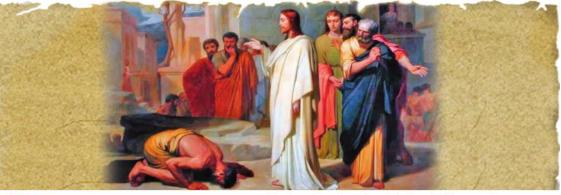
# 6TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



## The Cleansing of a Leper



## St. Elizabeth of Hungary CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Office Hours: Tuesday-Friday 8:30 am-5:00 pm and by appointment

Clergy: Pastor: Rev. Russell Mower
Parochial Vicar: Rev. Benjamin Molina
In Residence Rev. Alex Buitrago
Deacon Rev. Mr. Doug Boyd Sr.
Deacon Candidates: Paul Williams and Chris Paulsen
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Bertha Shields, Baptism Coordinator
Clifton Thompson, Funeral Coordinator
H. Richard Gwozdz, Music Ministry
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MASS AND ADORATION

Sunday Eucharist: Saturday Vigil, 5:00 pm and Sunday at 8:00, 10:00 am and 12:00 noon Daily Eucharist: Holy Mass celebrated on Tuesday to Saturday at 8:00 am; Communion Services Monday-Friday at 6:30 am and Monday at 8:00am

Mass Intentions and Sanctuary Candle: Please call Bertha at x221 or stelizabethoffice4015@gmail.com to arrange for these.

Reconciliation: Saturday 9:30 -10:30 am and by appointment

First Friday: Eucharistic Adoration is celebrated from 10:00 am-7:00 pm ending with Benediction.

Assistance: St. Vincent de Paul Society at 469-418-0871 or sesvdp@gmail.com, Oak Cliff Aid located at 6000 S. Hampton Road at Hampton and Hwy 67; Cross Outreach Center at 4906 Bonnie View at Ledbetter Road. No Aid available at the Rectory.

Emergency Number for Illness or Death: pager 972-558-8022

**General Information for a Mass, Building Rental or Room Usage:** Please speak with Bertha at x221 or stelizabethoffice4015@gmail.com.

Business Office and Tithing Questions including Credit Card Drafts, Prepays and Online Giving: Please speak with Gail in the Business Office at x222 or ghudgins4015@gmail.com or Bertha at x233 or stelizabethoffice4015@gmail.com.

Baptism: Parents are to call Bertha at x233 or email stelizabethoffice4015@gmail.com to schedule an appointment to arrange for the Baptismal class. Both parents and godparents are required to take the class. These classes are held in our parish on the 2nd Saturday of each month at 2:00 PM in St. Francis Hall. Upon completion, a certificate is issued which remains valid for a three year period. After the class is completed, then a baptismal time will be scheduled.

**Evangelization:** Children and Teen Formation: We provide a total formation program for Catholics from Pre-4 to Adult. For information on the Children's Program held on Sunday morning or the High School Program please call Elizabeth at x223 or eseidemann4015@gmail.com. This office works with Vacation Bible School, Young Adults Formation and RCIA for Children and Teens which is mandatory for students over 7yrs who wish to become Catholic.

RCIA (Adult): If you are over 18 and wish to become a Catholic, or are wanting to complete, as an adult, the Sacraments of Eucharist and Confirmation please call our director, David Fisher at 972-754-4377 to schedule an appointment to prepare you for classes that will begin in September. Classes are held on Wednesday Evenings at 7:30 pm.

Quinceañera: per the policy of Bishop Farrell, these are no longer celebrated individually, but with a blessing at the Sunday Mass. Please contact Elizabeth Seidemann at x223 for further information.

Marriage: Please call the parish at least 8 months previous to the date you wish to celebrate your marriage so that the required formation required by the diocese can be completed. Please contact Elizabeth Seidemann to begin your process of formation toward your marriage. Please note that marriage issues in the Catholic Church must all be completed before the Sacrament can be celebrated in a Catholic Church. Please call Elizabeth at x223 or eseidemann4015@gmail.com for more information.

Anointing of the Sick and Homebound Ministry: the Sacrament is celebrated communally on the second Saturday at 8am in the Chapel and privately by arrangement with the rectory. For extended needs for communion at home please call Fr. Ben Molina at ext. 225 or frbenmolina@gmail.com for further information

Funerals: Before making arrangements, please plan for the Funeral Liturgy by contacting our coordinator, Cliff Thompson at the Rectory: (214) 331-4328, Cell: (214) 558-0719, or Email: cthompson4015@gmail.com.

