

Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time-Cycle C
October 16th, 2016

Through incessant prayer, we open ourselves more fully to understanding God’s will. Through faith in the power of prayer, we experience God’s love and assistance. Our Christian life is nourished by the scriptures we read and by our received tradition.

Opportunities to Worship This Week:

Sat. 10/15, 6PM (Vigil-29th Sunday in Ordinary Time)-Milt Haag+
Sun. 10/16, **10:30AM** (29th Sunday in Ordinary Time)-For the People
Thurs. 10/20, 6:30PM (Weekday)-Dick Reyling+
Fri. 10/21, 8:00AM (Weekday)-Dudley Borah+
Sat. 10/22, 6:00PM (Vigil-30th Sunday in Ordinary Time)-Andrew & Joan Kubacki+
Sun. 10/23, 8:30AM (30th Sunday in Ordinary Time)-Bill Grogan+

Sacrament of Penance

Anytime by Appointment/
Fri. mornings after Mass

Mass Attendance

Saturday
Sunday

Anointing of the Sick: Call the rectory any time when anointing of the sick is needed. In the absence of Fr. Martin-Edward, call Peg Garrison, Denise Zurliene or Jim Thompson and they will contact a deacon.

Prayer List:

Way-Fair Nursing Home – Kimberly Buchanan

Garland Keck, Lanora Neavill, Ute Ferido, Leon Chamness, Jack Ciesielczyk, Sharon Reyling, Dan Kinsolving, Brenda Belangee, Jim & Jane Mowry, Phyllis Laird, Kurt Wiseman, Stacy Winkeler, Nanette Williams, Julie Griffith, Gina Williams, Emilee Stanley, Noreen Reeves, Maddox Oppenheimer, Paula Zdan, Sara Kerchner, Charles Drechsel, Shirley Byars, Dorothy Baylor, Eva Decker, Matthew Rorban, Kathy Bramlet, Virginia Winkeler, Tom Colvin, Jim Lawler, Sydney Lawhon, Justin McKnight, Ryan McGehee, Teresa Williams, Andy Reyling, Andrew Mayo, and all priests who are sick.

Saturday, October 22, 2016

Lector: Mike Oppenheimer
E. Mins: Diana Zurliene, Sally Conley
Ushers: Tim & Jackie Schoenborn
Gifts: Jim & Margaret Thompson
Servers: volunteer

Sunday, October 23, 2016

Mary Roy
David Mills, Ginny Barrett
Scott Merkle, Drew Garrison
Kent Ochs Family
Maria Ward, Grace Milligan

Our Daily Scripture Readings:

Monday:	Eph 2:1-10	Lk 12:13-21
Tuesday:	2 Tim 4:10-17b	Lk 10:1-9
Wednesday:	Eph 3:2-12	Lk 12:39-48
Thursday:	Eph 3:14-21	Lk 12:49-53
Friday:	Eph 4:1-6	Lk 12:54-59
Saturday:	Eph 4:7-16	Lk 13:1-9
Sunday:	Sir 35:12-14, 16-18	2 Tm 4:6-8, 16-18
		Lk 18:9-14

“One Thing I ask of the Lord, and this I long, to dwell in the house of the Lord all the days of my life.” (Ps.27, 4)

That should be our daily prayer
That should be our daily desire
That should be our daily wish.

JUBILEE YEAR OF MERCY

OCTOBER---COMMUNION OF SAINTS

Prayer: Grace before meals
Patron Saint: St. Edward
Faith in Action: Smile and greet one another
Activity: Feast Day celebration; Formation=PSR, CYO, RCIA provide education in the faith.

MERCY MOMENT---Persistent Prayer.

You know that person, don’t you? One so relentless, he does not yield, he does not back down? She makes the case and does not let it drop? Persistence personified. God invites us, invites me to take this attitude to prayer. “Pray always without becoming weary.” Pray not just for myself. Pray, too, for the needs of others. Do not give up.
~For what shall I pray today?
~For whom shall I pray this week?
~Can I put it all in God’s care – and with my helping hands?

ATTENTION USHERS: Please do not forget to mark down the counts for attendance and for communion. Thank-you very much!

Attention Parishioners: If you are not aware, Friday night the church was robbed. Someone gained access through a door which was left opened. Please, Please check all doors of the hall and church are closed and locked tight if you are using the hall for any functions. Thank-you.

Veteran's Breakfast: Saturday, November 5th, St. Edward's Men's Club will be hosting the annual Veteran's Breakfast. If anyone can help in any capacity please contact Dennis Zurliene. It takes many hands for this function to run smoothly.

OUR NEW ECCLESIAL IDENTITY

On the 1st of October, 2016, the parishes of St. Edward, Fairfield and Stephen, Flora were represented by the members of the Pastoral Plan for Parish Renewal and Restructuring Committee in a meeting with Bishop Edward K. Braxton at the Chancery. Several issues were raised and discussed. Inserted in today's bulletin is a summary of what was discussed. Please take time to read this, as it will affect all of us here at St. Edward's and St. Stephen's.

HIS HOLINESS, POPE FRANCES ANNOUNCED ON SUNDAY THAT HE WILL CREATE SEVENTEEN NEW CARDINALS IN A CONSISTORY AT THE VATICAN ON NOVEMBER 19TH, 2016. THE ARCHBISHOP OF CHICAGO IS AMONG THE CARDINALS-DESIGNATE. PLEASE PRAY FOR ARCHBISHOP CUPICH AN THE OTHER CARDINALS-DESIGNATE REPRESENTING ELEVEN COUNTRIES AROUND THE WORLD.

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

Today is WORLD MISSION SUNDAY! In announcing his decision to declare a Holy Year of Mercy, Pope Francis said, "Dear brothers and sisters, I have often thought about how th Church might make clear its mission of being a witness to mercy." Supporting the young churches throughout the world with your prayers and generous gifts is indeed a merciful witness of this mission. The collections today will help missionaries offer the poor of these areas practical help as they share the mercy of God. Extend your merciful witness to the whole world through your gift in today's collection for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith!

UPCOMING EVENTS:

OCTOBER:.

Oct. 17th: Altar Sodality—6:00pm (first meeting of the fall)

Oct. 20th: Parish Council—7:00pm

LOOK AHEAD:

Nov. 1st: (ALL SAINTS DAY) St. Stephen—Mass 7:00am; St. Edward—Mass 7:00pm

Nov. 2nd: (ALL SOULS DAY) St. Edward—Mass 7:00am; St. Stephen—Mass 7:00pm