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Saint Edward the Confessor Catholic Church

TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

September 29, 2024
 Saint Edward Church
 531 Jordan Lake St.

Lake Odessa, MI 48849

Pastor: Father Tom Brown
frtombrown@sspccatholic.com

Website: www.stedwardslakeodessa.org

Office: 616.374.7253

stedwards@wowway.biz

Facebook: Saint Edward the Confessor Catholic Church

OFFICE HOURS:

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday
 8 AM-2 PM

Closed Tuesdays & Fridays

MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday Vigil **6:00 PM**

Sunday **9:45 AM**

Weekday Masses:

Mon., Tues., Wed., & Fri. **9:00 AM**

Thursday **12:10 PM**

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Thursday **6:30 PM-7:30 PM**

or by appointment

Secretary: Katherine Martin 616-374-7253

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MISSION STATEMENT

We, St. Edward's Parish, joyfully experience life in Christ through the celebration of the sacraments and dedicate ourselves to faith formation. Our parish is devoted to inspiring youth to become active followers of Christ. We live to promote love within the church and community according to the Gospel.



29 Sunday: Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Nm 11:25-29 Ps 19:8, 10, 12-14 Jas 5:1-6

Mk 9:38-43, 45, 47-48

30 Monday: Saint Jerome, Priest & Doctor of the Church

Jb 1:6-22 Ps 17:1-3, 6-7 Lk 9:46-50

01 Tuesday: Saint Thérèsa of the Child Jesus, Virgin, Doctor of the Church

Jb 3:1-3, 11-17, 20-23 Ps 88:2-8 Lk 9:51-56

02 Wednesday: The Holy Guardian Angels

Jb 9: 1-12, 14-16 Ps 88:10b-5 Mt 18:1-5, 10

03 Thursday: Weekday

Jb 19:21-27 Ps 27:7-9, 13-14 Lk 10:1-12

04 Friday: Saint Francis of Assisi

Jb 38:1, 12-21; 40:3-5 Ps 139:1-3, 7-10, 13-14 Lk 10:13-16

05 Saturday: Weekday: Saint Faustina Kowalski, Virgin

Jb 42:1-3, 5-6, 12-17 Ps 119:66, 71, 75, 91, 125, 130

Lk 10:17-24

06 Sunday: Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Gn 2:18-24 Ps 128:1-6 Heb 2:9-11 Mk 10:2-16

Happy Birthday

- 02 Jeffery Baillargeon
 03 Oscar Gonzales, Katherine Eckert, Kashia Wisniewski
 04 Bob Neely, Mike Fetterhoff
 05 Aislynn King
 06 Julie Barbour, Hudson King, Marjorie Brodbeck
 08 Mike Smith
 09 Chris Nelson, William Fyan
 10 Margaret Maurer, Anne Nagi, Andy Snider
 11 Darla Vinton
 12 Helen Denker
 14 Pat Drake, Irma Estrada
 15 Penny Thelen
 16 Anita Bettinghouse, Eric Clark
 21 Adam Fyan
 22 Karren Burzynski
 23 Michael Cusack
 25 Rick Denker, Ruby Hart
 27 Mark Denda, Emily Spitzley
 28 Gordon Possehn
 30 Dave Galaviz



HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

- 04 Mike & Judy Rodriguez
 09 Dave & Amy Haskin
 14 Alan & Lynn Ferrier
 14 Hannah & Evan Coates
 15 Jim & Pat Saint Amour
 19 Mike & Joyce Wrubel
 25 Greg & Kristine Thelen



If any information is missing or incorrect, don't hesitate to get in touch with the parish office so we can update our files. Thank -you.

Manna's Market –

Manna's Market is our local Food Bank, Clothing, and Baby Pantry 7180 Velte Road, Lake Odessa. They are currently looking for volunteers to assist with stocking food, distribution during open hours, sorting clothing, and more. There will be a presentation on Sunday, September 29 @ 6:00 pm Central United Methodist Church; 912 4th Ave, Lake Odessa with Manna's director Jayne Flanigan to discuss food poverty and how you can get plugged in. If you are interested in being a volunteer, please contact Sandi Eckardt at 616-902-5245, or visit Manna's website: www.mannasmarket.org or their Facebook page @Manna's Market.

NEW! Sensory-Friendly Mass at St. Francis de Sales Parish, Norton Shores First Sunday of the month | 1 p.m.