#### Liturgical Ministries:

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: please call TBA Lectors: please call Paul Williams at 972-291-7070
Altar Servers: Please call Deacon Candidate Chris 214-293-9954
Ushers: please call Joe Pesina at 214-941-7981
Altar Flowers: please call Gail at x 222

St Elizabeth of Hungary Catholic School: Rachel Dzurilla, Principal 214-331-5139 http://www.saintspride.com
Bishop Dunne Catholic School: Kate Dailey President 214-339-6561 http://bdhs.org

**Project Gabriel:** If you are pregnant and are considering terminating your pregnancy, let us help you choose life for your child! Call 972-Baby-Due.

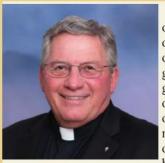
Moved with
pity, he
stretched out
his hand,
touched him, and
said to him,
"I do will it.
Be made clean."

Mark 1:41

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#### Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

#### FROM THE DESK OF THE PASTOR



Our Lenten Fast begins this week on Ash Wednesday. The practice of fasting, as important as it is for our growth in holiness and for the good of the Church, has its dangers. One of these dangers is pride or arrogance, looking down on others because they don't fast as much as we do. To avoid this, our own fasting must be accompanied by a deep sorrow for

our sins and for the sins of the world around us. One way, perhaps the best way, to express this sorrow is by making use of the Sacrament of Reconciliation, where we confess our sins and experience God's infinite mercy. This Lent, take advantage of the expanded Reconciliation schedule in any of the parishes in the Diocese.

Fr. Russ

## Stewardship

<b>Weekend Collection</b>	Feb. 4, 2017	\$ 12,099.00
In House Giving	Feb. 4, 2017	\$ 4,536.50
On-Line Giving	Feb. 4, 2017	\$ 2,305.00
Total	Feb. 4, 2017	\$ 18,940.50

1,344 Attendance Feb. 4, 2017

Teller Team Captain 02/11— Larry Fabian Teller Team Captain 02/18— Tom Janik

#### **Catholic Quotes**

St. Vincent de Paul

We should strive to keep our hearts open to the sufferings and wretchedness of other people, and pray continually that God may grant us that spirit of compassion which is truly the spirit of God.

#### **FLU Advisory**

If you suspect that you have symptoms of the Flu, please refrain from receiving the Precious Blood until you have recovered. Receiving only the Precious Body is advised until you are well.

During this Flu season it may also be advisable to refrain from hugging or shaking hands at the Sign of Peace. A simple nod of the head or wave of the hand accompanying the words of peace should be sufficient. We can resume our normal practices when the Flu season is over.

#### DATES TO REMEMBER

- Scripture Study—Tuesday at 7-8 PM in Murray/ O'Connor Room
- RCIA—Wednesday at 7:30 in the Grahmann Center
- Stations of the Cross & Benediction—Friday 2:00 PM (With School) and 7:30 PM
- Reconciliation—Saturday at 9:30—10:30AM in the church



#### **Scripture Study**

Tuesdays 7-8 PM Grahmann Center Murray/O'Connor R

It is easy to think that the Church was always as it is today. We do not often think of the hardships, internal disagreements and external obstacles the Church Fathers had to overcome. The Acts of the Apostles gives us an insight into the growing pains that the Church endured. Join us as we discuss and analyze the events of our infant Church in this exciting book of the Bible.

#### Saint Augustine:

"If you believe what you like in the gospels, and reject what you don't like, it is not the gospel you believe, but yourself."

#### PARISH LENTEN MISSION

We are fortunate to have Fr. Edwin Leonard conduct the Lenten Mission for our parish this year. Fr. Edwin is the Director of Vocations for the Diocese of Dallas. The mission will be held Monday February 19th through Wednesday February 21st at 7 to 8 PM in the main church. Everyone is encouraged to attend and "stir into flame" the Faith within you, that your attitude and actions during Lent may be and example for your family and friends.

The Topics are:

Monday—Going into the Desert. Tuesday—Discernment and Temptation. Wednesday—Living in the Spirit

(A light reception will follow each night's presentation)



#### PARISH HOMEBOUND SERVICES AVAILABLE

It is our duty as Catholics and our privilege as members of this parish to help those who cannot attend Mass or re-

ceive the sacraments and to be a link to the parish community. If you know of anyone who is homebound, permanently or temporarily, and would like to receive the sacraments but is unable, please call the rectory with their contact information. We will be more than willing to attend to their spiritual needs.



