

## 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)

## PARISH NEWS

**BAPTISMAL CLASS** will be held on Saturday, March 12<sup>th</sup> at 10:00AM for parents wishing to have their child baptized. Both parents are expected to attend this class. Please call the parish office at 371-7372 ext. 221 to register.



We welcome into the parish community **Addison Frances Hagin, Noah James Karpovich and Mark Ryan White**, who were baptized on February 19, 2011.

## ASH WEDNESDAY SCHEDULE WEDNESDAY, MARCH 9<sup>TH</sup>

6:30AM – Morning Prayer

12:10PM – Mass

4:15PM – Children's Service

7:00PM – Evening Prayer



## MASS INTENTIONS

### MONDAY, 2/28

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

9:00 AM Bill Lowes – Carol Ann and Girls

### TUESDAY, 3/1

9:00 AM Charles Taylor – Rosemary and Richard  
Grimmer

9:00 AM Mark Masterson – Lou and Linda Margitan

9:00 AM Kimberly Salle Jones – Tom and Rosemary  
Mahoney

### WEDNESDAY, 3/2

9:00 AM Ronald Gridley – The Conway Family

### THURSDAY, 3/3 - NO LITURGY SCHEDULED

### FRIDAY, 3/4

9:00 AM Margaret Phelan – The Masterson Family

9:00 AM Harry Wood – The Conway Family

### SATURDAY, 3/5

4:00 PM Judy Hall – Pauline and Carol

4:00 PM Chuck Taylor – Birthright Volunteers

4:00 PM George Anderson – Marilyn Spraker

4:00 PM Joan Comerford – Richard Bobear

4:00 PM Mary O'Brien – Her Niece, Deborah Marzola

4:00 PM Dan Clancy - Carol

### SUNDAY, 3/6

7:30 AM For the People of the Parish

9:00 AM Thomas Malone – The Malone Family

9:00 AM Elsie Uffelmann – Jim and Kris Lyons

9:00 AM Isabel Vasquez – Mary and Gene Salamon

11:00 AM Mark Masterson – Koubek and Nolan Families

11:00 AM William R. Joralemon Jr. – Mr. and Mrs.  
Richard Roche

11:00 AM Maximina Zapata – Mother Teresa Academy

### SACRIFICIAL GIVING AND STEWARDSHIP REPORT:

The collection for Sunday, February 20<sup>th</sup> was \$12,636.00. In addition, Faith Direct's weekly collection was \$2,984.00. Thank you for your generous support of the parish.



Please remember in your prayers:

**Jan Parkes**, wife of William Parkes, mother of Kyle, Kayla and Connor Parkes, who died February 17, 2011.

**WOMENS LENTEN RETREAT:** Please mark your calendar for Sunday, March 6<sup>th</sup> following the 11AM Mass for a **Women's Lenten Day of Reflection** in the Social Hall. Questions? Call Sue Karpovich, 371-6406.



**QUEST FOR GRACE FOUNDATION – "Every Child is a Gift":** We are inviting all of the parish to participate in the February Faith Formation service project. We will be collecting items to benefit children in local foster care communities. Items currently needed are **NEW boys and girls underwear, undershirts, socks and pajamas**. Please drop off the items in the **designated baskets in the Faith Formation Lobby**. For more info go to [www.questforgrace.com](http://www.questforgrace.com). We welcome donations until March 4<sup>th</sup>.

We will have **FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION** immediately following morning Mass; Rosary at 11:30AM followed by the Benediction. Signup sheets are on the table outside of the Chapel. If you are doing Scripture Meditations, please let Ann Day or Gene Kelenski know!

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

The **FRESH AIR FUND** is a program that gives NYC children a chance for a vacation. Please consider hosting a child. Contact Deb at [freshair@nycap.rr.com](mailto:freshair@nycap.rr.com) or 348-1018 for more information.

**PARISH NEWS**



**ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARTY!  
Come Celebrate St. Patrick's  
Day at St. Edward's**

12 noon to 5PM Sunday March 13<sup>th</sup>

**Corn Beef and Cabbage  
Potatoes, Carrots, Dessert  
Coffee, Tea and Soda**

**Music, Entertainment, and Fun  
(Albany Irish Set Dancers)**

**TICKETS ON SALE AT THE DOOR  
TAKE OUT AVAILABLE**

**Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus**



**GRAYSON WARREN BROWN IS COMING TO  
ST. EDWARD'S!**

Grayson Warren Brown, renowned Catholic musician and liturgist, is presenting a Parish Mission at St. Edward's Lent. This retreat-like experience will focus

during on the theme of Change Our Hearts. Check out our Parish Website for more information about Grayson Warren Brown, and be sure to mark your calendars for Sunday, March 13; Monday, March 14; and Tuesday, March 15; at 7PM each evening. All are welcome!

