MATTHEW WILLIAM STAUFFER  
(birthday) by Anne

**Tuesday, November 1, 2022**  
**All Saints-Holy Day of Obligation**  
8:00am †THERESA & †ALPHONSE DELLUOMO  
7:00pm DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE PARISH  
FAMILY  
9am-12 noon ADORATION

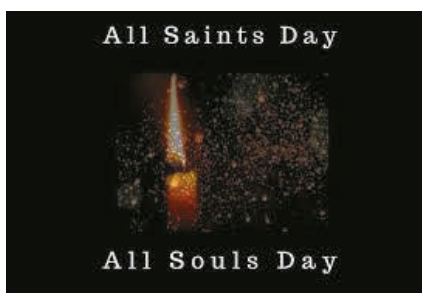
**Wednesday, November 2, 2022**  
**The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed**  
**All Souls Day**  
8:00am ALL SOULS NOVENA

**Thursday, November 3, 2022**  
NO MORNING MASS

**Friday, November 4, 2022**  
**First Friday**  
8:00am ALL SOULS NOVENA

**Saturday Vigil, November 5, 2022**  
**Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
4:00pm ALL SOULS NOVENA

**Sunday, November 6, 2022**  
**Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
9:00am ALL SOULS NOVENA



**Sanctuary Candle**  
Burns this week for  
The people of Ukraine

**Blessed Mother Mary Candle**  
Burns this week for Vocations

**Saint Joseph Candle**  
Burns this week in memory of  
Stephen Sabo by his wife

## PARISH HAPPENINGS

**Sunday, October 30**  
Coffee & Donuts will be served in the hall after  
Mass  
10:20-11:30 Faith Formation, Safe Environment  
Training Grades 5-8

**Tuesday, November 1**  
9:00am-12 noon Adoration - Church  
6:00pm Knights of Columbus, Parish Center  
7:00pm All Saints Day Mass, Church

**Wednesday, November 2**  
6:30pm Cub Scouts, Parish Center  
6:45pm Boy Scouts, Hall

**Sunday, November 6**  
Coffee & Donuts will be served in the hall after  
Mass  
10:20-11:30 Faith Formation, All Saints Costume  
Party & Lunch, Hall after Class  
5:00pm Confirmation Mass & Dinner



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