



St. Edward's Parish

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OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday to Friday 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Secretary: 250-746-6831 *Sherriden Clements*

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Children's Faith Formation Coordinator: *Debby Fernandez*

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Queen of Angels Roman Catholic School:
250-746-5919 *Kathy Korman, Principal*

MASS TIMES

-ST. EDWARD'S CHURCH-

Saturday Reconciliation 4:00 p.m.
(or by appointment)

Mass 5:00 p.m.

Sunday Reconciliation 9:00 a.m.
(or by appointment)

Mass 10:00 a.m.

Tuesday to Friday

Mass see "this week in our Parish"

-SUNRIDGE PLACE-

361 Bundoock Avenue, Duncan

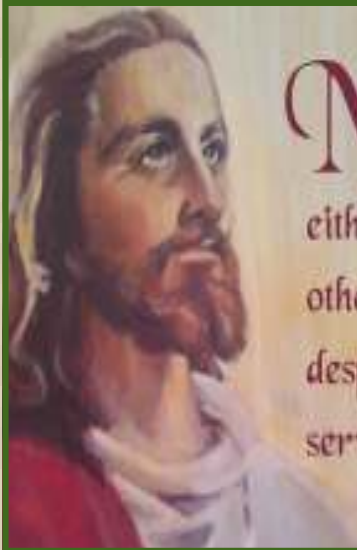
Friday Mass 11:00 a.m.

St. Edward's Parish Mission Statement

We, the people of St. Edward's reaffirm our belief that we are children of God, created in love, diverse and unique. We believe that through our common Baptism, and by the power of the Holy Spirit, we are called to be Christ for one another and to foster unity with all peoples. We accept the challenges of living according to Gospel Values, and to invite all sisters and brothers to share this journey with us.

25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 21st/22nd, 2019



No servant can serve two masters. He will either hate one and love the other, or be devoted to one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and mammon.

Many things compete for our attention on a daily basis. Some of the things we do, we do in light of our faith and in the service of God; other things may draw us away from both. Jesus exhorts us to pay attention to our actions and our motives, for we cannot serve both God and the things of this world.

Plant and Harvest Sale for Saturday Volunteers

- * Younger volunteers are asked to leave their cars in the upper school playground.
- * Older volunteers – please park near the big gym.
- * Come into the big gym through the side door.
- * Please wear a red shirt and a money apron.

(We have some red shirts and money aprons available to borrow.)

- 8:00 – 8:30 Staff arrival.
8:45 ish Prayer
9:00 Sale opens.
12:45 Silent Auction
1:30 Close all departments in all venues.

Do not start to pack up yet.

- 1:30 – 2:00 1) Coffee for staff.
2) Staff pick. Staff are allowed to take any leftovers, free, except for **Baking, Preserves, Dolls, Boutique and Toys.**
3) Staff Charities.
- 2:00 – 2:30 Outside Charities. (Start to pack up if outside charities have already been to our department.)
- 2:30 For the Hall Garage Sale: Smaller left-overs will be packed and stored by the clean-up crew. All you have to do is get rid of the large items and then go home!

For large and small gyms:

Pack **ALL** leftovers into boxes with **CLOSED** flaps or lids.

Mark boxes **“C”** for container if they are from linen, most of household, games and puzzles, plastics, purses, books, pictures and frames, most of plants, wool and fabric from craft supplies.

Mark boxes with “Ro” for Ro’s garage if they could become Mystery Parcels: Christmas, Halloween, toys, some craft supplies, vases, religious, candles, ornaments, small teapots, jewellery, office, new linen, etc.

There is no size limit on Mystery Parcels.

Boxes from Boutique go under the school ramp - pushed all the way to the back, please.

Mark these “Household,” as that is where they will go next year.

Books: Keep all in one place, clearly marked, as they are last into the container.

Go Home! Clean-up crew will take down the tables, clean, tidy, and sweep.

3:00: Trucks - All boxes marked “C” go down to the container.

Would the older boys be willing to take this job on during their lunch hour on the Tuesday?

