

# ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

*"My soul proclaims the greatness of the Lord;  
my spirit rejoices in God my savior."* Luke 1:46-47



## St. Elizabeth of Hungary CATHOLIC CHURCH

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**Office Hours:** Tuesday-Friday 8:30 am-5:00 pm  
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**Clergy:** Pastor: Very Rev. Russell Mower, V.F.  
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Deacon Rev. Mr. Doug Boyd Sr.  
Deacon Candidates: Paul Williams and Chris Paulsen  
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Elizabeth Seidemann, Wedding Coordinator  
David Fisher, RCIA  
Bertha Shields, Baptism Coordinator  
Clifton Thompson, Funeral Coordinator  
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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 [office@stelizabethdallas.org](mailto:office@stelizabethdallas.org) to arrange for these.

**Reconciliation:** Saturday 3:30 - 4:30 PM and by appointment

**First Friday:** Eucharistic Adoration is celebrated from 10:00 am-7:00 pm  
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**Assistance:** St. Vincent de Paul Society at 469-418-0871 or  
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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 the Grahmann  
Center. 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  
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[eseidemann@stelizabethdallas.org](mailto:eseidemann@stelizabethdallas.org). 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 the Diocese of Dallas, 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  
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**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. Emmett Hall  
at ext. 225 or [ehall@stelizabethdallas.org](mailto:ehall@stelizabethdallas.org) 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 ext. 228, Cell: (214) 558-0719, or  
Email: [cthompson@stelizabethdallas.org](mailto:cthompson@stelizabethdallas.org).

### Liturgical Ministries:

**Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion and Lectors:** please call  
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# Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

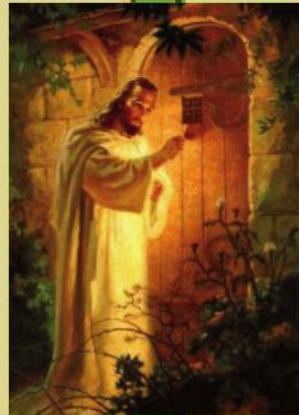
## FROM THE DESK OF THE PASTOR



This week's Gospel reading is rather long and laced with parables. But if we look at first and last verses of the reading, we see the focus of the lesson: "For where your treasure is, there also your heart will be;" and, "Much will be required of the person entrusted with much, and still more will be demanded of the

person entrusted with more." Summer is nearly over. Kids are headed back to school and most of us are refocusing on work and returning to our regular routines. Hopefully you had some family time this summer and were able to reflect on just how God has blessed you and your loved ones. God has truly entrusted us with much. Now is a good time to ask, "What more is God demanding of me?" Should I be dedicating more time to the church as a volunteer or as a catechist? Am I contributing what I should monetarily? Is there more I can do to help? Take some time this week to ponder these questions. Pray with them and go where God leads you.

*Fr. Russ*



## Stewardship

<b>Weekend Collection</b>	<b>Aug 4, 2019</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>10,165.00</b>
<b>In House Giving</b>	<b>Aug 4, 2019</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>1,493.93</b>
<b>On-Line Giving</b>	<b>Aug 4, 2019</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>2,058.17</b>
<b>Kid's Church</b>	<b>Aug 4, 2019</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>140.93</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>Aug 4, 2019</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>13,858.03</b>

**Attendance** Aug 4, 2019 **969**

Teller Team Captain 08/11— **Tom Janik**

Teller Team Captain 08/18— **Norma Gonzalez**

## Catholic Quotes

*St. Francis de Sales*

"Naturally we all have an inclination to command, and a great aversion to obey; and yet it is certain that it is more for our good to obey than to command; hence perfect souls have always had a great affection for obedience, and have found all their joy and comfort in it."

## Marriage: Love and Life In The Divine Plan: Same-Sex Unions

"Marriage is a unique union, a relationship different from all others. It is the permanent bond between one man and one woman whose two-in-one-flesh communion of persons is an indispensable good at the heart of every family and every society. Same-sex unions are incapable of realizing this specific communion of persons. Therefore, attempting to redefine marriage to include such relationships empties the term of its meaning, for it excludes the essential complementarity between man and woman, treating sexual difference as if it were irrelevant to what marriage is." To read the document go to <http://www.usccb.org/loveandlife/>.



