

ST. EDWARD THE CONFESSOR CATHOLIC CHURCH



JULY 10, 2022 | 15TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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THE NEXT YEAR

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PLEASE CONTACT ANDREW FOR MORE INFORMATION

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WELCOME TO ST. EDWARD CHURCH!

If you have moved into the area from another Catholic Church or have found St. Edward to be the parish in which you choose to worship, consider registering. Pick up a registration packet at the Parish Life Desk in the Commons (after any weekend Mass), Parish Office, or go to "Important Forms" on our website. Questions: Call 804.272.2948. Not of the Catholic faith? Call Sherri at 804.864.4706 to learn more.

IN SERVICE TO OUR FAITH COMMUNITY

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ST. EDWARD CHURCH IS COMMITTED TO PROVIDING A SAFE ENVIRONMENT FOR CHILDREN, YOUNG PEOPLE, AND VULNERABLE INDIVIDUALS. VISIT OUR WEBSITE AND FOLLOW THE LINK UNDER PROTECTING CHILDREN.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Friday: 9a-4p

AFTER HOURS EMERGENCIES

Call 804.272.2948 and follow prompts.

EUCCHARISTIC LITURGIES

Saturday: 5p (Vigil of Sunday)

Sunday: 7:15, 8:45, 11:15a & 5p

Monday-Friday: 9a

RECONCILIATION

Monday-Friday: 9:30a; Saturday: 4p

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Fridays: 9:30-10:30a, in the Chapel

Last Wednesday of every month: 7p

For information, contact Andrew at 804.864.4715.

ANNOINTING OF THE SICK

In the Healing Chapel by appointment.

BAPTISM, FIRST RECONCILIATION, & FIRST EUCHARIST

Call Peggy at 804.864.4714 for information.

CONFIRMATION

Call Andrew at 804.864.4715.

ADULT SACRAMENTS

Call Sherri at 804.864.4706.

MARRIAGE

Registered parishioners are to contact Pat at 804.864.4701

at least six months prior to setting a date.

Pre-marriage formation is required.

PASTORAL CARE

Call Pat at 864.4701 when you or a family member is admitted to the hospital or local care facility, when you need a weekly visit with Communion, or to add someone to our weekend prayer list for the sick or deceased. Contact for funeral arrangements.

MEMORIAL GARDEN & COLUMBARIUM

Contact Anita McCabe at 804.864.4712,

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PARISH BULLETIN

Bulletin info should be submitted two weeks in advance of publication date and is subject to approval and space availability. Contact Kathleen Wood at 804.864.4711, kathleen.wood@stedwardch.org.

HEARING LOOP SYSTEM If your hearing aid or cochlear implant has an activated T-coil, you may access our hearing loop system. Not sure? Ask your audiologist.

AUTOMATIC DOOR We have an automatic door on the left side of the Church.

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SUNDAY'S READINGS

First Reading: "No, it is something very near to you, already in your mouths and in your hearts; you have only to carry it out." (Dt 50:14)

Psalm: Turn to the Lord in your need, and you will live. (Ps 69)

Second Reading: For in him were created all things in heaven and on earth, the visible and the invisible, whether thrones or dominions or principalities or powers; all things were created through him and for him. (Col 15:15)

Gospel: "Which of these three, in your opinion, was neighbor to the robbers' victim?" He answered, "The one who treated him with mercy." Jesus said to him, "Go and do likewise." (Lk 10:36-37)



QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK

First Reading: Upon Toward the end of their 40-years of desert wanderings, Moses assured the Israelites that God's commandments and statutes are within each of us as long as we repent.

How do you sustain a disposition of repentance?

Second Reading: In his letter to the Colossians, Paul inserts a very early Christological hymn that speaks to Jesus' divinity and his role as the mediator of creation and the source of reconciliation.

How do you imagine the Colossians reacting to this astonishing teaching on Jesus?

Gospel: In the parable of the good Samaritan, Jesus taught the scribe the importance of showing mercy toward one's neighbor as central to following God's law.

