

# St. Edmund Campion Catholic Church

Notices for the Sixth Sunday of Easter, May 10, 2026

Please join us after the 11am Mass for coffee and snacks in the Parish Hall.

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## Holy Day of Obligation - Ascension Thursday, May 14

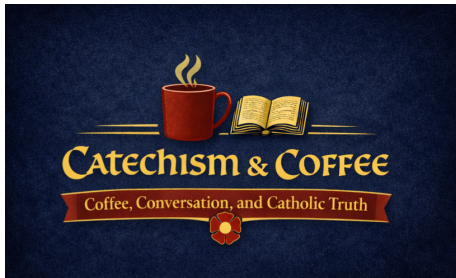
(NOTE - No 12:10pm Mass on Wednesday, May 13)

**Wed, May 13: 6pm Anticipatory Mass at the Advents**

(950 Mt. Tabor Church Rd., Pickens, SC 29671)

**Thurs, May 14: 12:10pm Sung Mass at the parish**

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### Catechism and Coffee

**Sunday, May 10: Fr. Johnson**

**The Mysteries of the Mass:**

*Discover the deeper meaning of the words, gestures, postures, seasons and colours of the Mass.*

**Sun, May 17: Adam Melton**

*English Catholic History - Saint John Henry Newman*

Join us Sundays between the Masses for Catechism & Coffee. We will have some social time and our speaker/teacher for the day will begin at 9:35. Sessions include time for Q&A).

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### **Rogation-tide**

**Sunday, May 10, through Wednesday, May 13**

This mini-season is a preparation for the Solemnity of the Ascension on Thursday, May 14, 40 days after Easter. *The Latin word "rogare" means "to ask" or "to request."* During these days we offer prayers and sacrifices to prepare ourselves for celebrating the Ascension of the Lord. It is also a time when we ask for God's blessing on our crops and fields, and protection of our property. Booklets with the Rogation-tide prayers and bottles to fill with Holy Water are available in the narthex - these can be used at your home for asking God's blessing on your gardens and land.

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### **Join us for Matins (Morning Prayer) Tuesdays & Saturdays at 9am starting May 12**

"The Mystery of Christ, his Incarnation and Passover, which we celebrate in the Eucharist especially at the Sunday assembly, permeates and transfigures the time of each day through the celebration of the Liturgy of the Hours, the Divine Office." (*Catechism of the Catholic Church*, 1174) As an exercise of the priestly office of Christ, this public prayer of the Church, undertaken by clergy and lay faithful alike, gives voice to the Bride of Christ addressing her Bridegroom. Indeed, "it is the very prayer which Christ himself together with his Body addresses to the Father." (*Sacrosanctum Concilium*, 84)

Morning and Evening Prayer are "the two hinges on which the daily Office turns; hence they are to be considered as the chief hours and are to be celebrated as such." Starting Tuesday, May 12, we will have Morning Prayer from the Daily Office at St. Edmund's at 9am on Tuesdays and Saturdays. Please come and join us. We can add additional days/times based on interest. We will have printouts of the Daily Office.

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### **Young Adult Bonfire and Evensong - Saturday, May 16, 6:30pm**

Evening Prayer at St. Edmund's, followed by food, drinks, and fireside fellowship.

For more information on this and other young adult events, scan the QR code to join the Metanoia YA GroupMe.



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**Canongate Catholic High School is hosting an Open House in Tryon on Sunday, May 17th from 1:30-3:00 pm (see flyer in narthex for details).**

## Volunteers Needed - Altar Guild, Cleaning, Parking/Security

**Altar Guild:** What would you do if you could care for and tend for the buried Jesus as some of His disciples did, by washing His burial cloths? You can do just that as a member of our Altar Guild. We have to take care of the altar linens with true reverence, as they are truly akin to the burial cloths of Jesus, and are essential to the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. Help us to care for the altar linens by volunteering for the Altar Guild.

**Cleaning:** Help clean the church building, both upstairs and downstairs (flexible schedule)

**Parking/Security:** Assist with directing traffic in the parking lot before Sunday Masses, and monitor the parking lot during Mass.

Please contact Donna Curry at [dmc Curry49@gmail.com](mailto:dmc Curry49@gmail.com), or call or email the Parish Office (828-393-5775 or [wncord@gmail.com](mailto:wncord@gmail.com)) for more information. Thank you!

### Parish Events May 11-17

Tues, May 12	9:00 am - Matins (Church)
Wed, May 13	<b>NO 12:10pm Mass</b> 6:00 pm - Anticipatory Mass for the Solemnity of the Ascension (Pickens, SC)
Thurs, May 14	12:10 pm - Sung Mass - Solemnity of the Ascension (Confessions at 11:40 am) 1:30 pm - Lunch at Flat Rock Wood Room (informal; all are welcome)
Sat, May 16	9:00 am - Matins (Church) 6:30 pm - Young Adult Evensong and Bonfire (Church)
Sun, May 17	8:30 am Said Mass (Church) / Confessions 8:00 am 9:20 am Catechism and Coffee (Parish Hall) 9:30 am CGS (Atrium) 11:00 am - Sung Mass (Church) with Procession / Confessions 10:30 am

### Mass Intentions

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

Mon May 11	Tues May 12	Wed May 13	Thur May 14	Fri May 15	Sat May 16	Sun May 17 8:30am
+Barbara Gilbert Wells	Intentions of Bill Meyers	<b>Pro Populo</b> (Ascension Vigil Mass)	Katie Johnson	Intentions of Craig Hamilton	Retreat Participants at MVCI	+Luther Youngs



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**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)

First Friday: Mass at 5:30pm (Latin Mass (OF))

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

Fr. Joshua Johnson, Pastor

Ms. Stephanie Butler, Business & Operations Manager

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