



# Good Teacher Area Faith Community St. Edward & St. Eloi Catholic Church



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## Sunday, April 3, 2022 The Fifth Sunday of Lent

### Monday, April 4

12:00 pm Mass at St. Eloi Convent (Presider's Intention)

### Tuesday, April 5

12:00 pm Mass at St. Eloi Convent (Vin & Judy Bot & Pam Haukom)  
3:00 pm Mass at the apartments (Bill & Dorothy Stake)

### Wednesday, April 6

10:30 am Mass at St. Edward – Gr. 3 & 4 (Marian Dau)  
• 10:00 am Confession before Mass  
12:00 pm Mass at St. Eloi Convent (Greg & Scott Kesteloot)  
5:30 pm RE for Grades 1-5  
6:30 pm RE for Grades 6-11  
6:30 pm Adoration Holy Hour  
8:00 pm Teen Talk

### Thursday, April 7

7:00 am Mass at St. Edward Cancelled due to Chrism Mass  
in New Ulm at the Cathedral – 7:00 pm – All are welcome!  
12:00 pm Mass at St. Eloi Convent (Colleen Hoekstra)  
5:00 – 7:00 pm Adoration at St. Edward

### Friday, April 8

12:00 pm Mass at St. Eloi Convent  
(Clarence & Marie Baune & deceased family members)  
2:30 pm Living Stations of the Cross at St. Edward  
4:30 – 7:00 pm Fish Fry at St. Edward  
7:00 pm Living Stations of the Cross at St. Edward  
6:00 – 9:00 pm Eucharistic Miracle Exhibit at St. Eloi

### Saturday, April 9

9:00 am – 5:00 pm Eucharistic Miracle Exhibit at St. Eloi  
12:00 pm Mass at St. Eloi Convent (Sr. Roselle Zollar)  
5:30 pm Mass at St. Edward (For the People)  
• 4:45 pm Confession before Mass

### Sunday, April 10

8:30 am Mass at St. Edward (Merlin Schmidt)  
• 8:00 am Confession before Mass  
9:00 am – 2:00 pm Eucharistic Miracle Exhibit at St. Eloi  
9:30 am Sunday FIRE  
10:30 am Mass at St. Eloi (Jane Hennen)  
• 10:00 am Confession before Mass

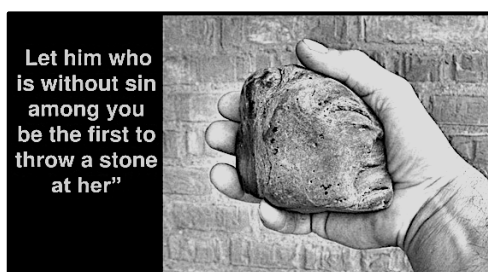
Dear Parishioners,

This last week we settled most of the estate for my mom. As suspected, there was no estate left after the funeral expenses. Thanks to many memorial gifts and insurance, what is left unpaid is minimal (under \$1500). We will need to work with the hospital and clinic to settle their accounts, but from what I am told, we are not financially responsible for the bills if there was not enough for a modest funeral. Thank you for your support and prayers. While I will continue to grieve and have it hit at random times, I also know that we have honored her well and entrust her to our loving Savior.

As I see the egg shelf bare, I am certain that my Mom would have been upset. The egg is a sign of new life and hope. A friend wrote a book based on the legend of the Easter Egg – according to a tradition, Joseph of Arimathea was bringing eggs into Jerusalem when he was forced into service to carry the cross of Jesus. Mom loved coloring Easter eggs, even though her youngest grandchild is 15 already. Every year, Mom would hard boil a couple dozen, and assure that there were deviled eggs on the Easter table. But she would also color raw eggs, attempting to be careful to keep them separate. All the same, there were a few surprises. Cracking an egg after she had colored them was always 'fun' – would the hoped-for hard-boiled egg end up running through our fingers, or would we have to eat a hard-boiled egg instead of making scrambled eggs? I will miss that little thing.

Next week is Holy Week already. I love the various liturgies, and hope that many will come and worship our Lord who gave Himself to us for our salvation. Our Sunday Fire is about the Triduum – the three sacred days of Holy Thursday through Easter Sunday.

