

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

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Monday - Thursday (for the summer)

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Catholic Charities: 1.866.670.5163 Victim's Hotline: 1.800.422.4453 Facebook: One More Time Thrift Store

Sunday, August 6, 2023 The Transfiguration of the Lord

Monday, August 7

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

Tuesday, August 8

12:00 pm Mass at Convent (Presider's Intention) 3:00 pm Mass at Madison Ave. Apt. (Marian Sarbaum)

Wednesday, August 9

 No Mass in Minneota 12:00 pm Mass at Convent (Presider's Intention)

Thursday, August 10

7:00 am Mass at St. Edward (Larry VanHecke)

• 6:30 am Confession before Mass

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

5:00 - 7:00 pm Adoration at St. Edward

Friday, August 11

12:00 pm Mass at Convent (Deceased family of Gary & Sandy Nuytten)

Saturday, August 12

12:00 pm Mass at St. Eloi Convent (Bob & Florence Determan) 5:30 pm Mass at St. Edward (Harold Buysse)

• 4:45 pm Confession before Mass

Sunday, August 13

8:30 am Mass at St. Edward (Special Intention)

- 8:00 am Confession before Mass
- 10:30 am Mass at St. Eloi (Arnold & Emma Hennen)
- 10:00 am Confession before Mass

Dear Parishioners,

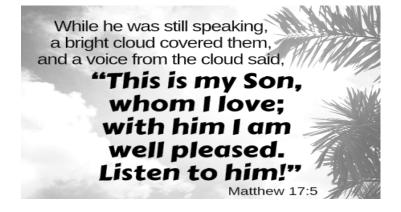
Happy Feast of the Transfiguration. This feast is celebrated August 6, and it is celebrated and trumps Sundays of Ordinary Time. It, of course, commemorates the Transfiguration when our Lord allowed the apostles Peter, James, and John to have a glimpse of His

What they saw perhaps helped them to endure the scandal of the cross. Perhaps St. John could stay at the foot of the cross knowing that the Lord was God. Perhaps St. Peter could return to the Lord after realizing the cross was not to destroy Him. Perhaps St. James understood that the glory he glimpsed on the mount was to be seen as he gave his life as the first apostle martyr. While we did not witness the Transfiguration, but we can still learn its lesson: Christ is God.

Lately, we have been asked to clarify our mailing addresses. All mail for both parishes and school should be 408 N. Washington, Minneota, MN 56264. My personal mail can go to 409 N. Adams. Please update all addresses with these changes. This will ensure that your mail gets to the office.

Next Tuesday is the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. It is a Holy Day of Obligation. We will have a 5:30 pm Mass at St. Eloi next Monday, August 14, and at St. Edward on Tuesday, August 15. We will also have a noon Mass at the convent as typical. Please know, too, that the Area Faith Community calendar can be found online on the home page of www.goodteacherafc.com and https://www.goodteacherafc.com/calendar. In Christ,

Fr. Todd



ST. ELOI

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|--------------|------------|-------------|--------------|--|--|
| Adult | \$575.00 | \$2,110.26 | (\$1,535.26) | | |
| Loose | \$453.53 | \$146.15 | \$307.38 | | |
| Commodity | | | | | |
| Year-to-Date | \$9,157.49 | \$10,408.69 | (\$1,251.20) | | |

ST. ELOI LITURGY SCHEDULE

Sunday, August 13
Sacristan: Cindy Nelson
Servers: Xavier & Mark Rabaey
Lector: Monica Senden

Eucharistic Ministers: Monica Senden, Corissa Van Keulen

Musicians: Barb & Brad Hennen Offertory Gifts: Ernie Hennen

Ushers: Mike DeSutter, Mike Monnet, Brian Timmerman

ST. EDWARD

| | ACTUAL | BUDGETED | DIFFERENCE | | |
|---------------|-------------|------------------------------------|--------------|--|--|
| Adult | \$2,306.00 | \$4,829.92 (\$2,523.93 | | | |
| Loose | \$154.00 | \$153.85 | \$.15 | | |
| Online Giving | \$460.00 | *Added to the adult envelope total | | | |
| Commodity | | | | | |
| Year-to-Date | \$18,716.16 | \$24,328.59 | (\$5,612.43) | | |

ST. EDWARD LITURGY SCHEDULE

Saturday, August 12

Sacristan: Claren Novotny

Servers: Lydia & Leah Coequyt, Talia Fier

Lector: Claren Novotny

Eucharistic Minister: Fred Rabaey

Ushers: Rod & Ross Abraham, Mike Longtin, Bruce Novotny

Sunday, August 13 Sacristan: Fran Sturm

Servers: Klee, Mariah, & Jacob Loyson

Lector: Teresa Myhre
Eucharistic Minister: Neal Bot
Usher: John Sumerfelt

ST. EDWARD SCHOOL NEWS

Principal: Jaci Garvey Secretary: Trudy Banks igarvey@stedscatholicschool.com Office: 872.6391

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY at St. Edward's PE/Health Teacher for PreK-8, part-time (.5)

This position could be combined with other open positions to create a full-time position which would lead to a benefit package including health & life insurance, paid time off, meals, and more.

Minimum requirements: Bachelor's degree with a bachelor's degree in PE/Health Education with Minnesota licensure preferred.

If interested send a cover letter, resume, copy of MN teaching license (if applicable) and two letters of recommendation to Jaci Garvey, Principal; St. Edward School; 210 W. 4th St.; Minneota, MN 56264 or email jgarvey@stedscatholicschool.com Phone: 872.6391

<u>Pre-school Teacher</u> – We are looking for applications for a full or part-time children's house guide for 2023-2024.

