

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

Longville, MN

November 21, 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

Mass.....8:30am

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

Mass.....8:30am

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

1st Thursday of the Month

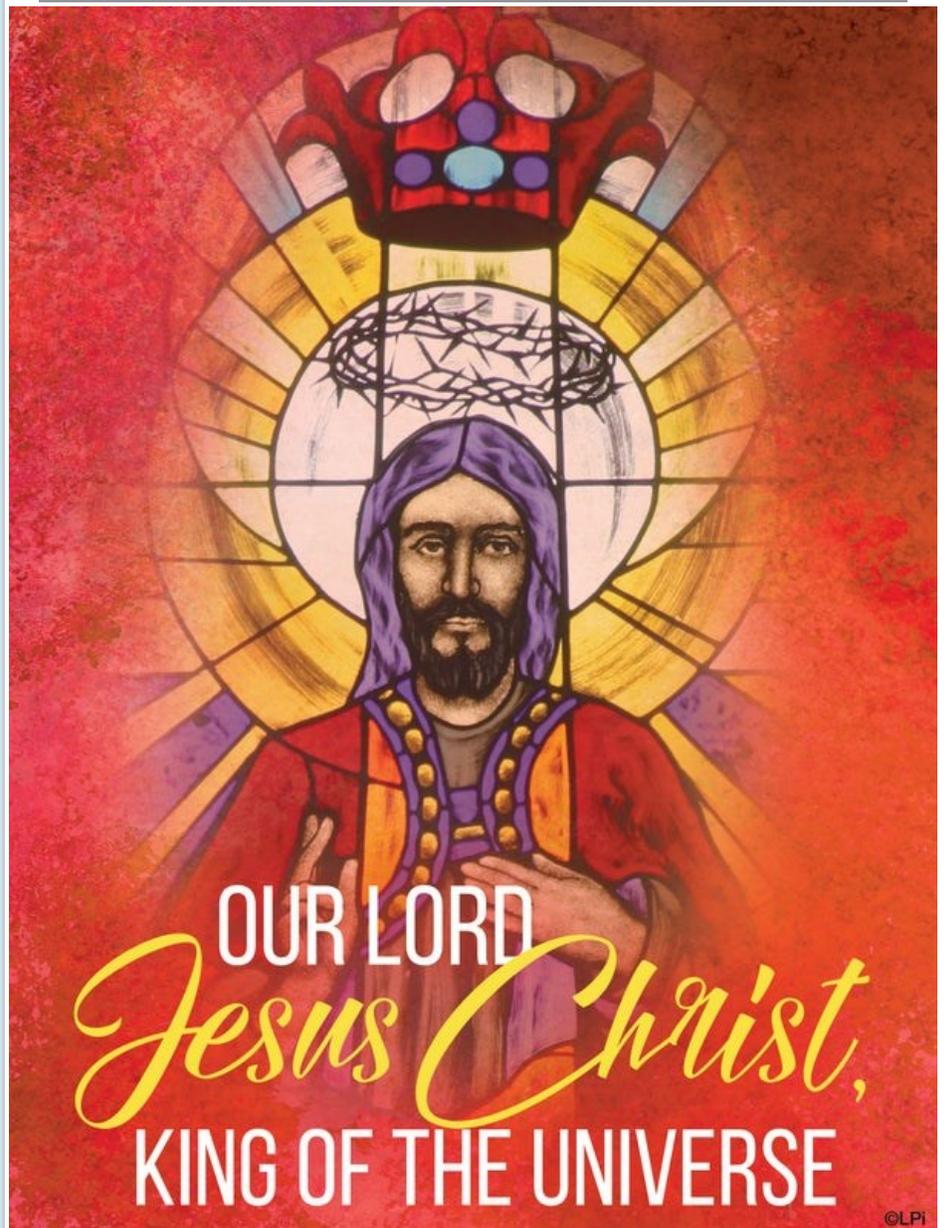
9AM – 10 PM

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



Saint Vincent de Paul
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Weekday Masses

Monday, November 22 ~ *No Mass*

Tuesday, November 23 - *Health of*

Nancy Raines

Wednesday, November 24 - *Deacon*

Fred Wright +

Thursday, November 25 - *Patricia Schloesser +*

Friday, November 26 - *Sick & Homebound
of the Parishes*

Weekend Masses

Saturday, November 27

Saint Edward's - *Sarah Beodigheimer +*

Sunday, November 28

Saint Edward's - *Pro Populo*

Saint Paul's - *Dennis Schloeder +*



GOSPEL MEDITATION - ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

November 21, 2021

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

We often come to life expecting all of the pieces of the puzzle to nicely fit together. We want and expect harmony, order, and fairness, the achievement of rewards for good behavior, good health, and happiness. We can more easily accept death when it comes naturally after a good long life, but have a real difficulty comprehending the meaning of it all when it is cut short. Willing to put in a good measure of effort, we desire positive results. When things go wrong and life gets hurtful, unjust, and downright ugly, we become unsettled and can quickly fall into despair. This is especially true if we are people of faith who believe in a God who sees things on our terms and works in favor of our life agenda. What happens to our faith when we find ourselves sitting in a mess?

