St. Edmond Catholic Church
Town Hall Meeting

On Building Free-Standing Adoration Chapel

St. Edmond Family Center
6:00pm — 7:00pm
Monday, September 22, 2025



Letter From the Pastor:

Bethlehem (Hebrew, "house of bread).

The birthplace of Our Savior Jesus Christ, the City of David, literally means "house of bread." The beauty of this birth place, connected with Jesus' revelation in Chapter 6 of John's Gospel—"I am the bread of life who came down from heaven" is precisely why we Catholics adore the Lord in the Holy Eucharist.

St. Edmond Church began a discussion regarding the building of a "Bethlehem" on the campus. A free-standing chapel on the grounds of St. Edmond would provide opportunities for Eucharistic Adoration in an environment of reverential space, Holy silence, and security.

We need your input!

In order to consider a free-standing Adoration chapel, we need to know how you feel and what you think about such an endeavor. St. Edmond Church has many dedicated parishioners involved in the forty-hour devotion for the last four years. Our humble, little chapel gives limited space, has no access to bathrooms, and is not soundproof from the noise coming from within the Family Center.

Chair our Adoration Committee. He and I are inviting ALL parishioners to attend a very important Town Hall meeting on Monday, September 22 at 6:00 p.m. in the Family Center. We value and need your input before considering this project. Please make the sacrifice to come to the Town Hall meeting.

"Could you not stay awake one hour?"

These are the words of Jesus to His apostles—Peter, James and John—as Our Blessed Lord was experiencing His agony in the Garden. He is inviting us to spend an hour with Him.

Our Parish commitment to evangelize, to win coverts and to reach out to "reverts" (those who are away from the church but need to come back) begins on our knees before Christ in the Eucharist.

We hope to see you on Monday, September 22 at 6:00 p.m. in the Family Center.

In the Eucharistic Lord,

Fr. Joe Campion