Requirements: Associate's Degree in Early Childhood Education and six months related experience; or, a Bachelor's Degree in Early Childhood Education or equivalent or Montessori Certification.

All applicants must be willing to be educated in the Montessori philosophy and methodology and have the ability and dedication to practice the key concepts.

Send a letter of interest, resume, and two references by mail or email to Jaci Garvey, St. Edward School, 210 W 4th St, Minneota, MN 56264 or www.stedscatholicschool.com.

SISTERS OF MARY MORNING STAR

St. Eloi Convent Masses at 12:00 pm (Noon)
Call 428.3919 to double-check Mass time.

Vespers: 5:45 pm (Monday – Friday) 6:00 pm (Sunday) Adoration: 6:15 – 8:15 pm (Monday – Thursday) 6:15 – 7:30 pm (Friday) Rosary: 7:15 pm (Friday) Eucharistic Adoration: 5:00 – 8:15 pm (Sunday)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SYMPATHY FROM OUR PARISH

Prayers to the family of Richard J. Bot who passed away on Tuesday, August 1. His funeral will be held on Wednesday, August 9, at 11 am in St. Eloi.

"Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff shall comfort me." Psalm 23:4

ROSARY INTENTIONS FOR AUGUST

- ⊕ For pray for the leaders of our nations to be guided by the Holy Spirit
- ♣ For an increase in vocations to the priesthood and religious life

HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION PLUS A MEAL!

There will be a Vigil Mass at St. Eloi for the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary on Monday, August 14, at 5:30 pm. Following Mass there will be a pork chop meal (or hotdogs) in the church basement.

Free will offering – come and join the fun!

EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL

The United States Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB) has launched a three-year long Eucharistic Revival. The revival is to foster deeper faith, proclaim the gospel, evangelize all people, empower Christians, and embrace Christ.

We are to encounter others, bring them to Jesus in the Eucharist, preach the truth about the Eucharist and send them on a mission to bring Jesus to the world.

The Diocese of New Ulm has embraced the Eucharistic Revival. All Catholics will be given the opportunity to be involved in the process. Our Good Teacher Area Faith Community is looking for "Core Team Leaders" to lead the process in our parishes. If you are looking for an opportunity to bring the love of Jesus in the Eucharist to others, please prayerfully consider joining the "Core Team."

Contact Deacon Jason Myhre, Deacon Bruce Bot or Caren at the office if you are interested or have questions.

(Phone numbers are on the front page of the bulletin.)

ST. EDWARD SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM

The community surrounding St. Edward School is amazing at providing fresh fruits and vegetables for our children.

Mrs. Moorse is wonderful about making these last as far into the year as possible. With the new food regulations, we are wondering if some of our farm families would be willing to help us with meat. We have received grant monies to help with the costs involved.

Please reach out to Mrs. Garvey at 872-6391 if you are interested in learning more.

FALL FESTIVAL CARNIVAL

The Fall Festival is quickly approaching. The carnival will run the same way it did last year. Wrist bands will be available for purchase to allow the youth to play many of the games as unlimited play. They will then earn tickets to put into buckets for drawings for larger prizes.

We are looking for donations of prizes for youth \$10-\$25 to use for these drawings. The cake walk and the wishing well will continue to be separate from the wrist band games.

If you have any questions, please feel free to call Colleen Ludwikowski at 507.401.0044. Thank you in advance for your support.

YEAR OF WINNING

Week 37 – Congratulations! The winner is ... Barbie Thomsen



AREA ANNOUNCEMENTS

POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION - AUGUST

For World Youth Day ~

We pray the World Youth Day in Lisbon will help young people to live and witness the Gospel in their own lives.

https://popesprayerusa.net/2022/02/14/pope-francis-reveals-2023prayer-intentions/



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 August 12 Travis Welsh 829.0986
- 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, August 7

Fr. Michael Doyle Fr. Cornelius Ezeiloaku Dcn. Tim Dolan Matt Wood (Sem.)

Wednesday, August 9

Fr. Nathan Hansen Fr. Tony Hesse Fr. John Hayes Nolan Meyer (Sem.)

Friday, August 11

Fr. Jeremy Kucera Fr. Denny Labat Brent Sundve (Sem.)

Sunday, August 13

Fr. Brian Mandel Fr. Jerry Meidl Dcn. Tony Grack Matt Wood (Sem.)

Tuesday, August 8

Fr. Fred Fink Msgr. Doug Grams Fr. John Goggin Lucas Baker (Sem.)

Thursday, August 10

Fr. Jeff Horejsi Fr. Ron Huberty David Rabaey (Sem.)

Saturday, August 12

Msgr. Eugene Lozinski Fr. Mark Mallak Noah U'Ren Sem.)

"Whatever you do, work heartily, as for the Lord and not for men." Colossians 3:23

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Eucharistic Revival Prayer

Most Reverend José H. Gomez Archbishop of Los Angeles

Heavenly Father,

We thank you for the gift of your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, who promised to stay with us always, until the end of the age.

Reawaken our wonder at His presence in the Most Holy Eucharist. May our hearts burn within us as He opens the Scriptures and breaks the bread.

Give us the eyes of faith to recognize His presence in our brothers and sisters, especially in the face of the poor and the suffering.

Nourished by the Eucharist, send us forth to walk faithfully as missionary disciples, proclaiming the Gospel to every heart and extending Your kingdom to every land.

We ask this through Christ our Lord.

Amen.