Does it help to know that God understands and that hardship, failure, disappointment, injustice, confusion, and all of life's ugliness do not make faith irrelevant or irrational? God is wonderfully and surprising creative! He turns the tables on not only our understanding of life, but of what it means to be a king. God sends us a king who is not exempt from life's ills but embraces them. The king that God gives to us knows what it means to be poor, suffer insults, be ridiculed, face rejection, endure suffering, be betrayed, and face a most unjust and horrific death. This is our king. Jesus is not a king of prestige or grandeur but a king who brings light to darkness, hope to despair, sinners to mercy, and new life out of death. Christ dances before us pleading with us to hold on, cling to love, avoid being negative, stop feeling cheated, and be strong in faith! There may be hardship and disappointment now but there are more surprises to come.

Once we understand this truth, we will also understand that we are on a most incredible and awesome universal journey to Christ and becoming one in Christ. We all carry within us the image of God, the image of our suffering king. The One who lives in us also lives in all of our brothers and sisters. Failing to see this universal Divine Presence in all is one of the greatest mistakes we can make, for we also fail to see God, our king, as well. There are many things that can bring hardship to life. If we keep our head about us and do not lose hope, we can persevere and strive for the greatest degree of justice possible. Even though there are ample things that can challenge our faith, we also know that our deepest joy comes from union with God and our brothers and sisters. One day, the fullness of that joy will be ours to have when we are all eternally one with Christ our King forever.

Readings for the week of

November 21, 2021

Sunday: Dn 7:13-14/Ps 93:1, 1-2, 5 [1a]/
Rv 1:5-8/Jn 18:33b-37

Monday: Dn 1:1-6, 8-20/Dn 3:52, 53, 54,
55, 56 [52b]/Lk 21:1-4

Tuesday: Dn 2:31-45/Dn 3:57, 58, 59, 60,
61 [59b]/Lk 21:5-11

Wednesday: Dn 5:1-6, 13-14, 16-17,
23-28/Dn 3:62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67
[59b]/Lk 21:12-19

Thursday: Dn 6:12-28/Dn 3:68, 69, 70,
71, 72, 73, 74 [59b]/Lk 21:20-28

Friday: Dn 7:2-14/Dn 3:75, 76, 77, 78,
79, 80, 81/Lk 21:29-33

Saturday: Dn 7:15-27/Dn 3:82, 83, 84,
85, 86, 87/Lk 21:34-36

Next Sunday: Jer 33:14-16/1 Thes 3:12—
4:2/Ps 25:4-5, 8-9, 10, 14 [1b]/
Lk 21:25-28, 34-36

Women's Council of St. Edward's

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

Next Meeting - December 8th

St. Paul's Ladies Council

Meets on 2nd Tuesday
every other month @ 4 PM

Next Meeting - January 11th

Spiritual Direction

Appointments can be made, no cost, free donation to the
parish if chosen. **Contact Ellen at 763-913-1485**



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

Long Live the King

Did you know that you can become royalty, for the right price? It's true — for the low, low cost of \$50, you, too, can purchase a 12-square-inch souvenir plot of Scottish land and call yourself "Laird So-and-so." Now, this lordship or ladyship doesn't come with the ability to boss anyone around, but maybe your friends will be impressed enough to bend the knee.

My point is, we've all got our own little fiefdoms — folks or communities for which we have a feeling of responsibility. Maybe we're not their "king," but most of us have those we think of as "our people."

Now, in this world, people lay themselves down for their kings. History is riddled with the bodies of men, young and old — and plenty of women and children, too — who were casualties of wars waged by men in power, men who never had to shed their own blood. But in the next world, the King dies for his people. This is leadership par excellence — the leadership of someone whose love is greater than his ambition.

We are all leaders of a sort. On the parish level, you have the obvious roles — serving on pastoral council, spearheading the capital campaign, leading the Altar Guild. But you also have the quiet ones who lead from the wings — the janitor who can always be relied upon to do his job, or the volunteer librarian who puts in extra hours on the weekends.

There is a saying — find your people. I say, find your people, and find a way to lay yourself down for them, in imitation of the greatest King that ever was.
— Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

Parishioners of Saint Paul's and Saint Edward's, our Phase 2 fundraiser is now in place for the new addition at Saint Paul's.

You recently received a letter about a Memory Tile fundraiser, we will be sending our first order in on **December 1st!** In the future, tiles will then be ordered quarterly as needed.

Thank you, Saint Paul's Finance Council

Both parishes are in need of all liturgical ministers: Sacristan, Lectors, and Eucharistic Ministers as well as Ushers.

Please contact the parish office if you can help or would like to be trained in one or more of these very important ministries.



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



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	Saint Paul's
Diane Hipsher	Pat Bettenberg
Needs 2 members	Elizabeth Frick
	Jerry James

Finance Council

Saint Edward's	Saint Paul's
Phyllis Eck —Trustee	Ted Frick —Trustee
Jim Carey —Trustee	****- Trustee

Janice Prucha	Sue Bettenberg
Pat Boen	Jerry James
Dale Gregory	Doris Gish
Sharon Thole	Alan Rajdl
Roseanne Gregory	Tony Collins
Jenn Spartz	Mike Baltus

Deanery Vocation Ministry

Father Keith Bertram	Rod Schloesser
Larry and Diane Holter	Bob Bechtel

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Today as we celebrate Christ the King, may we open the door of our heart so wide that we may listen to the voice of Jesus calling us to help build his kingdom here on earth.

This month, through your gifts, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul was able to bring God's kingdom of love and mercy 4 families, providing food, utility, rent and other bills. God Bless You!

**Next meeting:
You are welcome to join us!
December 7, 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.*

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