

St. Edmund Campion Catholic Church

Notices for Trinity XVIII, October 4, 2026

Please join us after the 11am Mass for a potluck chili cookoff in the Parish Hall.

Blessing of Animals/Blessing of Beer - today at 1pm!

Fr. Johnson will bless animals and beer today at 1pm on the patio behind the church.

Catechism and Coffee continues every Sunday -

Join us in the Parish Hall at 9:40

Today's class: Trevor Turner - The Desire for God and God's Revelation

Next week: Dr. Michael Butler - Scripture, Tradition & the Magisterium. Apostolic Succession.

Interior Construction Projects Underway

Volunteers needed for Consecration Mass

Work in the sanctuary is continuing with the installation of our new tile floor. Construction of the frame for the new altar will begin soon, with installation of the chancel screen, triptych, pulpit, and lectern scheduled for the week of October 18. While the majority of the construction work is being handled by outside companies, our preparations for the Pontifical Mass for the Dedication of the Altar need some in-house help. We will need volunteers to assist with:

- Prepping the church and grounds - mopping floors, dusting pews, washing windows, etc.
- Pick up/return borrowed chairs, tables, etc.
- Set up for the Mass and reception (tables, chairs, tents, etc.)
- Managing parking (and possibly shuttling)
- Seating/ushering
- Monitoring supplies and bathrooms throughout reception
- Clean up after Mass and reception

More opportunities to help will likely come up as we approach November 6. Please contact the Parish Office at wncord@gmail.com to let us know if you are able and willing to help out. Thank you!

Save the dates!

Thursday, Nov 5 - 4:30pm Evensong service for the transfer of relics to the new altar.

Friday, Nov 6 - Bishop Lopes visit - at 6pm Bishop Lopes will celebrate a solemn Pontifical Mass with the Dedication of the altar.

****Look for an evite via email this week - it is very important that you RSVP as we need to know how many people to expect in order to plan for parking, seating, and the reception.****

Jeter Mountain Orchard Apple Picking Today (Sunday October 4)

Join us after the potluck today for apple picking at Jeter Mountain Orchard.

You can arrive any time to visit the farm, but reservation is required to pick apples at <https://www.jetermountainfarm.com/u-pick-fall>.

Canongate Catholic High School Homecoming and Open House

Saturday, Oct 31, 10am - 1pm

From Canongate: "Dear neighbors, brethren in Christ, you are cordially invited to join Canongate Catholic High School on Saturday, October 31st from 10AM to 1PM at Saint Barnabas Catholic Church as we celebrate our Homecoming with an open house and a wonderful time of fellowship, folk music, and more, with Highlands Pipes and Drums. All are welcome with no admission fee for the event, though we would greatly appreciate any financial support you can provide in addition to your prayers. Please mark your calendar and visit us at Canongatecatholic.org," call: 828-808-8438 for details

Canongate Campus; St. Barnabas Catholic Church; 109 Crescent Hill Rd, Arden, NC 28704



THANK YOU!! - We distributed all 50 Boxes of Joy last weekend!

Instructions for returning your boxes – they are due by November 1st:

Return your boxes downstairs in the library. Please do NOT seal your boxes. If necessary, secure with a rubber band or twine. There will be post-its in the library - make sure a post-it with your name is attached to each box so we can keep track of the returns. If you have multiple boxes, you may write one check to cover the \$9 S&H costs. Make the check payable to Cross Catholic Outreach. If you have any questions, contact Donna Curry 423-280-4990.

Thank you for sharing the joy of Christmas!

Parish Events Oct 5-18

Tues, Oct 6	9:00 am - Matins (Church)	Tues, Oct 13	9:00 am - Matins (Church)
Wed, Oct 7	12:10 pm Mass (11:40am Confessions)	Wed, Oct 14	NO MASS (Fr. Johnson at priests' convocation)
Sat, Oct 10	9:00 am - Matins (Church)	Sat, Oct 17	9:00 am - Matins (Church)
Sun, Oct 11	8:30 am - Said Mass (Confessions 8 am) 9:40 am - OCIA/Catechism & Coffee (PH) 9:40 am - CGS (Atrium) 9:40 am - Squires/Little Flowers (patio) 11:00 am - Sung Mass (Confessions 10:30)	Sun, Oct 18	8:30 am - Said Mass (Confessions 8 am) 9:40 am - Children's Sacramental Prep 9:40 am - OCIA/Catechism & Coffee (PH) 9:40 am - CGS (Atrium) 9:40 am - Squires/Little Flowers (patio) 11:00 am - Sung Mass (Confessions 10:30)

Mass Intentions

You can fill out an envelope with a requested date and offering or request online at: saintedmundcampion.com/calendar. Here are the intentions for the upcoming week:

Mon Oct 5	Tues Oct 6	Wed Oct 7	Thur Oct 8	Fri Oct 9	Sat Oct 10	Sun Oct 11 8:30am
Paul Meekey	+Dan Whalen	Pete Woodham	Faustina Poliskey	Souls in Purgatory	Tommy Moon	+Mick O'Hara

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Find Your Place at St. Edmund's!

Register as a Parishioner Online or use Paper Form in Vestibule.



Mass, Adoration, and Confessions Schedule

Sunday: 8:30am and 11am / Wednesday: 12:10 pm (Rosary 11:40am)

****Check Schedule to verify Wednesday Mass During Renovation****

First Friday: Adoration and Latin Mass (OF) will resume after the Renovation is Complete.

Confessions heard 30 minutes before each Mass; after Mass by request.

Fr. Joshua Johnson, Pastor

Ms. Stephanie Butler, Business & Operations Manager

Call or text 828-393-5775 or email wncord@gmail.com for general inquiries.