



ST. ELIZABETH - ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISH WILMINGTON, DELAWARE

PARISH ESTABLISHED 1908 • CHURCH DEDICATED 1947

THE SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST



*June 22nd
2025*



*Tantum ergo
Sacramentum
veneremur cernui*

"Let us fall down in
adoration of so great a
sacrament".

"Today the Church shows the world the Corpus Christi - the Body of Christ. And she invites us to adore him: Venite adoremus - Come let us adore him. ... We are nourished with this bread to become authentic witnesses of the Gospel. We need this bread to grow in love, the necessary means for us to recognize the face of Christ in the faces of our brothers and sisters." + *St. John Paul II, Homily 14 June 2001*

MASS SCHEDULE

PARISH OFFICE - MON., TUES., WED. - 1030AM - 230PM

SAT. VIGIL

4:00 PM

MONDAY 12:15 PM
TUESDAY 7:15 AM
WED 7:15 AM
FRIDAY 12:15 PM
SATURDAY 8:15 AM

SUNDAY

7:30 AM

10:00 AM

CONFESSIONS
SATURDAY
8:45 AM

HOLY HOUR
MON & FRI
12:45-1:45 PM

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4TH SUNDAY OF THE MONTH FILIPINO MASS AT 4:00 PM

SUNDAY MASS WILL BE LIVE STREAMED AT 10 AM ON YOUTUBE AND POSTED ON FACEBOOK FOLLOWING THE MASS.

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Catholic Diocese
of Wilmington

THE CITY DEANERY

CATHEDRAL OF ST. PETER | ST. ANN | ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA | ST. ELIZABETH | ST. HEDWIG | ST. JOSEPH | ST. MARY OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION
ST. PATRICK | ST. PAUL | ST. THOMAS THE APOSTLE

NOTES FROM FR. ROGER

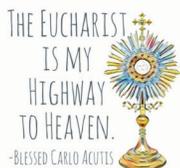
MENSAJES DE PADRE ROGER

"Today as we celebrate Corpus Christi Sunday, The Solemnity of the Body and Blood of Jesus, we remember that it is the "Eucharist that is the source and summit of our lives". (Vat. II)

Carlo Acutis, known for his love of the Eucharist, viewed it as his "highway to heaven". He believed in the real presence of Christ in the Eucharist and dedicated his life to sharing this belief, particularly through the creation of an online exhibition about Eucharistic miracles.

The more often we receive the Eucharist, the more we become like Jesus and the more we get a foretaste of heaven.

At the age of seven, Carlo began participating in daily Mass and developed a deep love for the Eucharist. "My secret is to contact Jesus every day," he said. He also prayed the rosary often, demonstrating his profound devotion to Jesus' Mother, the Blessed Virgin Mary: "The Virgin Mary is the only woman in my life."



MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

SUNDAY
SEPTEMBER 7, 2025

THE CANONIZATION OF
BL. CARLO ACUTIS

At all the Masses on Sunday, September 7th, we will celebrate this great moment in the life of the Church Universal. There will be a light reception in the front area of the church, on the flagstone patio, after the 10 am Mass. Please join us!

MASS INTENTIONS 6/22-6/29

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| SAT | 4:00 PM | MARIANNE KELLNER |
| SUN | 7:30 AM | JOHN CUTRONA |
| | 10:00 AM | JAMES WATSON |
| | 12:15 PM | ALL ST. ELIZABETH STUDENTS |
| TUES | 7:15 AM | PEOPLE OF THE PARISH |
| WED | 7:15 AM | ALL ST. ELIZABETH GRADUATES |
| FRI | 12:15 PM | THE SHELIN FAMILY |
| SAT | 8:15 AM | MARY & STEFAN PASTUSYKA |
| | 4:00 PM | THE DOMINICK PICOLLELLI FAMILY |
| SUN | 7:30 AM | EUGENE G. MALONEY & BRONAGH O'HARE |
| | 10:00 AM | EILEEN CATHERINE SWEENEY |

MASS CARDS ARE AVAILABLE IN THE PARISH OFFICE, 1500 CEDAR STREET.
\$10 OFFERING ENCOURAGED - MASSES CAN BE SAID FOR THE DECEASED, BIRTHDAYS, ANNIVERSARIES, SPECIAL INTENTIONS, ETC.
+ PLEASE CALL OR VISIT THE PARISH OFFICE TO INQUIRE ABOUT AVAILABLE DATES.

