



St Edward the Confessor

The Parish Church of **Romford**

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Welcome to St Edward's!

The Order of Service for the Sung Eucharist is found in 'The Eucharist' booklet. Today's Hymns, Collect and Readings are found in the accompanying-coloured sheet.

QR codes for you to access the 08:00 and 10:00 services via your phone are available on the reverse of this sheet.

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

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 28 October

09.00 Morning Prayer

10:00 NO Caterpillars

Wednesday 29 October

09.00 Morning Prayer

10:00 Said Eucharist

Thursday 30 October

09.00 Morning Prayer

09:30 NO Playgroup

13:30 Phoenix Club (*Church*)

Friday 31 October

09.00 **NO Morning Prayer**

13:10 Said Eucharist

18:00 NO Choir Practice

Saturday 1 November

Sunday 2nd November

All Saints Sunday

08:00 Said Eucharist

10:00 Sung Eucharist

Readings: Daniel 7: 1-3, 15-18

Ephesians 1: 11-end

Luke 6: 20-31

12:00 Baptism – Jaxon and Grayson

Steytler Humphries

Notices

Confirmation 2025

What is Confirmation?

Confirmation is a special service where you make your own conscious decision to **re-commit and re-purpose yourself in the Christian journey**. It's an opportunity to affirm the promises made at your baptism and to receive prayer from the bishop for the strengthening of the Holy Spirit as you continue to grow in faith.

Service Details:

The Confirmation Service will take place on **Sunday 30th November at 4.00pm at St Andrew's Church, Romford.**

Preparation Classes:

Classes will be held **here at St Edward's with Fr Jordan** on the following Sundays: **9.15–9.45am on November 2nd, 16th, 23rd & 30th.**

If you would like to know more about confirmation, please speak to **Fr Jordan**.

If you would like to be confirmed on 30th November, please **add your full name and date of birth** to the sign-up sheet at the back of church so we have an indication of numbers.

Bell Ropes

Our new bell ropes arrived earlier this month and have already been fitted in the belltower.

Thank you to everyone who helped pay for the new ropes and if you pledged money towards the total cost of £2,286 and have not yet paid, please could you arrange payment now and let the churchwardens know. If anyone still wishes to make a donation of £50 or more, then please also speak to the churchwardens. We will be organising the plaque with names in acknowledgement of the donations very soon.

S.M.I.L.E. & Lennox Christmas Present Appeal

SMILE are running their Christmas Present Appeal again this year. To help with wonderful Charity, who support local families & children in need, you could either pick an age group and fill a shoebox with appropriate gifts (for a boy or girl), or you could buy a larger gift. Help them to give every child they support a Christmas present from Santa.

The wonderful **Lennox Children's Cancer Fund** are also running their Christmas Gift Appeal for all those children in hospital over the Christmas period. They will get to see Farther Christmas and receive a gift to help bring a smile to their face.

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:

7th November – 22nd November – Poppy Display

29th November - Christmas Bazaar 10am – 2pm

Please remember in your prayers:

The Sick

Barbara Wright, Kirstie Simpson, Elize Thiart, Carole Avery, Cath Avey, Christine Cogan, Margaret Lasan, Elaine Pudney, Jonathan Venner, Fabian Gumbs, 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.

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The Departed

Those who have died recently, especially Eileen Noble, and all those whose anniversary occurs about this time, especially Charles Cockerill and Iris Date.

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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:.....



