

**WELCOME TO ST. EDWARD'S**

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CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST  
 SATURDAY VIGIL: 4:00PM  
 SUNDAY: 7:30AM, 9:00AM, 11:00AM  
 WEEKDAYS: 9:00AM (except Thursday)

**MASS INTENTIONS**

**MONDAY, 9/26**

9:00 AM John O'Brien – Jerry Steele

**TUESDAY, 9/27**

9:00 AM Thomas J. Brady – The Brady Family

9:00 AM John Brennan – Family and Friends

**WEDNESDAY, 9/28**

9:00 AM Anna Imfeld – Phil and Marty Smith

9:00 AM Gerald O'Rourke – Peg and Sam Clarke

**THURSDAY, 9/29 - NO LITURGY SCHEDULED**

**FRIDAY, 9/30**

9:00 AM Deceased at Glendale Nursing Home – Matteo Casola

9:00 AM Dennis Sausville – Elaine Sausville

9:00 AM Bill Lowes – Carol Ann and Girls

**SATURDAY, 10/1**

4:00 PM Margaret McGinty-McCann – The McCann Family

4:00 PM Charles Scherzinger – Nora Quigley

4:00 PM Judy Finn – Her Husband John

4:00 PM Loretta Maloney – The Clancy Family

4:00 PM George Anderson – His Family

**SUNDAY, 10/2**

7:30 AM For the People of the Parish

7:30 AM Lee Huff – Vito Scolamiero, James and Nancy Norris

9:00 AM Gerald O'Rourke – St. Edward's Choir

9:00 AM Shirley Tardif – The Dunlavey Family

9:00 AM Joan Dailey – Gene Dailey and Family

9:00 AM Charles Cianciola – David and Kerry Cianciola

11:00 AM Patrick Carroll – Betsy Timoney

11:00 AM Luke Romano – Maru Hanchar

11:00 AM James A. Quigley – His Wife Nora

11:00 AM Special Intention: Mother Teresa Academy

**SACRIFICIAL GIVING AND STEWARDSHIP REPORT:**

DATE	REGULAR	E-GIVING	TOTAL
9/18/2011	13,207.00	\$3,192.00	\$16,399.00

We also collected \$8,848.00 for Flood Relief.  
 Thank you for your generous support of the parish.

**PARISH NEWS**

**WELCOME** PARISH REGISTRATION: We invite you to a "Welcome Gathering" (orientation) to join our parish. The next Welcome Gathering is **Wednesday, October 5<sup>th</sup> at 10AM or 6:30PM**. Please call 371-7372 ext. 221 for a head count. (If voicemail, please leave your name, ph#, date and time you will be attending.)



**BAPTISMAL CLASS** will be held on Saturday, October 15<sup>th</sup> at 10:00AM for registered families wishing to have their child baptized. Please call the parish office at 371-7372 ext. 221 to attend.

We welcome into the parish community **Chase Anthony Cresho, Jake Anthony Fiaschetti, Charlotte Rose Gaedje, and Cecilia Elyse Lape**, who were baptized September 18, 2011; and **Peyton Anthony Towle**, who was baptized September 24, 2011.



**PRAY FOR ...**

**Please remember in your prayers:**

**Loretta Maloney**, mother of Geraldine Fitzgibbon, who died September 7, 2011.

Praying with those suffering the loss of a loved one is powerful expression of the care of our community. **A WAKE TEAM** is being formed to help meet this need. If you are interested, we are meeting THIS Tuesday, Sept 27<sup>th</sup> at 7PM in the Social Hall; please join us. For more information, contact Chris Hannan at [clhannan@nycap.rr.com](mailto:clhannan@nycap.rr.com) or at 456-1769.

**A PICNIC SUCCESS:** THANK YOU to all of our parishioners who contributed and participated in our parish picnic, which was a success in every way. Special thanks to the Knights of Columbus and our Youth Ministry for their service, and Pepperidge Farms and Exit 9 Wine and Liquor Warehouse for their generous donations. We would also like to thank all of the wonderful people of our parish who donated their time throughout the picnic. We hope to see you next year!

**RCIA:** If you are not a Catholic but interested in becoming one; Catholic, but are not Confirmed; or returning to the Catholic faith, the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults may be for you. Please phone Rich Evans at 371-5884 for more information.

**ST. EDWARD'S PRAYER CHAIN:** For immediate requests for Prayer call Dee 371-7956, Esther 371-8806 or Elaine 371-9606 to begin the Prayer Chain.

The Fall 2011 **SMALL FAITH SHARING BOOKLETS** are available in the Parish Office.

**PARISH NEWS**



**PLEASE JOIN US!  
JESSE MANIBUSAN CONCERT  
7PM SATURDAY, OCTOBER 8<sup>TH</sup>**

Come join us for an afternoon of prayer, food and games. Jesse Manibusan will be presenting a free workshop to teens grade 8-12 1-3:30PM on the theme "Heart of Christ". If interested please contact Sr. Rosemary (371-7372 ext. 237 or [ymsteds@yahoo.com](mailto:ymsteds@yahoo.com)). **ALSO:** Join us at 7PM for a concert with Jesse Manibusan! There will be a \$5 entrance fee. ALL AGES WELCOME!!!