## LATIN MASS

**Back by popular demand!** The dates for our upcoming Latin Masses at St. Elizabeth's are:

✠ **Thursday, Aug. 22<sup>nd</sup> at 7pm**

✠ **Thursday, Sept. 26<sup>th</sup> at 7pm**

✠ **Thursday, Oct. 24<sup>th</sup> at 7pm**

We will have a short lesson before each Mass, beginning at 6:45pm, aimed at understanding the different parts of the Mass. Handouts with English translations of the readings, etc., will be provided at both Masses, or you can follow along word-for-word on the free Laudate app on your smart phone. All are welcome!



## SCHOOL NEWS

We are getting ready for another great year, and we have a few spots left for new students. Please stop by for a visit or call Sandy Walkley at 214-331-5139 for admission details and availability.

In addition to our strong Catholic faith, St. Elizabeth provides a rigorous academic program. Our staff is dedicated, energetic, and looking forward to working with you and your children. Stop by after 10:00 am Mass on August 11th for details on how your child can be a St. Elizabeth Saint.

*We are currently seeking a middle school literature teacher.*

*If interested, please contact our front office and ask for Jennifer Borth.*



Please patronize the businesses that support the publication of these bulletins. God Bless them!! If you would like to become a sponsor with your advertisement on the back page of the bulletin, please call Bill Strait at (972) 743-3869. Keep up with the latest activities at St. Elizabeth of Hungary at: [stelizabethdallas.org](http://stelizabethdallas.org)



## The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary into Heaven Body and Soul

**Thursday August 15, 2018**  
**(HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION)**

St. John Damascene: "It was fitting that she, who had kept her virginity intact in childbirth, should keep her own body free from all corruption even after death. It was fitting that she, who had carried the Creator as a child at her breast, should dwell in the divine tabernacles. It was fitting that the spouse, whom the Father had taken to himself, should live in the divine mansions. It was fitting that she, who had seen her Son upon the cross and who had thereby received into her heart the sword of sorrow which she had escaped in the act of giving birth to him, should look upon him as he sits with the Father. It was fitting that God's Mother should possess what belongs to her Son, and that she should be honored by every creature as the Mother and as the handmaid of God."

*(All Catholics are obliged, under pain of mortal sin, to attend Mass for this Holy Day of Obligation. On the 15th there will be no 6:30am Communion Service. Masses will be on August 14<sup>th</sup> at 7pm and August 15<sup>th</sup> at 8am, 10am, 12pm & 7pm.)*





## WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

### Monday August 12

6:30 AM (Communion Service)

8:00 AM (Communion Service)

### Tuesday, August 13

6:30 AM (Communion Service)

8:00 AM † Fr. Joseph Luke Lennon, O.P., by Yen Khang Van

### Wednesday, August 14

6:30 AM (Communion Service)

8:00 AM † Dr. Robert Speegle, by Dale & Cindy Bilhartz

7:00 PM Intentions of Fr. Russ & Fr. Emmett, by Joe & Rosie Villegas

### Thursday, August 15

8:00 AM † George Savins, by Gloria Hastings

10:00 AM † Dr. Robert Speegle, by Dale & Cindy Bilhartz

12:00 PM † Gerry Hughes, by Lucy Amador

7:00 PM † Kenneth Shugart, by Beatriz Shugart

### Friday, August 16

6:30 AM (Communion Service)

8:00 AM † Dr. Robert Speegle, by Dale & Cindy Bilhartz

### Saturday, August 17

8:00 AM Intention of Rafael A. Villegas, by Joe & Rosie Villegas

5:00 PM † Andrew Garza, by Javier & Mary Castillo

### Sunday, August 18

8:00 AM The people of the parish

10:00 AM Intention of Thelma Bright, by Lucy Amador

12:00 PM Intention of Liz Gutierrez, by Lucy Amador.