In Christ,  
Fr. Todd



## ST. ELOI

	ACTUAL	BUDGETED	DIFFERENCE
Adult	\$1,875.00	\$2,110.26	(\$235.26)
Loose	\$69.00	\$146.15	(\$77.15)
Commodity	\$		\$
Year-to-Date	\$85,801.29	\$87,685.09	(\$1,883.80)

## ST. ELOI LITURGY SCHEDULE

### Sunday, April 10

*Sacristan:* Cindy Nelson

*Servers:* Kate & Evan Hennen, Joseph Ries, Tyler Welsh

*Lector:* Laura Hennen, Doug Maeyaert

*Eucharistic Minister:* Darla Timmerman, Caroline Van Keulen

*Musicians:* Barb & Brad Hennen

*Offertory Gifts:* Jason & Alia Thooft Family

*Ushers:* Gary Crowley, Corey Kack, Mark Nelson

## ST. EDWARD

	ACTUAL	BUDGETED	DIFFERENCE
Adult	\$1,803.00	\$4,829.92	(\$3,026.92)
Loose	\$175.61	\$153.85	\$21.76
Commodity	\$2,500.13		
Online Giving	\$390.00	*Added to the adult envelope total	
Year-to-Date	\$204,256.43	\$195,984.93	\$8,271.50

## ST. EDWARD LITURGY SCHEDULE

### Saturday, April 9

*Sacristan:* Claren Novotny

*Servers:* Kaci & Kylie Callens, Ella Moorse

*Lector:* Tim Gossen, Nate Welsh

*Eucharistic Minister:* Jeff Buysse

*Usher:* Rod & Ross Abraham, Charlie Callens, Mike Longtin

### Sunday, April 10

*Sacristan:* Ruth Bot

*Servers:* Ian Myhre, Elizabeth Garvey

*Lector:* Ruth Bot

*Eucharistic Minister:* Tina Myhre

*Usher:* Doug Janiszkeski

## SISTERS OF MARY MORNING STAR

St. Eloi Convent Masses at 12:00 pm (Noon) on Monday,

Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday

Call 428.3919 to double-check the time.

Vespers: 6:15 pm Adoration: 7:30 – 8:30 pm

## ST. EDWARD SCHOOL NEWS

Principal: Jaci Garvey Secretary: Trudy Banks

Office: 872.6391

April 8 – Living Stations – 7:00 pm

April 14 – 18 *Easter Break* No School

Positions available – part-time music teacher for next school year; summer care teachers and aides for June, July, & August. Contact Jaci Garvey if interested.

### Sponsorship of St. Edward School

April 9 – In memory of Ed & Eleanor Finnegan

April 10 – In memory of Conrad Hennen

April 10 – In memory of Judy Hennen

April 10 – In honor of Cheryl Stensrud

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### ONE MORE TIME – THRIFT STORE

Thank you to the core team members at the Thrift Store and all the volunteers who spend countless hours running the Thrift Store efficiently.

As of March 28, the Thrift Store has brought in \$12,200 for this fiscal year. This is after all monthly bills are paid!

If you see any of these ladies, give them a pat on the back and a huge **THANK YOU!**

### ST. EDWARD CHURCH CLEANING

Church cleaning will take place on Saturday, April 2, at 9 am.

Any member (man or woman) is asked to assist.

### EUCCHARISTIC MIRACLE EXHIBIT – St. Eloi

Join us for the Eucharistic Miracle Exhibit at St. Eloi Church in Ghent, MN. This fascinating Vatican approved exhibit features details of Eucharistic miracles from over 120 countries around the world.

Display and presentations will be in the St. Eloi Church basement.

- Friday, April 8: 6 – 9 pm exhibit open; presentation at 7 pm
- Saturday, April 9: 9 am – 5 pm exhibit open; presentations at 9:30 am, 11 am, and 2 pm
- Sunday, April 10: 9 am – 2 pm exhibit open

### ONLINE GIVING UPDATE – IMPORTANT INFO!

Over the last few years, the Legacy online giving platform has been upgrading from Legacy into the new OSV Hub Giving. As part of that upgrade, St. Edward's has been issued the new URL below and everyone using online giving must update to the following link.

Please make this change so your online giving continues to reach St. Edward's.

NEW LINK: <https://osvhub.com/st-eds-church/funds>



### ST. ELOI SOUP & CHILI FEED AND SILENT AUCTION

The soup & chili feed will be held on Sunday, April 3.

