

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

Longville, MN

April 17, 2022

Remer, MN

## Stay Connected

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## Phone Numbers

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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

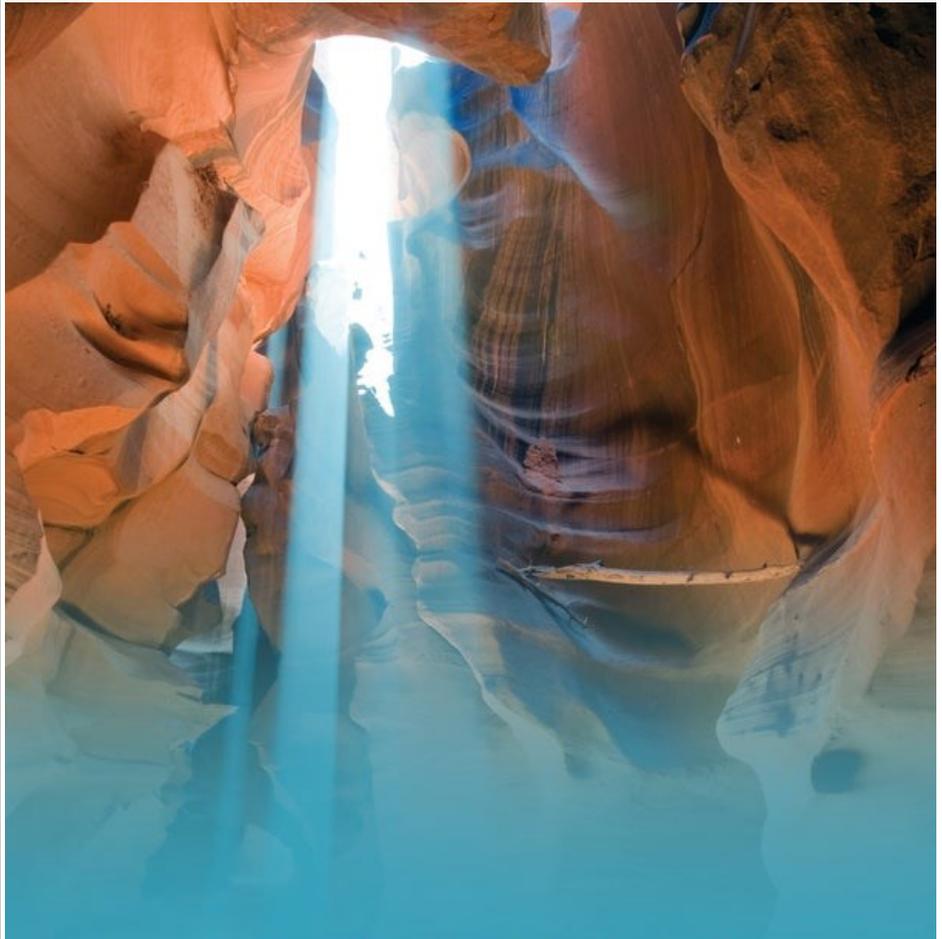
## Prayer List

If you, or someone you know or love,  
have a prayer need, please contact:

Dianne Hipsher at 218-363-2969

## Our Prayer of Hope

*May God open my eyes and heart to see opportunities each day to do good, and give ME the courage to speak words of hope to those around me. Jesus, you are the Light of the World, as the world grows darker, I want your Light in me to shine brighter. Amen*



## EASTER SUNDAY

The other disciple also went in, the one who had arrived at the tomb first, and he saw and believed. - Jn 20:8

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**Saint Vincent de Paul  
Saint Rose of Lima Conference  
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## Weekday Masses

Monday, April 18 ~ *No Daily Mass*  
 Tuesday, April 19 ~ *Clarence Allen +*  
 Wednesday, April 20 ~ *Evie Zenner +*  
 Thursday, April 21 ~ *NO Daily Mass*  
 Friday, April 22 ~ *NO Daily Mass*

## Weekend Masses

Saturday, April 23  
 Saint Edward's - *Diane Casey +*  
 Sunday, April 24  
 Saint Edward's - *Marian Buchanan +*  
 Saint Paul's - *Pro Populo*



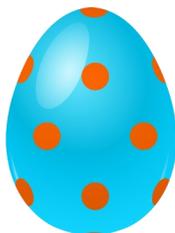
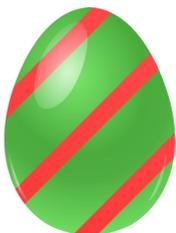
### Readings for the week of April 17, 2021