How well do you practice the virtue of mercy? ©LPi

LIVE THE LITURGY

It's important to keep our eyes open. Otherwise, we can easily dismiss things that truly require our attention. Whether it is someone needing care, a wrong that must be rectified, an injustice that must be addressed, or someone in need of a helping hand, the lens through which we view life (and even the rules by which we live) can prevent us from stopping and acting. Whether it's an obsession with being on time, a compulsion to complete tasks according to a schedule, or a rigidity with not breaking a law or fear of taking a risk, we miss daily opportunities to show mercy. We often fail in our duty to be a good neighbor, especially when it involves brothers and sisters remote from us whom we have never met. The pain of the world is our pain. God's law of love, mercy, and compassion is not something remote. It's already within us and very near. All we have to do is open our eyes and carry it out. ©LPi

EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP

What Jesus Doesn't Say

"If Jesus wanted us to (fill in the blank), he would have said so." We hear this argument applied to every controversial topic under the sun — and even some not-so-controversial topics, too. Whenever someone is trying to make a case for a decision they have already made, they call in Jesus' scriptural silence on the matter as their expert, unimpeachable witness. And sure, there's much Jesus doesn't talk about in the Gospels. But by this logic, we would have to assume that Jesus doesn't care, for instance, if we drive well over the speed limit (he doesn't discuss cars and highways in the Bible) or what we do online (he never mentions the Internet or websites at all!), when we know that certainly is just not the case. Like the scholar of the Jewish law who challenges Jesus to define who exactly his "neighbor" is, we can argue semantics all we want. But if we rest in prayer and look deep into our hearts, we know what path we need to take, and it's usually not the easy one. I find that I do this plenty in ways that are far more subtle. I lament that the situation facing me is not sufficiently "black and white." I become frustrated by the shades of moral grey and toss up my hands, claiming I don't know what the right answer is, insisting that I can't be blamed for the ramifications of whatever decision I make. What I need to be doing in these situations is asking God for His guidance, even if it makes me nervous. I need to be like the scholar. He was brave enough to ask, even though I think he knew he wouldn't particularly like the answer. Let's strive for that same courage.— Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS ©LPi

For the Kids!

Sharing the Gospel: Jesus wants you to love your neighbors. He wants you to help your neighbors. You could help the people who live next door, or the people that go to your church. But Jesus wants you to think bigger than that. Jesus wants you to help people all around the world - no matter where they live, and no matter what they believe.

Prayer: Dear God, show me how to help others around the world.

Something to Draw: Draw a picture of people holding hands all around the world. They are all our neighbors.

Mission for the Week: Ask your parents if your family could give money to help the missions in another country.

Please pray for...

Please pray for those associated with our parish who are sick or unable to worship with us, that they experience strength in the Lord's unending compassion and love

Gene Conliffe, Evangeline Escobar, Peter Pavlu, Carlo Reyes, Richard Roycroft, Anthony Southard, and all victims of the coronavirus, war, terrorism, violence, and natural disasters.

Lord, hear our continued prayers for those dealing with an on-going illness: may they experience fortitude and peace

Jamie Aguilar, Cathy Alden, Chris Ballalo, Nanci Bolling, Mike Bonner, Mary Jane Burke, James Butler, Sherry Cart, Cathy Casey, Mary Alice Christie, Ryan Colavita, Regina Corcoran, Jimmy Dagenhart, Bobbi Daniello, Mike & Diana Dougherty, Josephine Douglas, Sue Driscoll, Donald Fields, Samantha Finnegan, Nicole Florio, Wayne Frith, Kathy Galligan, Emily Gardener, Angela Gardner, Verena Goins, Mary Grace Greer, Jeff and Spencer Hamm, Tom Hammerstone, Thomas Hardy, Hartwell Harrison, Neico Hayden, Grover Helsley, Rich Hoho, Rita Holloman, Grant Ilkani, Graham Jennings, Melissa Jennings, Joseph Jones, Sr., Marlene Kacmar, Uni and Robert Kemp, Oliver Khoury, Fr. Dan Klem, Kim Lourenco, Margaret Day Magno, Marg Mayer, Connie Mikuski, Daniel Miller, Lando Mojica, Vera Mulherin, Marie Oliver, Lois Pearn, Brian Pickral, Marian Piracci, Rose Marie Pulleyblank, Dan Raible, Grant Rake, Jean Raugh, Bob Rice, Pat Rollins, Kaeden Ross, David Russ, Sam Sponeybarger, Kelly Shanahan, Beau and Suki Simpson, Tony Stanton, Garry Stelmach, Michelle Stelmach, Grace Stivers, Greg Stivers, Laura Sullivan, Barbara Swan, Ashley Talley, Tony Toler, David Turner, Billy Vogelsson, Tracy Waldo, Benjamin Weldon, Marie Wilborn, Ella Wilkinson, Barbara Williams, Donna Wilson, and Sam Young.