Serving will be from 11:00 am – 12:30 pm. The silent auction bidding closes at 12:30.

To-go-orders may be placed in advance by calling Missy at 428.3444. Bingo will be available for the kids starting at 12:15 pm.

Please join us for some GREAT FOOD, FELLOWSHIP, & FUN while supporting the Catholic education of our St. Eloi students!

### ST. EDWARD KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS – Fish Fry

The annual Knights of Columbus Fish Fry will be held on **Friday, April 8**. Serving from 4:30 – 7 pm.

### HOSPITALITY MEAL PROGRAM

The hospitality meal program will be starting up again. If you know of someone who would benefit and appreciate a meal, please contact Marlene Polejewski (872.6042).

### ST. ELOI – Speaker System Update

Donations are still needed for the speaker system update. The system proposal has been upgraded to include speakers in the new addition and in the basement. At this time \$22,000 has been raised. The total cost is approximately \$30,000.

Please continue to donate to this essential ministry.

### CCW COLLECTION FOR FOOD SHELF

The Lenten call to almsgiving means making the needs of other people our own. During this Lenten season St. Edward Council of Catholic Women will be collecting donated nonperishable food items and/or cash for the Marshall Area Food Shelf.

Currently they are in need of tomato sauce and individual rice and potato sides packages. There will be a tote for collection in the back of the church.

PLEASE, no expired or opened items!

### OTHER INFORMATION FOR OUR AREA

#### JACKPOT BINGO – St. Leo Catholic Church

Sunday, April 3, 2022 – Warm up games at 12:30; Jackpot games at 1:30. Lunch begins at noon.

\$150 & \$300 Jackpots with 18 \$50 games  
Donations \$12

This event is sponsored by Catholic United Financial #99, St. Leo and proceeds will support Catholic Education.

#### American Cancer Society – Relay for Life Fundraiser

The "Jimmy's J Crew/Kack Attack on Cancer" Relay for Life team is holding their "Wing & Pizza Night" and bake sale fundraiser at KB's Ballroom on Monday, April 11, from 5:30 – 8:30 pm.

Team members will again be selling luminaries & goodies and waiting & busing tables with all donations, tips & wages going to the 2022 American Cancer Society Relay for Life in Lyon County. Please join us for food, fun & fundraising for the fight against cancer!

This year's Relay for Life will be held at Independence Park in Marshall on Thursday, August 18, in conjunction with Sounds of Summer. Please join us that evening as well.

#### CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS SCHOLARSHIP

The Catholic Daughters of the Americas local court St. Joan of Arc #1291 is offering a \$500 scholarship to a 2022 graduating Catholic girl who plans to continue her formal education.

Applications are available at the Holy Redeemer Parish office of from Lois Novosad, 710 N. 6<sup>th</sup> St., Marshall, MN. Call Lois at 532.5236. Completed forms, including recommendations, must be returned to Lois by April 15.

#### CCW SPRING CONVENTION – Saturday, April 30

The 61st Annual New Ulm Diocesan Council of Catholic Women will be held at Holy Redeemer in Marshall. Registration is at 7:30 am with a general assembly at 8:30 am. The theme is "Trust in His Goodness." The speakers are Angela Kenneke and Fr. Brendan Rolling. Angela Kenneke is a veteran broadcast journalist and award-winning investigative reporter. On May 16, 2018, Angela's daughter Emily, died of a fentanyl overdose. Angela has taken Emily's story nationwide and even internationally. Angela speaks tirelessly about the issues surrounding opioid addiction, a parent's frustration and sense of helplessness and tells it all from the perspective of a mother who has lost her child.

Fr. Brendan Rolling, OSB: Fr. Brendan grew up in Arco, MN. St. John Paul II inspired him at World Youth Day in Denver, CO and he joined St. Benedict's Abbey in Atchinson, KS. In 2015 Father was assigned to be a National Chaplain with the Fellowship of Catholic University Students, FOCUS, where he preaches

retreats, gives conferences and provides spiritual direction to missionaries as they pursue holiness.

Contact your CCW President – Bonnie Laleman, Parish Office or the NUDCCW website for a registration form. \$35 if registered before April 10 and \$40 after April 10. Our local CCW will pay the registration fee.

