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 1 November
All Saints Day
08:00 Said Eucharist
10.00 Sung Eucharist
Readings: Revelation 7: 9-end
1 John 3: 1-3
Matthew 5: 1-12
18:30 All Souls Day Requiem
Readings: Wisdom 3: 1-9,
Romans 5: 5-11
John 6: 35-40

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

Monday 2 November

Tuesday 3 November
10:00 Caterpillars

Wednesday 4 November
09.00 Morning Prayer
10:00 Said Eucharist

Thursday 5 November
09.00 Morning Prayer
09:30 Playgroup
13:30 Phoenix Club

Friday 6 November
09.00 Morning Prayer
13:10 Said Eucharist
18:00 Choir Practice

Saturday 7 November

Sunday 8 November
Remembrance Sunday
08:00 Said Eucharist
09:30 Sung Eucharist
Readings: Wisdom 6:12-16
1 Thessalonians 4: 13-18
Matthew 25: 1-13
10:45 Coronation Gardens

Notices

Donations and volunteers needed for the Christmas Fayre

It's October and our Christmas Fayre is just next month!! St Edward's Christmas Fayre is being held on 28th November and we are looking for donations. We would be grateful for the following:
- New products that come in a Bottle for out bottle stall
- Nearly new/good condition teddies and soft toys
- Selection Boxes or chocolate
- New toys
- Or if you would like to make a cash donation, we can use towards buying things to sell at the Fayre, we would be grateful. Please see Jo or Megan.

We are also looking for volunteer helpers who are willing to give us their time on the day. If you can help, please add your name to the red folder by the TV at the back of church.
Thank you always for your continued support and love.

No Junior Church

There is no Junior Church again this Sunday (today) due to the school half-term holiday. There are tables and activities at the back of church; however, this must be parent-supervised please.
Thank you for your understanding.

Would you like to join 'Joggers'?

Don't worry, it's not a running group! **Joggers (Journeying On Together Group)** is for anyone wanting to deepen their Christian faith and discipleship.
Meeting **once a month for a year**, for 90 minutes (likely during the day), we'll follow the seasons of the Christian year, exploring prayer, the Bible, Christian community, stewardship, caring for others and ourselves, and growing in faith together.
Information session: TODAY, 9.15am.
First meeting: Week beginning 9 November.
For more information, please speak to **Rev'd Janet**.

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:

Sunday 1st November – All Souls Requiem @ 6:30 pm - today
Sunday 8th November – Remembrance Sunday @ 9:30 am
Coronation Gardens @ 10:45 am
Saturday 28th November – St Edward's Christmas Fayre 11:00 – 3:00
Sunday 29th November – Advent Carols @ 6:30pm
Sunday 13th December – St Francis Hospice Light up a Life Service @ 3pm
Sunday 20th December – Nine Lessons and Carols @ 6:30pm
Thursday 24th December – Crib Service @ 4pm
Thursday 24th December – Midnight Mass @ 11pm

All Saints' Day – What is it?

On All Saints' Day, we celebrate all those who have gone before us in faith, from well-known saints to ordinary people who have followed Jesus. It reminds us that death is not the end and we belong to one great family of faith, being inspired and encouraged by those who have completed their earthly journey.

All Souls' Day – Evening Requiem Eucharist

All Souls' Day is a time to remember and pray for those we have loved and lost. Our evening Requiem Eucharist is a peaceful, reflective service where we remember the departed and entrust them by name to God's eternal love. Everyone is welcome to add (sheet at back) a name of someone you would like prayed for at our evening service.

Volunteers urgently needed for Live Streaming

The Live Streaming team are in urgent need of more volunteers. Please let Jo Sheppard or the Parish Office know if you are able to help us. Thank you for your support.

Regular Removal of names from the Pastoral Prayer List

Next week I will be removing some names from the Pastoral prayer list. If there is a name you do not want removed, please let me know by email. Many thanks, Angela

Hearing Aids

Thank you if you have donated hearing aids. I send them to Paul Wood who has now collected over 44,000 hearing aids from private individuals, Hearing clinics, Audiology Departments of NHS Trusts, and retail Suppliers . He works with a network of Audiologists around the world where there is known demand for unwanted hearing aids. This connection is vital to ensure that what Paul sends reaches places where there is genuine demand and need. Sue Arbon

Please remember in your prayers:

Pastoral Prayer List

Eric Wilson, Jillian Jones, Sharon Reece, Colin Brown, Lucy Biddick, Dee Taylor, Sam Jules-Saffu, Victoria Morris, Mark Wingham, Ian Wingham, Sarah Slade, Maisie Warren, Kay Linsell, Nikky Bates, Lois Newman, Faye Nunn, Joanne Mills, John Wolfe, Stuart Norman, Baby Elizabeth, Martin Crean, Issac Ribbons.

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The Departed

Those who have died recently, and all those whose anniversary occurs about this time.

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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

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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