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Eucharistic Liturgies (Mass)
Saturday  8:15 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. (Vigil)
Sunday   7:30, 9:00 & 11:00 a.m., 12:30(Spanish) & 5:30 p.m.
Weekday  8:15 a.m. and 5:30 p.m.
Holy Day Vigil 5:30 pm (evening prior to the holy day)
Holy Day  8:15 a.m. 10 am (school), 5:30 p.m.

Sacrament of Penance (Confession)
Monday  6:00—7:30 p.m.
Saturday  4:00—5:00 p.m.
San Felipe Confession times (1st Friday 6 p.m.—7:30 p.m.)
(You may also call a priest to schedule an appointment.)

Sacrament of the Sick/ Emergency
In the event of serious illness or medical emergency, contact the Parish office to arrange for Anointing of the Sick and Eucharist. In case of a medical emergency after office hours, call (949) 257-8017.

Sacrament of Baptism
Infant Baptisms are celebrated on the first and third Sundays of each month following catechesis for parents and godparents. Parents of infants should contact the Faith Formation office (949) 496-6011 to enroll.

Celebration of Christian Funerals
At the time of death, a family member should contact the Parish office to arrange the date and time for the funeral liturgy.

Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)
Adults requesting information about full initiation and communion with the Roman Catholic Church (the sacraments of Baptism, Eucharist and Confirmation) may contact the Faith Formation office at (949) 496-6011.

Sacrament of Matrimony
The Sacrament presumes active sacramental participation on the part of one or both persons. Couples must begin preparation for their Sacrament at least six months prior to their proposed wedding date. Please call the Parish office for more information.

Eucharistic Adoration
On the first and third Monday of the month for 24 hours beginning after 8:15 a.m. Mass. Adoration at San Felipe de Jesus Chapel on the first Friday of every month 8 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.

We extend a warm welcome to all who attend our church.
We hope you will find our parish community a place where your faith will be nourished. We also hope you will share your special gifts with us. Your prayers, your presence and your talents are most welcome. To register, please visit our parish office.
Misas en Español
Domingo 10:00 a.m. (San Felipe)
12:30 p.m. (San Eduardo)
Primer Viernes 7:30 p.m. (San Felipe)

Confesiones en San Eduardo
Lunes de 6 -7:30 p.m.
Sábado de 4 -5:00 p.m.

Confesiones en San Felipe de Jesús
Primer Viernes del Mes de 6-7:30 p.m.

Ución de los Enfermos/Emergencia
En caso de una enfermedad seria o emergencia médica, un fallecimiento o la necesidad de recibir la unción de los enfermos o la Eucaristía, llame a la oficina de San Eduardo si su emergencia es después de las 8 p.m al (949) 257-8017.

Sacramento del Bautismo
Bautizos: segundo sábado del mes a las 11 a.m.
Pláticas pre bautismales: primer martes del mes de 6:30 p.m. a 8:30 p.m. en la Capilla de San Felipe de Jesús.

Funerales
En el momento de la muerte, un miembro de la familia debe ponerse en contacto con la oficina de la parroquia para reservar la fecha y hora de la liturgia fúnebre.

Rito de Iniciación Cristiana para Adultos (RCIA)
Los adultos que soliciten información acerca del programa de RICA para recibir (los sacramentos del Bautismo, Eucaristía y Confirmación) puede llamar a Karina L. Perea 949-496-1307 Ext 2202.

Sacramento del Matrimonio
Las parejas deben comenzar la preparación para el Sacramento del Matrimonio al menos seis meses antes de su boda. Por favor llame a la oficina parroquial para más información.

Quinceañeras en grupo.
Tercer sábado de cada mes a las 11 a.m. en San Eduardo.

