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ST. EDWARD'S - LONGVILLE

Mass Schedule

Rosary – 1/2 hour before Masses

Confession – 1/2 hour before

Mass or Saturday 3PM

Saturday Mass 4:00 PM

Sunday Mass 8:30 AM

Daily Mass

Rosary – 1/2 hour before Mass

Mass – Wed.-Thur.-Fri. 8:30 AM

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Friday 9 AM to 1 PM

ST. PAUL'S - REMER

Mass Schedule

Rosary – 1/2 hour before Mass

Confession – 1/2 hour before Mass

Sunday Mass 10:30 AM

Daily Mass

Rosary – One-half hour before Mass

Mass Monday 10 AM

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

1st Thursday of the Month

9 AM – 7 PM

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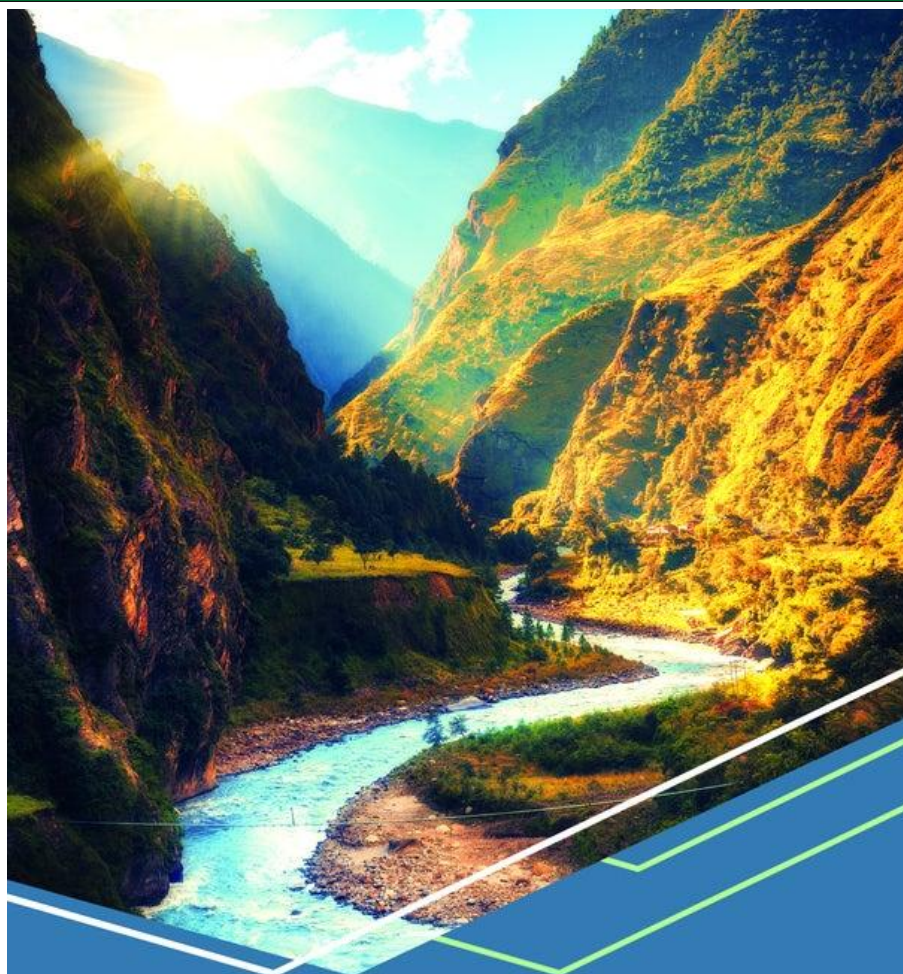
Welcome to the Catholic Churches of

Saint Edward's & Saint Paul's

Longville

June 28, 2026

Remer



13th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Whoever gives only a cup of cold water to one of these little ones to drink because the little one is a disciple--amen, I say to you, he will surely not lose his reward." - Mt 10:42

St. Edward's online guest giving ONLY

Scan - Click on URL touch engage.suran.com bar to move forward, create a gift amount, sign in as a guest.