Ro 250-748-5115, but it’s better to send an e-mail ro.debree@shaw.ca

Dear God, Please embrace those who are sick and hurting today and let them feel the warmth of Your love. Amen

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| Annetta Anderson | David Russell | Paul Boray |
| Kirby Flegel | Michael Paulik | Lois Cossar |
| Cameron Bulger | Frankie Cicchitano | Alice Su |
| Terry Thorpe | Oren Atteg | Bill Cools |
| Frank Laszczyk | Debby Warren | Roland Fontaine |
| Geraldine Burbee | Paul Dicken | Judy McCaffrey |
| Marie Mettlewsky | Gina Sutton | Arleen Laughren |
| Rick Zuback | Patricia Pattenden | Bill Bellvau |
| Jan Spencer | Wade Damron | Veronica Walsh |
| Hugh Murray | Laurent Boudreau | Glenora Somer |
| Lea Langkamer | Charleigh Pollock | Ian Weibe |
| Guilherme Da Ponte | Tanya's baby | Theresa |
| | Eugene St. Pierre | |



Infant Baptism Preparation Fr. Stephen Paine offers Baptism Preparation Classes for parents/guardians by appointment please arrange to meet Fr. Stephen way before the Baptism.

Anointing of the Sick

Formerly known as Last Rites or Extreme Unction, the Anointing of the Sick is a ritual of healing, appropriate not only for physical, but also for mental and spiritual sickness. please call Fr. Stephen Paine at the Parish Office.

Pastoral Care Visits While in the Hospital Privacy legislation in BC prevents the release of information regarding hospital admissions. If you or someone you love are admitted to a hospital and would like a visit from Fr. Stephen Paine or an Eucharistic Minister, please call your parish office to leave a message for Marilyn Klizs.

RCIA—If you wish to become Catholic St. Edward's will offer a series of meetings called Rite of **Christian Initiation for Adults**. If you are interested in this program please contact the parish office.

Going into the Hospital?

If you are planning to enter the hospital for surgery, it is spiritually advantageous to contact your parish office to arrange for Fr. Stephen to celebrate the Sacraments of Reconciliation and Anointing prior to being admitted to the hospital. At the very least, do tell someone in our parish office that you are going into the hospital. We have no other way of knowing this information, as privacy legislation restricts the information that can be given to us by the facility.

IN OUR PARISH THIS WEEK

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| Sat | Sept 21st | 4:00 p.m. Confession 4:15 p.m. Rosary before Mass in the Conference Room 5:00 p.m. Mass at St. Edward's - Pro Populo |
| Sun | Sept 22nd | 9:00 a.m. Confession 9:00 a.m. Rosary before Mass 10:00 a.m. Mass at St. Edward's – Bernard Tinevez+ K of C serving Pancake Breakfast today |
| Mon | Sept 23rd | PARISH OFFICE CLOSED |
| Tues | Sept 24th | 6:30 p.m. Mass at St. Edward's – Deceased members of the Paine Family |
| Wed | Sept 25th | 8:00 a.m. Mass - Mary Russell+ |
| Thurs | Sept 26th | 9:00 a.m. Mass at St Edward's – Marie Ego+ 7:00 p.m. Choir Practice |
| Fri | Sept 27th | 9:00 a.m. Mass at St. Edward's — Bernard Barns+ 11:00 a.m. Mass at Sunridge - Albert Burri+ |
| Sat | Sept 28th | 9:00 a.m. Plant & Harvest Sale 4:00 p.m. Confession 4:15 p.m. Rosary before Mass in the Conference Room 5:00 p.m. Mass at St. Edward's - Jim Kocurek+ |
| Sun | Sept 29th | 9:00 a.m. Confession 9:00 a.m. Rosary before Mass 10:00 a.m. Mass at St. Edward's – George Kocurek+ |



Do you have some time to spare? The grade 5 classes at Queen of Angels are looking for some reading buddies. Volunteers are needed Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday mornings from 8:45 a.m.—9:30 a.m..

Volunteers will need to have a criminal record check completed. If you'd like to help please contact me at the school

250-746-5919 or by email egiles@cisdv.bc.ca.

Many Thanks,

Erin Giles—Gr. 5 Teacher

Richard Rohr Prayer Group
Meets every second Tuesday
2:00 p.m.
at St. Edward's Parish
for more information call
Madge Weber 746-7475



Philippians 4:13 I can do all things through Christ who gives me strength.

Wow! What an amazing gift we have been given in the knowledge
that Our Lord is with us in all aspects of our lives!
Let us rejoice always!

