



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.
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Deacons: Rev. Mr. Doug Boyd Sr.,
Rev. Mr. Paul Williams
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MASS AND ADORATION

Sunday Eucharist: Saturday Vigil, 5:00 pm and Sunday 10:00 am
Daily Eucharist: Holy Mass celebrated on Monday to Saturday at 8:00 am

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 123 S. Llewellyn Ave., 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, Estella Castillo at 214-725-2100 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 Deacon Paul Williams at 972-291-7070
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, Principal 214-331-5139 <http://www.saintspride.com>

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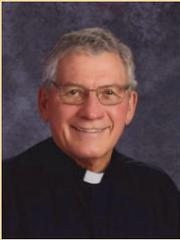
23rd
Sunday
in
Ordinary
Time

“Again, [amen] I say to you, if two of you agree on earth about anything for which they are to pray, it shall be granted to them by my heavenly Father.”

Matthew 18:19

Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

FROM THE DESK OF THE PASTOR



Today Jesus reminds us that we are all brothers and sisters. We do not show our love for our neighbor by kind, praising words alone, but also, when necessary, with words of encouragement or even correction. If we truly are brothers and sisters we cannot act as if we had nothing to do with one another. It is often so easy to just criticize each other instead of helping each

other by good example to live like Christians. What most helps people to follow Christ is seeing others living out their faith, hope and love. We all know this through our own experience. A true Christian should share the weight of his neighbor's successes and failures, his growth or his sin. The sins of our neighbor are not just "his own problem", but they are in some way "ours". Precisely because we love our neighbor so much his sins should feel like a failure not only on his part, but on ours. Today's gospel begins with these words: "If your brother..." This is the key for how we should behave with others: not indifferent, not superior, but as brothers. Yes, we should correct our brothers and sisters with love: just as a father is not always silent, but speaks to his children and encourages them and sometimes scolds them; as a teacher is with his students; as a friend is to a friend; as Christ was, who knew when to correct his disciples – especially Peter – with delicacy and vigor, and so help them mature in the right direction. With love, from love. And final, let us not forget that when we are the ones who receive words of correction, we must react well. At the time it hurts when others must tell us that something is not right, but later we see that it helps us to improve. Others often know our defects much better than we do. With the help of God, and with our own sincere effort to help one another, we will feel more and more like brothers and sisters each day. Amen

Fr. Russ



Rosary Before Mass

The Knights of Columbus Council 17111 will pray the Rosary, during the months of September and October, one-half hour before the Saturday 5:00 PM Mass and the Sunday 10:00 AM

Mass. The intentions of these Rosaries will be for our Church, our Country, and an end to the pandemic. All are invited to participate.

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. You may call Grand Knight Joe Villegas at (214) 773-8182 for more information.

Stewardship

Weekend Collection	Aug. 30, 2020	\$	N/A
In House Giving	Aug. 30, 2020	\$	N/A
On-Line Giving	Aug. 30, 2020	\$	N/A
Kids Church	Aug. 30, 2020	\$	N/A
Total	Aug. 30, 2020	\$	N/A

Attendance _____ Aug. 30, 2020 x

Teller Team Captain 09/06— Larry Fabian
Teller Team Captain 09/13— Tom Janik



Altar Guild Membership Drive



The St. Elizabeth Altar Guild is conducting their 2020-2021 Membership Drive. The yearly membership fee is \$15. Your fee can be mailed to either Judy Munchrath or the church office. You may also bring it to the rectory or drop an envelope into the mail slots on the door.

The Altar Guild is a very important part of our Catholic mission.

Prayer for an End to Racism

*Mary, friend and mother to all,
through your Son, God has found a way
to unite himself to every human being,
called to be one people,
sisters and brothers to each other.*

*We ask for your help in calling on your Son,
seeking forgiveness for the times
when we have failed to love and respect one another.*

*We ask for your help in obtaining from your Son
the grace we need to overcome the evil of racism
and to build a just society.*

*We ask for your help in following your Son,
so that prejudice and animosity
will no longer infect our minds or hearts
but will be replaced with a love that respects
the dignity of each person.*

*Mother of the Church,
the Spirit of your Son Jesus
warms our hearts:
pray for us.*

From "Open Wide Our Hearts: The Enduring Call to Love", a pastoral letter against racism

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

Daily Masses are being offered at 8:00 AM Monday-Saturday. Sunday Masses are offered on Saturdays at 5pm and Sundays at 10:00 AM ONLY



WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

Monday Sept. 7

8:00 AM — ☩ Johnny Yanez, Sr., by Rosie Yanez & family.

Tuesday, Sept. 8

8:00 AM — Evelyn Buensuceso's Birthday, by Thelma Bright & Lourdes Tiambeng.

Wednesday, Sept. 9

8:00 AM — Intention of Zulma & Wilson Reyes, by Cliff Thompson.

Thursday, Sept. 10

8:00 AM — ☩ Ruben A. Shields, by Bertha Shields.

Friday, Sept. 11

8:00 AM — Intention of Zulma & Wilson Reyes, by Cliff Thompson.

Saturday, Sept. 12

8:00 AM — Intention of Zulma & Wilson Reyes, by Cliff Thompson.

5:00 PM — Intention of Zulma & Wilson Reyes, by Cliff Thompson.

Sunday, Sept. 13

10:00 AM — Intention of Zulma & Wilson Reyes, by Cliff Thompson.



The Sanctuary Light burns for the Intentions of Gentry Coleridge Smith, by Margaret G. White.

**The Catechism of the Catholic Church
(PRAYER OF INTERCESSION)**

2635 Since Abraham, intercession - asking on behalf of another has been characteristic of a heart attuned to God's mercy. In the age of the Church, Christian intercession participates in Christ's, as an expression of the communion of saints. In intercession, he who prays looks "not only to his own interests, but also to the interests of others," even to the point of praying for those who do him harm.



SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Sept. 7 (Weekday) 1 Cor 5:1-8; Ps 5:5-6, 7, 12; Lk 6:6-11
- Sept. 8 (The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary) Mi 5:1-4a or Rom 8:28-30; Ps 13:6ab, 6c; Mt 1:1-16, 18-23 or Mt 1:18-23
- Sept. 9 (St. Peter Claver) 1 Cor 7:25-31; Ps 45:11-12, 14-15, 16-17; Lk 6:20-26
- Sept. 10 (Weekday) 1 Cor 8:1b-7, 11-13; Ps 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 23-24; Lk 6:27-38
- Sept. 11 (Weekday) 1 Cor 9:16-19, 22b-27; Ps 84:3, 4, 5-6, 12; Lk 6:39-42
- Sept. 12 (The Most Holy Name of Mary) 1 Cor 10:14-22; Ps 116:12-13, 17-18; Lk 6:43-49
- Sept. 13 **Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time**
Sir 27:30—28:7; Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12; Rom 14:7-9; Mt 18:21-35



"Sanitizing the Church"

For your safety and peace of mind, we sanitize the church after every Mass or liturgy. We want you to feel at ease knowing that we are doing our very best to keep you safe during these challenging times.

Catholic Quotes

St. Thomas Aquinas

He who is not angry when there is just cause for anger is immoral. Why? Because anger looks to the good of justice. And if you can live amid injustice without anger, you are immoral as well as unjust.



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WHERE DO I START?**

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