LIVE THE LITURGY - INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

Whoever receives the one sent in Christ's name receives Christ.
Whoever loves the Word of God loves God Himself. Who is Christ sending to you in his name this week? What Word do they speak into the stillness of your soul? Receive them. Receive him.



SVdP Saint Rose of Lima Conference

Longville/Remer

Saint Edward's

Saturday, June 27 – Brian Plunkett +

Sunday, June 28 – Bill Berger +

Wednesday, July 1 – Elizabeth Harder +

Thursday, July 2 – Ray and Mary Jane Halligan +

First Friday, July 3 – Holy Souls in Purgatory

First Saturday July 4 – Protection for the Unborn

Saturday, July 4 – John and Emily Rouse +

Sunday, July 5 – Pro Populo

Saint Paul's

Sunday, June 28 – Pro Populo

Monday, June 29 – Juliene Myers +

Sunday, July 5 – Virgil Kearney +



Readings for the week of June 28, 2026

Sunday: 2 Kgs 4:8-11, 14-16a/Ps 89:2-3, 16-17, 18-19/Rom 6:3-4, 8-11/Mt 10:37-42

Monday: Vigil: Acts 3:1-10/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5/Gal 1:11-20/Jn 21:15-19

Day: Acts 12:1-11/ Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18/Mt 16:13-19

Tuesday: Am 3:1-8; 4:11-12/Ps 5:4b-6a, 6b-7, 8/Mt 8:23-27

Wednesday: Am 5:14-15, 21-24/Ps 50:7, 8-9, 10-11, 12-13, 16bc-17/Mt 8:28-34

Thursday: Am 7:10-17/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11/Mt 9:1-8

Friday: Eph 2:19-22/Ps 117:1bc, 2/Jn 20:24-29

Saturday: Am 9:11-15/Ps 85:9ab and 10, 11-12, 13-14/Mt 9:14-17

Next Sunday: Zec 9:9-10/Ps 145:1-2, 8-9, 10-11, 13-14/Rom 8:9, 11-13/Mt 11:25-30

Spiritual Direction

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

Contact Ellen @ 763-913-1485



Prayer Line – We have a group of 20+ prayer warriors to pray for any need, that you may have. Please contact Linn Laak 763-233-1692. Prayers are kept confidential in the group.

Did you know... that when you say a prayer for the Holy Souls in Purgatory that it also blesses you. Litany for the Poor Souls in Purgatory Cards are available at the entrances to church.

GOSPEL MEDITATION - ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

June 28, 2026

13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Matthew 10:37-42

I still remember the first homily I ever preached as a new deacon. It was at the seminary, and the Gospel was this one: **"Whoever loves father or mother more than me is not worthy of me."** (Matthew 10:37-38) Standing before more than 200 classmates and professors, I stumbled awkwardly through my words and realized how strange – almost insane – this teaching sounded. If anyone else said it, we would call it narcissistic or cultish.

And that is the point. I felt the weight of those words in my own heart then, as I still do today. Am I willing to live as though Christ's claim on my love is absolute? Are you?

Over the years, I've learned that the more I do, the more everything else makes sense. Family, friendships, vocation, even my very self: all of it falls into place when my love for Jesus comes first.

That is why he dares to speak this way. Our Lord is not a cult leader hungry for control. He is the Son of God, the source of life and love itself. To put him before everything else is not to lose, but to find...everything, and everyone, in him.

This week, name one thing or one person you are tempted to place before the Lord. Then consciously offer it back to him in prayer.

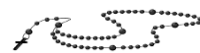
- Father John Muir

Hosts with .01% Gluten are available for Holy Communion. Please see an **Usher or the Priest** before Mass if you wish to receive one of these.

Rosary Apps:

www.schooloffaith.com

<https://kristinscrosses.com/daily-reading/the-rosary/>



Blessing for Marriage

Dear Jesus,

Bless the married couples in our community and grow their bonds of love for each other. Give them the grace to share minds, hearts, dreams, growth, challenges, and strength in every season of life. Make them a sturdy shelter for each other, a place to find comfort and rest. Amen.

ONLINE GIVING at Saint Edward's:

<https://engage.suran.com/stedwardsduluth>

See our website for more information or contact Babs Debes at babs.debes@duluthcatholic.org

Or call her at 218-252-0308 to set up a time for assistance.