Adoración al Santísimo Sacramento
Primer viernes del Mes 8 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. (San Felipe)
1er y 3er lunes del Mes las 24 horas (San Eduardo)

Le damos una cálida bienvenida a todos los que asisten a nuestra iglesia. Esperamos que en esta comunidad parroquial encuentre un lugar en el que se nutra su fe. También esperamos que comparta sus regalos especiales con nosotros. Sus oraciones, su presencia y sus talentos son bienvenidos. Para registrarse, por favor visite nuestra oficina parroquial.
You Are Invited to Join a Small Faith-Sharing Group

It's not good to walk alone on the spiritual journey! Let us help you get together with like-minded companions to talk about faith, study Scripture, watch a video series, or even do a service project.

Who Can Join a Small Group?
Any adults, any age - singles, married people (with children or without children), co-workers, neighbors, friends. You can choose a multi-generational group or a group specifically your age.

Ready to sign up? Need more information?

Go to:
http://stedward.com/small-faith-sharing-groups-sign-up
or email Liz Iorio in the Faith Formation Office:
Liorio@stedward.com.

Join us for the 40 Days of Prayer & Fasting for Life

This lent we invite you to participate in the 40 Days for Life campaign. In addition to 40 days of prayer and fasting for an end to abortion, we will have peaceful prayer vigils outside of a Planned Parenthood facility.

Please sign up to pray for an hour a week, at the corner of La Paz Road and Chrisanta as a Planned Parenthood abortion facility is located at that shopping center. We will be focusing on the following hours:

8:00 a.m. -10:00 a.m., 12:00-2:00 p.m., 5:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m.

Those of us from St. Edward would like to cover Monday mornings but any day and time is good to join others in prayer!

Questions? Contact Alejandra Baker or check the website to join other groups in prayer:
alejandra.baker@gmail.com (949) 690-7315
www.40DaysforLife.com/MissionViejo

Deanery Penance Services

Fecha y horarios de confesiones en las parroquias vecinas.

Wednesday, March 29:
Our Lady of Fatima -- 7:00 p.m.

Thursday, March 30:
Mission San Juan -- 7:00 p.m.

Monday, April 3:
St. Edward the Confessor -- 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday, April 4:
St. Catherine of Siena -- 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday, April 5:
St. Timothy -- 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, April 6:
Corpus Christi — 7:00 p.m.

MAKE YOUR PLEDGE TODAY!

Go online to:
Orangecatholicfoundation.org,
ParishPay.com,
or drop off your pledge card at the front office.

Thank you!
An Invite for All Liturgical Ministers

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion for Mass and for the Sick & Homebound, Ushers, Lectors, Greeters, Projectionists, Choirs, Altar Guild and Liturgical Environment Ministries

Saturday, March 25th
Morning Reflection and Ministry Meetings

All Liturgical Ministers are invited to attend a morning of reflection and ministry breakouts. Here is the agenda:
† 8:15 am   Mass at St. Edward
† 9:00 a.m. Continental Breakfast in Knight Hall
† Reflection by a special Guest Speaker
† Ministry breakouts: Separate meetings for the following ministries for training and/or discussion that will end by 11:30 a.m.
  • Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion for Mass
  • Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion for the Sick & Homebound
  • Lectors
  • Ushers

We hope you will join us.

Lenten Stations of the Cross

Parishioners are invited to join our faith community for the Stations of the Cross in Lent

MORNINGS (Monday thru Thursday and Saturdays (not 4/1))    Following the 8:15 a.m. Mass.
FRIDAY EVENINGS: Stations of the Cross will be led by ministries

March 17   Respect Life
March 24   Circle of Praise
March 31   World Apostolate of Fatima
April 7    Parish School (Living Stations)

Mary’s Corner Gift Shop & Library

Please stop by St. Edward’s very own gift shop & library! We are located just outside the church entrance and are open Sunday mornings from 8:15am – 12:30pm.

The gift shop contains a variety of religious articles: bibles, books, crucifixes, medals, children’s toys, scapulars and musical CDs. There are also several gift items for baptisms, communions and confirmations! The library, which has recently been reorganized and updated, contains over 300 books. There are categories on saints, scripture, apologetics, spiritual leaders, prayer, church history, and much more. We also have audio books and a wide variety of DVDs.

