



St Edward the Confessor

The Parish Church of **Romford**

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Sunday 12 October

Patronal Festival

08:00 Book of Common Prayer

10:00 Sung Eucharist - Bishop Guli

Readings: 1 Kings 8: 22-30

Luke 2: 41-50

Vicar:

Fr Jordan Palmer

Retired Priest:

Fr David Perry

Parish Administrator:

Mrs Angela Butt

Church Wardens:

Mrs Alex Quinn

Mrs Johanna Hardy

Services & Special Events this Week

Tuesday 14 October

10:00 Caterpillars

Wednesday 15 October

09.00 Morning Prayer

10:00 Said Eucharist

Thursday 16 October

09.00 Morning Prayer

09:30 Playgroup

13:30 Phoenix Club (*Church*)

Friday 17 October

09.00 Morning Prayer

13:10 Said Eucharist

18:00 Choir Practice

Saturday 18 October

10.00 Poppies in the Church

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Tuesday 21 October

10:00 NO Caterpillars

Wednesday 22 October

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10:00 Said Eucharist

Thursday 23 October

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09:30 NO Playgroup

13:30 Phoenix Club (*Church*)

Friday 24 October

09.00 Morning Prayer

13:10 Said Eucharist

18:00 Choir Practice

Saturday 25 October

10am – 2pm Poppies in the church

Sunday 26 October

Bible Sunday

08:00 Said Eucharist

10:00 Sung Eucharist

Readings: Isaiah 45: 22-end

Romans 15:1-6

Luke 4: 16-24

15:00 Havering Memorial Service

Notices

Please note this News Sheet covers 2 weeks as Angela is now cycling

Christmas Bazaar – Help please.

So the Christmas Bazaar is **NEXT MONTH!!** Where has the time gone! We are looking for help with goodies for the tombolas.... Chocolate Tombola and Bottle Tombola.... We would be most grateful for donations of any type of Chocolate/chocolates and anything in a bottle. Please pass items to Alex, Johanna, Megan or Angela. Thank you so much for your continued support.

Floral Dedication

Our beautiful floral dedications on the front pedestal for the next two weeks are:

12th October: In Loving memory of Ron Wheeler, thinking of you on your birthday, with love from Maureen and family.

19th October: In loving memory of Iris Date never forgotten, always in our hearts.

Charity Cycle through Vietnam and Cambodia for Lennox Children's Cancer Fund

So I am just about to start my fundraising cycling trip, cycling 50-60 miles a day to raise money for Lennox. While I am away, please feel free to sponsor me on this link: https://lennoxccf.enthuse.com/pf/angela-butt-vietnamcambodia?fbclid=IwY2xjawL4CZlleHRuA2FibQlxMQABHifRs-IMQVZryrATnvp7oHUKYyWzICJW41kRA0SLLYpCnCdSrEO6VgutXyhk_aem_Ouvi-wE8pPDk-PyTz50LHQ

Thank you all so much for your love and support. Angela

Regular Giving

Our Church needs your financial support in the best way for you. Payments can be made:

- Direct payment to the Stewardship bank account. If you are a taxpayer, please sign a one-off Gift Aid form, which increases your donation by 25%.
- Cash or cheque. Please use the white envelopes at the back of the Church with a Gift Aid form on them.
- Credit card. Donations by C.C. can be made on our website or by using the machines at the back of Church. Gift Aid can be claimed on these payments if you complete a white envelope with your name, address, and the amount given, and then place it in the pillar box underneath the Card Machine. Forms and information are available from David Hawker. Stedsromfordstewardship@gmail.com

Upcoming dates for your diary:

18th October – Poppies in the Church 10am – 2pm

19th October – Choral Evensong 6:30pm CANCELLED

7th November – 22nd November – Poppy Display

More poppy Saturdays to be confirmed shortly

29th November - Christmas Bazaar 10am – 2pm

Exciting Opportunity to join the St Edward's Team:

We are excited to be advertising a part time Caretaker in the day-to-day management of St Edward's Church and the Wykeham Centre. It is a great opportunity to join our small, friendly, team at St Edward's. The role is for 12 hours per week, working over three days, and full details can be found on our website - the link is here <https://www.stedwardsromford.com/general-5>. If you think this is the perfect role for you, then we look forward to hearing from you!

Junior Church Has Moved!

We're excited to share that **Junior Church is now meeting in Church House (term time)**, using the **Café Area** as our new space. Parents/cares, if you arrive after the Children have left, then please take them yourselves and ring on Church house. The **Crèche** continues to run at the back of Church as usual.

Junior Church welcomes all children from **Reception to Year 7**. Each Sunday, children begin in the main service and, after being prayed for following the Welcome in the order of service, they go out together for their session. They will **return to Church during the Peace** and **remain at the back until collected by their adult**.

This new setup gives children a dedicated space to learn, grow, and build positive friendships at church, while also allowing parents to receive without distraction for part of the service.

Church: please **bear with us** as the team and children adjust to these changes over the coming weeks — we're so grateful for your support and encouragement as we settle into our new home!

Please remember in your prayers:

The Sick

Barbara Wright, Kirstie Simpson, Elize Thiar, Carole Avery, Cath Avey, Christine Cogan, Margaret Lasan, Elaine Pudney, Jonathan Venner, Fabian Gumbs, Eileen Noble, Andy McGill, Cheryl, Sarah Slade, Lauren Kelly, Pamela Clark, Freddie & Albert, Helen Brown, William, Martin Crean, John Wolfe, Pat Marriott, Colin Ellis, Charlotte Green, Emily, Issac Ribbons, Matthew Venner, Peter Quinn.

The Departed

Those who have died recently, especially Barbara Kieran and Jane Banda, and all those whose anniversary occurs about this time, especially Iris Date and David Stirk.

May all the faithful departed in Christ rest in peace ☐ and rise in glory.

The **Parish Office** is open **Tuesday – Friday 09:00 - 13:00** for telephone enquiries only.

Enquiries about Baptisms, Weddings, the Wykeham Hall, or other matters may be made during those hours or at any time via email. If you would like to discuss any topic, large or small, with the Vicar, please contact:

The Parish Office, Church House, Market Place, Romford RM1 3AB

Tel: 01708 744973 Email: Office@stedwardsromford.com

If you would like to receive regular updates from the church, please complete a 'Keeping in touch' form available at the back of church or scan the QR code to be taken directly to an online form.

QR Codes

Said Eucharist



Sung Eucharist



Giving



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If you would like to be added to **St Edward's Electoral Roll**, please complete the details below and pass to one of the clergy or sides people. Please feel free to let us know if there is anything else you would like help with. Thank you.

Name:.....

Address:.....