#### TEGEDER TALK –

##### Encountering the Risen Jesus in the Stranger on the Road

Dr. Arthur E Zannoni, scripture scholar and theologian, will explore Luke's most famous and challenging of the Gospel stories of Jesus' resurrection.

Does this story have a special message for our age? For a believer, what action follows acceptance of the story and belief in its implications?

April 25, 7:00 – 9:00 pm at St. Frances Cabrini Church, live and on zoom. Free but registration required for this

**Tegeder Talks** event: <https://cabrinimn.org/tegeder-talks>

#### PREDATORY SPORTS GAMBLING

Help protect Minnesotans from predatory gambling. Urge your state representative to vote NO on H.F. 778—a bill that would legalize online sports gambling for people as young as 18 years old.

Catholics should be concerned that legislators are seeking to provide an entertainment option for a privileged few, at the expense of our youth, the poor, and the vulnerable.

The Catechism of the Catholic Church (CCC 2413) states that games of chance (card games, bingo, etc.) or wagers are not in themselves contrary to justice. But it also warns that **"the passion for gambling risks becoming an enslavement," and that wagers "become morally unacceptable when they deprive someone of what is necessary to provide for his needs and those of others."**

#### SACRAMENTS OF THE CHURCH

- **Baptism, Marriage, Anointing of the Sick, Becoming Catholic** – Call the church office: 872.6346
- **Eucharist to Shut-ins:**  
St. Eloi – Sandy Nuytten 829.9690  
St. Edward – April 9 Michael Speltz 515.707.7046
- **Baptism Prep:** To set up a baptism date, call Caren at the office. Check the church website for Godparent Requirements.
- **RCIA:** If anyone is interested in joining the Catholic church or learning more about the church, contact Deacon Bruce Bot – 507.828.7012



#### PRAYER CALENDAR FOR VOCATIONS – PRIESTS, DEACONS, & SEMINARIANS

##### Monday, April 4

Fr. James Barry  
Fr. John Berger  
Dcn. Russell Blaschko  
Adam Eberhard (Sem.)

##### Wednesday, April 6

Fr. Eugene Brown  
Fr. Patrick Casey  
Dcn. Rick Christiansen  
James Herzog (Sem.)

##### Tuesday, April 5

Fr. Harry Behan  
Fr. David Breu  
Dcn. Bruce Bot  
Dcn. Nathan Hansen

##### Thursday, April 7

Fr. James Devorak  
Fr. Michael Doyle  
Dcn. Tim Dolan  
Luke Miller (Sem.)

**Friday, April 8**

Fr. Cornelius Ezeiloaku  
Fr. John Goggin  
Fr. Fred Fink  
Nolan Meyer (Sem.)

**Saturday, April 9**

Msgr. Doug Grams  
Fr. Richard Grosss  
David Rabaey (Sem.)

**Sunday, April 10**

Fr. John Hayes  
Fr. Tony Hesse  
Brent Sundve (Sem.)

*"I will set shepherds over my sheep who will care for them, and they shall fear no more, nor be dismayed." Jeremiah 23:4*

**Radio Rosary**

- Apr. 4:** In memory of Edward & Violet DeVos by Randy & Jane Fox
- Apr. 5:** In memory of Jules Noyes by Bruce & Deborah Noyes
- Apr. 6:** In memory of Duane, Daniel, & Doreen by Frances Matthys
- Apr. 7:** In memory of Lawrence Stassen by the Clarence Stassen Family
- Apr. 8:** In memory of Pete Labat by Ken & Phyllis Persoon
- Apr. 9:** In memory of Ernie Bossuyt by Bernice Bossuyt
- Apr. 10:** In memory of Martin Marthaler by Joel & Kelly Deutz

To schedule a radio rosary, call Carol Louwagie at 532.6081.

