



St. Edward Catholic Church
601 West C Street Shelton Washington 98584

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

Saturday/Sabado December 12

Zac 2:14-17 o Ap 11:19a;12:1-6a,10ab; Jdt 13:18bc;
Lk 1:26-38 o Lk 1:39-47
2:00 p.m. Confession/Confesión
5:00 p.m. Our Lady of Guadalupe Mass
7:00 p.m. Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe Misa

Sunday/Domingo December 13

Is 261:1-2a,10-11; Lc 1:46-50,53-54;
1 Tes 5:16-24; Jn 1:6-8,19-28
9:00 a.m. Mass
11:00 a.m. Misa en Español
12:30 p.m. Misa en Español

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Monday/Lunes December 14

Nm 24:2-7,15-17a; Ps 24:4-5ab,6,7bc,8-9;
Mt 21:23-27; Lk 14:25-33
12:00 p.m. Angelus and Divine Mercy Chaplet

Tuesday/Martes December 15

Sof 3:1-2,9-13; Ps 33:2-3,6-7,17-18,19,23; Mt 21:28-32
10:00 a.m. Personal Prayer until 2:00 p.m.
12:00 p.m. Angelus and Divine Mercy Chaplet

Wednesday/Miércoles December 16

Is 45:6b-8,18,21c-25; Ps 84:9ab,10-14; Lk 7:18b-23
10:00 a.m. Personal Prayer until 2:00 p.m.
12:00 p.m. Angelus and Divine Mercy Chaplet

Thursday/Jueves December 17

Gn 49:2,8-10; Ps 71:3-4,7-8,17; Mt 1:1-17
9:00 a.m. Mass + Al Johnson
10:00 a.m. Personal Prayer until 2:00 p.m.
12:00 p.m. Angelus and Divine Mercy Chaplet

Friday/Viernes December 18

Jr 23:5-8; Ps 71:1-2,12-13,18-19 Mt 1:18-25
10:00 a.m. Personal Prayer until 2:00 p.m.
12:00 p.m. Angelus and Divine Mercy Chaplet

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ESTA SEMANA EN NUESTRA PARROQUIA

Saturday/Sabado Diciembre 19

Jue 13:2-7,24-25a; Ps 70:3-4a,5-6b,16-17; Lk 1:5-25
2:00 p.m. Confession/Confesión

Sunday/Domingo Diciembre 20

2 Sm 7:1-5,8b-12, 14a,16; Ps 88:2-5,27,29
Rom 16:25-27; Lk 1:26-38
9:00 a.m. Mass
11:00 a.m. Misa en Español
12:30 p.m. Misa en Español
2:00 p.m. Rosary at Planned Parenthood

Thank you for your donation to Annual Catholic Appeal so the assessment goal can be reached! \$7,540 left to go.

Gracias por su donación al Petición Católica Anual para alcanzar la meta! Se necesita \$7,540.

OUR LORD IS HAVING A PARTY AND YOU'RE INVITED!

Will you come and worship?

NUESTRO SEÑOR ESTA DANDO UNA FIESTA Y TU ESTAS INVITADO!

Vendrás a adorar?



**Friday/Viernes, January 1, 2021
6:30 p.m. Mass/Misa—bilingual/bilingue
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
Exposición del Santísimo Sacramento
Confessions and Devotions
Confesiones y Devociones**

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SCHEDULE/HORARIO

Office Hours Tuesday-Wednesday 9:00 AM-6:00 PM
 Horas de Oficina Martes-Miércoles 9:00 AM-6:00 PM
 Office Hours Thursday-Friday 9:00 AM-3:30 PM
 Horas de Oficina Jueves-Viernes 9:00 AM-3:30 PM

Visitation of the Sick Please call office
 Visita de los Enfermos Por favor llame a la oficina

COMING EVENTS/PROXIMOS EVENTOS

December 21-25 **OFFICE CLOSED**
 Diciembre 21-25 **OFICINA CERRADA**

December 24 8:00 PM Christmas Vigil Mass-bilingual
 Diciembre 24 8:00 PM Misa Navideña-bilingüe

December 25 8:30 AM Christmas Mass in English
 10:30 AM Christmas Mass in English
 Diciembre 25 12:30 PM Misa de Navidad en Español

January 1 **OFFICE CLOSED**
 Enero 1 **OFICINA CERRADA**

January 1 6:30 PM First Friday Mass and Devotions
 Enero 1 6:30 PM Primer Viernes Misa y Devociones

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Primera lectura

Is 61, 1-2. 10-11

El espíritu del Señor está sobre mí, porque me ha ungido y me ha enviado para anunciar la buena nueva a los pobres, a curar a los de corazón quebrantado, a proclamar el perdón a los cautivos, la libertad a los prisioneros, y a pregonar el año de gracia del Señor. Me alegro en el Señor con toda el alma y me lleno de júbilo en mi Dios, porque me revistió con vestiduras de salvación y me cubrió con un manto de justicia, como el novio que se pone la corona, como la novia que se adorna con sus joyas. Así como la tierra echa sus brotes y el jardín hace germinar lo sembrado en él, así el Señor hará brotar la justicia y la alabanza ante todas las naciones.

Salmo Responsorial

Lc 1, 46-48. 49-50. 53-54

R. (Is 61, 10b) **Mi espíritu se alegra en Dios, mi salvador.**

Mi alma glorifica al Señor y mi espíritu se llena de júbilo en Dios, mi salvador, porque puso los ojos en la humildad de su esclava. R.

Desde ahora me llamarán dichosa todas las generaciones, porque ha hecho en mí grandes cosas el que todo lo puede. Santo es su nombre y su misericordia llega, de generación en generación, a los que lo temen. R.

