



St. Edward

CATHOLIC CHURCH AND SCHOOL

The Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Year A



St. Edward is a welcoming Catholic community centered on the Eucharist, striving to live and share the Good News and grow in discipleship with the Lord.

August 2, 2026

Mass Schedule

Tuesday 5:00 pm

Wed.- Friday 9:30 am

Sat. Vigil 5:30 pm

Sunday 10:00am

Confession Schedule

Sat. 4:30--5:00 pm

Sun 9:00--9:30 am

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<i>Holy Mass Intentions & Events</i>		<i>St. Edward Weekly Donations—Week ending 7/26/26</i>	
Saturday, August 1st Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Confession 4:30—5:00 p.m. Holy Mass 5:30 p.m.	Special Intentions of Jim & Gayle Kane (Jim & Gayle Kane)	Church*	\$3,715.89
Sunday, August 2nd Confession 9:00—9:30 a.m. Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Holy Mass 10:00 a.m.	Parishioners	School Fund	\$3,800.00
Monday, August 3rd	No Holy Mass	Building Fund	0.00
Tuesday, August 4th Holy Mass 5:00 p.m.	In memory of Bryan Sifford (Mark & Mary Ann Sifford)	Cemetery Fund	0.00
Wednesday, August 5th Adoration resumes Wednesday, August 12th Holy Mass 9:30 a.m.	Joe Cordray (Mary Grable)	In-Kind	0.00
Thursday, August 6th Holy Mass 9:30 a.m.	Karla Enzweiler (Dennis & Kathy Arnold)	Diocese**	0.00
Friday, August 7th Adoration resumes Friday, August 21st Holy Mass 9:30 a.m.	Intentions of Katherine Arnold (Kathy Arnold)	Total	\$7,515.89
Saturday, August 8th Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Confession 4:30—5:00 p.m. Holy Mass 5:30 p.m.	Kennie Whitaker (Helen Whitaker)	*Includes all Mass offerings, undesignated donations, flowers, and other Parish special collections. Online donations are placed in the appropriate categories. **All Diocese collections are sent to the Covington Diocese.	
Sunday, August 9th Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Confession 9:00—9:30 a.m. Holy Mass 10:00 a.m.	Parishioners	<i>Thank you all for your generous support and donations for the New Hope Pregnancy Center through our recent baby bottle drive. The total of your gift giving was \$2,331.14. These funds will help support young families raise their babies through many avenues including classes as well as needed baby items. Your Respect Life Ministry</i> <i>The Finance Committee will meet on Tuesday, August 4, 2026, at 6:00 p.m. in the school cafeteria. This is date change due to a scheduling conflict on August 5th.</i>	

<i>Eucharistic and Liturgical Ministers for August 8th & 9th</i>					
Mass Times	Greeters	Eucharistic Ministers	Rosary Leaders	Lectors	Servers
Saturday 5:30 p.m.	Nicole Gribble	Adriana/ Tim	Judy Hicks	Rick Haas	Head Server: Audrey Evans Book Bearer: Julien Evans Bell Ringer: Briar Darnell
Sunday 10:00 a.m.	Terry Box	Terry/Gale	Nancy Zaletta	Nicki Jones	Head Server: Sutton Koch Book Bearer: Bella Clay Bell Ringer: Anna Jones

Prayer List

Please Pray For: Kentaya Baker, Biz Clay, Helen Whitaker, Allen Reed, Raymond McCoy, Lila Greeley, Paul Zint, Rita and Tom Tobin, Kensie Meece, Max Padgett, Debbie Palmer, Marsha Wright, Herbert & Talemina Sharp, Butch Whitley, Rick Gasser, Trent Williams, Lisa Gowen, Eden Carter, Gail & Dan Westhoff, Jeffrey Sowder, Roger Gasser, Adam Gasser, Hinkston Vaughn, Travis Frye, Brent Rush, Camille Flaherty, Tom Ware, Rosemary Whitaker, Ashley Daniel, Katie Herren

