

St. Edward the Martyr Roman Catholic Church

April 26, 2026

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil 5:30 p.m.

Sunday 9:00 a.m.

Reconciliation:

Saturday 4:30 p.m.—5:00 p.m.

Sunday 8-9 a.m.

We of the parish of St. Edward the Martyr strive to foster a Christian, Catholic community by proclaiming the gospel of Jesus Christ, seeking to manifest His Word through sacramental worship, with commitment and service to family and community.

Parish Office

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Parish Office Hours

Tuesday thru Friday 9am to noon.

or by appointment.

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Church website: www.stedwardsisters.org

Diocese website: www.dioceseofbaker.org

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Weddings: contact parish office

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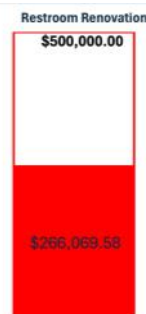
For the following, contact the parish office at

541-549-9391:

Communion to the Sick, Anointing of the Sick,

Catholics Come Home, Marriage Preparation,

Vocations, Infant Baptism



Parish Calendar April 27, 2026-May 3, 2026

MONDAY, April 27, 2026

Mass Time: No Mass

Mass readings: Acts 11: 1-18/ Jn 10:11-18

Mass Intention: No Mass Intention

Birthday: Seth VanHandel

TUESDAY, April 28, 2026

9am—10am hour of prayer for the priests of the Diocese of Baker.

5:30 pm Mass

6:30 pm - An hour of Bible Study.

Mass readings: Acts 11: 19-26/ Jn 10:22-30

Mass Intention: Barbara Buddenbohn (L)

*Birthdays: Chris Ambrose & Raymond Roeder

WEDNESDAY, April 29, 2026

Mass Time: 8:00 AM

Mass Readings: Acts 12:24—13:5a/ Jn 12:44-50

Mass Intention: Sandra Rene (D)

*Anniversary: Don & Lynn Bowler

THURSDAY, April 30, 2026

Mass time: 8:00 AM

Mass readings: Acts 13: 13-25 / Jn 13: 16-20

Mass Intention: All Souls

*Birthday: Father Rijo

FRIDAY, May 1, 2026

Mass Time: 8:00 AM Adoration and Benediction following Mass for 1/2 hour. **6:00 PM** -Rosary recited.

Readings: Acts 13:26-33/ Jn 14:1-6 or Gn 1:26—2:3 or Col 14-15, 17, 23-24/Mt 13: 54-58

Intention: Bill Wood (L)

*Birthdays: Josie Arthur & Judy Valder

SATURDAY, May 2, 2026

Mass time: Vigil Mass at 5:30 PM

Mass readings: Acts 13: 44-52/ Jn 14: 7-14

Mass Intention: Rebolledo & Rincon Families

*Birthday: Ken Hashagen

SUNDAY, May 3, 2026

Mass Time: 9:00 AM

Mass readings: Acts 6:1-7/ 1 Pt 2: 4-9/ Jn 14: 1-12 Pss I

Mass Intention: Pro Populo

Women's Prayer Groups Meet

Prayer, support & scriptural conversation

Monday, 10:00-11:30 AM

Tuesday, 4:00—5:00 PM

Men of St Edward (MOSES)

Meet every Saturday at 8:00 AM.

Video, projects and coffee and conversation to greet you.

Father Rijo

Monday: Scheduled day off.

Tuesday-through Friday:

8:00 AM Mass

Home visits.

Communion of the sick.

Anointing of the sick

(anytime per requested)

Please contact the office or Fr. Rijo.

Looking Ahead:

Monday, April 27, there will be
no 8:00 AM Mass.

Mass on Tuesday April 28, will be
at 5:30 PM.

The fourth Sunday of Easter, April 26, 2026, is
the World Day of Prayer for Vocations.

Everyone is invited to join in a **Holy Hour
Sunday, April 26, 10AM-11 AM;**
to pray for the clergy and religious serving our
Diocese, and to pray for an increase of
religious and priestly vocations
in our Diocese and the world.

If you cannot attend in person,
please join spiritually
from wherever you are.

The Bishop's Annual Appeal (BAA) Awareness Weekend

The Bishop's Annual Appeal will take place
this weekend, April 25-26.

None of us is expected to give beyond
our means, but we are all called to do our part.

Remembering the "Widow's Mite"
in Luke's Gospel (Lk 21:1-4) that even
the smallest contribution can be
"more than all the rest"

in God's estimation.

Every gift given, fuels the ministries that
strengthen our parishes, form our children
in faith, support our priests and bring
Christ's love to those who need it most.

When you give, you are building
a future rooted in hope.

Construction Update!

*As we move into the next phases of the parish hall
renovation, ALL aspects of the hall will be inaccessible
for a short time. This includes the kitchen and the
RESTROOMS. Your understanding and flexibility is
appreciated as the contractors continue to move
toward our *June completion date*,

*Temporary restrooms will be located in the parking
area near the Handicapped entrance to the Hall

*This phase of construction: including
restrooms and kitchen closure began
Monday, April 6th.

Thank you

Thank you ladies of the Parish who transferred
the Vocations Prayer into the Mass Missals.

We appreciate your efforts AND
you made the angels smile!

Rosary

Please remember that rosary is recited
every Friday at 6:00 PM at the Church.
With warmer weather coming, it may even be
recited out-of-doors!

Men's Retreat

Mark your calendars for May 29-31 for the up-
coming retreat. Scheduled at St Benedict Retreat
Center, McKenzie Bridge, OR. The title

"A Man After God's Own Heart" is led by
Fr. Augustine Hilander O.P.

Cost is \$200/person and includes two nights
lodging and food.

The mechanics of registration /payment
are still being worked out.

Any questions?...Mike at

Mike7Berry@gmail.com

Week's Collection Information

OFFERTORY

Mass Collection

Offertory 4-19-2026 \$3,985.87

Attendance

Saturday, 4-18-2026 75

Sunday, 4-19-2026 92

If you like to mail in your contributions, mail to

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World Wide Marriage Encounter (WWME)

Let us welcome Jesus even more into our marriages. Participate in a WWME experience on May 1-3, 2026 in Beaverton, Oregon. To apply, go to rediscoverthespark.org For information, Call 503-704-0836

Friendship

“God sends us friends to be our firm support in the whirlpool of struggle. In the company of friends, we will find strength to attain our sublime ideal.”

—St Maximilian Kolbe

Prayer

“Every day, when your heart especially feels the loneliness of life, pray.”

—St. Padre Pio

Please Pray for the Sick:

Ron Ricketts, Tim Horton,
Mike Ellsworth,
Lynn Bowler, Karin Arthur,
Donald Scherkenbach
and all others that need our prayers.

Please contact the office to add names.