STEWARDSHIP + OFFERTORY

PARISH COLLECTIONS 6/15/2025 - \$2,991.00

ONLINE GIVING 6/15/2025 - \$3,059.50



Weekly
Offertory

Using your phone's camera, focus on the square below and then click on yellow text.





HOW CAN WE PRAY FOR YOU?

WE ARE ALWAYS AVAILABLE TO PRAY FOR YOU AND YOUR INTENTIONS.

PRAYER INTENTIONS CAN BE RECEIVED BY PHONE, OR EMAILED DIRECTLY TO THE PARISH OFFICE:
OFFICE@STEPARISH.ORG

ST. ELIZABETH DEVOTION



St. Elizabeth Devotion is a time to gather in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament.

We will celebrate the **Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick**, listen within the Liturgy of the Word, followed by prayers to St. Elizabeth and Eucharistic Benediction.

Additionally, there will be a special blessing for expectant mothers.

Please join us Monday, July 7th at 6:00 PM.

1,000 HAIL MARYS DEVOTION

Please join us on the last Saturday of the month to pray the Devotion of the Thousand Hail Marys, starting at 9:00 am (after the 8:15 mass). This devotion takes about 5 hours, however you do not need to be able to stay the entire time. Light refreshments are provided. Consider praying with us for all your personal intentions.

HOMEBOUND & SICK MINISTRY

Reminder: Many of our parishioners are homebound, or ill, and unable to attend Mass. The reception of the Eucharist is essential to our spiritual lives as Catholics. Please call the parish office if you or someone you love is in need of the distribution of Holy Communion, the Sacrament of Reconciliation, or the Anointing of the Sick. It gives us great joy to minister to our parish family in this way.



SACRAMENTS

The **Sacrament of Reconciliation** will be offered on Saturday mornings after the 8:15 AM Mass.

The **Anointing of the Sick** may be requested after Mass if you are preparing for surgery. "Last Rites" can always be Requested at home or at the hospital. It is best to do so when the person is still able to participate in the prayer.

Funerals - Funeral directors will contact the church and make arrangements on your behalf.

Weddings - Call for scheduling and PreCana. Couples should contact the parish at least 1 year in advance.

Baptisms - Baptisms will be celebrated on the 2nd and 4th Sundays at 11:15 AM. Please attend the 10:00 AM Mass. Discuss dates with the parish office when you are ready. Participation in one preparation session is required. This can be done before the birth of your child.

CHRISTIAN FORMATION

Religious Education (302) 652-3626

Classes (Grades 1-7) are held on Sunday mornings from 9:00 AM - 9:50 AM, prior to the 10:00 AM Mass.

Coordinator: Barbara Maddams

Confirmation Prep: Karen Donovan

LITURGY

Music Ministry

Marion Jacob mjacob@steparish.org
(Director)

Altar Serving

4th Grade & Up: This is a ministry that is always needed! Interested children, please have a parent or guardian contact the Parish Office to arrange training sessions.

LEGION OF MARY CHAPTER

We would like to extend an open invitation to all the men and women of our parish to our weekly Meetings Saturdays at 9 a.m. in the Church's Altar Server Sacristy. If you are interested, please contact Deacon Ken at the parish office: 302-652-3626. We look forward to praying with you.

READINGS FOR JUNE 22ND 2025

1ST READING: GENESIS 14:18-20

RESPONSORIAL: PSALM 110:1, 2, 3, 4

2ND READING: 1 CORINTHIANS 11:23-26

GOSPEL: LUKE 9:11B-17



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"ST. ELIZABETH PARISH,
WILMINGTON"

Check out the page, and give us a Follow and a Like. See you there!

VOCATION REFLECTION

"HE IS NOT HERE; HE HAS BEEN RAISED." (LUKE 24:6)

The joy of the Resurrection brings new life. Could Christ be calling you to share this joy with others through a vocation in the Church? Talk to your priest or reach out to the Vocations Office, contact Fr. Carroll: 302-573-3113, www.cdow.org/vocations, or vocations@cdow.org.



