

Welcome to the Catholic Churches of Saint Edward's & Saint Paul's

Longville, MN

October 3, 2021

Remer, MN

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Office Hours

Mon. Tue. & Fri. 9:00am-1:00pm

St. Edward's, Longville

Mass Schedule

Rosary – One half hour before Masses

Confessions - Saturday..... 3:00pm
or by appointment

Saturday 4:00pm

Sunday.....8:30am

Daily Mass

Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday

Mass8:30am

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

1 Hour following Daily Mass

St. Paul's, Remer

Mass Schedule

Rosary – One half hour before Masses

Confessions before/after Sunday Mass
or by appointment.

Sunday.....10:30am

Daily Mass-

Thursday

Mass8:30am

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

1st Thursday of the Month

9AM – 10 PM

Prayer List

If you, or someone you know or love,
have a prayer need, please contact:
Dianne Hipsher at 218-363-2969

Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that You are truly present in the Most Blessed Sacrament. I love You above all things. Since I am unable now to receive You sacramentally, come spiritually into my heart and stay with me forever. Amen



27th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

He said to them in reply, "What did Moses command you?" They replied, "Moses permitted a husband to write a bill of divorce and dismiss her." But Jesus told them, "Because of the hardness of your hearts he wrote you this commandment. But from the beginning of creation, God made them male and female." - Mk 10:3-6

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**Saint Vincent de Paul
Saint Rose of Lima Conference
Longville/Remer**



Weekday Masses

Monday, October 4 ~ *No Mass*

Tuesday, October 5 ~ *No Mass*

Wednesday, October 6 ~ *No Mass*

Thursday, October 7 ~ *No Mass*

Friday, October 8 ~ *No Mass*

Weekend Masses

Saturday, October 9

Saint Edward's - *Satah Boedigheimer +*

Sunday, October 10

Saint Edward's - *Paul Hipsher +*

Saint Paul's - *Pro Populo*



GOSPEL MEDITATION - ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Archbishop Fulton Sheen said, "It takes three to make love, not two: you, your spouse, and God." Apart from the incarnation of God in Jesus Christ, nothing speaks better of God's incarnate love than marriage. God designed it this way. We place great value on love and rightly so. What we fail to realize, however, is that love, its very presence and place in our lives, is not simply part of the human package deal. Love comes from God. It is one of God's greatest gifts to human beings. When we begin to realize that our very ability to love is sacred, it changes up how we see the essence of life, and purpose and sanctity of marriage.

Readings for the week of October 3, 2021

Sunday: Gn 2:18-24/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6 [cf. 5]/Heb 2:9-11/Mk 10:2-16 or 10:2-12

Monday: Jon 1:1—2:2, 11/Jon 2:3, 4, 5, 8/Lk 10:25-37

Tuesday: Jon 3:1-10/Ps 130:1b-2, 3-4ab, 7-8 [3]/Lk 10:38-42

Wednesday: Jon 4:1-11/Ps 86:3-4, 5-6, 9-10 [15]/Lk 11:1-4

Thursday: Mal 3:13-20b/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6 [Ps 40:5a]/Lk 11:5-13

Friday: Jl 1:13-15; 2:1-2/Ps 9:2-3, 6 and 16, 8-9 [9]/Lk 11:15-26

Saturday: Jl 4:12-21/Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12 [12a]/Lk 11:27-28

Next Sunday: Wis 7:7-11/Ps 90:12-13, 14-15, 16-17 [14]/Heb 4:12-13/Mk 10:17-30 or 10:17-27

God is love. It stands to reason then that if we follow the path of unconditional, self-emptying love we will then stumble upon God. It is precisely this intimate wedding of God with love that gives such eloquence and honor to the love between husband and wife. As a living sign of Christ's love for the Church and for humanity, husbands and wives speak volumes of God's unconditional incarnate love for all of his children! The Divine power that brings unity and life to marriage is so strong that once joined, it really cannot be separated.

Admittedly, marriage covenants can be extremely difficult to negotiate and, at times, very painful to experience. God's perfect divinity always meets our broken and imperfect humanity. God is okay with this setup as he created it this way. Our loving is never as unconditional as God's and often tainted by our own imperfections, needs, memories, hurts, sinfulness, and weakness. All of this baggage negatively impacts even the most well-intentioned marriages, causing them to be hurtful and empty. We are love works in progress. God can succeed in perfecting our love only if we keep our eyes fixed on him as the source of that love. That's why marriage is always about three and not just two.

The Divine intimacy at the heart of marriage is what can make them celebrations of great union and happiness. Couples who are still madly in love with each other after many years, still looking at each other with that timeless twinkle in their eyes, best tell the story of God's oneness with humanity. Honor, celebrate, and support those who have accepted a vocation to marriage. Living in a world that easily pulls relationships apart, may they find hope and inspiration from their faith companions who are on the same journey!