Lord, hear our prayers for all the souls of the faithful departed.

Dorothy Lesnefsky, mother of Ed Lesnefsky

Please pray for the parishioners of Holy Trinity cluster and bless the works of their outreach

St. Anthony in Norton; Holy Spirit in Jonesville; Sacred Heart in Big Stone Gap; and St. Joseph in Clintwood.

Please pray for those service men and women who fight for our freedom.

Yasmin Acevedo, A1C; Taylor Armstrong, US Army; 2nd Battalion 505 Parachute Infantry Regiment; Daniel Beirne; Major David Bhatta-US Army; Richard Currie Braun, Air Force; LTJG Ian Burke, USN; Joseph Brandon Butler; Ross Butler; LT Jimmy Callahan, USN; LCDR Michael Callahan, USN; Capt. Scott P. Campbell; Matthew Coccia, Army; SSGT. John Maxwell Cosper and Unit, US Army Special Forces; Major Spencer D. Curtis, Judge Advocate, National Guard; Col. Seth Enterline; Navy Lt. Coleen Fagan; Capt. Leroy O. Flynn; SSgt Brad Freda, Air Force; Capt. Peter Fritz; PFC Jose Luis Garcia, National Guard; Spec. April Garrett; LCpl Kevin Hackman, Marines; Diana Honings USCG; Matt Horansky; Capt. Katie Hulcher; 2nd Lt. Megan Hulcher, RN; Capt. Thomas Hulcher; Capt. Renee Kane, Army; Major Nathan Kane, Air Force; Lt. Col. David Kaulfers, Army Corps of Engineers; Sgt. A. David Kelly; Staff Sgt. Steven Kelly, US Army; Josh Kozup, Army; Ryan Larson, Army; Grayson Larus, Lieutenant, US Navy; Nicole Lee; Stacey Lee; Clara Mailloux, Navy Airman; Bryan J. McCabe U.S.C.G.; Sean McHugh, Army; Brendan Meadows, Pvt. US Army; Christine Michel; SFC Richard Molnar, US Army Reserves; Kevin Morrison; Major Jon Mueller, Air Force; Capt. Quentin Mueller; Wilson Mustian, Army; Adam Peers, Army; Capt. Lerv Remias; Sgt. Jared Roussell; Capt. Javone Seaborn; Jonathan Schulte; Jobon Seaborn, Army; Lt. Curren D. Shorte; Vincent Stransky; Sgt. Christopher Sturtevant; Major Thomas Tombes, Chandra Weatherell; Cpt. Matthew Weisner; Brennan Wilkes, US Navy; Justin Wolfe, Lt. Col., Air Force; Phillip Wood; and Steve York.

Due to the early transmission date of July 1st, names may not be up-to-date.