We look forward to seeing you on Sunday!
ST. PATRICK’S DAY DINNER
SATURDAY, MARCH 18, 2017
After the 5:30PM Mass in Knight Hall
Food • Entertainment • Prizes
THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS WILL BE SELLING
TICKETS FOR THEIR ANNUAL ST. PATRICK’S
DAY DINNER, FEATURING CORNED BEEF &
CABBAGE ALONG WITH LIVE ENTERTAINMENT
& IRISH DANCERS, DOOR PRIZES
AND OPPORTUNITY DRAWING.
One Week Pre-Sales Only!
Buy Tickets outside church on March 4th and 5th or call
Brian Wilson at 933-0852 or Kent Greenwald at 300-8562.
Hurry
Tickets are Limited
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Family (Mom, Dad, Children) $45.00
Knights of Columbus
Charity, Unity, Fraternity, Patriotism

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Second Week of Lent
March 12th-18th

Theme: Be Open

PRAY:
- Make a special prayer notebook and list all the people in your life who need prayers; pray for them each day. Add someone new every day
- Pray the rosary each day, alone or with your family

FAST:
- From excessive media – TV, phone, Internet;
- Give up fast food and give the money to charity.
- Send flowers to someone who needs a pick-me-up

SERVE:
- Your spiritual needs: Come to Catholicism 101 or watch it streaming live or archived on Facebook: https://www.facebook.com/stedwardchurch/
- Spiritual Needs of Others: Come and help us at Kids Around the World – 2:00 p.m. Sunday, March 12 in the school gym.
- Spiritual Needs of Community: Volunteer at soup kitchen or other food program

This Week:

Sunday, March 12
9:00 a.m. Family Faith Formation—B Group (School)
9:00 a.m. Tiny Angels-(School)
2:00 p.m. Kids Around the World Service Project (School Gym)
6:30 p.m. Insight (Knight Hall)

Tuesday, March 14
9:00 a.m. Bible Study (Knight Hall)
7:00 p.m. Catholicism 101 - “Prayer”-Knight Hall

Wednesday, March 15
9:00 a.m. Women of Wisdom (Knight Hall)
7:00 p.m. Bible Study (Knight Hall)

Thursday, March 16
7:00 p.m. Teen RCIA (Youth Room)

Friday, March 17
6:30 p.m. Stations of the Cross (after 5:30 mass)

We congratulate all of our RCIA Catechumens and Candidates who were presented to Bishop Kevin Vann on March 7th and are now counted among the Elect, awaiting initiation at the Great Easter Vigil:

Arika Aguirre  Sarah Ivec  Berenice Olvera  Sofia Sallee
David Ashkenaze Hollyann Kabbe Arlie Parker Jenna Soard
Yasmin Balci Kayla Lara Evan Pearson John Trinnaman
Rudolf Besikoff Ryan LaVigne Christian Perez Larry Wade Elkins
Montana Dilbeck Brian Lopez Lauren Recupero Ken Wakefield
Tonya Dowd Natalie Lopez-Portillo Enzo Rivera Erin Warner
Victoria Draper Kerry Madden Leah Roman Holly Whitmore
Kevin Estrada Blake Majano Moana Roman Parker Wright
Bethzy Felix Andrea Manning Tian Roman Jennifer Wright
Alyssa Harvey-Khraich Bryan Miller Nancy Rosalez
Fred Haton Deirdre Milosch Mona Saint
Diego Hernandez Matthew Nelson Ashton Saint
Paul Hertig Linda Norman Ethan Saint

March 12, 2017
Serve God by Serving His People

Is God calling you to serve in ministry? All of the faithful are summoned to a “full, conscious, and active participation” that burns with faith, hope and charity, by reason of their Baptism.

Please prayerfully reflect on your faith, how good God has been to you, and consider what you have to offer back to the One who made you and blessed you.

Christ may be calling you to serve Him in one of these ministries:

- Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion at Mass
- Ushers

Stop by the ministry tables in front of Church after Mass this weekend to sign up to serve or to learn more about these ministries.

