

## 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  
**Lay Staff:** Bertha Shields, Receptionist  
Gail Hudgins, Business Manager  
Elizabeth Seidemann, Parish Catechetical Leader  
Elizabeth Seidemann, Wedding Coordinator  
David Fisher, RCIA  
Bertha Shields, Baptism Coordinator  
Clifton Thompson, Funeral Coordinator  
H. Richard Gwozdz, Music Ministry  
Vata Ndifornyen, Ensemble

### 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  
Drafts, Prepays and Online Giving:** Please speak with Gail in the  
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

**Ushers:** please call Michael Rangel at 469-855-2943

**Altar Flowers:** please call Gail at x 222

**St Elizabeth of Hungary Catholic School:** Jennifer Borth, Interim  
Principal 214-331-5139 <http://www.saintspride.com>

**Bishop Dunne Catholic School:** Mary Beth Marchiony President  
214-339-6561 <http://bdcs.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.

"I have made  
you a light  
to the Gentiles,  
that you may  
be an  
instrument  
of salvation  
to the ends  
of the earth."

Isaiah 12:4





# Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

## FROM THE DESK OF THE PASTOR



Today's Gospel gives us the key to find our happiness. Many times we allow ourselves to be carried along by the sweet attraction of being more, having more, being more worthwhile; at times we come to see prayer as something unnecessary, ridiculous and even useless. What is the good of praying? Modern man believes that the only thing important is action,

personal effort, planning, strategies, results! But here Christ is showing us that prayer is something necessary in life. He could give us what we need without us even asking him for it; what he wants is for us to show him how much we love him. What is the good of praying? Quite simply, we pray to live. Prayer is efficient particularly because it transforms our life. We need to pray with our whole being, mind, heart, will; and we must also pray always, without ceasing. Love never grows weary. Does a man ever tire of telling his beloved how much he loves her? Where there is uninterrupted love, minute after minute, life becomes easy and there is a spontaneous desire to pray, to love, because for those who love there are no limits, no boundaries.

*Fr. Russ*

### Catholic Quotes St. Teresa of Calcutta

"We are at Jesus' disposal. If he wants you to be sick in bed, if he wants you to proclaim His work in the street, if he wants you to clean the toilets all day, that's all right, everything is all right. We must say, "I belong to you. You can do whatever you like." And this ..is our strength, and this is the joy of the Lord."

## Bishop Dunne Open House

Bishop Dunne Catholic School is now **accepting applications for the 2020-2021 school year**. Visit our Open House on **Sunday, October 27, 2019, from 2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.** to learn more about our fantastic school. With a diverse student body studying a college preparatory curriculum and working together in faith to serve others, **Bishop Dunne is a gem in southern Dallas**. Come see what Bishop Dunne has to offer, receive admission and financial aid advice, meet teachers and staff, and explore the many extracurricular opportunities. Visit [www.bdc.org/apply/open-house-2019](http://www.bdc.org/apply/open-house-2019) to register. Appetizers and beverages will be served. **Bishop Dunne—Explore, Discover, Thrive.**



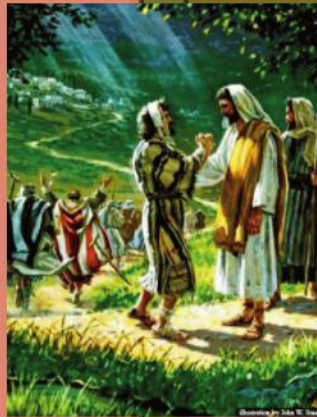
Please patronize the businesses that support the publication of these bulletins. God Bless them!! If you would like to become a sponsor with your advertisement on the back page of the bulletin, please call Bill Strait at (972) 743-3869. Keep up with the latest activities at St. Elizabeth of Hungary at: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

## Stewardship

Weekend Collection	Oct. 13, 2019	\$	9,122
In House Giving	Oct. 13, 2019	\$	N/A
On-Line Giving	Oct. 13, 2019	\$	N/A
Kid's Church	Oct. 13, 2019	\$	N/A
<b>Total</b>	<b>Oct. 13, 2019</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>9,122</b>

**Attendance** Oct. 13, 2019 **834**

Teller Team Captain 10/20— **Felipe Gomez**  
Teller Team Captain 10/27— **Phil Barrilleaux**



### LATIN MASS

Our next Latin Mass will be on Thursday, October 24th at 7pm. There will be a brief lesson beforehand, beginning at 6:45pm, on why the Latin Mass is celebrated ad orientem (priest and people facing the same direction).