This Week at Our Parish

SUNDAY, JULY 10

7:15, 8:45, 11:15 am Eucharistic Liturgy - Church

9:00 am RCIA - Nursery

5:00 pm Eucharistic Liturgy - Church

MONDAY, JULY 11

9:00 am Daily Morning Mass - Church

7:00 pm Boy Scouts #1893 - Cafeteria

7:00 pm Knights of Columbus #6546 Business Meeting - FHH Music

TUESDAY, JULY 12

9:00 am Daily Morning Mass - Church

9:00 am Unleashed: Upperclassmen Bible Study - Bosco Center

1:00 pm Prayer Blanket Ministry - Nursery

6:30 pm Scripture Study - Virtual

WEDNESDAY, JULY 13

9:00 am Daily Morning Mass - Church

6:00 pm High School Youth Group - Bosco Center

THURSDAY, JULY 14

9:00 am Daily Morning Mass - Church

FRIDAY, JULY 15

7:00 am Men of St. Joseph - Chapel

9:00 am Daily Morning Mass - Church

9:30 am Friday Adoration - Chapel

SATURDAY, JULY 16

4:00 pm Reconciliation - Healing Chapel

5:00 pm Eucharistic Liturgy - Church

SUNDAY, JULY 17

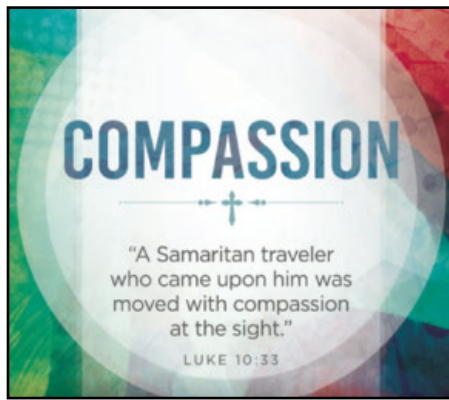
7:15, 8:45, 11:15 am Eucharistic Liturgy - Church

2:00 pm Baptism Service - Church

5:00 pm Eucharistic Liturgy - Church

In everything,
whether it is a thing
sensed or a thing
known, God Himself
is hidden within.

—St. Bonaventure



SUNDAY, JULY 10

DEUTERONOMY 30:10-14
COLOSSIANS 1:15-20
LUKE 10:25-37

We can learn a great deal from Mister Rogers. Remember him? He was the gentle soul who found his way into living rooms worldwide starting as far back as 1968. Mister Rogers' Neighborhood was a beloved program that celebrated and exalted people, especially children. He taught us that we are neighbors and that everyone has a place. Everyone matters. He had a vision, born of his relationship with God that highlighted every human life's innocence, beauty, and uniqueness. To that end, he called us to be responsible for each other, saying nothing different than what Jesus said. Viewers quickly learned that life is not just about me. "We live in a world in which we need to share responsibility. It's easy to say, 'It's not my child, not my community, not my world, not my problem.' Then there are those who see the need and respond. I consider those people my heroes (Fred Rogers)." It is so easy to look the other way. After all, I'm not the one who needs to leave home out of fear and try to find somewhere safe. I am not the one who is hungry and without shelter or food. I am not the one who has a child being bullied or ridiculed because of the way they dress or act. I am not the one being threatened with violence or unable to find meaningful work. The distress and agony of our neighbors are our distress and agony. We cannot walk by it with an attitude of indifference, especially if we call ourselves believers. When we no longer care, we have suffocated our souls. This is a great sin. God's law "is something very near to you, already in your mouths and in your hearts; you have only to carry it out." We all have a need for love and acceptance. That's why Mister Rogers' television show was so popular. It spoke to something deeper, something sacred about humanity. God didn't give us his law in a book. He wrote it on our hearts. We know what we need to do. It's a matter of choice. Love is sacred. When we love another human being, especially without regard for ourselves, it is a holy moment. These moments are often missed due to our self-serving agendas and rules. ©LPi

DAY & READINGS	TIME & INTENTIONS
MONDAY, JULY 11 Isaiah 1:10-17 Matthew 10:34-11:1	St. Benedict, Abbot 9:00 am Daily Mass Don Hattley
TUESDAY, JULY 12 Isaiah 7:1-9 Matthew 11:20-24	9:00 am Daily Mass Kim Wesdock
WEDNESDAY, JULY 13 Isaiah 10:5-7, 13-16 Matthew 11:25-27	9:00 am Daily Mass Larry Lemay
THURSDAY, JULY 14 Isaiah 26:7-9, 12, 16-19 Matthew 11:28-30	St. Kateri Tekakwitha, Virgin 9:00 am Daily Mass Nicholas Sidrow
FRIDAY, JULY 15 Isaiah 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8 Matthew 12:1-8	St. Bonaventure, Bishop and Doctor of the Church 9:00 am Daily Mass Larry Lemay
SATURDAY, JULY 16 Micah 2:1-5 Matthew 12:14-21	5:00 pm Eucharistic Liturgy Sue Meagher
SUNDAY, JULY 17 Genesis 18:1-10 Colossians 1:24-28 Luke 10:25-37	7:15 am Eucharistic Liturgy Karen O'Grady 8:45 am Eucharistic Liturgy Parishioners, Living & Deceased 11:15 am Eucharistic Liturgy Carol Hellman 5:00 pm Eucharistic Liturgy Emersyn Sweitzer

OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS			
FISCAL YEAR: JULY 1, 2021 - JUNE 30, 2022			
Month	Budget	Actual as of	Over/Under
July-May	\$ 1,627,103	\$ 1,930,079	\$ 302,976
June	\$ 130,297 (6/30)	\$ 123,235	\$ 7,062

Note: We show the total budget for the month rather than each week.

A very heartfelt thank you for your generosity!

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Save the Date!

Sessions for **Matthew** begin
September 11th.
For more information or to register,
contact Sherri.

To purchase a study set, visit:
<https://ascensionpress.com/products/matthew-the-king-and-his-kingdom-study-set-1>

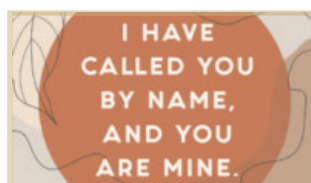
This summer we will be forming an adult formation team of approximately 4 – 6 parishioners that will help plan and implement future studies and be trained as small group facilitators. Please discern joining this important team. For more information contact Sherri.

JOIN US!



Be a part of the team!

ARE YOU BEING CALLED
TO THE CATHOLIC CHURCH?
If so, RCIA is for you!
Call or email Sherri for more information.



Liturgy Team: Fr. Don Lemay, Pastor
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VOLUNTEER WITH THE LITURGICAL MINISTRY!

Contact Sherri or Anita, if interested!

LECTOR

Lend your voice for the readings at
Mass!

USHER/GREETER

Welcome others, distribute worship
aids, help seat, pass donation basket,
and assist with Communion lines!

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER

Assist the presiding priest with the
distribution of the Eucharist!

ALTAR MINISTER

Assist the presiding priest and other
liturgical ministers during Mass!

SACRISTAN

Prepare the bread, wine, vessels, and
linens for the liturgy. Help clean for the
next liturgy.

ARTS AND ENVIRONMENT

On a rotating basis, clean & press the
altar cloths and other linens.
Provide upkeep with the church greens
and seasonal displays.

HAITI MINISTRY



The next Haiti Committee meeting will be August 15 at 6:15pm at the parish center and on Zoom.

FOOD PANTRY

As you know, the cost of food is rising, so we are seeing an increase in people in need coming to the parish seeking assistance with food. Some items that we need on our shelves include:

Household products such as toilet paper and paper towels and cleaners, Spaghetti Sauce, Shampoo, Laundry Detergent, Wipes for babies, toothpaste, Fruit and fruit juices (small containers).

Thanks for your generosity!



BREAKFAST FOODS FOR SUMMER CAMP AT SACRED HEART CENTER

Sacred Heart Center has a bilingual summer camp called Cielito Lindo for grades K-5. We are collecting donations of some breakfast-type foods for SHC to have on hand for the kids to eat if they arrive without having eaten. Please bring these items to the parish center anytime before July 22nd: granola/breakfast bars, fruit cups, milk and juice boxes, individual dry cereals, etc. Thank you!

God, source of all freedom, this day is bright with the memory of those that declared that life and liberty are your gift to every human being.

Help us to continue a good work begun long ago. Make our vision clear and our will strong; that only in human solidarity will we find liberty, and justice only in the honor that belongs to every life on earth.

Turn our hearts towards the family of nations: to understand the ways of others, to offer friendship, and to find safety in the common good for all. We ask this through Christ our Lord, Amen.

