

# 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time



## 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 Vicars: Rev. Emmett Hall, Rev. Paul Iverson  
Deacon Rev. Mr. Doug Boyd Sr.  
Deacon Candidates: Paul Williams and Chris Paulsen  
Seminarist: Ben Chavez  
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Elizabeth Seidemann, Wedding Coordinator  
David Fisher, RCIA  
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 [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  
ending with Benediction.

**Assistance:** St. Vincent de Paul Society at 469-418-0871 or  
[sevdvp@gmail.com](mailto:sevdvp@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](mailto:office@stelizabethdallas.org).

**Business Office and Tithing Questions including Credit Card  
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Business Office at x222 or [ghudgins@stelizabethdallas.org](mailto:ghudgins@stelizabethdallas.org) or  
Bertha at x233 or [office@stelizabethdallas.org](mailto:office@stelizabethdallas.org).

**Baptism:** Parents are to call Bertha at x221 or email  
[office@stelizabethdallas.org](mailto: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](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  
[eseidemann@stelizabethdallas.org](mailto: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](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  
Paul Williams at 972-291-7070

**Altar Servers:** Please call Chris Paulsen at 214-243-9954

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**St Elizabeth of Hungary Catholic School:** Jennifer Borth, Interim  
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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.

**"If they will  
not listen to  
Moses and  
the prophets,  
neither will they  
be persuaded  
if someone  
should rise  
from the dead."**

**- Luke 16:31**





# Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

## FROM THE DESK OF THE PASTOR



In this week's Gospel passage we are confronted by a different outcome experienced by two men: a bad rich man and a good poor man. Riches are not evil in themselves, nor is poverty itself good, but rather the way of acting as a wealthy person or our human dignity in supporting poverty, since there are good and bad ways of being both rich and poor. The society we live in measures a man by what he has, and not who he is. But Christ invites the rich and poor alike to make it to Heaven. He tells the rich to share their wealth with the needy and to invest it in works of charity and care of the sick and the dying, so their life can be easier. And he tells the poor to be united to him on the Cross he bore, to desire only the things of Heaven, to see even the little they do have as passing. We need to make the rich people of this world rich in a new way, getting the treasure of Faith, of love for Christ and of hope. How correctly someone said, "the man who has God lacks nothing."

*Fr. Russ*

### Catholic Quotes

*St. Ignatius of Loyola*

"If God gives you an abundant harvest of trials, it is a sign of great holiness which He desires you to attain. Do you want to become a great saint? Ask God to send you many sufferings. The flame of Divine Love never rises higher than when fed with the wood of the Cross, which the infinite charity of the Savior used to finish His sacrifice. All the pleasures of the world are nothing compared with the sweetness found in the gall and vinegar offered to Jesus Christ. That is, hard and painful things endured for Jesus Christ and with Jesus Christ."



**Our RCIA classes will begin on Wednesday October 2, 2019 in the Grahmann Center. Classes will begin at 7:30 PM and end at 9:00 PM. This weeks topic will be "Tradition, Scriptures and Old Testament". 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.**



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## Stewardship

Weekend Collection	Sept. 22, 2019	\$	9,520.00
In House Giving	Sept. 22, 2019	\$	6,349.17
On-Line Giving	Sept. 22, 2019	\$	3,697.00
Kid's Church	Sept. 22, 2019	\$	130.41
<b>Total</b>	<b>Sept. 22, 2019</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>19,696.58</b>

**Attendance** Sept. 22, 2019 **879**

Teller Team Captain 09/29 — Tom Janik  
Teller Team Captain 10/06 — Norma Gonzalez



## Rosary & Consecration of Dallas

*to the Immaculate Heart of Mary*

**Sunday October 13,  
@ 2:00 PM  
Flag Pole Hill Park**

Please join Bishop Burns as he consecrates Dallas to the Immaculate Heart of Mary and to pray the rosary for our country. We will be praying on the anniversary of the Fatima Miracle of the Sun with over 1,200 locations across the USA and internationally.

