



St Edward the Confessor

The Parish Church of **Romford**
www.stedwardsromford.com

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.

5th July

5th after Trinity

08:00 Said Eucharist

10:00 Sung Eucharist

Readings: Genesis 24: 34-38, 42-49, 58-67

Romans 7: 15-25

Matthew 11: 16-19, 25-30

Vicar:

Fr Jordan Palmer

Retired Priest:

Fr David Perry

Parish Administrator:

Mrs Angela Butt

Church Wardens:

Mrs Jo Sheppard

Mrs Johanna Hardy

Services & Special Events this Week

Tuesday 7 July

10:00 Caterpillars

Wednesday 8 July

09:00 Morning Prayer

10:00 Said Eucharist

Thursday 9 July

09:00 Morning Prayer

09:30 Playgroup

13:30 Phoenix Club

19:00 Emmaus

Friday 10 July

09:00 Morning Prayer

13:10 Said Eucharist

18:00 Choir Practice

Saturday 11 July

10:00 St Ed's Fest

12th July

6th after Trinity

08:00 Said Eucharist

10:00 Sung Eucharist

Readings: Genesis 25: 19-34

Romans 8: 1-11

Matthew 13: 1-9

Notices

Evensong – Sunday 5th July 7pm

Please note that Evensong this Sunday (5th July) will begin at **7.00pm** instead of 6.00pm.

Please do make a note of the new time — it will also be livestreamed via our Facebook page, we look forward to worshipping with you.

St Edward's Fest – Final Push!

St Edward's Fest is now just around the corner, **July 11th 10am-4pm** and we'd love your help with one final push to spread the word! There are leaflets available at the **back of church** — please do take some and hand them out to neighbours, friends & family.

We're also looking for any **contributions towards our tombola and raffle**. If you have any suitable items, you'd be willing to donate — unused gifts, bottles, vouchers, chocolates, toiletries, or anything that would make a good prize — we'd be hugely grateful. Please speak to Meg and drop off at Church House.

And finally, as we get closer to the day, we're now also inviting **cake donations** for the Fest. If you're able to bake or contribute cakes, traybakes, or other sweet treats, please let us know. Thank you for all the contributions and for helping make this possible. Let's keep praying that St Edward's Fest will be a joyful day of community, welcome, and blessing.

Confirmations

The next **Confirmation Service** will take place on the evening of **Sunday 25th October** (*time not confirmed*).

Confirmation is for those who have already been baptised and would like to affirm their faith and take the next step in their journey with Christ.

If you've already expressed interest — or if this is the first time you're considering Confirmation — please add your name to the sign-up sheet at the back of church.

Preparation classes with Fr Jordan will begin on **Sunday 20th September**, running for 5 weeks, from **9.00–9.30am** each Sunday.

Westminster Abbey:

The choir of St. Edward's will be singing Evensong at **Westminster Abbey** on Fri 21st Aug at 5pm

Parents Please Note Junior Church Drop-off and Collection.

Please drop your child off at **Church House**, where the Junior Church team will be waiting to **sign your child in**. You will receive a card with your child's name — **please keep hold of this and return it when collecting your child**.

Collection will not be at Church House. Children will be brought into the church toward the end of the Eucharistic Prayer. Please go the **back area of Church** to collect your child by returning the card given. Collection will happen during the *Agnus Dei* (when the servers form a semi-circle at the front), so that you can receive the Holy Eucharist or a blessing together as a family, and release the Junior Church team to rejoin theirs.

Upcoming dates for your diary:

THIS Saturday 11th July: St Edward's Fest (formally Summer Fair) from 10am – 4pm

Sunday 19th July – Church Family Picnic @ 11:30

Tuesday 18th August - Messy Church – 12.30-2.30pm

Saturday 15th August – Lumos Event

Friday 21st August - St. Edward's Choir singing Evensong at **Westminster Abbey** @ 5pm

Sunday 30th August – Service in the Garden

Please remember in your prayers:

Pastoral Prayer List

Faye Nunn, Joanne Mills, John Wolfe, Stuart Norman, Derek Hendon, Lois Newman, Baby Elizabeth, Elaine, Faye Nunn, Andy McGill, Baby William Rutland, Carole Avery, Martin Crean, Issac Ribbons, Matthew Venner, Peter Quinn.

The Departed

Those who have died recently, and all those whose anniversaries occur about this time.

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

QR Codes

Facebook Page



If you are new to St. Edward's and would like to be added to our e-mailing list, then please complete contact details 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.

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