APPALACHIA MINISTRY

TRIP UPDATE



A small group of parishioners will be visiting St. Anthony in Norton, VA July 13-18. We will be working with their parishioners on the backpack project, which (thanks to your generosity) provides supplies and backpacks for 300 elementary students and 100 high school students in far southwest Virginia (specifically, some students in the counties of Lee, Wise, Dickenson, and the city of Norton.)

Please keep everyone in your prayers as they help support St. Anthony's parish outreach to their neighbors and to help increase the Catholic presence in the community.

QUESTIONS?

CONTACT JENNIFER@STEDWARDCH.ORG.

REFUGEE MINISTRY

Are you interested in learning more about how our parish can partner with Commonwealth Catholic Charities in sponsoring an Afghan refugee family? Email Jennifer for a copy of their Community Sponsorship Manual to learn more. Once we establish a core team of parishioners to be trained by CCC, we will be matched with a family and then be able to determine their needs. We will communicate with the parish how everyone can help!



POPE ON TWITTER

@Pontifex 7/1/22

"During difficult moments, let us not close in ourselves, shutting Jesus out. Let us seek Jesus, return to him, to his forgiveness, to those wounds that have healed us. In this way, we too will become capable of compassion, of approaching the wounds of others."

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 Candace Aud, Outreach in Love Coordinator

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EDUCATION

REGISTRATION 2022-2023

Online registration for next year's religious education is open! Go to <https://bit.ly/StEdRVARegistration>

ELEMENTARY

Sunday morning PK-5th grade 10-11am
 Families of Faith virtual/in person hybrid PK-5th Sun or Thurs
 Parent-led Homeschool workbook K-5th grade

MIDDLE & HIGH SCHOOL

Sunday morning Small Groups 6-12th grade 10-11am
 Thursday Family Zoom 6-12th grade 6-7pm



MIDDLE SCHOOL

Sunday evening Edge
 6-8th grade 6:30-8pm



HIGH SCHOOL

Sunday evening Life Teen
 9-12th grade 6:30-8pm

OUTREACH IN LOVE is a religious ed. program for individuals with intellectual or physical disabilities. Older group meets weekly on Wednesdays. Younger group meets twice per month on Sunday mornings. For information contact Candace Aud.

YOUTH MINISTRY

MIDDLE SCHOOL

Rising 6-8th grade
 Contact Rachael Mattio

Middle School Youth Group
 Thursdays 6:30-8pm
 Bosco Center



VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED!!

Adult help is needed in all grades. Catechists, aides, Core Team members, and Dinner support. Background check required. Training provided. Contact Peggy for Elementary, Rachael for Middle School and Andrew for High School.

SUMMER 2022 - REGISTER NOW!

<https://bit.ly/StEdFamilyVBS>



SACRAMENTS

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION & CONFIRMATION

To register, visit:
<https://bit.ly/StEdRVARegistration>



HIGH SCHOOL

Rising 9th grade-recently graduated seniors
 Contact Andrew McCarthy

Unleashed Summer Bible Study!

Open to all rising 11th graders through recent grads. Tuesday mornings from 9-11:30am starting June 14. We will meet for 9am Mass then head over to Bosco to make breakfast together and do Bible study. We hope you can join us. You do not have to attend every single one to participate. Email Andrew if you're interested.

**High School Youth Group, Wednesdays 6:30-8pm
 Bosco Center**

- July 13 Youth Group
- July 20 Youth Group + XLT
- July 27 NO YOUTH GROUP

High School Youth Ministry Rosary
 will resume in the fall.

Liz Goodwin, Director of Music 804.864.4717 liz.goodwin@stedwardch.org
 Katie Wooldridge Geisert, Violinist, Instrumental Coordinator
 katie.geisert@stedwardch.org
 Mary Beth Schutte, Handbell Director mbssings@gmail.com

St. Edward Music Ministry Opportunities

Schola Rehearsal Dinners

WEDNESDAYS

JULY 13TH

JULY 27TH

6-8P

Contact Liz!

ST. EDWARD MUSIC MINISTRY

Summer Choir Camp

AUGUST 15-18
 MONDAY THRU THURSDAY

\$25 camp fee includes t-shirt

CONTACT LIZ GOODWIN TO REGISTER!