Spiritual Direction

Appointments can be made, no cost, free donation to the parish if chosen.

Contact Ellen at 763-913-1485



Women's Council of St. Edward's

Meets on the 2nd Wednesday of each month @ 9 AM.

Next Meeting - October 13th

St. Paul's Ladies Council

Meets on 2nd Tuesday every other month @ 4 PM
Next Meeting - November 9th



**EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP -
RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS**

Therein lies the...rib

“If I were God...” is a dangerous way to start a sentence, but how many of us do this? Probably more regularly than we would like to admit. Even if we don’t verbalize the sentiment, we likely think it from time to time. Most of us finish that statement with some genius, original idea for eradicating difficulty and pain from the world. If I were God, I wouldn’t let anyone go hungry. If I were God, all wealth would be equally distributed. If I were God, war wouldn’t exist.

I imagine that, when we think thoughts like these, God shakes His head and wonders why we don’t look a little harder at the whole of His creation — because I can promise you, it’s never lacking.

When Adam had a need for a companion, God used what was available: Adam’s rib. Everything that He had put into place was already perfect, already complete. Woman was a new creation, but not a new species. Adam searched through all of creation to find the perfect mate, but God had tucked the answer inside of His creation all along.

I’m guilty of it as much as anyone else — looking to Heaven with a chip on my shoulder. “Why haven’t you sent me what I need? I’ve been asking over and over again.” But have I even thought to look inside of myself?

Where is the rib you are missing today? What are the opportunities God has set before you? What are the needs that He is ready to fulfill, if only you would stop wasting time lamenting all the solutions that don’t fit the bill?
— Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

St. Edward’s Collection

September 13-19, 2021

Envelopes	\$	1,975.00
Plate	\$	218.00
UCA	\$	271.00
Catholic Home	\$	10.00
Disaster Relief	\$	200.00
Father Daniel	\$	4,872.25

September 20-26, 2021

Envelopes	\$	1,260.00
Plate	\$	269.00
UCA	\$	107.00
Disaster Relief	\$	45.00

Saint Paul’s Collection

September 13-19, 2021

Envelopes	\$	1,330.00
Plate	\$	99.00
UCA	\$	120.00
Catholic Home	\$	10.00
Father Daniel	\$	6,606.00

September 20-26, 2021

Envelopes	\$	580.00
Plate	\$	45.00
UCA	\$	5.00
Building Fund	\$	700.00

Here to Serve You

Saint Edward’s and Saint Paul’s Parishes
Pastor.....Father Keith Bertram
Deacon.....Mike Knuth
Spiritual Director.....Ellen Leger
Secretary/Bookkeeper.....Deb Stock
Website Advisor.....Pat Bettenberg

Joint Pastoral Council

Saint Edward’s Diane Hipsher Needs 2 members	Saint Paul’s Pat Bettenberg Elizabeth Frick Jerry James
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Finance Council

Saint Edward’s Phyllis Eck —Trustee Jim Carey —Trustee	Saint Paul’s Ted Frick —Trustee ****- Trustee
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Janice Prucha Pat Boen Dale Gregory Sharon Thole Roseanne Gregory Jenn Spartz	Sue Bettenberg Jerry James Doris Gish Alan Rajdl Tony Collins Mike Baltus
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Deanery Vocation Ministry

Father Keith Bertram Larry and Diane Holter	Rod Schloesser Bob Bechtel
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**Saint Vincent de Paul /
Saint Rose of Lima Conference**

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In today’s Gospel, Jesus tells his disciples, “Let the children come to me...for the kingdom of God belongs to such as these.”

This week, please help the Society of St. Vincent de Paul to bring the love and mercy of Jesus to children who are hungry and cold.

**Next meeting:
You are welcome to join us!
October 5, 2021
1 PM at St. Paul’s**

Saint Vincent de Paul Poor Boxes are now installed in both churches. Please consider a donation of change or use an envelope for a recorded donation. *Thank you.*



Home Visitors Ministry

are privileged to bring Holy Communion to parishioners who are homebound or for any reason unable to attend Mass on Sundays. If you know someone in need of this Ministry, please contact Sharon Thole at 218-363-3811

Prayer Shawl Ministry

If someone you know is ill, depressed, dying, is in counseling, lonely, is going into a nursing home; anyone who is in need of our prayers, love and care.

Contact the parish office at 218-363-2799



First Friday Mass

St. Edward’s

Adoration 7:30 am
Benediction & Mass 8:30am

First Saturday Mass

St. Edward’s

Rosary 8:00 am
Mass 8:30 am