**AROUND TOWN**

The Chapel + Cultural Center at RPI is proud to announce that artist Patricia Trudeau will be exhibiting her series of 15 oil paintings, "THE WAY OF THE CROSS", from March 7, 2011-April 30, 2011. Please visit us at our website, [www.chapelandculturalcenter.org](http://www.chapelandculturalcenter.org).

The **KICKOFF RALLY: 40 Days for Life** will be Saturday, March 5<sup>th</sup> at 7PM at Immaculate Conception Church, 400 Saratoga Road, Glenville. For more info contact Maureen at 541-3568.

**HAIR OF THE DOG:** One of the world's foremost Celtic rock bands will perform at St. Thomas the Apostle School in Delmar on Saturday, March 5<sup>th</sup> at 7:00PM. A phenomenal menu prepared by renowned local chef, Yasuo Saso. Doors open at 6:00PM. Tickets are \$20 per person and may be purchased by mailing a check to St. Thomas the Apostle School, attn: Hair of the Dog Tickets, 42 Adams Place, Delmar, NY 12054. For more info call Carmel Foltan at 439-5573.

**NYS RIGHT TO LIFE** Pro-Life Training 9:00AM-4:00PM on Saturday, March 19<sup>th</sup> (8:45AM registration & coffee) at the Sage College Albany campus, room 224 of the Campus Center. FREE LUNCH. \$10 deposit (\$5 for students), fully refunded at training! Please register by calling 434-1293.

**LA SALLE INSTITUTE'S OPEN HOUSE** is 6-8PM Wednesday, March 10<sup>th</sup>. For more info call 283-2500 ext. 238.

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**ST. EDWARD'S  
BOOK CLUB**

The **ST. EDWARD'S BOOK CLUB** meeting is scheduled for this Wednesday, March 2<sup>nd</sup> at 7:00PM in Faith Formation room 3-5. Our selection is **The Holy Longing**, written by Ronald Rolheiser. This is definitely an inspirational and challenging book, full of practical advice for increasing the spirituality of both the individual and the church. Rolheiser provides useful ways of maintaining the focus on God, even in the loud, messy chaos of everyday life and for worshipping in a community of believers, all of which you might not choose to associate with in other circumstances. *The Holy Longing* is an excellent read for all those on a spiritual journey. It is a thoughtful approach to the teachings of Christ. For more info email Kathy Masucci at [kpete@nycap.rr.com](mailto:kpete@nycap.rr.com).



**THE ANNUAL YOUTH MINISTRY BAZAAR** is Saturday, June 11<sup>th</sup> at St. Edward's. We are looking for parishioners who would like to be involved in various aspects of organizing and carrying out this event. Please contact Sr. Rose at 371-7372 ext. 237 or [stedsmarysyoungministry@yahoo.com](mailto:stedsmarysyoungministry@yahoo.com) if you can help!

**ADULT FAITH FORMATION**



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**LENTEN Forum**

"The Ten Commandments" – A Fresh Look at the Divine Words

Monday evenings March 7, 14, 21 and April 4 and 11 at 7 PM

Presented by G. Peter Avvento, STD

Sign up sheets available in the Gathering Area or email [pavvento@nycap.rr.com](mailto:pavvento@nycap.rr.com) or [peter.avvento@rcda.org](mailto:peter.avvento@rcda.org).

**PASTORAL CARE**

Please call Rick Amico, Associate for **PASTORAL CARE** at 371-7372 ext. 224 for **home or hospital visits, communion to shut-ins, news of hospitalizations, or death in the family**. Also, please call if you would like to volunteer in this ministry or have donations for outreach.

**FUNERAL MINISTRY:** Are you interested in being a part of our Funeral Ministry? There are various ways to be involved: cooking for funeral receptions, serving and cleaning up after the reception. Also we are looking to develop teams of people interested in conducting a wake service at the funeral homes. If you would like more info, please contact Rick Amico at 371-7372 ext. 224.

**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.

**FAITH FORMATION**



Please check [www.stedwardsny.org](http://www.stedwardsny.org) for Faith Formation calendars, SNOW/CLOSING POLICY (and possible class cancellations), and class updates!!!

**CONFIRMATION INTERVIEWS** will be 6-8PM February 28<sup>th</sup> – March 3<sup>rd</sup>. If you have not received email regarding this, please call Rose Savallo at 371-7372 ext. 234. This year's date for **CONFIRMATION IS SATURDAY, APRIL 9, 2011.**

**YOUTH MINISTRY**



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

The next **YOUTH MINISTRY MEETING** is 6:30PM Tuesday, March 1<sup>st</sup> in the Social Hall. We will be rehearsing for the Passion Play. All are welcome!