For more information visit  
[dallasrosarycoasttocoast.com](http://dallasrosarycoasttocoast.com)

## Pray the Rosary



### LATIN MASS

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

✠ 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.

### 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





## WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

### Monday September 30

6:30 AM (Communion Service)

8:00 AM (Communion Service)

### Tuesday, October 1

6:30 AM (Communion Service)

8:00 AM ☩ Ann Philip, by Dale & Cindy Bilhartz

### Wednesday, October 2

6:30 AM (Communion Service)

8:00 AM ☩ John Phillip, by Dale & Cindy Bilhartz

### Thursday, October 3

6:30 AM (Communion Service)

8:00 AM ☩ Ellen Gerlich, by St. Elizabeth Altar Guild

### Friday, October 4

6:30 AM (Communion Service)

8:00 AM Intention of Alex Green, Jr., by Beverly Green

### Saturday, October 5

8:00 AM ☩ Kimberly Letson, by Dale & Cindy Bilhartz

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

### Sunday, October 6

8:00 AM Intention of Jacqueline Grace, by the Prayer Group

10:00 AM ☩ Pete Castillo, Sr., by the Castillo Family

12:00 PM The People of the Parish

*The Sanctuary Light burns for the Intention of  
Connie Wilson, by Sylvia Clark*



## Read the Bible



## Annual SOCK DRIVE

ST ELIZABETH OF HUNGARY

HEALTH MINISTRY

October 5—27, 2019

This year we are collecting socks for the homeless shelter from Saturday, October 5<sup>th</sup> until October 27<sup>th</sup>. Your generous contributions are needed as we try to give the homeless some protection from the elements this winter. Please put your contribution of **NEW SOCKS** in the box behind the last pew in the church. Thank you for your assistance as we help our brothers.



## 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.



## SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Sept. 30** (St. Jerome) Zec 8:1-8; Ps 102:16-18, 19-21, 29 and 22-23; Lk 9:46-50
- Oct. 1** (St. Thérèse of the Child Jesus) Zec 8:20-23; Ps 87:1b-3, 4-5, 6-7; Lk 9:51-56
- Oct. 2** (The Holy Guardian Angels) Neh 2:1-8; Ps 137:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6; Mt 18:1-5, 10
- Oct. 3** (Weekday) Neh 8:1-4a, 5-6, 7b-12; Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11; Lk 10:1-12
- Oct. 4** (St. Francis of Assisi) Bar 1:15-22; Ps 79:1b-2, 3-5, 8, 9; Lk 10:13-16
- Oct. 5** (Blessed Francis Xavier Seelos) Bar 4:5-12, 27-29; Ps 69:33-35, 36-37; Lk 10:17-24
- Oct. 6** **Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
Hab 1:2-3; 2:2-4; Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9; 2 Tm 1:6-8, 13-14; Lk 17:5-10

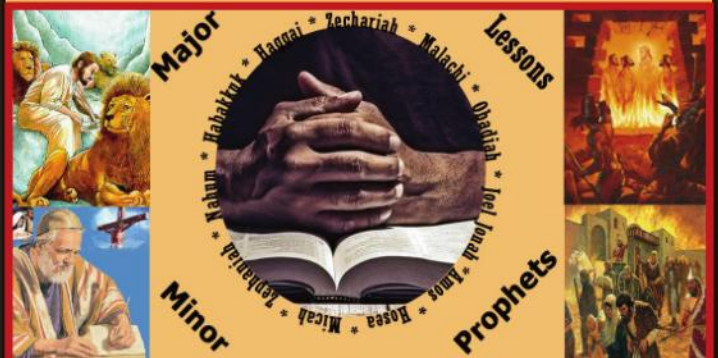
## Marriage: Love and Life In The Divine Plan: Parents-first evangelizers

"Not only do parents present their children for Baptism, but, having done so, they become the first evangelizers and teachers of the faith. They evangelize by teaching their children to pray and by praying with them. They bring their children to Mass and teach them biblical stories. They show them how to obey God's commandments and to live a Christian life of holiness." To read the document go to: <http://www.usccb.org/loveandlife/>.

## 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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