1 Constitution on the Sacred Liturgy (CSL), 14
See General Instruction of the Roman Missal (GIRM), 17-18

You Are Invited to Join Our Usher Ministry

Please consider serving as an usher at the weekend Mass (Saturday evening or Sunday) you normally attend. You can choose to serve once a month or to serve more often.

Ushers welcome and help seat parishioners and strangers, collect and present the gifts, open doors, distribute bulletins, and provide assistance to those in the congregation.

Whether you’re single, a couple, or a family, you are welcome in this ministry.

Ushers will be at a table after Masses this weekend to answer questions and to provide applications for those who are considering serving in the Usher Ministry.

If you would like more information or have questions, please contact

Maria Whelan  (949) 233-8288
mariawhelan111@hotmail.com

Extraordinary Ministers (EM) of Holy Communion at Mass

Feel unworthy of this ministry? These feelings are normal. After all, who is worthy of the great mystery of the Eucharist? Every one of us, before we receive Holy Communion, says, “Lord, I am not worthy....” But Christ invites us anyway. Christ makes us worthy by coming to us.

If your love for Christ draws you to the Eucharist, please consider serving in this ministry. Extraordinary Ministers are a necessary part of our sacramental sharing of the Eucharist. Please prayerfully consider if God is calling you to serve in this important ministry. We ask Extraordinary Ministers to serve a couple of times a month at the weekend Mass they normally attend.

Extraordinary Ministers will be at a table after Masses this weekend to answer questions and to provide applications for those who are interested in serving in this ministry. EM’s are commissioned by our Diocese to serve for a two-year period and training is provided.

If you would like more information or have questions, please contact

Rocco Falabella  (949) 240-8037  rocco@roccofalabella.com
**Parish Ministries**

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**Liturgical Environment Ministry**  
**Volunteers Needed**

This ministry lends beauty to the house of God to inspire those who gather for worship. It transforms the church to reflect the liturgical season: the simplicity of Lent contrasts with the exuberance of Christmas.

The liturgical environment is never about itself. It’s about creating a sacred space that is more conducive to the divine mysteries and helps the faithful pray.

Volunteers, including a ministry leader, are needed to help prepare and decorate our Church for the liturgical seasons (Advent, Christmas, Lent, Easter and Ordinary Time) and special liturgies such as Palm Sunday. While most of this ministry’s work can be done during the day, on occasion the environment must be transformed overnight.

With Palm Sunday, the Triduum and Easter quickly approaching, ministers are needed who are willing to put their faith into action and serve in this ministry.

To volunteer or for more information please contact Joni Fleming  
(949) 542-4311

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**Catholic Social Justice Ministry**  
**Tuesday, March 14  @ 7:00—8:30 p.m.**

Come join us in working to support the needs of the poor and vulnerable in our community. The Catholic Social Justice Ministry meets on the second Tuesday of the month from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m. in the Church Meeting Room. Call Chuck and Cindy Brauer (949) 388-8219 for more information.

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**Parents’ Grief Support Group**  
**Thursday, March 16 @ 6:30 p.m.**

Our grief support group is for parents who have lost a child of any age. We will meet the 3rd Thursday of the month in the Church Meeting Room at 6:30 p.m. If you are interested in joining the group, or you would like additional information, please call Shawna Moznett (949) 554-9976.

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**Binky Patrol**  
**Wednesday, March 15 @ 9—11 a.m.**

What is a binky? It’s a homemade quilt or blanket. The Binky Patrol sews, knits or crochets different sized quilts and blankets binkies for babies, children and teens experiencing illness or trauma. These quilts not only give warmth, but also comfort. Donations of fabric, fleece & batting are needed. Come join us! For information call Patricia Koupal 949-231-9885 or Marilyn Novak (949) 492-0028.

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**Serra Club of South Orange County**  
**Monday, March 20 @ 6:00 p.m.**

You are invited to join the Serra Club for dinner and a speaker. We will meet after the 5:30 p.m. Mass for a catered dinner and a speaker in the Maker Space (formerly the Lower Lunch room) of the school. There is a dinner donation of $15 and reservations are requested. The Serra Club is dedicated to praying for vocations to the priesthood and religious life in the Roman Catholic Church.