**Sunday:** Acts 10:34a, 37-43/Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23 [24]/Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8/Jn 20:1-9 or Lk 24:1-12 or, Lk 24:13-35  
**Monday:** Acts 2:14, 22-33/Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11/Mt 28:8-15  
**Tuesday:** Acts 2:36-41/Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20 and 22/Jn 20:11-18  
**Wednesday:** Acts 3:1-10/Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9/Lk 24:13-35  
**Thursday:** Acts 3:11-26/Ps 8:2ab and 5, 6-7, 8-9/Lk 24:35-48  
**Friday:** Acts 4:1-12/Ps 118:1-2 and 4, 22-24, 25-27a/Jn 21:1-14  
**Saturday:** Acts 4:13-21/Ps 118:1 and 14-15ab, 16-18, 19-21/Mk 16:9-15  
**Next Sunday:** Acts 5:12-16/Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24 [1]/Rv 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19/Jn 20:19-31

### Spiritual Direction

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

**Contact Ellen at  
763-913-1485**



## 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*

### GOSPEL MEDITATION - ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

April 17, 2022

#### Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

There are many stones in our paths that keep us from truly living and being free. Some of these boulders have been there for a very long time. They have been there so long that they have even settled into the soil of our lives with other weeds, vines, and compacted soil keeping them firmly in place. We find them hard to move and trying to do so can be exhausting. What are these suffocating albatrosses that keep us so tethered and immobile? They are many things.

They are past childhood wounds and hurts that stem from disappointment, rejection, or abuse. People may have told us we were unwanted, that the world is frightening, that there are only some acceptable feelings you can have and others you cannot. We may have tried to love someone or struggled to figure out how and were met with rejection. Maybe we trusted someone completely and were betrayed. We come to life collecting barnacles that begin to attach to other barnacles and before you know it, we have a mass of solid matter blocking our vision and keeping us from moving. We live in fear. We are afraid of losing what we have, afraid that the future will be empty, afraid that we won't succeed and even more afraid that we will not be loved. There is so much fear. Didn't Jesus tell us not to worry and to not be afraid? Either we believe in the message of Easter, or we don't!

Go confidently into the night. Walking with God you will find the light and strength you need. Often without even knowing, God will move those boulders and stumbling blocks that bind us and, with putting one foot in front of the other and looking forward, we will move. The resurrection of Christ is really all about receiving the gifts of trust and faith and doing new things. The rocks that bind us keep us spinning the same wheels and doing the same things. When was the last time you threw caution to the wind and actually did something totally out of character and different? This is where we find God, in the spontaneous, the adventurous, the fun, and the creative choices we make! God is not boring and stuck. God is exciting and engaging. Jesus Christ is risen from the dead! Find a way to trust that this is true and live.

EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP -  
RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS

**Leave It in the Tomb**

Today, on the most important day of the liturgical year, the Apostle Paul is calling us out.

“I see you hiding in that tomb,” he says. “I see you baking with that old, stale yeast, thinking no one will notice.”

He says it a little more elegantly, I’ll grant you. But the message is this: If you want to be raised with Christ, you’d better be ready to step out of the shadows. Seek what is above — not what is on earth.

I can feel myself responding almost reflexively, “Great idea, Paul — but I’m pretty comfy here.” Because sometimes, it’s just easier to stay in the tomb. It’s easier to crouch in the shadows and look outward at everyone else, thinking of the changes they could make or the sins they could overcome.

Today we are called to embrace newness. New hearts, new lives, new futures, new chances. If there’s anything keeping you from that, you need to leave it in the tomb. It’s a little scary, sure — maybe Jesus thought so before he stepped into the light of that first Easter morning. But no loaf of bread worth eating was ever baked using stale yeast that wouldn’t rise. No new life worth having was ever lived through the broken sins of yesterday. No Easter morning ever dawned without the tomb sitting empty.

Step into the light. He is waiting for you. — Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS



**APRIL is Food Shelf Month**  
for both Saint Edward’s and  
Saint Paul’s.  
Please sign up to help.



*Here to Serve You*

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

**Joint Pastoral Council**

<b>Saint Edward’s</b>	<b>Saint Paul’s</b>
Diane Hipsher	Pat Bettenberg
Needs 2 members	Elizabeth Frick
	Jerry James

**Finance Council**

<b>Saint Edward’s</b>	<b>Saint Paul’s</b>
Phyllis Eck -Trustee	Ted Frick -Trustee
Jim Carey -Trustee	Sherri Berg - 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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**Next meeting:**  
**You are welcome to join us!**  
**April 19, 2022**

**1 PM @ Saint Paul’s**  
**Saint Vincent de Paul Poor Boxes**  
are available in both churches. Please consider a donation of change or use an envelope for a recorded donation.  
*Thank you.*



**Women’s Council of  
St. Edward’s**  
Meets on the 2nd Wednesday  
of each month @ 9 AM.  
Next Meeting - May 11, 2022

**St. Paul’s Ladies Council**  
Meets every other month  
**NEW Day & Time**  
Thursday following morning  
Mass @ 9 AM  
Next Meeting - April 28, 2022

**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