Welcome to all new and returning students, families and staff!

It is that time of year again---September! September to me is a time of reflection and new beginnings! I think many parents are also reflecting on the milestones of the past and those that are coming up quicker than we anticipated. September brings an amazing collection of firsts such as the first day of daycare, preschool, kindergarten, high school, university and careers for our children. We as parents often look back at these beginnings with a bittersweet memory. We look back at all the preparation, time, effort and love it took to make these milestones a reality. Milestones accomplished not only by us as parents but with the encouragement and support of family, friends and community.

I would like to take this opportunity to introduce to parents the Faith Formation Program available at St. Edwards Parish for our school-aged students. What a beautiful gift it is, if you were considering to introduce or enhance Catholic Faith education within your family. You now have the opportunity to come to know Christ who gives you *the strength to endure all things!* With Christ in their lives, our children can accomplish wondrous things!

This 2019-20 year of Faith Formation will

commence on

Wednesday, October 2nd, 2019

at 6:15 p.m. - 7:15 p.m.

at St. Edward's Parish.

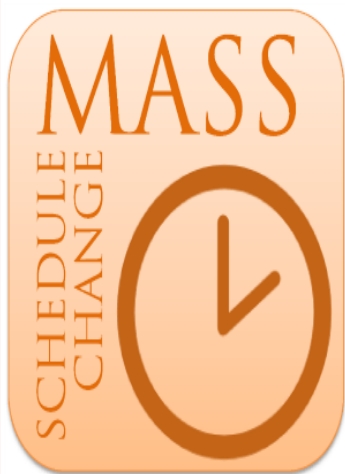
We will be offering Kindergarten and Grade 1 catechesis as the need arises and also providing the Diocesan Two Year Sacramental Program for those of you wishing to receive the Sacraments of Reconciliation, Confirmation and Holy Eucharist for your children. Please see below for the attached registration form. I pray that you will participate in this wonderful opportunity to bestow and impart the beauty of the Catholic Faith to your family.

Cheers and blessings,
Debby Fernandez
Faith Formation Coordinator
(250) 466-4230
debbyfernandez27@gmail.com



pick up Forms from the Table in the Foyer.

Please note



From here on
at St. Edward's
there will **ONLY** be
ONE Mass
on
Wednesdays at
8:00 a.m.

Updating our Parish Database

If you have moved in the past year, changed your telephone number or email address? If you are not sure that the Parish Office has your current information please call to update or confirm.

250-746-6831 or by email at ed123a@shaw.ca

Your personal contact information is held in strict confidence and is only used for church business (i.e. mailing our income tax receipts or contacting you when needed).

Please ensure that we have your current information on file.

LOST AND FOUND

Please check to see if you have left a sweater,
jacket or a hat on the coat rack
in the office foyer.

Unclaimed items will be donated.



Stress in Your Marriage?

*Only about two weeks left to sign up for our next
Retrouvaille weekend - September 27th - 29th, 2019.*

Retrouvaille is a program for married couples that feel bored, frustrated, or angry in their marriage. Some experience coldness and simply shut down. Others experience conflict and arguments in their relationship. Most don't know how to change the situation or even communicate with their spouse about it. This program has helped thousands of couples worldwide who experienced marital difficulty at all levels, including disillusionment and deep misery. To find more information about us or to register for the program please visit our websites www.retrouvaillevancouver.com and www.retrouvaille.org or phone 604-530-6710 and leave a message to be called back.

Saint Edward's Roman Catholic Church
Tuesday, October 22nd
Veneration
from
1:30 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.



The Franciscan Friars invite you to join them in welcoming St. Anthony of Padua to Saint Edward's Roman Catholic Church. St. Anthony will be visiting you in the form of **two precious and first-class relics** from the Pontifical Basilica in Padua, Italy. The relics will be accompanied by Father Mario Conte, one of fifty-one OFM Conventual Franciscan Friars who minister in the Basilica where the Saint is buried. This is the Franciscan order of St. Francis of Assisi. St. Francis and St. Anthony of Padua knew each other during their lifetime in the 13th century.

Pope Benedict Emeritus said of relics "By inviting us to venerate the mortal remains of the martyrs and saints, the Church does not forget that, in the end, these are indeed just human bones, but they are bones that belonged to individuals ***touched by the living power of God.*** The relics of the saints are traces of that invisible but real presence which sheds light upon the shadows of the world and reveals the Kingdom of Heaven in our midst."

