

St. Edward the Martyr Roman Catholic Church
September 14, 2025
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

Parish Staff

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Submit by 1:00pm on Tuesday

**Prayer Request Network:** 

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Church website: www.stedwardsisters.org

<u>Diocese website</u>: www.dioceseofbaker.org

Catholic Bishops website: www.usccb.org

Weddings: contact parish office

Funeral Services: contact parish office

541-549-9391

Maintenance Facilitator: Mike Amsberry

503-580-1804

For the following, contact the parish office at 541-549-9391:

Communion to the Sick

following, Anointing of the Sick
ne parish Catholics Come Home
Marriage Preparation
Vocations
Infant Baptism

# Parish Calendar September 15, 2025 – September 21, 2025

MONDAY, September 15, 2025 Our Lady of Sorrows

**Mass Time: No Noon Mass** 

Mass readings: 1Tm 2: 1-8 / Jn 19: 25-27 or Lk 2: 33-35

Mass Intention: No Intention \*Birthdays: Joyce Browning & Denise Wood

TUESDAY, September 16, 2025

Mass Time: No AM Mass An hour of prayer for the priests of the Diocese of Baker at 9:00.

Mass readings: 1 Tm 3:1-13/ Lk 7: 11-17

Mass Intention: No Intention \*Birthdays: Cress Jones & Aaron Islas

WEDNESDAY, September 17, 2025

Mass time: No AM Mass

Mass Readings: 1 Tm 3: 14-16/ Lk 7:31-35

Mass Intention: No intention \*Birthday: Yareth Murillo

THURSDAY, September 18, 2025

Mass time: No AM Mass

Mass readings: 1Tm 4: 12-16 / Lk 7:36-50

Mass Intention: No Intention \*Birthday: Gloria Cole

FRIDAY, September 19, 2025

Mass time: No AM Mass

Mass readings: 1Tm 6: 2c-12 / Lk 8:1-3

Mass Intention: No Intention \*Birthdays: Nancy Connolly & Terri Seiler

SATURDAY, September 20, 2025

Mass time: Vigil Mass at 5:30 PM

Mass readings: 1Tm 6: 13-16 / Lk8: 4-15

Mass Intention: Bill Kruger (D) \*Birthday: Stephen Voorhees

SUNDAY, September 21, 2025

Mass time: 9:00 AM \* Spanish Mass at noon.

Mass readings: Am 8:4-7 / 1 Tm 2: 1-8 / Lk 16: 1-13 or 16:10-13 Pss 1

**Mass Intention**: Pro Populo

### Women Prayer Groups Meet

Prayer, support & scriptural conversation Monday, 10:00-11:30 AM Tuesday, 3:30-4:30 PM

#### Men of St Edward (MOSES)

No meeting is scheduled for Saturday,
September 20, as men of the parish are encouraged to attend the St. Benedict's Lodge Retreat.
There is still room for you to attend and carpooling is available.

# Spanish Mass with

Father Joe Reeves, Sunday, September 21st at noon. All are welcome to attend.



"Pray to soften hardened hearts, to open darkened minds."

—St Charbel Makhlouf

#### Mass Schedule Altered:

• Please check the Parish Calendar page for schedule changes. At this time, no daily weekday masses are scheduled.

#### Youth Ministry

You are invited to an EPIC St Edward's

#### Youth Gathering!

Get ready for an afternoon with friends, God's presence, baking pizza and cookies; fun, games and planning some future events.

<u>When</u>: Sunday, September 21, 4:00-6:00 pm. <u>Who</u>: Middle School and High School students are invited.

Where: St. Edward's church hall.

**Youth Ministers:** Lori Chase and Sara Clayton are coordinators for the program.

# The Order of Christian Initiation of Adults,

previously known as RCIA, is the means by which individuals who have reached maturity enter into full communion with the Church. We encourage you or another adult not currently fully part of the Church including all its Sacraments to participate in the upcoming program. An intake form and contact information is available at the Parish Office or contact Fr. Saji Thomas at va@dioceseofbaker.org or Doug Leonnig dbl1970@msn.com.

#### Altar Society Meeting

will be Tuesday, September 23, at 9:00AM. The second meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, November 4th at 9:00 AM.

Mark your calendars and attend!

#### Worldwide MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

Learn how to use the grace given to you in marriage by attending the next WWME encounter on October 24-26, 2025 in Beaverton, OR.

To apply, go to <u>rediscoverthe spark.org.</u>
For information about WWME, call
503-704-0836 or email at
reservations@rediscoverthespark.org

#### St. Benedict's Lodge & Retreat Center

September 19th to the 21st.

St. Edward's annual Men's Retreat,
Father Emmerich Vogt, O.P. will
direct the retreat.

Contact Mike Amsberry for more information. \*There will be carpooling available.

Contact Mike at 503-580-1804

Cost for the retreat is \$250 per person.
 To register, send a \$50 deposit to:

 St Benedict Lodge, 56630 North Bank Road,
 McKenzie Bridge, OR 97413;

 or Contact call mornings at 541-822-3572 or
 email at: <a href="mailto:stbenedictretreat@gmail.com">stbenedictretreat@gmail.com</a>.

## Sanctity of Life Conference

Cultivating Life

Join us for the Diocese of Baker
Sanctity of Life Conference, Saturday, October 11,
9:00 am to 4:00 pm.
at St. Thomas Catholic Church,
1720 NW 19th St, Redmond, OR
\$30.00 per adult (scholarships available)
Childcare provided at no charge.
Live interpretation in Spanish available.
Guest Speakers: Bishop Thomas Hennen,
Fr. Kyle Ratuiste,
Makyra Williamson and Sharolyn Smith.
Register at dioceseofbaker.org/pro-life
or call 541-388-4004.

# **Week's Collection Information**OFFERTORY

Mass Collection Offertory for 9-7-2025 \*\$4,283.00 Attendance Saturday, 9-6-2025 \*74 Sunday,9-7-2025 \*115

If you like to mail in your contributions, mail to

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# Love of Neighbor

"Every human being is neighbor to every other human being. Is this person known as a friend? Let them stay as a friend. Is this person your enemy? Let them become your friend."

-St. Augustine