On Tuesday, November 19th at 7pm, we will celebrate the feast of St. Elizabeth of Hungary with a sung Mass in the Extraordinary Form (Missa Cantata).

Handouts with English translations of the readings, etc. will be provided, or you can follow along word-for-word on the free Laudate app on your smart phone. All are welcome!



## Pray the Rosary



## 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.



Our RCIA classes will begin on Wednesday October 23, 2019 in the Grahmann Center. Classes will begin at 7:30 PM and end at 9:00 PM. This weeks topic will be "**Christian Destiny, Heaven, Hell and Purgatory, The Communion of Saints, and Angels**". 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.

### 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 October 21

6:30 AM (Communion Service)

8:00 AM (Communion Service)

### Tuesday, October 22

6:30 AM (Communion Service)

8:00 AM ✠ Percy Risolio, by the Risolio Family

### Wednesday, October 23

6:30 AM (Communion Service)

8:00 AM ✠ Donaciano Curiel, by Ramon Curiel

### Thursday, October 24

6:30 AM (Communion Service)

8:00 AM ✠ Charles McKown, by Rebecca McKown & Children

### Friday, October 25

6:30 AM (Communion Service)

8:00 AM ✠ Duane McKown, by Rebecca McKown & Children

### Saturday, October 26

8:00 AM ✠ Eddie Pietrowski, by Dale & Cindy Bilhartz

5:00 PM ✠ Lee Roy Janik, by Ray & Julia Luke

### Sunday, October 27

8:00 AM ✠ Dominic Muras, by Olga Muras

10:00 AM Thanks to St. Elizabeth School Children, by the Food Pantry

12:00 PM The People of the Parish

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



## BLOOD DRIVE

ST ELIZABETH OF HUNGARY

HEALTH MINISTRY

Please SIGN UP on October 19 & 20 in the rear of the church to **donate blood on Sunday October 27**



## 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 **Welcome to the parish!**



## 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

- Oct. 21** (Weekday) Rom 4:20-25; Lk 1:69-70, 71-72, 73-75; Lk 12:13-21
- Oct. 22** (St. John Paul II) Rom 5:12, 15b, 17-19, 20b-21; Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 17; Lk 12:35-38
- Oct. 23** (St. John of Capistrano) Rom 6:12-18; Ps 124:1b-3, 4-6, 7-8; Lk 12:39-48
- Oct. 24** (St. Anthony Marie de Claret) Rom 6:19-23; Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6; Lk 12:49-53
- Oct. 25** (Weekday) Rom 7:18-25a; Ps 119:66, 68, 76, 77, 93, 94; Lk 12:54-59
- Oct. 26** (Weekday) Rom 8:1-11; Ps 24:1b-2, 3-4ab, 5-6; Lk 13:1-9
- Oct. 27** **Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
Sir 35:12-14, 16-18; Ps 34:2-3, 17-18, 19, 23; 2 Tm 4:6-8, 16-18; Lk 18:9-14

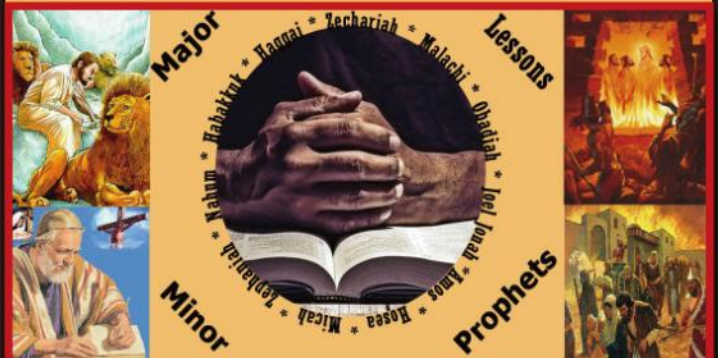
## Marriage: Love and Life In The Divine Plan: Children

"Marriage is not merely a private institution. It is the foundation for the family, where children learn the values and virtues that will make good Christians as well as good citizens. The importance of marriage for children and for the upbringing of the next generation highlights the importance of marriage for all society." "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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