WHY DO WE DO THAT? - CATHOLIC LIFE EXPLAINED

Works of Mercy

Question: I've heard of the Corporal and Spiritual Works of Mercy. What are they, and what's the difference?

Answer: As God has shown us mercy, so too are we called to show mercy to those we encounter. We see mercy throughout the Gospels, but the parable in Matthew 25 forms the foundation for the first set of Works of Mercy. This parable of the last judgment shows each person being asked how well they cared for those around them, and being reminded that this care for those in need is care for God Himself. Each person is asked if they have fed the hungry, given drink to the thirsty, clothed the naked, sheltered the stranger, cared for the sick, and visited the imprisoned. These — along with burying the dead — are the Corporal Works of Mercy, as they primarily concern the physical life of a person.

The list of the Spiritual Works of Mercy developed later. These actions of love primarily concern the inner life of a person. They are instructing the ignorant, counseling the doubtful, admonishing sinners, bearing wrongs patiently, forgiving offenses, comforting the afflicted, and praying for both the living and the dead. All of these actions are concrete ways of bringing the love of God into the world.

VIRTUES, EXPLAINED! –

CONNECT WITH TRADITION AND GROW YOUR FAITH

Discernment

We most often hear the term “discernment” when a man or woman prayerfully considers a religious vocation. This is a helpful context in which to think of the virtue of discernment, which all Christians are called to develop, lay and religious alike.

When a person hears a “call,” he cannot simply go — he must first figure out where the call is coming from. It's not enough to simply have an idea of becoming a priest, a sister, a missionary,

a husband, a wife — the idea needs a good, thorough background check. This is discernment, which “unmasks the lie of temptation, whose object appears to be good...when in reality its fruit is death,” says the Catechism. (CCC 2846)

We run this background check of discernment on our feelings, our intentions, and our inclinations under the guidance of the Holy Spirit and through a diligent regimen of prayer and reflection.

“The Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius” is highly regarded as a useful tool for spiritual discernment.

Saint Vincent de Paul/ Saint Rose of Lima Conference

Longville/Remer

Regular Meeting : July 7, 2026

1 PM @ Saint Edward's



In today's Gospel hear Jesus tell us: “Whoever gives only a cup of cold water to one of these little ones to drink because the little one is a disciple—Amen, I say to you, he will surely not lose his reward.”

This past month, through your gifts, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul was able to “acknowledge the goodness of the Father” by assisting nine families, providing \$3,136.39 in gifts, for utilities, rent bills and gas for appointments.

Thank you.

Bucket Raffle Time!!

We are still in need of prizes for our bucket raffle at Big Foot Days. We will take donations thru next Sunday, July 5th. The second is Harvest Festival – August 8th with donations by July 26th. Items should be a minimum of \$50 in value. Monetary donations will also be accepted. Contact Pat Engen 218-566-2430. Funds from the raffles goes to the St. Paul's Ladies Council.

PS... We are also seeking volunteers for the pancake breakfast Saturday morning of Big Foot Days. Sign-up sheet is posted by the kitchen counter. Funds from this event goes to the Building Fund.



Sunday Coffee

We would love to see new faces in the kitchen for Sunday Coffee at both Saint Edward's and Saint Paul's. This ministry is an important part of our churches. Current coffee hosts are willing to help you learn the ropes!



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:
218-363-2799

First Friday Mass

St. Edward's

Adoration 7:30 AM Rosary 8 AM

Benediction & Mass 8:30 AM

First Saturday Mass

St. Edward's

Rosary 8 AM - Mass 8:30 AM

Home Visitors Ministry

We 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 @ 763-258-6281

Saint Edward's & Saint Paul's

Saturday Mass 4 PM @ **S.Ed**
 Sunday Masses 8:30 AM @ **S.Ed**
 10:30 AM @ **S.P**