June

is the *Month of the Sacred Heart*. The Church celebrates the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus on the Friday following the second Sunday after Pentecost. This year the solemnity falls on **June 27, 2025**. The term "Sacred Heart of Jesus" denotes a special form of devotion

to Jesus—the focus being his Heart, which exemplifies our Lord's redemptive suffering for the whole world. *O Sacred Heart of Jesus, to Thee I consecrate and offer up my person and my life, my actions, trials, and sufferings.*



St. Elizabeth offers one of the best views of the 4th of July Fireworks display offered by the City of Wilmington. The view from the rectory lawn is spectacular! We invite our parishioners and their guests to join us for the event. Fireworks usually begin around 9PM. BYO chairs, snacks, and drinks to enjoy this parish wide event with us! The St. E's Center will have bathrooms available. We look forward to celebrating with you!



Diocese of Wilmington
2025 Summer Weekend
Mass Guide

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For those vacationing in resort areas throughout the Diocese of Wilmington (DE Atlantic, MD Atlantic, and Chesapeake Bay) the Dialog has provided updated summer mass schedules for its parishes:
<https://thedialog.org/our-diocese/2025-diocese-of-wilmington-summer-weekend-mass-guide/>



Leo P.P. XIV

**Official Portrait of
Pope Leo XIV**

Released June 3, 2025 ©Vatican Media

**LAST CALL
TO SIGN UP!**



PARISH COUNCIL INFORMATION

In the Catholic Church, the Parish Council exists to assist the pastor in fostering the spiritual and pastoral life of the parish. It's an advisory body that helps identify the needs of the parish community, set priorities, and plan activities or initiatives that promote the mission of the Church. The Pastor has direct authority over both the parish and the school, and the Parish Council can be a bridge between the two, supporting the whole parish mission.

If you or someone you know is interested in participating in our upcoming parish elections, please contact the Parish Office by phone 302-652-3626, or by email: office@steparish.org

'Thank you to all who have signed up to be members of this new Parish Council! Your generosity of time and support is deeply appreciated. I will contact you later this summer to begin our journey together. If others would like to join, please contact me!' - Father Roger

ST. ELIZABETH SCHOOL
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www.steschools.org



THE ST. ELIZABETH

GOLF CLASSIC

Thursday, September 18th
at Patriots Glen
300 Patriots Way
Elkton, MD

CHECK-IN: 9:00 AM
SHOTGUN START: 10:00 AM

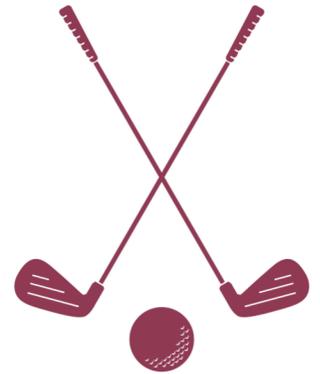
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WATER DURING ROUND
BUFFET AT RECEPTION**

CONTESTS:

- **50/50 RAFFLE**
- **CLOSEST TO THE PIN**
- **LONGEST DRIVE**
- **SILENT AUCTION**



**All proceeds will
benefit St. Elizabeth
Parish School.**



FOURSOME AND SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES AVAILABLE

Please contact John Raymond for more information at
jraymond@viking.pvt.k12.de.us or (302) 528-0932

June & July

St. Elizabeth School
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www.steschools.org
contact@steschools.org



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dtaylor@viking.pvt.k12.de.us

\$275 Per Week
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Little Vikings
3 yrs-
Entering Kindergarten

Viking Campers
Entering 1st-7th



ST. ELIZABETH HIGH SCHOOL & ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION PRESENTS

Monday Night FOOTBALL

SUMMER CLINIC MONDAYS IN JULY

5:30PM TO 7PM
JULY 7TH, 14TH, 21ST

ON THE FIELD IN CANBY PARK
RAIN LOCATIONS WILL BE DETERMINED IF NEEDED



EACH SESSION FOCUSES ON SKILL DEVELOPMENT FOLLOWED BY TIME FOR GROUP PLAY/SCRIMMAGE

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