

# 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"In just the same way, I tell you, there will be rejoicing among the angels of God over one sinner who repents."

- Luke 15:10



# 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: Very Rev. Russell Mower, V.F. Parochial Vicar: Rev. Emmett Hall Deacon Rev. Mr. Doug Boyd Sr. Deacon Candidates: Paul Williams and Chris Paulsen Seminarian: Ben Chavez

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#### MASS AND ADORATION

Sunday Eucharist: Saturday Vigil, 5:00 pm and Sundayat8:00, 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 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 ending with Benediction.

Assistance: St. Vincent de Paul Society at 469-418-0871 or sesvdp@gmail.com; Oak Cliff Churches for Emergency Aid located at 534 W. Tenth St., Dallas TX; Cross Outreach Center at 4906 Bonnie View at Ledbetter Road. No Aid available at the Rectory.

Emergency Number for Illness or Death: 214-331-4328 x 9

General Information for a Mass, Building Rental or Room Usage Please speak with Bertha at x221 or office@stelizabethdallas.org.

Business Office and Tithing Questions including Credit Card Drafts, Prepays and Online Giving: Please speak with Gail in the Business Office at x222 or ghudgins@stelizabethdallas.org or Bertha at x233 or office@stelizabethdallas.org.

Baptism: Parents are to call Bertha at x221 or email office@stelizabethdallas.org 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 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 information on the Children's Program held on Sunday morning or the High School Program please call Elizabeth at x223 or 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 eseidemann@stelizabethdallas.org 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. Emmett Hall at ext. 225 or 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.

#### Liturgical Ministries:

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion and Lectors: please call Paul Williams at 972-291-7070 Altar Servers: Please call Chris Paulsen at 214-243-9954 Ushers: please call Michael Rangel at 469-855-2943 Altar Flowers: please call Gail at x 222

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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.

# Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

# FROM THE DESK OF THE PASTOR



We have heard the Parable of the Prodigal Son many times. Something that is often overlooked is the son's example of making a good confession. Recognizing himself as a sinner, he makes an examination of conscience. He is concerned, repentant, he thinks again and decides to

return to the father and ask him for forgiveness. When he arrives, his father embraces him, listens to him and forgives him. This is precisely what the priest does in Confession in God's name. When we go confess our sins, let's not forget that it is God himself who welcomes us with open arms. He is our merciful father who has been looking for us, not stopping until he finds us.

Fr. Russ

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# SCHOOL NEWS

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.



Our RCIA classes will begin on Wednesday September 18, 2019 in the Grahmann Center. Classes will begin at 7:30 PM and end at 9:00 PM. A light supper will be available before class begins. 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! Please contact David Fisher at (972) 754-4377.



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

# Stewardship

Weekend Collection	Sept. 8, 2019	\$ 10,715.00
In House Giving	Sept. 8, 2019	\$ 3,351.00
On-Line Giving	Sept. 8, 2019	\$ 2,284.50
Kid's Church	Sept. 8, 2019	\$ 89.98
Total	Sept. 8, 2019	\$ 16,440.48
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Attendance

Sept. 8, 2019

Teller Team Captain 09/15— Bob Butsch Teller Team Captain 09/22— Larry Fabian

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## **Catholic Quotes**

St. Teresa of Calcutta

"We can cure physical diseases with medicine but the only cure for loneliness, despair, and hopelessness is love. There are many in the world who are dying for a piece of bread but there are many more who are dying for a little love. Let us not be satisfied with just giving money. Money is not enough, money can be got, but they need your hearts to love them. So spread love everywhere you go."



### New to the Parish?

If you would like to become a registered parishioner, please be sure to complete a registration card (found on the table opposite the water fountain in the rear of the church or ask the Ushers) and turn it in to the Rectory during office hours or place it in the collection basket. Temporary envelopes are also available in the rear of the church if you have forgotten to bring your collection envelopes to Mass. Welcome to the parish!



#### LATIN MASS

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

- Thursday, Sept. 26th at 7pm
- Thursday, Oct. 24th 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-forword on the free Laudate app on your smart phone.

#### 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

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



#### WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

#### **Monday September 16**

6:30 AM (Communion Service)

8:00 AM (Communion Service)

Tuesday, September 17

6:30 AM (Communion Service)

8:00 AM Romancito's Birthday, by Maria Curiel

Wednesday, September 18

6:30 AM (Communion Service)

8:00 AM 🕆 Juanita Najvar, by Dale & Cindy Bilhartz

Thursday, September 19

**6:30 AM** (Communion Service)

8:00 AM Tom Najvar, by Dale & Cindy Bilhartz

Friday, September 20

6:30 AM (Communion Service)

8:00 AM Intention of Connie Wilson, by Sylvia Clark

Saturday, September 21

8:00 AM ₱ Pauline Pietrowski, by Dale & Cindy Bilhartz

5:00 PM \$\P\$ LeeRoy Janik, by Ray & Julia Luke

Sunday, September 22

8:00 AM The People of the Parish

10:00 AM ♥ Andrew Garza, by Javier & Mary Castillo

**12:00 PM**  ♣ Flora DeLeon Vega, by the Suarez Family

The Sanctuary Light burns for P Sandy Padilla, by Elizabeth Padilla

# **Pray the Rosary**



# Knights of Columbus Council 17111

# The Movie "UNPLANNED"

Friday September 27th, 7 to 9 PM

The movie, "Unplanned" will be shown by the Knights of Columbus at the Grahmann Center on September 27. Unplanned is the most important movie you'll ever see on the most controversial issue of our time, abortion. Donation proceeds will be accepted going towards new cushions and kneelers for our church. Starts at 7PM, lasting until 9PM. Rated "R". Limited seating (80) seats for this free viewing. We will have a sign up sheet to reserve your seat in the rear of the church after all Masses. Please stop by the table. Refreshments to be served afterwards the movie.



## SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- **Sept. 16** (St. Cornelius & St. Cyprian) 1 Tm 2:1-8; Ps 28:2, 7, 8-9; Lk 7:1-10
- **Sept. 17** (St. Robert Bellarmine) 1 Tm 3:1-13; Ps 101:1b-2ab, 2cd-3ab, 5, 6; Lk 7:11-17
- **Sept. 18** (Weekday) 1 Tm 3:14-16; Ps 111:1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Lk 7:31-35
- **Sept. 19** (St. Januarius) Col 3:12-17; Ps 150:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6; Lk 6:27-38
- Sept. 20 (Sts. Andrew Kim Tae-gŏn & Paul Chŏng Ha-sang) 1 Tm 6:2c-12; Ps 49:6-7, 8-10, 17-18, 19-20; Lk 8:1
- **Sept. 21** (St. Matthew) Eph 4:1-7, 11-13; Ps 19:2-3, 4-5; Mt 9:9-13
- Sept. 22 Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time Am 8:4-7; Ps 113:1-2, 4-6, 7-8; 1 Tm 2:1-8; Lk 16:1 -13 or 16:10-13



"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."

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