*The Sanctuary Light burns for  
† George Savins, by Gloria Hastings*



## Knights of Columbus Council 17111

Members of Council 17111 have their meetings on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of each month at 7:00 PM in the Grahmann Center.

"Charity has been the first principle of the Knights of Columbus. We are Catholic men of faith and men of charitable action." If you'd like to be a part of an international organization of nearly 2 million Catholic men whose principal work involves helping others in need, we'd like to meet you and invite you to join us.

### Deadlines:

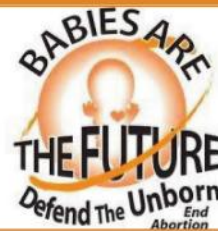
- Information for the Bulletin must be submitted 2 Fridays before publication deadline.
- Stuffers must be approved and brought to rectory 2 Tuesdays before publication deadline
- Announcements must be submitted by Wed of the week of the announcement

THE RECTORY RETAINS ALL RIGHT TO CHANGE, MODIFY OR NOT USE ANY SUBMISSIONS



## SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Aug 12** (St. Jane Frances de Chantal) Dt 10:12-22; Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20; Mt 17:22-27
- Aug 13** (St. Pontian & St. Hippolytus & Martyrs) Dt 31:1-8; Dt 32:3-4ab, 7, 8, 9 and 12; Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14
- Aug 14** (St. Maximilian Kolbe) Dt 34:1-12; Ps 66:1-3a, 5 and 8, 16-17; Mt 18:15-20
- Aug. 15** (Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary) Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab; Ps 45:10, 11, 12, 16; 1Cor 15:20-27; Lk 1:39-56
- Aug. 16** (St. Stephen of Hungary) Jos 24:1-13; Ps 136:1-3, 16-18, 21-22 and 24; Mt 19:3-12
- Aug. 17** (Weekday) Jos 24:14-29; Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 11; Mt 19:13-15
- Aug. 18** **Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
Jer 38:4-6, 8-10; Ps 40:2, 3, 4, 18; Heb 12:1-4; Lk 12:49-53

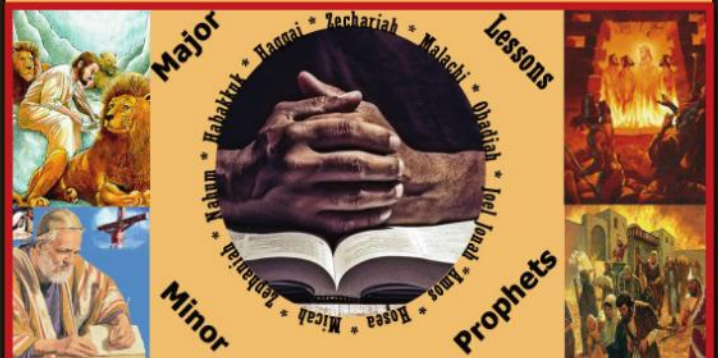


"2270 Human life must be respected and protected absolutely from the moment of conception. From the first moment of his existence, a human being must be recognized as having the rights of a person -- among which is the inviolable right of every innocent being to life. (71)"

---the Catechism of the Catholic Church

## Scripture Study

Tuesdays 7-8 PM  
Grahmann Center



The **Minor Prophets of the Bible** are named that only because of the length of their writings. Their writings are inspired by God and the messages they put forth also deal with our human journey and insight into our redemption and the Redeemer.

### Saint Jerome:

"The Scriptures are shallow enough for a babe to come and drink without fear of drowning and deep enough for theologians to swim in without ever reaching the bottom."

Pursuant to Section 30.06, Penal Code (trespass by license holder with a concealed handgun), a person licensed under Subchapter H, Chapter 411, Government Code (handgun licensing law), may not enter this property with a concealed handgun.

Pursuant to Section 30.07, Penal Code (trespass by license holder with an openly carried handgun), a person licensed under Subchapter H, Chapter 411, Government Code (handgun licensing law), may not enter this property with a handgun that is carried openly.



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