For reservations or questions, please contact Chris Mino (949) 218-2001 chrismino@cox.net

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**Mary’s Widowed**  
**Wednesday, March 15 @ 3:30 – 5:30 p.m.**

Talk, listen, pray, laugh, and exchange stories with other widows and widowers from St. Edward. Join us on the third Wednesday of the month in Knight Hall. For more information, please call Mela (949) 496-9857 or Ralph (949) 493-3404.
The Sick

Colleen Graveline
Lee Sweeney
Sue Donley
Denise M. Lackey
Gaby Chahrouri
Susie Tyler
Aaron Kheriaty
Jonathan Schniepp
The Garcia Family
Peggy Chapla

Cheryl Borden
Susie Tyler
David Garbarine
Myrtle Celaya
Betty Jane Reich
Sac Schram
Karen Barnato
Sylvia Guevara
Don Mrosak
Kim Riley

In Memoriam

Tom McDonald
Elizabeth Hodges
Catherine Mikolajczak
Christopher Valente
Antonio Prado Dominguez

The Deceased


Sanctuary Flowers this weekend sponsored by:

No Altar Flowers during Lent

Mass Intentions

Sunday Mar 12
7:30 a.m. Mass for the People
9:00 a.m. Jack Mudie †
11:00 a.m. Dan Sullivan †
12:30 p.m. Francisca Cruz †
5:30 p.m. Father Paul Dalton †

Monday Mar 13
8:15 a.m. Eddie Atayde †
5:30 p.m. Hill Ogletree †

Tuesday Mar 14
8:15 a.m. Jeri Martini †
5:30 p.m. Larry G. Kampmeier †

Wednesday Mar 15
8:15 a.m. Chuck Lee †
5:30 p.m. Dave Dora †

Thursday Mar 16
8:15 a.m. Larry G. Kampmeier †
5:30 p.m. Geraldine Martini †

Friday Mar 17
8:15 a.m. Homayoun Bayati †
5:30 p.m. Marie Belcher †

Saturday Mar 18
8:15 a.m. Chuck Pine †
5:30 p.m. Joan St. Clair †

Sunday Mar 19
7:30 a.m. Mass for the People
9:00 a.m. Felix Loiacono †
11:00 a.m. Aurora Miclet †
12:30 p.m. Isabel Sosa †
5:30 p.m. Rick Tilimon

2nd Sunday of Lent
Funerals

† Fr. Joseph DiStefano: Tuesday, March 14 at Holy Family Cathedral in Orange at 12:10 pm.

Scripture Readings

Sunday: Gn 2:7-9; 3:1-7; Ps 51:3-6, 12-13, 17; Rom 5:12-19 [12, 17-19]; Mt 4:1-11
Monday: Lv 19:1-2, 11-18; Ps 19:8-10, 15; Mt 25:31-46
Tuesday: Is 55:10-11; Ps 19:8-10, 15; Mt 6:7-17
Wednesday: Jon 3:1-10; Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 18-19; Lk 11:29-32
Thursday: Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25; Ps 138:1-3, 7c-8; Mt 7:7-12
Friday: Ez 18:21-28; Ps 130:1-8; Mt 5:20-26
Saturday: Dt 26:16-19; Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 7-8; Mt 5:43-48

Daily Schedule Monday-Saturday

7:30 a.m.—Pro Life Rosary and Morning Prayer (Liturgy of the Hours)
8:15 a.m.—Mass
Divine Mercy Chaplet for Priests
5:30 p.m.—Mass
(Saturday is Sunday’s Liturgy)

This Week’s Events

Monday March 13
6– 7:30 pm Confessions

Tuesday March 14
8:00 a.m. Moms in Prayer
9:15 a.m. Bible Study
6:00 p.m. Rosary- World Apostolate of Fatima
7:00 p.m. Social Justice, Church Meeting Room

