Saint Edward's & Saint Paul's

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

June 2025

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
8 Pentecost	9 NO Daily Mass NO Adoration SAIL ** Changed to 9 AM ** @ S. Ed BLOOD DRIVE 11;30am—5:30 pm @ S.Ed Commital Service Betty Reynolds 1 PM @ Longville Cemetery	Women of Today MTG 5:30 PM @ S.Ed	Women's Council MTG 9 AM @ S.Ed	SAIL 10 AM @ S.Ed Men's Group 5 PM @ S.P	13	14
Most Holy Trinity HAPPY FATHERS — DAY—	10 Communion Service 8:30 AM @ S.Ed 10 AM @ S.P Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 9 A-1 PM @ S.Ed SAILS 10 AM @ S.Ed	17 SVdP 1 PM @ S.Ed	18	SAIL 10 AM @ S.Ed Men's Group 5 PM @ S.P	20 Mary Group Bible Study 9 AM @ S.Ed	21
22	Daily Mass 8:30 AM @ S.Ed 10 AM @ S.P Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 9 A-2 PM @ S.Ed SAIL 10 AM @ S. Ed	24	25	26 SAIL 10 AM @ S.Ed Men's Group 5 PM @ S.P	27	28

The Spiritus Sanctus Fraternity

Invites you to the Secular Franciscan Profession of

Dcn. James Clack, ofs; Connie Friebohle, ofs

Russ Friebohle, ofs; and Michael Quast, ofs

On Thursday, June 26, 2025

At

St. Francis of Assisi Church

404 9th St North Brainerd, MN 56401

5:30 Mass with Reception to follow

Celebrant: Bishop Daniel Felton

Please RSVP to M. Schrader 251-7650 or E. Reagan 820-9220 by June 15th

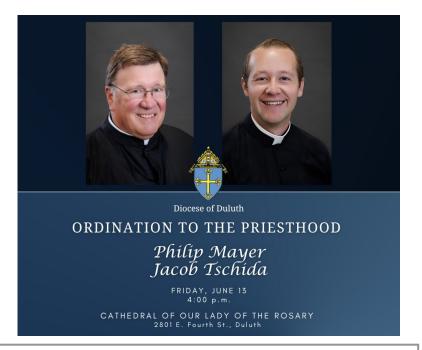
New Trustees at Saint Edward's

New trustee's for Saint Edward's have been appointed and approved by the Diocese of Duluth on May 20, 2025 by Bishop Daniel Felton.

After four years as the Treasurer Trustee, Jim Carey has resigned due to health issues and has moved back to the cities. Pat Boen will step into this position from being a Finance Council member.

Since 2004 Phyllis Eck has been the Secretary Trustee. Her valuable knowledge with having several different administrators has been an asset to this church. Phyllis will stay on the Finance council as a regular member. Mike Laak will become the new Secretary Trustee. Congratulations and welcome to both Pat Boen and Mike Laak in their new roles for Saint Edwards.





BLOOD DRIVE

Announcing the 2nd of Longville's 4 Blood Drives, held each year, sponsored by the Longville Lions. This drive is on June 9 at St. Edward's Catholic Church, from 11:30 to 5:30. Please call or text Pat Boen at 218-838-4202 for more information. We have a very loyal cadre of donors who have supported us for many years now, and we appreciate them like crazy, but we always have room for more!!

WHY DO WE DO THAT? - CATHOLIC LIFE EXPLAINED

Lectio Divina

Question: What is Lectio Divina, and how is it associated with the Benedictine Monastic tradition, whose founder, St. Benedict, we honor on July 11?

Answer: Benedict desired his monks to live in community, praying the Liturgy of the Hours together, contemplating sacred texts, and doing manual labor. The monks developed a technique to facilitate a spiritual and devotional reading of the Bible known as Lectio Divina, the holy reading of a text. This method encourages the reader to hear the biblical text with an open heart and focus on whatever God wants to highlight and then apply it to daily life.

There are variations on Lectio Divina, but essentially, the technique consists of a three-step process of reflection. When the reflection is done with a group, the responses are shared by all the participants. Once the text is selected, it is read meditatively, and the following are then explored: a word or phrase that attracts you; how and where the content of this reading touches your life today; what you believe that God wants you to do during this coming week (month, year, lifetime).

Thanks to Benedict, the Christian community has been gifted with this special way of entering into the biblical text. This week, use the Lectio Divina process on one of the readings for the coming Sunday and make a note of the life connections you are making. How is this reflection on the biblical text drawing you closer to God and others?

If you have a milestone Birthday or Anniversary date you would like announced in the bulletin, please let us know at the Parish office.

Saint Edward's will be taking Bids for Lawn Care and/or Snow Removal for the Fiscal Year July 1, 2025 through June 30, 2026.
Please contact Deacon Jim Clack for more information and/or to submit a bid.

Flowers at Saint Edwards ...

If you would like to honor a loved one with flowers you can may order flowers through the Women's Council of Saint Edward's. Look for information on the bulletin board in the hallway entry to church.



Hope Takes Flight Butterfly Release Memorial

The Women's Council of Saint Edward's has donated for 10 butterflies fin memory of those members who have passed away and 10 butterflies in honor of members of Saint Edward's.

This event will happen on June 26, 2025 Lutheran Church of the Cross 5064 County Road 13 Nisswa, MN

If you want more information to donate or to witness this event, please see the flyer posted. Sponsored by Good Samaritan Hospice

Mary Group Bible Study

The Women's Bible Study at Saint Edward's has decided to do the *Gospel of John* as their next study. We encourage any woman to join this wonderful group of women in a structured study. We generally meet two Fridays a month from 9-11AM with Rosary available before each study. For more information, please contact the parish office.

Prayer of Christian Unity

Help us to be one, Lord Jesus,
as you prayed to the Father.
Gather us all to you, diverse in culture, gift,
call, way of life, and perspective.
May the love we have for you overflow into the
love we have for each other.
Amen.



HELP is NEEDED

We are looking for people to take a turn at leading the Rosary at both the 4 PM and/or 8:30 AM masses at St. Edward's.

Please see Janice Prucha if you can help.