**Lenten Activities for your family ~**

**Monday, April 4**

"Walk in all the ways that I command you, so that you may prosper." Jeremiah 7:23  
**Make each step you take today one filled with love and consideration of others.**

**Tuesday, April 5**

"So they said to him, 'Who are you?'" John 8:25  
**Who is Jesus in your life? Let this question be a conversation starter about the place of Jesus in your home and family.**

**Wednesday, April 6**

"The Lord is good to all and compassionate toward all his works." Psalm 145:9  
**Practice compassion today by following the example of Jesus. Listen carefully to others and look for ways to share your love with them.**

**Thursday, April 7**

"You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind, and with all your strength." Mark 12:30  
**Share ways in which your family members show love for God with your minds, hearts, souls, and bodies.**

**Friday, April 8**

"And many there began to believe in him." John 10:42  
**Take out the intentions you wrote at the beginning of Lent and reread them. How has your faith in Jesus been strengthened during this holy season?**

**Saturday, April 9**

"Stop making my Father's house a marketplace." John 2:16  
**Talk about ways you can show respect when you are in church.**

**Sunday, April 10**

"Those preceding him as well as those following kept crying out, 'Hosanna. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.'" Mark 11:9  
**Place palm branches in a place where they will remind you to give praise to Jesus Christ each day this week.**

Resource: www.SadlierReligion.com

**TRIDUUM MASS AND SERVICE SCHEDULE**

**April 14 – Holy Thursday**

7:00 pm – Mass of the Lord's Supper – St. Eloi

**April 15 – Good Friday**

3:00 pm – Service at St. Eloi  
6:00 pm – Service at St. Edward

**April 16 – Easter Vigil**

8:30 pm – Mass at St. Edward

**April 17 – Easter Sunday**

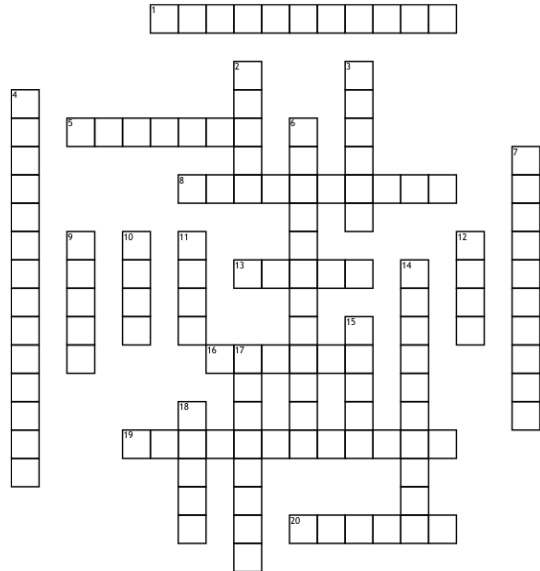
8:30 am – Mass at St. Edward  
10:30 am – Mass at St. Eloi

**Lenten Word Search**

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- ASHES
- PENANCE
- GOOD FRIDAY
- GIVING
- CROSS
- FORTY
- PREPARE
- HOLY WEEK
- FORGIVENESS
- FISH
- PRAYER
- PURPLE
- SACRIFICE
- SEASON
- FASTING
- STATIONS

**Lenten Season**



**Across**

- 1. What comes after Lent (2 words no space)
- 5. What is often practiced by individuals during the Lenten Season?
- 8. Holy week begins with? (2 words no space)
- 13. How many Days are observed in Lent? (Not including Sundays)
- 16. Lent is "a time to reflect upon baptism, a time for rebirth and renewal in preparation for the celebration of \_\_\_\_\_."
- 19. What is the first day of Lent? (2 words no spaces)
- 20. What is the "Color" of the Lent Season?

**Down**

- 2. The day before Easter is called Easter \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. The word Lent means \_\_\_\_\_
- 4. On this night, Jesus instituted "a memorial" of his Passion in the Lord's Supper. (2 words no space)
- 6. Easter is the day acknowledging Christ's \_\_\_\_\_ (2 words no space)
- 7. The day of Christ's Crucifixion. (2 words no space)
- 9. The color representing Good Friday is?

- 10. "Remember: You are \_\_\_\_\_ and to \_\_\_\_\_ you shall return" (one word)
- 11. Ashes come from \_\_\_\_\_(s) that were blessed on \_\_\_\_\_ Sunday the year before
- 12. Sundays are "in" Lent but not "of" it. How many are there?
- 14. Lent is the season of \_\_\_\_\_
- 15. What is Drawn on your forehead by Pastor on Ash Wednesday?
- 17. What word is not said during the Lenten Season?
- 18. The Triduum consists on \_\_\_\_\_ days.