Thank You! Please patronize the businesses that support the publication of these bulletins. God Bless them!! Keep up with the latest activities at St. Elizabeth of Hungary stelizabethdallas.org



#### **Monday February 12**

6:30 AM (Communion Service)

8:00 AM (Communion Service)

#### Tuesday, February 13

6:30 AM (Communion Service)

#### Wednesday, January 14

6:30 AM & Lamar St. John, by Bertha Shields

8:00 AM 🕈 Gina Arredondo, by The St. Elizabeth Altar Guild.

10:00 AM & Andrew Garza, by Judy & Harold Munchrath.

12:05 AM & Billy Phillips, by Pat Phillips

7:00 PM & Alfonso Salazar, by Wife & Family

#### Thursday, February 15

6:30 AM (Communion Service)

8:00 AM Andrew Garza, by Lourdes Tiambeng & Thelma Bright.

#### Friday, February 16

6:30 AM (Communion Service)

8:00 AM † Sylvester Bright, by Thelma Bright & Lourdes Tiambeng.

#### Saturday, February 17

8:00 AM Intention of Pope Francis & all Parish Priests.

5:00 PM † Andrew Garza, by Lourdes Tiambeng & Thelma Bright.

#### Sunday, February 18

8:00 AM The People of the Parish.

10:00 AM & Billy Phillips, by Pat Phillips.

12:00 PM 🕈 Alfonso Salazar, by Wife & Family.

The Sanctuary Light burns for the Intention of Bob Clark

## **Pray the Rosary**



Our RCIA Classes take place at 7:30 PM every Wednesday in the Grahmann Center. This weeks class is: "Morality I". If you or someone you know is interested in becoming a Catholic, completing sacraments, or is interested in learning more about our faith these are the classes for you! Also, if you wish to be a godparent you must have received the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and First Eucharist. The RCIA process is the means by which adults receive them. To obtain more information or to register, please contact David Fisher at (972) 754-4377.



#### SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK

February 12— (Weekday) Jas 1:1-11/Mk 8:11-13

February 13— (Weekday) Jas 1:12-18/Mk 8:14-21

February 14— (Ash Wednesday) Jl 2:12-18/2 Cor 5:20—6:2/ Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

February 15— (Thursday after Ash Wednesday) Dt 30:15-20/ Lk 9:22-25

**February 16**— (Friday after Ash Wednesday) Is 58:1-9a/Mt 9:14-15

February 17 — (The Seven Holy Founders of the Servite Order) Is 58:9b-14/Lk 5:27-32

**February 18**— (First Sunday of Lent) Gn 9:8-15/1 Pt 3:18-22/ Mk 1:12-15

#### **Marian Dinner**

The Marian Dinner is an event to **promote vocations** to the religious and consecrated life for women. On Tuesday, February 27th, 2018, the Dallas Diocese will host the Marian Dinner at the University of Dallas for women eighteen years of age or older. Sixteen and seventeen year old girls are welcome if they come with a chaperone. The evening will start with mass at 5:00 p.m. and ends at 8:30 p.m. in the SB Hall room 122, on the Campus on the University of Dallas. This evening includes **dinner with Bishop Edward Burns**, presentations on vocations from religious and consecrated women, and an opportunity for question and answers. For more information, please contact Tammy Grady at 214-907-9906 or via e-mail at:

tgrady@regnumchristi.net.

Registration is online at:

www.dallasvocations.org/mariandinner.



#### MASS INTENTIONS AND SANCTUARY CANDLE.

It is a privilege to have the Holy Mass celebrated for either someone who has died or for a special intention like a birthday or anniversary. Cards are sent by the rectory to the recipient announcing the celebration of the Mass. If you wish to sponsor a Mass

or the Sanctuary light, please contact Bertha in the rectory (214) 331-4328.

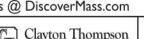
#### Deadlines:

- Information for the Bulletin must be submitted 2 Fridays before publication deadline.
- Stuffers must be approved and brought to rectory 2 Tuesdays before publication deadline
- Announcements must by submitted by Wed of the week of the announcement

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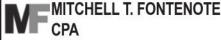
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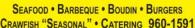
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