July 2026

St. Edward's = **S.Ed**
 Saint Paul's = **S.P**

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
28	29 Daily Mass 10 AM @ S.P SAIL 10 AM @ S.Ed	30	July 1 Daily Mass 8:30 AM @ S.Ed	2 Daily Mass 8:30 AM @ S.Ed Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 9AM-7 PM @ S.P SAIL 10 AM @ S.Ed Men's Group 5 PM @ S.P	3 First Friday Mass 8:30 AM @ S.Ed Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 9AM - 10 PM @ S.Ed One hour only	4 First Saturday Mass 8:30 AM @ S.Ed 
5	6 Daily Mass 10 AM @ S.P SAIL 10 AM @ S.Ed	7 SVdP 1 PM @ S.Ed	8 Daily Mass 8:30 AM @ S.Ed Women's Council MTG 9AM @ S.Ed	9 Daily Mass 8:30 AM @ S.Ed SAIL 10 AM @ S.Ed Men's Group 5 PM @ S.P	10 Daily Mass 8:30 AM @ S.Ed Adoration of the Mary Group 9 AM @ S.Ed	11 S.P Ladie's Council Bucket Raffle @ Big Foot Days
12	13 Daily Mass 10 AM @ S.P SAIL 10 AM @ S.Ed	14 LAWOT @ S.Ed	15 Daily Mass 8:30 AM @ S.Ed	16 Daily Mass 8:30 AM @ S.Ed SAIL 10 AM @ S.Ed Men's Group 5 PM @ S.P	17 Daily Mass 8:30 AM @ S.Ed	18

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FATHER	FIND	FOLLOW
GIVES	LIFE	LITTLE
LOSE	LOVES	MORE
MOTHER	PROPHET	RECEIVE
REWARD	RIGHTEOUS	SAKE
SENT	TAKE	TRULY

St. Edward's Collection June 15 - 21, 2026

Envelopes \$ 1,712.50
 Plate \$ 777.52
 Ministries Appeal \$ 280.00
 Father's Day Match \$ 1,826.29

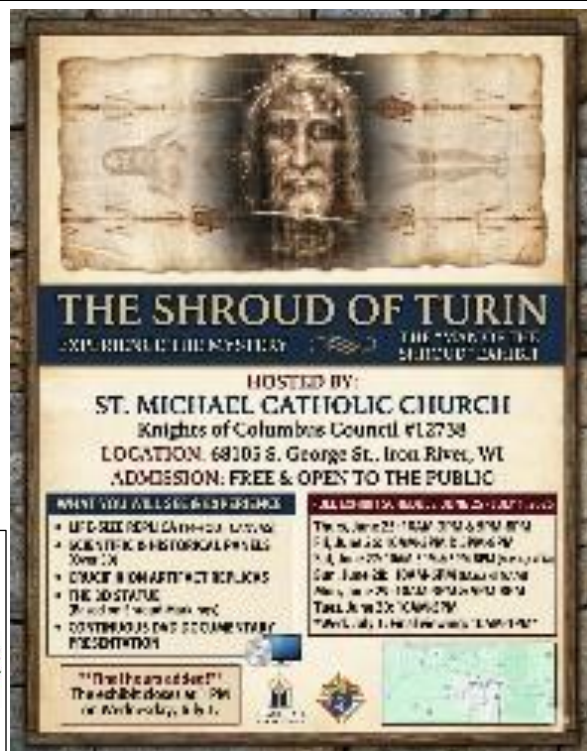
St. Paul Collection June 15 - 21, 2026

Envelopes \$ 923.00
 Plate \$ 93.00
 Building Fund \$ 120.00
 Grotto \$ 50.00
 Ministries Appeal \$ 20.00
 Father's Day Match \$ 1,987.00

SAINT EDWARD'S FLOWER FUND

If you are interested in ordering flowers in memory of a loved one, look for donation envelopes /information by the entrances.

Questions? Contact Mary Ellen
 @ 815-508-9217



CCC 2008 The merit of man before God in the Christian life arises from the fact that God has freely chosen to associate man with the work of His grace. The fatherly action of God is first on his own initiative, and then follows man's free acting through his collaboration, so that *the merit of good works is to be attributed in the first place to the grace of God*, then to the faithful. *Man's merit, moreover, itself is due to God*, for his good actions proceed in Christ, from the predispositions and assistance given by the Holy Spirit. (306; 155; 970)