The Parish Nurses will be available to take your **BLOOD PRESSURE** after each Mass next weekend. We invite you to join this monthly screening!



**ADULT FAITH FORMATION:** The Adult Faith Formation Fall program kicks off the 2011-2012 schedule with "The Gospel of Mark", offered by Fr. Pat on Mondays September 26<sup>th</sup> and October 3<sup>rd</sup> at 7PM in the Social Hall. This course will use literary criticism to explore Mark's world and his impact on the early Christian community and ours. There is no charge and refreshments will be served. All are welcome.



**BOOK CLUB:** The book selection for September is **The Screwtape Letters**, by C. S. Lewis. Our Book Club meeting date will be 7PM THIS Wednesday, September 28<sup>th</sup> in the Chapel. If you have any questions or comments, you may contact Kathy Masucci at 577-3297 or [MasucciKM31@nycap.rr.com](mailto:MasucciKM31@nycap.rr.com).



**BIRTHRIGHT** of Ballston Spa will celebrate Respect Life Sunday, October 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> with a fundraiser called "Baby Bottle Boomerang". Birthright offers support and emergency supplies to new mothers and their infants. Plastic baby bottles will be offered to parishioners (one per family please) after each Mass. The bottles are then filled with coins, cash, or checks and returned the following week. Your gift can be made in honor of a special person, whose name and address you list on the insert in the bottle. Birthright will then mail a beautifully designed card to the person being honored. Your support through this fundraiser is truly appreciated.

**BIRTHRIGHT AND MARY'S CORNER CANNOT RECEIVE FURNITURE, HIGHCHAIRS, STROLLERS OR CARSEATS.** Instead, please call 371-7372 ext. 224 if you have these items to donate.



**WE ARE OFF TO BROADWAY AGAIN!**

OCTOBER 22, 2011 – SEEING THE GREAT MUSICAL "GODSPELL". Tickets are \$120.00 per person, which includes show (orchestra seats), bus, and driver tip. We leave St. Edward's at 7AM and leave NYC at 8PM. Please call Rick Amico (371-7372 ext. 224) to reserve.

**PARISH NEWS**



**BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS**

**10AM SATURDAY, OCTOBER 1<sup>ST</sup>  
ST. EDWARD'S COURTYARD**

Bring your pet or favorite stuffed animal and join us for a blessing. Cider and donuts will be served.



**CHORISTERS:** St. Edward's Children's Choir, The Choristers, will begin rehearsals on Thursday, September 29<sup>th</sup>. All children in grades 1 through 6 are invited to sing! Our first Mass will be a joint effort along with the Adult Choir and the Contemporary Ensemble on Sunday, October 16<sup>th</sup> at the 11AM Mass. The Choristers will be singing approximately once per month for the rest of the school year. Rehearsals for our first mass are:

- Thursday, September 29 – 4:30 to 5:45
- Thursday, October 6 – 4:30 to 5:45
- Thursday, October 13 – 6:15 to 7:30

Contact Mary Jo at 371-7372 x223 with questions.

**AROUND TOWN**



**40 DAYS FOR LIFE.** Christians are invited to take part in the national **40 DAYS FOR LIFE** effort from September 28<sup>th</sup> through November 6<sup>th</sup>. The Kickoff Rally to begin the Schenectady **40 DAYS FOR LIFE** campaign will be held **2PM TODAY, Sunday, Sept. 25<sup>th</sup>** at St. Luke's Church grounds, 1235 State Street, Schenectady. Bring your family and friends.

**DSC (Diocesan Service Committee)** is hosting a *Day of Renewal and Teaching* with Fr. Tom Forrest on Saturday, October 1<sup>st</sup> from 9AM -3:30PM at St. Edward's. For more info, call Jerry Grigaitis at 371-7911.

Sunday, October 2<sup>nd</sup> is *Respect Life Sunday*. A **HOLY HOUR FOR LIFE** will take place from 2-3PM at the Church of the Immaculate Conception, 400 Saratoga Road, Glenville. Join us as we pray for the sanctity of all human life. Come and thank God for the gift of your life.

The **AMAZING GOD** team of the Church of the Immaculate Conception in Glenville is pleased to invite you to an evening focusing on "Social Justice in Today's World" 7PM Thursday, September 29<sup>th</sup>. Our speakers will be Dr. Fred Bohrer, co-founder of the Emmaus House of Hospitality, and Fr Bob Longobucco, Pastor of St. Helen's Church in Niskayuna and a member of the diocesan Amazing God Team. There is no cost for the evening, however a free-will offering will be collected. All are welcome.

**VOLUNTEER FOR COMMUNITY HOSPICE:** There will be an informational meeting 11AM Wednesday, October 5<sup>th</sup> at 179 Lawrence Street, Saratoga. Please call 581-0800 or Rick Amico at 371-7372 ext. 224 for more info.