Prayer petitions with holy cards will be distributed by Friar Mario to allow parishioners to write their personal prayer petition to the saint. This is a worldwide tradition when venerating a relic of a saint. Father Mario will bring the petitions back to the Basilica in Padua and place them at the tomb of St. Anthony. The tour officially ends back at the Tomb of St. Anthony where the Friars will gather to pray for the saint's intercession upon our intentions and petitions.

Live webcam of the Tomb:

<http://www.santantonio.org/en/content/chapel-saint-anthony-live-cam>



To learn more about St. Anthony of Padua, please visit: www.saintanthonyofpadua.net
Or call Tom Muscatello, North America Representative, at 914.263.8841

Floral Arranging

We are still looking for others who may be interested in arranging flowers so that we can form teams.

This ministry needs you.



CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE OF CANADA
ST. EDWARD'S COUNCIL

President
Francine Tournier
250-748-9831



Membership
Betty Hoskins
250-743-4908



Plant and Harvest Sale - Next Weekend

Please sign up to help.

The lists are on the table outside.

Baking:

St. Edwards has some fantastic cooks, and our Bake Sale table is always the first to be empty. Bread, cakes and cookies, pies, loaves, ethnic treats, muffins...

Bring baked goods to the school - big gym entrance -
on **Friday, September 27th** during the afternoon.

Trucks and Swampers:

Trucks are needed on **Tuesday September 24th** at 3:15 p.m.

to pick up tables,

on Saturday **September 28th** at 3:00 p.m.

to take leftovers down to the container,

and Sunday, **September 29th**

to return the tables.

Most of our truckers are seniors, so we will also need swampers with energy to lift and carry.

The time on any of these days will be less than an hour.

P.S. We could also really use a Truck Co-ordinator if anybody would like to take on that job!

Plant and Harvest Sale Committee

Fall 2019

Adult Faith Formation Opportunity

I invite all interested members of St. Edward's Parish to join me on Wednesday afternoons from 3:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. to explore Henri Nouwen's thoughts in the book *Discernment: Reading the Signs of Daily Life*. The book is a compilation of thoughts, course material and teaching that comes from the life work of Henri Nouwen by Michael J. Christensen and Rebecca J. Laird, two people who know his work intimately.

The sessions will run from October 2nd to December 11th and will be held in the St. Edward's Parish hall or if required in the worship area.

Phil Jennings
Adult Faith Formation Facilitator



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NEWS

St. Edward the Confessor Council 4253

Don Snelling, Grand Knight

Do you need to rent a hall? The K. of C. Hall is available. Please call Bernie Langkammer for more information.

250-748-9333

St. Edward's Favourite Monthly

PANCAKE BREAKFAST

by the Knights of Columbus

returns this **Sunday, September 22nd**
(after 10:00 a.m. Sunday Mass)



Mmmmmmmmmmmmm good!!

Evening Recollection for Men

Opus Dei's main activity consists in offering people the spiritual means they need to live as good Christians in the midst of the world. One of these activities is a recollection, which provides an opportunity to assess and refocus our life, renew resolutions, and make new ones.

A recollection for men will take place [on Thursday, September 26th](#) at [Our Lady of Fatima – 4635 Elk Lake Drive, Victoria](#). It runs [from 6:45 p.m. to 8:45 p.m.](#) and offers periods of directed prayer, silent prayer and a talk. A priest of Opus Dei is available to chat and/or for confession (available [from 6:00 p.m.](#)). For more information, call Brent Boyd 250-216-1915.



QUEEN OF ANGELS
CATHOLIC ELEMENTARY & MIDDLE SCHOOL

We have just completed our 3rd week back to school! There has been so many wonderful things happenings! During this past week we had our "Meet the Teacher Night" and "Welcome Back BBQ". Parents were introduced to the staff and then toured their child's classrooms. Our wonderful Parents' Auxiliary hosted the BBQ with the help of the K. of C. We truly appreciate their support. THANK YOU to the Knights of Columbus for always supporting us and for cooking those delicious burgers. On Friday, our students and staff participated in the Terry Fox Run. Raising awareness and money for the fight for cancer is dear to our hearts at Queen of Angels.