A los hambrientos los colmó de bienes y a los ricos los despidió sin nada. Acordándose de su misericordia, vino en ayuda de Israel, su siervo. R.

Segunda Lectura

1 Ts 5, 16-24

Hermanos: Vivan siempre alegres, oren sin cesar, den gracias en toda ocasión, pues esto es lo que Dios quiere de ustedes en Cristo Jesús. No impidan la acción del Espíritu Santo, ni desprecien el don de profecía; pero sométanlo todo a prueba y quédense con lo bueno. Absténganse de toda clase de mal. Que el Dios de la paz los santifique a ustedes en todo y que todo su ser, espíritu, alma y cuerpo, se conserve irreprochable hasta la llegada de nuestro Señor Jesucristo. El que los ha llamado es fiel y cumplirá su promesa.

Evangelio

Jn 1, 6-8. 19-28

Hubo un hombre enviado por Dios, que se llamaba Juan. Éste vino como testigo, para dar testimonio de la luz, para que todos creyeran por medio de él. Él no era la luz, sino testigo de la luz. Éste es el testimonio que dio Juan el Bautista, cuando los judíos enviaron desde Jerusalén a unos sacerdotes y levitas para preguntarle: “¿Quién eres tú?” Él reconoció y no negó quién era. Él afirmó: “Yo no soy el Mesías”. De nuevo le preguntaron: “¿Quién eres, pues? ¿Eres Elías?” Él les respondió: “No lo soy”. “¿Eres el profeta?” Respondió: “No”. Le dijeron: “Entonces dínos quién eres, para poder llevar una respuesta a los que nos enviaron. ¿Qué dices de ti mismo?” Juan les contestó: “Yo soy la voz que grita en el desierto: ‘Enderecen el camino del Señor’, como anunció el profeta Isaías”.

Los enviados, que pertenecían a la secta de los fariseos, le preguntaron: “Entonces ¿por qué bautizas, si no eres el Mesías, ni Elías, ni el profeta?” Juan les respondió: “Yo bautizo con agua, pero en medio de ustedes hay uno, al que ustedes no conocen, alguien que viene detrás de mí, a quien yo no soy digno de desatarle las correas de sus sandalias”.

Esto sucedió en Betania, en la otra orilla del Jordán, donde Juan bautizaba.

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Attending Mass Protocols

- Masks must be worn while anywhere on St. Edward campus.
- Arrive at least 15-20 minutes before Mass, because there is a process to enter.
- You will enter ONLY through the middle doors, maintaining six feet distance between fellow parishioners at all times.
- Sanitize your hands upon entering the church, and wait for an usher to direct you to the pew.
- You will be dismissed pew by pew, following the instructions of the ushers. Holy Communion will be distributed only in the form of the host, and only on the hand. If you do not wish to receive communion, you may receive a blessing. You must exit at the direction of the usher and are not permitted to remain in your pew. You must exit the church out the door nearest where you receive communion or a blessing, while continuing to wear a mask, regardless of where your vehicle is parked, and head directly toward your vehicle.
- Remember: All these norms and directives exist to protect each other. Protecting each other is a work of mercy and as of today, our parishioners have been successful in keeping everyone safe from COVID-19. We are God's people and the Mass is a celebration of our unity in Jesus Christ.

Thank you all for your cooperation and patience!

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

WHAT'S YOUR CATHOLIC IQ?

Gaudete means _____. (a) rejoice; (b) good day; (c) almost over; (d) pink

Due to the restrictions and recommendations surrounding the surge of Covid-19 cases, we have decided to suspend Faith Formation classes, including 1st Sacraments and Confirmation until after Jan. 1st. Please stay tuned for updated information and stay safe with your family!

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY:

Like Jesus we belong to the world living not for ourselves but for others. The joy of the Lord is our strength. - *St. Teresa of Calcutta*

ANSWER TO THE IQ QUESTION

(a) The Third Sunday of Advent is traditionally called *Gaudette* Sunday (Latin meaning, "rejoice"). The Entrance Antiphon for Mass on this Sunday comes from Philippians: "Rejoice in the Lord always; again I say, rejoice! The Lord is near"(4:4-5).

DINNER FOR THE HUNGRY

St. Edwards has successfully worked with other churches and organizations in our community to provide meals for the hungry during every day of the week. Our mission is to continue to help in any way that is necessary. St. Edward will be serving meals at Community Lifeline (218 N 3rd St) on **December 20th & 21st**. If you are interested in helping provide a dish or helping with the set-up or clean up, please sign up in the church narthex or contact our coordinator, Mike Wallace at 432- 8204 for more information.

P.S. Isn't this truly what the holidays are all about?

Special thank s to Judy Hartford, Kathy Popp, Christine Spencer, and Fran Cavaille for preparing and serving 55 meals last Monday.

ORGANIZATIONS

Altar Society	Kathleen Anderson	877-2048
Blessing Cards	Shari: sharip33@hcc.net	
Community Meals	Mike Wallace	432-8204
Homebound Communion	Parish Office	426-6134
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GLUTEN FREE PARISHIONERS

We have low-gluten hosts available. Please alert Father Kaech prior to Mass if you need a low-gluten host and sit on the Blessed Mother statue side of the Church to receive Communion from Father. Also, please email your photo to stedoffice@hctc.com so it may be added to list in the Sacristy.

FINANCIALS	
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PRAY FOR THOSE SERVING OUR COUNTRY

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If you would like us to pray for you, please call the office or email Sandy Harris sandyharris911@gmail.com and we will give you support in your time of need.

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