Saint Edward's & Saint Paul's

Saturday Mass 4 PM @ S.Ed Sunday Masses 8.30 AM @ S.Ed 10:30 AM @ S.P

September 2025

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

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Anniversary Blessing Kevin & Karla Tschida @ S.P	Daily Mass 8:30 AM @ S.Ed 10 AM @ S.P Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 9 AM - 1PM @ S.Ed SAIL 10 AM @ S. Ed	23	24	SAIL 10 AM @ S.Ed Men's Group 5 PM @ S.P	26	Anniversary Blessing Dan & Pam Bye @ S.Ed
28	29 Daily Mass 8:30 AM @ S.Ed 10 AM @ S.P Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 9 AM - 1PM @ S.Ed SAIL 10 AM @ S. Ed	30 Special SVdP MTG. 1 PM @ S.P	October 1	2 Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 9AM-7 PM @ S.P SAIL 10 AM @ S.Ed Men's Group 5 PM @ S.P	3 Adoration 7:30 AM FIRST FRIDAY MASS 8:30 AM @ S.Ed Mary GROUP 9 AM @ S.Ed	4 FIRST SATURDAY MASS 8:30 AM @ S.Ed
5 Ladies Council MTG following Mass @ S.P	6 Daily Mass 8:30 AM @ S.Ed 10 AM @ S.P Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 9 AM - 1PM @ S.Ed SAIL 10 AM @ S. Ed	7 SVdP 1 PM @ S.P	8 Women's Council MTG 9 AM @ S.Ed	9 SAIL 10 AM @ S.Ed Men's Group 5 PM @ S.P	10	11

Hold your BAGS!!!!!

We are temporarily suspending the collection of BAGS for *Bags for Benches*. Cub Foods has closed in Brainerd, and we are looking for a new drop-off facility.



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 Mem	ber Registration	Update Registration
Name		
Address		
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Anniversary Blessing

Please congratulate Milo and Jeanne Stefan members of Saint Paul's on their

69thWedding Anniversary this coming Monday.



Anniversary Blessing

Please congratulate Dan and Pam Bye on their **42rd Wedding Anniversary** next weekend at Saint Edward's on Saturday.





RUN FOR the son

ALK OR RUN 5K, 10K and KIDS DASH **GOODIE BAG FOR ALL REGISTERED RUNNERS** MEDALS FOR ALL AGE GROUPS & DIVISIONS

REGISTRATION START: 7:00 AM **RACE START TIME: 8:30 AM**

EARLY REGISTRATION: \$30 5K, \$35 10K, \$10 DASH

St. Andrew's Catholic Church | 1108 Willow St, Brainerd, MN 56401

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Anniversary Mass and Dinner

Couples from the Diocese of Duluth celebrating the anniversary milestones of 5,10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50, and 55 years or more are invited to our annual Anniversary Mass and Dinner on Oct. 18, 2025. Mass will be at 4:30 p.m. with Bishop Felton, with dinner to follow at:

> St. Joseph Church 315 SW 21st Street Grand Rapids, MN 55744

All are welcome at Mass, but dinner is limited to the first 50 couples who reserve a space. The dinner will be free for the celebrating couples. Registration ends Oct. 1st. Register at www.dioceseduluth.org.

ST. EDWARD'S FLOWER FUND

If you are interested in ordering flowers in memory of a loved one, to beautify the church or for a special occasion, please check the bulletin board in the hallway for directions.

Questions? Contact Mary Ellen at (815) 508-9217.

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 - The Saint Edward's and Saint Paul's group needs several new prayer women as several have moved.

Contact Paula Justen @ 218-831-2476 Please leave a message

For more information check out the website: Sevensistersapostolate.org

WHY DO WE DO THAT? - CATHOLIC LIFE EXPLAINED Fish on Friday

Question: Why do Catholics eat fish on Friday?

Answer: For centuries, meatless Fridays were the norm for Catholics throughout the world. Friday was chosen because that was the day on which Jesus died, and Christians wanted to find a way to honor that day with special prayers and acts of penance and self-denial. The practice of abstaining from meat on Fridays — under pain of sin grew out of that desire, and it became an official part of Church teaching until the time of the Second Vatican Council.

In the 1960s, there was a shift in the Church's thinking, in large part because there was a recognition that differences in cultures and economic realities meant that eating or not eating meat had different meanings for different peoples. For example, in cultures that were largely dependent on seafood or a vegetarian diet, abstaining from meat was no sacrifice at all. While in other places, eating fish and other kinds of seafood was actually something rare and special and not a sacrifice. This was all part of a basic reflection on "why we do what we do" among the Church's pastors.

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

St. Edward's Collection September 8 - 14, 2025

Envelopes \$ 2.391.00 Plate \$ 325.00 Ministries Appeal \$ 952.00 90.00 Home Missions

The year-end financial report for fiscal year 2025 (7/1/20 to 6/30/25) is available at the entrances to church.

Rosary Leaders

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 at Mass or call the parish office if you can help.

Saint Paul's Collection September 8 - 14, 2025

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I	Envelopes	\$	449.00
I	Plate	\$	74.00
I	Ministries Appe	al\$	74.00
I	World Missions	\$	10.00
I	Home Missions	\$	315.00
I	Building Fund	\$	20.00

SAIL

Stay Active and Independent for Life

Meets every Monday and Thursday from 10-11 AM at Saint Edward's, to exercise to music and enjoy the benefits of low impact chair exercise. There is no cost to you.