St. Francis de Sales Parish, Norton Shores will be hosting a bilingual Sensory-Friendly Mass on the first Sunday of each month beginning Sunday, Oct. 6 at 1 p.m. (Sensory-friendly Masses are also held on the 1st Sunday of the month at St. John Paul II Parish, Cedar Springs) A special invitation is extended to any person with sensory issues and their families. The Mass will include acoustic music, dimmer lighting, no bells or incense. Families are encouraged to bring materials that can assist with comfort during the liturgy such as noise-cancelling headphones, wiggle seats, fidgets, etc. All are welcome at this Mass. Contact the parish office with any questions at parish@stfrancisns.org or 231-755-1953.

Angel Walk

For those who have lost a child

Saturday, Oct. 19

10:30 a.m.

Resurrection Cemetery, 4100 Clyde Park Ave. SW, Wyoming, 49509

The passing of a loved one is always difficult, but losing a child can be particularly devastating.

Diocese of Grand Rapids Catholic Cemeteries would like to give families who have experienced this unique loss the opportunity to connect with one another, provide peace and comfort, and possibly some healing.

The event will start at the office with a guided walk through the cemetery ending at our Infant of Prague section with a prayer. Light refreshments will be provided, along with bubbles and chalk to entertain the young children.

Mass of Christ the Healer – Oct. 27

The Diocese of Grand Rapids' annual Mass of Christ the Healer will be celebrated on Oct. 27 at the 10 a.m. Mass at the Cathedral of Saint Andrew.

All who work in health care, including physicians, nurses, dietary staff, administrative staff, maintenance staff, etc. are invited to join Bishop Walkowiak for this celebration of grace and gratitude for their service. Please wear your white coat or uniform so we may recognize your service. A light reception in the Cathedral Parish Center will follow Mass.

For those unable to attend in person, Mass will be televised on FOX 17 and live-streamed on the diocesan website, grdiocese.org, and YouTube (@GRDiocese).

RAISING HOPE

NOV. 22

7 p.m.

Frederik Meijer Gardens

Catholic Charities West Michigan's (CCWM) Raising Hope dinner will feature a message from renowned speaker, author, and TV host Father Leo Patalinghug as well as inspiring stories from CCWM clients whose lives have been changed through their programs. Raising Hope helps support more than 50 social service programs provided by CCWM. With your support, CCWM served more than 20,000 individuals last year alone! Purchase your ticket today to enjoy exclusive access to Meijer Gardens, hear from Father Patalinghug, and enjoy delicious food and drinks.

<https://ccwestmi.org/raising-hope/>

“Come and See” weekend at St. John Vianney College Seminary

Young men who are juniors in high school up to age 24 are invited to take a closer look at seminary life. Join the Office of Vocations and other young men for a weekend at St. John Vianney College Seminary in St. Paul, MN. The weekend is offered free of charge.

Only 20 spots are available. Contact Pattie Reynolds, preynolds@GRdiocese.org to reserve your spot today.



Prayer to Saint Michael the Archangel
 Saint Michael the Archangel,
 Defend us in battle.
 Be our defense against
 The wickedness and snares of the
 devil;
 May God rebuke him, we humbly
 pray;
 And do thou O prince of the
 Heavenly Host, by the power of God,
 Thrust into hell Satan
 And all the other evil spirits
 Who prowl about the world
 seeking the ruin of souls.
 Amen.

MASS INTENTIONS AND MINISTERS

Sunday, September 29, 9:45 am
 + Mike Price (Bert Walliczek)
Monday, September 30, 9:00 am
 + Living & Deceased Members of the Walliczek Family
Tuesday, October 01, 9:00 am
 + Evan Goble (Connie Goble)
Wednesday, October 02, 9:00 am
 +Ed Vinton (Chris & Darla Vinton)
Thursday, October 03, 12:10 pm
 + Betty Rodriguez (Ruth O'Mara)
Friday, October 04, 9:00 am
 + Harold Walliczek (Bert Walliczek)
Saturday, October 05, 9:00 am
 The Imprisoned
Saturday, October 05, 6:00 pm
 Saint Edward Parish
Lector: Greg H.
EMHC: Yvonne M. & Carolyn M.
Sunday, October 6, 9:45 am
 Saint Edward Parish
Lector: Alan B.
EMHC: Cindy G., Chris V., & Mary H.

Adoration



Thursday Evenings - 6 to 8 pm in the Church.

October 3, 10, 17, 24 & 31

Contact Suzanne King at 269-271-6406 for more information.

Televised Sunday Mass:

Join us each week for the live broadcast at 10 a.m. Sunday Mass from the Cathedral of Saint Andrew. Watch on TV on FOX 17, or online at grdiocese.org or the diocesan Facebook page: www.facebook.com/DioceseofGrandRapids/.