**GRAYSON WARREN BROWN:** Grayson is a renowned Catholic Musician whose ministry enhances our Liturgical celebrations. On Saturday, March 12<sup>th</sup> after the 4PM Liturgy, Grayson will have dinner and conversation about Liturgical Music with our middle school and high school teens. Come and be a part of this great experience! Contact Sr. Rose if you plan to attend!

**HIGH SCHOOL TEENS:** We will have our annual **Lenten Retreat** on Saturday March 26<sup>th</sup> from 10AM to 4PM. The day will be full of prayer, laughter and food! Please let Sr. Rose know you can come by March 23<sup>rd</sup>.

**SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES!!!**

**HIGH SCHOOL TEENS:**

We will be serving hot dogs and baked beans at St. John's /St. Ann's on **Saturday, March 5<sup>th</sup>**. Please be at St. Mary's Crescent by 9:45AM. We will return by 2:30PM. WE NEED PARENTS TO DRIVE, TOO! RSVP Sr. Rose by March 2<sup>nd</sup>.

**MIDDLE SCHOOL/ HIGH SCHOOL TEENS:**

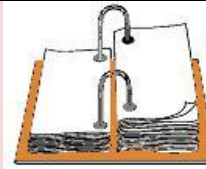
The Knights of Columbus St. Patrick's Day Dinner is in need of helpers from 12-5PM on **Sunday, March 13<sup>th</sup>**. Please call Sr. Rose if you can help!!!

**MIDDLE SCHOOL/ HIGH SCHOOL TEENS:**

**4:30PM Saturday, April 2<sup>nd</sup>** at the Sisters of St. Joseph. We are serving at the Annual Ziti Dinner at Provincial House. Please call Sr. Rose 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!

**SAVE THE DATE!** The Youth Ministry Bazaar will be 9AM – 2PM on Saturday, June 11<sup>th</sup> at St. Edward's!



**The Week Ahead**

<b>MONDAY, 2/28</b>	<b>Mom/ Tot Grp:</b> 9:30AM, Blue rm
<b>TUESDAY, 3/1</b>	<b>YM Mtg:</b> 6:30PM, Social Hall
	<b>K of C:</b> 7PM, Chapel
<b>WEDNESDAY, 3/2</b>	<b>GW Brown Choir:</b> 7PM, Church
	<b>St. Ed's Choir Reh.:</b> 6:30PM, Church
<b>THURSDAY, 3/3</b>	<b>Book Club:</b> 7PM, FF rm 3-5
	<b>St. Edward's Contemporary Ensemble:</b> 6:30PM, Church
<b>FRIDAY, 3/4</b>	<b>Hosanna:</b> 7:30PM, FF rm 4
	<b>K of C Breakfast:</b> after Mass
<b>SATURDAY, 3/5</b>	<b>First Friday Adoration:</b> 9:30AM, Chapel
	<b>FMP2:</b> 8AM, Social Hall
<b>SUNDAY, 3/6</b>	<b>Baptisms:</b> 11AM, Church
	<b>Sacrament of Reconciliation,</b> 3PM, Chapel
<b>SUNDAY, 3/6</b>	<b>Kid Care with Sunday School:</b> 9 and 11AM Masses, FF rooms
	<b>Children's Liturgy of the Word</b> 9:00 and 11:00AM Mass (Gr. K-5)
	<b>Afterglow of the Eucharist:</b> after the 11:00AM Mass
	<b>Women's Lenten Retreat:</b> 12:15PM, Social Hall
	<b>Baptisms:</b> 12:30PM, Church

**ONGOING FOOD PANTRY COLLECTION SUGGESTION:**  
**3/6: Canned/ Boxed Meals; Instant Potatoes**  
 (Please place food on the pew in the Gathering Area)

**Mary's Corner Ongoing Collection Suggestion:**  
**3/6: DIAPER RASH OINTMENT, BABY LOTION**  
 We always welcome baby clothes and items, too!  
 (Please place in Mary's Corner Box in Gathering Area)

**BIRTHRIGHT ONGOING COLLECTION SUGGESTION:**  
**3/6: Diapers**  
 (Please place in the Bassinet in the Gathering Area)



*"Look at the birds in the sky; they do not sow or reap, they gather nothing into barns, yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are not you more important than they?" - Mt 6:26*

**Readings for the Week of February 27, 2011**

Sunday:	Is 49:14-15/1 Cor 4:1-5/Mt 6:24-34
Monday:	Sir 17:20-24/Mk 10:17-27
Tuesday:	Sir 35:1-12/Mk 10:28-31
Wednesday:	Sir 36:1, 4-5a, 10-17/Mk 10:32-45
Thursday:	Sir 42:15-25/Mk 10:46-52
Friday:	Sir 44:1, 9-13/Mk 11:11-26
Saturday:	Sir 51:12c-20/Mk 11:27-33
Next Sunday:	Dt 11:18, 26-28, 32/Rom 3:21-25, 28/Mt 7:21-27