We pray for the homebound and those in care

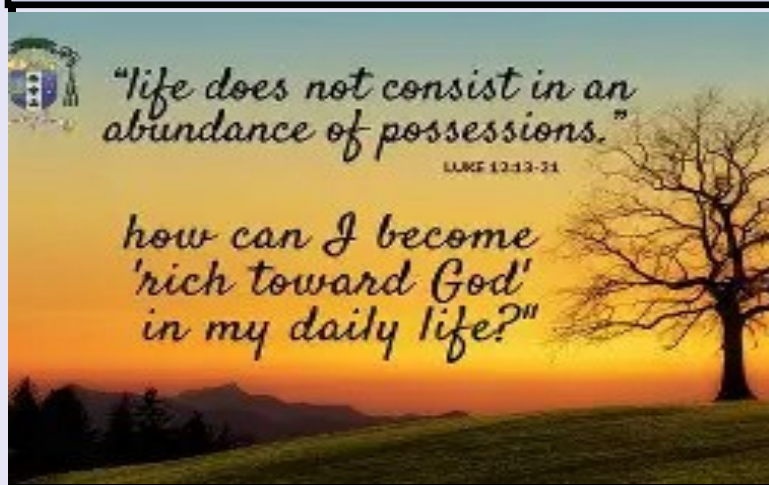
centers: Missy Giles, Joy Joy, **Robertson Co. Healthcare** Pete & Janet Cline **Edgemont** Cynthia Gerde **Grand Haven** Debbie Goodman **Parkside Manor** Patricia Emerson **Morning Point(LEX)** Bill Probus (send cards to %Todd Probus, 460 Paddock Dr. Versailles, KY 40383)

We pray for the Church: Pope Leo XIV, Bishop John C. Iffert, all priests, deacons, seminarians, and religious leaders.

We Pray for our Nation: Our President, the Congress and our military at home and abroad, federal, state, and local officials, those affected by social unrest, as well as our first responders.

Anyone wishing to access the church for prayer after regular Mass or Adoration may do so by stopping in the office between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. Thank you.

Food Bank Donations: The Food Bank request for August is **canned corn and canned peas.** Thank you for your generosity and support.



Upcoming Events & Church News

Bishop John C. Iffert will celebrate Vespers at Cathedral Basilica of the Assumption, Covington, to honor couples celebrating significant Wedding Anniversaries in 2026. Married couples celebrating their 1st, 25th, 50th, or 60+ Wedding Anniversary in 2026 are invited to a vespers celebration on **Sunday, Sept. 13, 2026**, at 2:00 pm. **Anniversary couples RSVP by Aug. 13, 2026**, at covidio.org/wedding-vespers/. Phone registrations are available after Aug. 6 through Isaak Abraham Isaak at 859-392-1529. Reservations are only required for anniversary couples; family members and guests are welcome to attend. **Congratulatory certificates will be available upon request.**

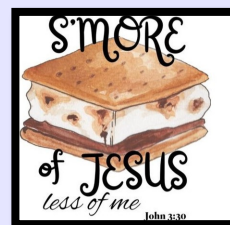
Faith Formation

Are you interested in learning about the Catholic faith? We invite you to join a community of faithful followers. Contact Adriana Haas at ahaas@stedwardky.org. OCI classes begin Sunday, August 9th @ 11:00 a.m. in the school library.

School News

We're so excited about the start of the 2026-2027 year.

Here are a few dates to keep in mind while packing your backpacks:



Thursday, August 6th,
5-7 p.m.—OPEN HOUSE FOR STUDENTS & FAMILY

Monday, August 10th,
OPENING DAY OF SCHOOL FOR ST. EDWARD STUDENTS

PARENTS: Monday, August 10th—Wednesday, August 12th will be PRIVATE TRANSPORTATION DAYS



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SACRAMENTS: Baptism: before baptism, please contact parish office at least 1 month prior to making arrangements. Marriage: Please contact the parish office before setting your date at least 10 months in advance. Funeral: before finalizing the date, please contact the parish office for availability. To receive Holy Communion at home, or to receive a visit from Fr. Joe, please call the office.

**Sanctuary Candle is burning in
loving memory of Wylie Clayton
The Mattmiller Family**

*Almighty God, we lift up our St. Edward
students to You. May they succeed not only in
academics but also in life. Bless them with wis-
dom, understanding, and perseverance. Guide
their paths and help me to contribute positively
to their growth and success.*

*Bless this school which we have built
for the education of our young people.
Bless our students and teachers,
our parents, board members, employees,
and all who promote education in our parish
community.*