Men of the Eucharist

Strengthen by CHRIST- Responding with Joy



Pray for Seminarian:
 Anthony H. Duong
 Mundelein Seminary
 1000 E. Maple Avenue
 Mundelein, IL 60060

Oh God, hear our prayer for the men you have chosen to follow in your Son's footsteps.
 Teach them humility and fidelity to unselfishly help others.
 May their devotion to Our Blessed Mother, Queen of Vocations increase, enabling them to do your will.
 Strengthen their prayer life so that they may grow spiritually without worldly distractions.
 Give them courage and perseverance in their studies.
 May the Holy Spirit lighten their struggles with their vocations, until they know the joy of being a priest.
 We ask this through Christ your Son.

Amen.

Please Pray for:

Robert Rasche, Randy Armstrong, Manuel Rodriguez, Julie Sutton VanLiew, the Grieving, And those who have asked for our prayers.
If you want to add a name, please call or contact the office. Be sure you have the consent of the person of a family member.



Grief Support Group

The next meeting will be on **Thursday, October 3**, at 1:00 pm, in the library. If you would like information, please call Marsha at 269-367-4403.

K-12 FAITH FORMATION INFORMATION

Faith Formation will be at 11 am.

RCIA 2024-2025

R.C.I.A. is for Baptized adults who haven't received all the Sacraments, spouses of Catholics who would like to enter the Church, or any adult who wants to learn about Catholicism and all it offers. We meet in an informal atmosphere from 6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at 753 5th Avenue. Below is the schedule through Christmas.

Please call with questions. 616-374-8340
 10-02 Grace, Merit and Salvation (Gary)
 10-09 Church and the 4 marks of the Church (Anne)
 10-16 Commandments 1-3 (Suzanne)
 10-23 Commandments 4-5-6 (Jerry)
 10-30 Commandments 7-8-9-10 (Alan)
 11-06 Prayer (Anne)
 11-13 The Creed (Alan)
 11-20 Tour of the Church
 12-04 The Mass Bishop Barron
 12-11 The Mass Bishop Barron
 12-18 The Mass Bishop Barron

Living and Loving the Faith

Are you looking to deepen your love for Our Lord and His Church? Do you wish you could better defend your faith against the criticisms of our modern culture?

Join us on Wednesday evenings from 6:30 pm - 8 at 753 5th Ave. Lake Odessa. treasure with boldly in an i Please call 61

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Join us as the at 8:00 AM. build strong community. For more info

WME Shari

If you have ever attended a worldwide marriage encounter experience in the past, we would like to invite you to join our sharing group. We meet at St. Edward on the 2nd Friday of the month, at 7 pm in the basement.

If you have any questions, please feel free to call Chris and Darla Vinton at 410-487-5226.

OUR PARISH OFFERING –Sept 21/22, 2024

Adults	\$ 4,830.00
Loose:	\$ 389.00
Total receipts:	\$ 5,219.00
Weekly Budget	\$ 3,850.00
Overage/Shortage:	\$ 1,369.00

July 1, 2024 – Sept 22, 2024 Fiscal YTD Offertory Collections

Year-to-Date:	\$ 47,365.00
Budgeted Year-to-Date:	\$ 46,200.00
Overage/Shortage Year-to-Date:	\$ 1,165.00

Please note that "Our Parish offering" reflects the income from Sunday and Holy Day offertory only.

Your weekly offering envelopes can be dropped off at the office, placed in the locked black mailbox beside the office door, or sent through the mail to: St. Edward Church
 531 Jordan Lake St.
 Lake Odessa, MI, 48849

Thank you for your continued support of the church.

Counter October 6: Janice Fyan & Bill Sutton

Next Finance Meeting is November 11 at 6:30 pm

The Finance Council is looking for new members.

If you are interested or just want more information, see Dan Sheilds.



The next meeting will be on
Tuesday, October 8, at 7 pm.

The Knights of Columbus Recycling Trailer is open for business. Please drop off your pre-sorted glass bottles, aluminum cans, and Michigan-approved recyclable plastic bottles (check the label).

**Exploring Priesthood
 Discernment Opportunities 2024-2025**

Discernment is a time of obtaining spiritual guidance and finding. If you are considering the priesthood, the Diocese of Grand Rapids invites you to meet each month with other high school and college men to gather and discern God's will for your life. Feel free to show up or email to let us know you are coming to discernment@grdiocese.org. You may also contact Fr. Stephen Durkee at sdurkee@grdiocese.org, Director of Priestly Vocations or Fr. Director Fr. Rob Mulderink at frrob@lukespot.com if you have any questions.

Discernment Meeting Dates
 St. Luke University Parish
 10144 42nd Ave.
 Georgetown Twp. MI 49428

12:30-1:30 p.m.

2024: Oct. 20, Dec. 1
2025: Jan. 19, Feb. 16, Mar. 23, May 4