2010 Since the initiative belongs to God in the order of grace, *no one can merit the initial grace* of forgiveness and justification, at the beginning of conversion. Moved [first] by the Holy Spirit and by charity, *we can then merit* for ourselves and for others the graces needed for our sanctification, for the increase of grace and charity, and for the attainment of eternal life. Even temporal goods like health and friendship can be merited in accordance with God's wisdom. These graces and goods are the object of Christian prayer. Prayer attends to the grace we need for meritorious actions. (1998)

This Catholic understanding of free grace and human merit, is the only way that we can understand the words of Our Lord in the gospels about being 'worthy' or 'unworthy', reward or punishment. It is not either/or. It is neither God's grace does all (Protestantism); nor human works does all, or even most (Pelagianism); *it is both: free grace and hard work!* We should pray for a good harvest, but keep on hoeing. Remember: St. Paul said [Acts 14:22] that it is only through many tribulations that we will be able to enter into the Kingdom of God. Hence, Our Lord can say, "...*whoever does not take up his cross and follow after Me is not worthy of Me*". We receive the free sanctifying grace of God as a starting point which *then* enables us to carry our crosses in life to obtain salvation.

So let us, by the grace of God, make wise virtuous choices so that Our Lord will one day call us "worthy", and say to us...

"Come, you who are blessed by My Father. Inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world. For I was hungry and you gave Me food, I was thirsty and you gave Me drink, a stranger and you welcomed Me, naked and you clothed Me, ill and you cared for Me, in prison and you visited Me." Mt 25:34

• **Fr. T. DEUTSCH**

For Sale

16' Lund fishing boat
25 Johnson Sea Horse motor
and Shoreland'r trailer.

Contact the parish office for more information.



Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament occurs on Fridays from 9 AM until 1 PM at St. Edward's. It is a one-hour commitment. We are in need of a person/s who can fill the Noon to 1 PM time slot. We are also trying to have a list of subs available.

Come sit in quiet with our Lord Jesus!

Contact the parish office if you are interested.



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.

Circle One: **Saint Edward's** **Saint Paul's**

☐ New Registration ☐ Update Registration Date: _____
Name _____

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Email _____ / _____

Second Annual
CATHOLIC MEN'S
CONFERENCE

August 22nd, 2026
7:30am Registration
9:00am Conference begins

Tornstrom Auditorium
804 Oak St.
Brainerd, MN 56401



Deacon Arthur Miller

Deacon Miller has held significant positions, including director of the now-closed Archdiocese of Hartford's Office for Black Catholic Ministries and Catholic chaplain at Hartford's Capital Community College.

He is active nationally as a preacher, spiritual director, mentor to former gang members, and worker with homeless women through Deacon Arthur Miller Ministries.

Miller emphasizes action over rhetoric in confronting racism, advocating for public engagement and community-based initiatives.

He is also a speaker, author, and media host. His 2005 book, *The Journey to Chatham: Why Emmett Till's Murder Changed America*, recounts his personal experiences growing up alongside Emmett Till and the ensuing civil rights struggle.

Throughout his career, he has addressed audiences across the U.S. on faith, social justice, and the principle of "Radical Love," drawing connections between historical and contemporary racial injustices.



Bishop Daniel Feltus, Diocese of Duluth

We are honored to welcome Bishop Daniel Feltus, who will open the conference at 9:00 am with a special address and conclude the day by celebrating Holy Mass. Join us as we gather in faith, fellowship, and prayer under his pastoral leadership.



Deacon Chad Kinsdon

Deacon Chad is a newly ordained Deacon for the Diocese of Duluth. He has a remarkable conversion story that is sure to inspire and encourage all who hear it. A devoted Catholic, husband, and father of three, he and his family are actively living out their faith each day. This is a presentation you won't want to miss.



Jim Sirost

Join us as Jim shares his inspiring story and the many blessings he has experienced through his ministry with those who are incarcerated. As the founder of the Incarcerated Encounter Christ (IEC) Program, Jim has dedicated his life to bringing hope, faith, and the love of Christ to men and women behind prison walls. His powerful testimony and firsthand experiences offer a moving look at how lives can be transformed through God's grace.

Registration

General Admission \$40 Students, Deacons, Seminarians \$20 Priests are Free	Scan the QR code for tickets and for more information, or go to eventbrite.com and search "Knights of Columbus"
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A light breakfast, including coffee, juice, and donuts, will be available. A box lunch with pop and water is included.