Wednesday March 15
9:00 a.m. Circle of Praise, Church Cry Room
30 a.m. Women of Wisdom
1:00 pm. Families of Nazareth, Church Mtg. Room
3:30 p.m. Mary’s Widowed, Knight Hall
7:00 p.m. Bible Study, Knight Hall

Thursday March 16
8:45 a.m. Tijuana Ministry
6:30 p.m. Parent’s Grief Support Group, Church Meeting Room

Friday March 17
9:00 a.m. Prayer Shawl
6:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross, Church

Saturday March 18
4—5:00 p.m. Confessions
6:30 p.m. St. Patrick’s Dinner by Knights of Columbus in Knight Hall

Good Stewards All

In the month of February
St. Edward and San Felipe de Jesus

Baptisms 10 Individuals
Weddings 3 Couples
Quinceañeras 0 Young Women
Bereavement: 11 Funerals

Wedding Banns

Alan Peralta & Norma Solano ♥ Mar 17, 2017
Eric Perez & Suesan Gerard ♥ Mar 24, 2017
Brian Staudenbaur & Jennifer Bosco ♥ Mar 24, 2017
Thomas Cunningham & Elizabeth Poteracki ♥ Mar 25, 2017
Dustin Seeger & Massiel Luizaga ♥ Mar 25, 2017

To include a family member’s name serving our country, please email first and last name of the service member to bulletin@stedward.com

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March 12, 2017
Retrouvaille™
.. a lifeline for marriages™

Retrouvaille helps couples heal and renew their Marriages. The word Retrouvaille™ (pronounced re-tro-vi with a long i) is a French word meaning rediscovery.

The program offers tools needed to discover a loving marriage relationship. Thousands of couples headed for cold, unloving relationships or divorce have successfully overcome their marriage problems by attending the program. Couples will have the opportunity to rediscover each other and examine their lives in a new and positive way.

Retrouvaille provides marriage help!

For more information or questions about the next dates in Orange County, visit www.retrouvaille.org

Women’s Retreat
Mater Dolorosa
March 31- April 2

Join your fellow parishioners for this weekend of spiritual enrichment and growth. The Passionist retreat team offer inspirational talks on the theme, as well as time for quiet prayer, Mass, Confession, and Stations of the Cross.

Will be held at Mater Dolorosa Retreat Center in Sierra Madre on the weekend of March 31 - April 2, 2017. Our retreat begins Friday evening with a buffet supper and concludes Sunday after 11:00 am Mass.

The theme this year is, "The Crucified One is No Stranger"

Please phone Liz Mojica, (949) 422-1241, our parish retreat Captain for information or to make your reservation. Requested donation of $240 ($50 non-refundable deposit)

Please note that no one is turned away if the cost is an issue. See www.materdolorosa.org for more information.

Kids Around the World
Meal-Packing Event

Sunday, March 12 at 2:00 p.m. in the School Gym

Help us purchase and package meals for children and families who suffer from malnutrition.

One box provides 216 meals for only $54. – about the cost of pizza, drinks and dessert for a family of four!
Thank you to everyone who came out to support St. Edward the Confessor Parish School in the Diocese of Orange Academic Decathlon on Saturday, March 4th. Our team well defended their title of Champion and have brought home a first place overall victory! The team will compete in the state competition on Saturday, April 1st in Sacramento. Go Monarchs!

St. Edward the Confessor Parish School Results:

1st Place Overall Winner with a score of 22,020 - Diocese of Orange Champions
1st Place Super Quiz
2nd Place Logic Quiz
1st Place English – Sara Morrissey
1st Place Math – Kennie Arriola
1st Place Science – Haley Hughes
1st Place Literature – Sarah Beck
2nd Place Social Studies – Aidan Ekizian
2nd Place Fine Arts – Lauren Raney
3rd Place Current Events – Will Brady
3rd Place Religion – Will Crafts
SQ and Logic Members at Large – Mikayla Gargantiel and Andrew Bognar

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