

St. Elizabeth of Hungary CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Priest in Residence: Rev. Emmett Hall

Deacons: Rev. Mr. Doug Boyd Sr.,

Rev. Mr. Paul Williams

Seminarian: Ben Chavez

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Elizabeth Seidemann, Wedding Coordinator

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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.

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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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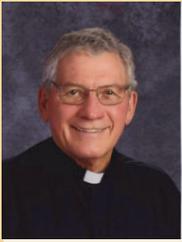
27th
Sunday
in
Ordinary
Time

“The kingdom of
God will be
taken away from
you and given to
a people that
will produce
its fruit.”

Matthew 21:43

Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

FROM THE DESK OF THE PASTOR



In today's Gospel, Jesus explains the history of salvation to the priests and Pharisees a third time. It is a story of God's infinite love for his people and their stubborn unfaithfulness. Christ uses a parable to tell the story of his own death and resurrection. The owner of the vineyard sent his own Son to the tenants with the hope that they would at least respect and receive him.

Yet, the temptation was irresistible: "Let us kill him and acquire his inheritance". Two thousand years ago they did just that when they killed the Son of God. But Christ extends his Kingdom on earth through the mystery of his cross and Resurrection. A new people is arising destined to bear much fruit. The Church receives the inheritance due to the people of God. God continues sending messengers who call for action. The Pope, the clergy, and the committed lay faithful are the conscience of the world through the testimony of their lives. Nonetheless, they are rejected and ignored because they don't go well with a materialistic or liberalistic way of life. In a certain sense, we all make up part of the band of murderous vineyard workers. We have killed the Son of God, and find ourselves in a world that sees thousands of men and women dying of hunger and millions of children who never reach adulthood. We find ourselves amidst juvenile corruption and the exploitation of women. What would happen if we recovered the inheritance of the Son? His inheritance is aimed at happiness and the human person achieving fulfillment on the natural and spiritual levels. If only we could revive the image of Christ and faithfully transmit him to others through the testimony of our lives, then it is more likely that those around us would also take on the commitment to live a new lifestyle as children of God.

Fr. Russ



Stewardship

Attendance Sept. 27, 2020 223

Teller Team Captain 10/04— Felipe Gomez
Teller Team Captain 10/11— Philip Barrilleaux

Catholic Quotes

St. Ambrose

How far, O rich, do you extend your senseless avarice? Do you intend to be the sole inhabitants of the earth? Why do you drive out the fellow sharers of nature, and claim it all for yourselves? The earth was made for all, rich and poor, in common. Why do you rich claim it as your exclusive right?

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.*

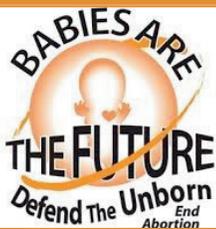
*We ask for your help in following your Son,
so that prejudice and animosity
will no longer infect our minds or hearts
but will be replaced with a love that respects
the dignity of each person.*

*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

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!



"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

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.

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 & 12 Noon



WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

Monday Oct. 5

8:00 AM — In Thanksgiving, by Edna.

Tuesday, Oct. 6

8:00 AM — Intention of Doris House, by Pete Chavez & family.

Wednesday, Oct. 7

8:00 AM — Intention of Daniel Chaney, by Pete Chavez & family.

Thursday, Oct. 8

8:00 AM — ☩ Carmen Vargas, by Esperanza Mendoza & family.

Friday, Oct. 9 — ☩ Bob Clark, by Sylvia Clark

8:00 AM — .

Saturday, Oct. 10

8:00 AM — Intention of Beverly Hill, by Sylvia Clark

5:00 PM — ☩ Marilyn Ziaja, by her children.

Sunday, Oct. 11

10:00 AM — ☩ Juan A. Garza, by the Garza Family.

12:00 PM — Intention of the Curiel Kids, by Mon



The Sanctuary Light burns for Billy Phillips, by Pat Phillips.



October is the month of the Rosary. This is primarily due to the fact that the liturgical **feast of Our Lady of the Rosary** is celebrated annually on **October 7th**. The feast was introduced by Pope St. Pius V (1504-1572) in the year 1571 to commemorate the miraculous victory of the

Christian forces in the **Battle of Lepanto** on October 7, 1571. The pope attributed victory more to the "arms" of the Rosary than the power of cannons and the valor of the soldiers who fought there.

Pray the Rosary



St. Vincent de Paul Helping our Neighbors

SVdP is our parish based conference that does community outreach and we would like to thank our parishioners for your continued support to help us help our neighbors in need with rent, utilities, medication, food, furniture, etc. During this time

of COVID-19, we realize everyone is struggling, however, you have given generously to help SVdP and your donations are very much appreciated. On behalf of your neighbors in need, we thank you.

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Oct. 5** (St. Francis Xavier Seelos) Gal 1:6-12; Ps 111:1b-2, 7-8, 9 and 10c; Lk 10:25-37
- Oct. 6** (St. Bruno; Blessed Marie Rose Durocher) Gal 1:13-24; Ps 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 14c-15; Lk 10:38-42 (Our Lady of the Rosary) Gal 2:1-2, 7-14; Ps 17:1bc, 2; Lk 11:1-4
- Oct. 7** (Weekday) Gal 3:1-5; Lk 1:69-70, 71-72, 73-75; Lk 11:5-13
- Oct. 9** (St. Denis & Companions; St. John Leonardi) Gal 3:7-14; Ps 111:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6; Lk 11:15-26
- Oct. 10** (Weekday) Gal 3:22-29; Ps 105:2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Lk 11:27-28
- Oct. 11** **Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time**
Is 25:6-10a; Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6; Phil 4:12-14, 19-20; Mt 22:1-14 or Mt 22:1-10



"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.

The Catechism of the Catholic Church
(Respect for Persons and Their Goods)

2409 Even if it does not contradict the provisions of civil law, any form of unjustly taking and keeping the property of others is against the seventh commandment: thus, deliberate retention of goods lent or of objects lost; business fraud; paying unjust wages; forcing up prices by taking advantage of the ignorance or hardship of another.

The following are also morally illicit: speculation in which one contrives to manipulate the price of goods artificially in order to gain an advantage to the detriment of others; corruption in which one influences the judgment of those who must make decisions according to law; appropriation and use for private purposes of the common goods of an enterprise; work poorly done; tax evasion; forgery of checks and invoices; excessive expenses and waste. Willfully damaging private or public property is contrary to the moral law and requires reparation.

2410 Promises must be kept and contracts strictly observed to the extent that the commitments made in them are morally just. A significant part of economic and social life depends on the honoring of contracts between physical or moral persons - commercial contracts of purchase or sale, rental or labor contracts. All contracts must be agreed to and executed in good faith.



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