Skilled Instrumentalists interested in ensemble playing are welcome!
 Contact Katie Geisert.

Cantors:
 We are in need of solo quality vocalists who read music!
 Contact Liz Goodwin.

YOUTH CHOIR
 2nd thru 6th grade
 Wednesdays, 5-6p,
 September - May

ADULT CHOIR
 Thursdays, 7:30-9:30p
 SATB traditional choir that
 sings each Sunday at
 11:15a Mass

JUBILEE RINGERS
 Thursdays, 2:30-3:30p
 Handbell Choir for new player

SCHOLA
 6th thru 12th grade
 Wednesdays, 6-7p,
 September - May

MORNING PRAISE
 Thursdays, 10-11am, sings
 once each month at a
 Sunday 8:45 am Mass

BELL CANTO
 Thursdays, 6-7:15p
 Handbell Choir
 for experienced players

Since Love is Lord of Heaven and Earth, How Can I Keep from Singing?

St. Gianna's Mom Group

All are welcome, whether your child is a newborn or an adult!

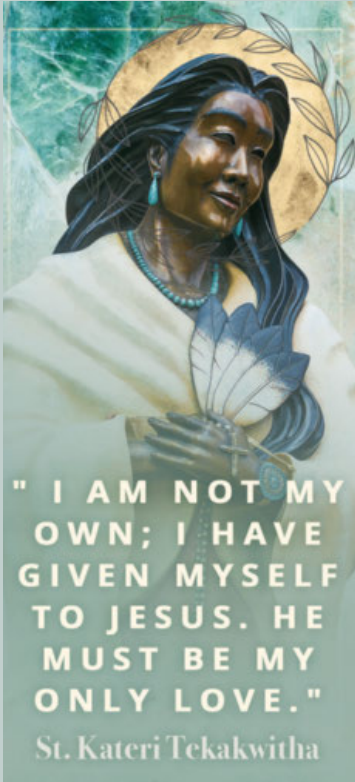
There are many fellowship opportunities such as book studies, morning playgroups/socials, Meal Trains, and a monthly Mom Night Out, just to name a few. A monthly Flocknote email has details for the current happenings.

This is an uplifting and supportive community of women for both the joys and sorrows of life.

We hope you join us!

Please contact Katherine Newbrough at kathcnewb@gmail.com or 216-287-5155 for more information.

St. Kateri Tekakwitha
July 14



On July 14th, we celebrate the feast of the "Lily of the Mohawks." St. Kateri Tekakwitha is the first Native American woman to be canonized. Orphaned by a smallpox outbreak, Kateri survived with severe scarring and impaired eyesight. Despite tragedy, she was a devout girl at a young age, often building crosses from sticks in the woods. When she was 18, she began secret instruction in the Catholic faith with French missionaries. Her commitment to Christianity and vow of virginity was misunderstood and ridiculed by her fellow villagers. She escaped to a nearby mission, where she attended daily Mass, taught the children, and cared for the sick and the elderly. Sometimes the greatest misunderstandings can come from those closest to us. Like St. Kateri, God invites us to be faithful to our commitments of faith and to always respond in love. @LPi

Interested in a trip to the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington D.C. for the Solemn High Mass of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin on Monday August 15, 2022? After Mass we will go to Cracker Barrel in Fredericksburg, Virginia for a late lunch. Trip is sponsored by the Catholic Golden Age – Our Lady of Peace Chapter in Richmond. Cost of trip is \$47, which does not include price of lunch at Cracker Barrel. Reservations and payment must be received by Wednesday July 27, 2022. Come join us for this beautiful occasion. Please call Peggy Nitz for complete details. (804-272-0769.



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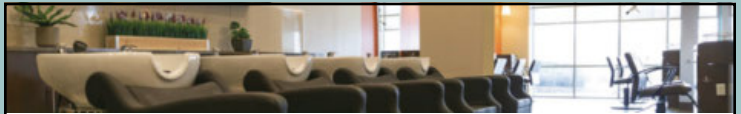
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