**FAITH FORMATION**



FALL 2011/ 2012 FAITH FORMATION CLASSES will begin the week of October 2<sup>nd</sup>. Please check [www.stedwardsny.org](http://www.stedwardsny.org) for updates and calendars.

**GOT LOVE?** Consider joining one of the most rewarding ministries the parish has to offer - become a **CATECHIST**. No prior experience necessary. All you need is a desire to share your faith with the children of our parish. We will provide you with training and support. We are in need of catechists at a variety of grade levels. For more information please contact the Faith Formation Office at 371-7372 ext. 231. Faith Formation classes begin in October so please act quickly. Thank you!

**YOUTH MINISTRY**



Please check [www.stedwardsny.org](http://www.stedwardsny.org) for Youth Ministry events or contact Sr. Rosemary at [ymsteds@yahoo.com](mailto:ymsteds@yahoo.com) or 371-7372 ext. 237.

**YOUTH GRADES 8-12 COME JOIN US** for an afternoon of evangelization, games, food and prayer with Jesse Manibusan 1-3:30PM Saturday, October 8<sup>th</sup> (free); and then 7PM for an evening concert (\$5 pp). This dynamic performer will touch your soul and have you praising God with him.

On Sunday, October 9<sup>th</sup> we will be having our **YOUTH MINISTRY MEETING** for grades 6-12 from 12-2:230PM. The theme will be "Mary and the Rosary". Please come!

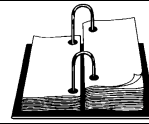
**COMMUNITY SERVICE:**

- **HIGH SCHOOL TEENS** are invited to help cook baked ziti 7PM Friday, October 21<sup>st</sup> and serve it at St. John's Center 9:45AM-2:30PM Saturday, October 22<sup>nd</sup>. Please contact Sr. Rosemary if you can help!

**PLEASE RECYCLE!** Youth Ministry has **PAPER (green) AND CLOTHING (blue)** receptacles next to the garage in the back parking lot. Thank you for supporting Youth Ministry!



Rev. Rene Bisailon, Missionary of Our Lady of La Salette who concelebrated the 11AM Mass during the summer months would like to thank Fr. Pat for his warm hospitality and also send his many friends at St. Edward's special greetings from Hawaii. May our heavenly Father bless and keep you well until we meet again, hopefully next July.  
- Fr. Rene, M.S.



**The Week Ahead**

<b>MONDAY, 9/26</b>	Mom/Tot Group: 9:30AM, Blue Rm or Off Site Cantor Reh.: 6:30PM, Church Families Anonymous: 7PM, rm 3-5 AFF: 7PM, Social Hall
<b>TUESDAY, 9/27</b>	Wake Team Mtg: 7PM, Social Hall
<b>WEDNESDAY, 9/28</b>	Welcome Gathering: 6:30PM, Faith Formation classm 3 St. Edward's Choir: 6:30PM, Church Book Club: 7PM, CHapel
<b>THURSDAY, 9/29</b>	Choristers: 4:30PM, Church Contemporary Ensemble: 7-9PM Hosanna: 7:30PM, FF rm 4
<b>FRIDAY, 9/30</b>	K of C Breakfast: after Mass DSC: 6-10PM, Social Hall
<b>SATURDAY, 10/1</b>	DSC: 9AM, Social Hall Blessing of the Animals: 10AM, OUTSIDE Teen Choir: 2:30PM, Chapel Sacrament of Reconciliation, 3PM, Chapel
<b>SUNDAY, 10/2</b>	Baptisms: 9AM Mass Kid Care with Sunday School: 9 and 11AM Masses, FF rooms Children's Liturgy of the Word 9:00 and 11:00AM Mass (Gr. K-6) Afterglow of the Eucharist: after the 11:00AM Mass

**ONGOING FOOD PANTRY COLLECTION SUGGESTION:**

**9/25: Canned Tuna**

(Please place food on the pew in the Gathering Area)

**MARY'S CORNER ONGOING COLLECTION SUGGESTION:**

**9/25: Diapers Size 4, 5 and 6**

(Please place in Mary's Corner Box in Gathering Area)

**BIRTHRIGHT ONGOING COLLECTION SUGGESTION:**

**9/25: Baby Food and Formula (any kind)**

(Please place in the Bassinet in the Gathering Area)



*"Which of the two did his father's will?" They answered, "The first." Jesus said to them, "Amen, I say to you, tax collectors and prostitutes are entering the kingdom of God before you."  
- Mt 21:31*

**Readings for the Week of September 25, 2011**

Sunday:	Ez 18:25-28/Phil 2:1-11 or 2:1-5/Mt 21:28-32
Monday:	Zec 8:1-8/Lk 9:46-50
Tuesday:	Zec 8:20-23/Lk 9:51-56
Wednesday:	Neh 2:1-8/Lk 9:57-62
Thursday:	Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 or Rv 12:7-12a/Jn 1:47-51
Friday:	Bar 1:15-22/Lk 10:13-16
Saturday:	Bar 4:5-12, 27-29/Lk 10:17-24
Next Sunday:	Is 5:1-7/Phil 4:6-9/Mt 21:33-43

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