

Saint Edward's & Saint Paul's

July 2022

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	
10	11 8:30 Mass @ Saint Edward's SAILS 10 AM @ Saint Edward's	12	13 Women's Council MTG 9 AM @ Saint Edward's	14 SAILS 10 AM @ Saint Edward's Men's Group 5 PM @ Saint Paul's	15 8:30 Mass @ Saint Paul's Finance Council MTG 9 AM @ SP Ladies Council MTG 11 AM @ SP	16
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My dear brothers and sisters,

Greetings in the name of our Lord, Jesus Christ! I have promised to keep you in the loop as we move through this year as a parish community. I am happy to announce today that Fr. Joseph Fink, a recently retired priest from the Archdiocese of St. Paul/ Minneapolis has agreed to be your Priest Sacramental Minister through the summertime, both at St. Edward and St. Paul. He is beginning his ministry this weekend and can say more about himself.

Fr. Fink will provide a steady and consistent priestly presence for months. He will have a daily Mass in Longville on Mondays and Remer on Fridays. He will preside at the weekend Masses and will be available for anointings of the sick and funerals to the best of his ability.

I am very thankful for Fr. Fink and his commitment to you as parishioners of this parish. I am also thankful to Deacon Rick Paine who will remain as the Administrator of both St. Edward's and St. Paul's.



St. Paul and St. Edward, pray for us,
Bishop Daniel J. Felton 6/30/2022

Flowers at Saint Edwards ...

If you would like to honor a loved one with flowers you can now order flowers through the Women's Council of Saint Edward's. Look for information on the bulletin board in the hallway entry to church.
PS. You are welcome to take your memorial gift of flowers home with you after an appropriate amount of time on the altar.

Seven Sisters Apostolate

Mission - The Seven Sisters Apostolate is a call to strengthen the Church by ensuring that a Holy Hour is prayed each day of the week for the sole intention of a specific priest or bishop—
Please contact Melissa Umerski, 612-719-3601.

Welcome in the Name of Jesus Christ

We extend our hearts and hands in Christian hospitality to you. To begin communications with the Parish Office, complete this form You may send it by mail or drop it in the collection basket.

Choose One: **Saint Edward's**

Saint Paul's

New Member Registration

Update Registration

Name _____

Address _____

Phone and Email _____

Welcome Father Joe

My name is Father Joseph Patrick Fink. I went to school with one of your pastors, Father Joe Sirba, back at Saint Paul Seminary in 1978-79. He indicated to me that you might need some help with the sacraments that I might be able to help with in the coming season. (Your Bishop has asked my Bishop for permission to allow me to work in your Diocese.)

A little background about me. I'm the oldest of 10 children with 5 brothers (two in heaven, three in this vale of "tears") and 4 sisters -- all who bear the name "Mary." I have 35 nieces and nephews, and I have over 40 plus grandnieces and nephews. (My Dad liked to say that he was doing pretty good, since I was a DUD!!) My parents both passed into the Eternal Realm back in 2019, within 8 days of each other. (It was the only time in my priesthood where I had a double funeral of a husband and wife at the same time.) I'm fortunate in having received a good example of the Catholic Life. All of my family is still in the Church and practicing their Faith!!

I was ordained back in 1983. Prior to ordination, I was a baker during college and seminary years. I was an off-line sales manager for Soo Line Rail back in 1978-80. Prior to my days of working in a bakery, I did odd jobs from the third grade on -- from paper routes to fry cook at an AW Root Beer stand.

As a priest, I've had the privilege of working in 10 assignments -- 6 of them being associate positions and 4 pastorates. My assignments were:

St. Joseph's (Lino Lakes, MN): Transitional Deacon

St. Peter's (Mendota, MN): Associate

Holy Redeemer (Montgomery, MN): Associate

St. Pius X (White Bear Lake, MN): Associate

St. Thomas the Apostle (Corcoran, MN): Pastor

St. John's (St. Paul, MN): Pastor

St. Mary's (Shakopee, MN): Pastor

St. Bernard's (St. Paul, MN): Associate

St. Mark's (St. Paul, MN): Associate

Holy Redeemer (Watertown, MN): Pastor

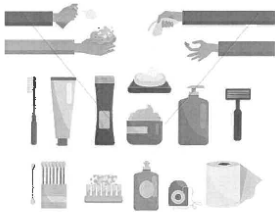
I am currently finishing my last assignment at Holy Childhood/Maternity of Mary in St. Paul, MN where I've served for the last 6 years as an Associate.



When I had my first bout of cancer back in the early 2000's, I had the privilege of working as an associate for three of my classmates: Father Mike Anderson, Present Pastor of St. Joe's in Lino Lakes; Fr. Jeff Huard, Spiritual Director at St. Paul Seminary; and my current pastor Fr. Tim Cloutier who was the head of the Tribunal and Acting Pastor @ Holy Childhood and Maternity of Mary in St. Paul.

LONGVILLE AREA FOOD SHELF

Personal Care Item Drive



For the entire month of July we will be collecting personal care items. Items in need are:

- BABY DIAPERS • BAR SOAP
 - DENTAL FLOSS • DEODORANT
 - DISH DETERGENT
 - FEMININE HYGIENE PRODUCTS - (Sanitary Pads/Tampons)
 - HAND SANITIZER • LAUNDRY SOAP
 - LOTION • MOUTHWASH • RAZORS
 - SHAMPOO/CONDITIONER
 - SHAVING CREAM • TOOTHBRUSHES • TOOTHPASTE • WET WIPES
- (Adult Diapers Not Needed At This Time)

Drop off at church anytime during the month of July. Thank you for your donation!

LIVE THE LITURGY - INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

It's important to keep our eyes open. Otherwise, we can easily dismiss things that truly require our attention. Whether it is someone needing care, a wrong that must be rectified, an injustice that must be addressed, or someone in need of a helping hand, the lens through which we view life (and even the rules by which we live) can prevent us from stopping and acting. Whether it's an obsession with being on time, a compulsion to complete tasks according to a schedule, or a rigidity with not breaking a law or fear of taking a risk, we miss daily opportunities to show mercy. We often fail in our duty to be a good neighbor, especially when it involves brothers and sisters remote from us whom we have never met. The pain of the world is our pain. God's law of love, mercy, and compassion is not something remote. It's already within us and very near. All we have to do is open our eyes and carry it out.

St. Edward's Collection

June 27-July 3, 2022

Envelopes	\$	3,875.00
Plate	\$	1,448.25
UCA	\$	536.00
Peter's Pence	\$	5.00

Saint Paul's Collection

June 27- July 3, 2022

Envelopes	\$	1,490.00
Plate	\$	355.00
UCA	\$	635.00
Building Fund	\$	220.00