



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 16 August

11th after Trinity

08:00 Book of Common Prayer

10:00 Sung Eucharist

Readings: Genesis 45: 1-15

Romans 11: 1-2, 29-32

Matthew 15: 21-28

Vicar:

Fr Jordan Palmer

Retired Priest:

Fr David Perry

Rev Janet Buchan

Parish Administrator:

Mrs Angela Butt

Church Wardens:

Mrs Jo Sheppard

Mrs Johanna Hardy

Services & Special Events this Week

Tuesday 18 August

10:00 NO Caterpillars

Wednesday 19 August

09:00 NO Morning Prayer

10:00 Said Eucharist

Thursday 20 August

09:00 Morning Prayer

09:30 NO Playgroup

13:30 NO Phoenix Club

Friday 21 August

09:00 Morning Prayer

13:10 Said Eucharist

18:00 NO Choir Practice

Saturday 22 August

10:30 Wedding, Rahima & Tolu

Sunday 23 August

12th after Trinity

08:00 Said Eucharist

10:00 Sung Eucharist with Baptism
of Naomi Ojo

Readings: Exodus 1: 8 – 2: 10

Romans 12: 1-8

Matthew 16: 13-20

Notices

Messy Church - can you help?

Tuesday 18th August | 12–2pm

We're looking forward to our next Messy Church, where families can come along and enjoy a buffet-style lunch, Bible-based crafts, games and a Bible story! We need a few extra volunteers to help make it a great afternoon, to run simple craft tables, as well as people who are happy to be around and offer general help during the session. Please also spread the word! Aimed at ages 3-12, tell friends, neighbours, children and grandchildren who might enjoy coming along.

If you can help on the day, please speak to Meg or Fr Jordan. Thank you!

Poppies and maybe Prosecco!:

As you know we have some fabulous members of our community making poppies in the background for our fabulous display in November. This year we are hoping to add to this so are sharing some dates where we will be meeting for a chat, perhaps a cheeky glass of Prosecco, or a lovely cuppa! In return, we hope you will be able to help us wire poppies to a net - you need no crafting skills and it is just a lovely opportunity to have a chat with other members of our church family.

Dates are below and the time will be 11-1pm:

19th September, 10th October, 17th October, 24th October

See you there!

Remaining Vigilant, Email Phishing:

A member of our congregation received a suspicious email last week from an unknown email address pretending to be from Fr Jordan: Officeofthepastor.ca@gmail.com. We want to ensure that everyone remains vigilant when receiving unexpected emails or requests for money, gift cards, bank details or other personal information.

Although the email appeared to be targeted to one individual, we want to make everyone aware of this scam email and in case you receive a similar email from this address, please do not respond and delete it.

Please note that all our official church emails use the **@stedwardsromford.com** domain, i.e. office@stedwardsromford.com. When unsure, please contact the church directly using a known phone number or email address.

Parents Please Note there is no Junior Church during the school holidays.

Children are **always** welcome at St Edwards. Although there is no Junior Church at the moment, there is plenty to do at the back of church for our young congregants. Thank you.

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:

Tuesday 18th August - Messy Church – 12pm – 2pm – this Tuesday!

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

Sunday 6th September – Service in the Garden – please note date change

Prayer list update

Next week I will be removing names that have been on the Pastoral Prayer list for 4 weeks. If you would like to keep any names on there, please let Angela know in the Parish Office. Thank you.

Please remember in your prayers:

Prayer List

Maisie Warren, Kay Linsell, Nikky Bates, Margaret Medcraft, Sandra, Sarah Slade, Mark Wingham, Ian Wingham, Lois Newman, Faye Nunn, Joanne Mills, John Wolfe, Stuart Norman, Baby Elizabeth, Andy McGill, William Rutland, Carole Avery, Martin Crean, Issac Ribbons, Matthew Venner, Peter Quinn.

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The Departed

Those who have died recently, especially Elaine Oliver and Tom O'Sullivan, and all those whose anniversary occurs about this time, especially Den Winterburn.

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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

QR Codes

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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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