

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time



St. Elizabeth of Hungary CATHOLIC CHURCH

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MASS AND ADORATION

Sunday Eucharist: Saturday Vigil, 5:00 pm and Sunday 8:00 am
10:00 am and 12 Noon

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.

Confession: 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
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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 10:00-11:30 AM 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
eseidemmann@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: A Quinceañera blessing may be given at the end of
a Sunday Mass. These should be scheduled at least one month in
advance. Please contact Fr. Emmett or Fr. Uche at 214-331-
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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 Seidemmann 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
eseidemmann@stelizabethdallas.org for more information.

Anointing of the Sick and Homebound Ministry: the Sacrament
of the Anointing of the Sick is administered by appointment.
Please call the rectory to make arrangements. For extended
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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
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But the tax
collector stood
off at a distance
and would not
even raise his eyes
to heaven but beat
his breast and
prayed, "O God,
be merciful to
me a sinner."

Luke 18:13



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The Pharisee and the Publican
James Tissot 1836-1902

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From the Desk of the Parochial Vicar



Self-justification as opposed to Justification by God.

Three Sundays ago, the Gospel of Luke admonished us with the words "when you have done all you have been commanded say, we are unprofitable servants" (Lk 17,10), indicating the gratuitous nature of our calling and service to others. The Gospel of today presents similar admonition concerning our spiritual life that requires humility, gratitude to God and compassionate solidarity towards fellow

brothers and sisters. St. Luke reminds us today that when we are convinced of our righteousness and for that despise everyone else, we run the risk of condemning ourselves before God. (Lk 18,9)

It is only God that can justify us. As such, those who are convinced of their own righteousness run the risk of presumption. Though the example of the Gospel mentioned a Pharisee who was praying in the temple, his attitude can be likened to an approach to Christian discipleship where there is personal selection of the content of faith, liturgy and worship of God and sacramental life, which are not the same with what the Catholic Church believes, teaches, prays, and lives. The practical implication of this type of Christian discipleship is the common self-justification of one's attitude towards Holy Communion, sacrament of reconciliation, certain moral issues not acceptable to our contemporary modern society and culture, and obviously a form of exclusive personal approach to prayer and worship that relativizes praying together with the community. Therefore, when we 'pick and choose' according to our relativistic criteria, we are not far from the self-righteous attitude condemned by Christ in the Gospel of today.

The second aspect that Jesus warns us is as regards the consideration of our righteousness in relation to others. When we overestimate the efforts, we are making towards obeying God's commandments, as if it is all by our own making, and underestimate the efforts of those whom we consider sinners are making without so much to show externally for it according to our own logic and not that of God, we run into spiritual pride. Of course, such a spiritual pride has its accompanying vices of arrogance, indifference, and ignorance.

Let humility, selflessness, gratitude, and compassion be our watchwords as we meditate on our spiritual journey with Christ in the company of our fellow brothers and sisters.

Fr. Uche

White Rose 15th Annual Benefit Dinner

Saturday, November 5, 2022

Silent Auction at 6:30 PM

Dinner at 7:30 PM

Special guest Most Reverend Joseph Strickland
Royal Oaks Country Club
7915 Greenville Avenue

Stewardship

Attendance March October 16, 2022

5:00 PM	127
8:00 AM	76
10:00 AM	393
12:00 PM	184
Total	780

Teller Team Captain 10/23— Norma Gonzalez
Teller Team Captain 10/30— Yolanda Ramirez



WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, Oct. 24

8:00 AM — ✠ Ramiro Marroquin, Sr., by Alberta Marroquin.

Tuesday, Oct. 25

8:00 AM — ✠ Ramiro Marroquin, Sr., by Alberta Marroquin.

Wednesday, Oct. 26

8:00 AM — ✠ Ramiro Marroquin, Sr., by Alberta Marroquin.

Thursday, Oct. 27

8:00 AM — ✠ Ramiro Marroquin, Sr., by Alberta Marroquin.

Friday, Oct. 28

8:00 AM — ✠ Ramiro Marroquin, Sr., by Alberta Marroquin.

Saturday, Oct. 29

8:00 AM — ✠ Ramiro Marroquin, Sr., by Alberta Marroquin.

5:00 PM — ✠ Ramiro Marroquin, Sr., by Alberta Marroquin.

Sunday, Oct. 30

8:00 AM — In Thanksgiving.

10:00 AM — ✠ Edgar A. Treadway III.

12:00 PM — ✠ Juan L. Cantu, by Rosie Yanez & family.



*The Sanctuary Light burns for
✠ Sandra Dennehy, by Catherine Dennehy.*

Don't Forget Eucharistic Adoration Fridays at 6:00 PM

Scripture Study

Tuesdays 7-8 PM

On Zoom

In this study, Catholics will be able to see, appreciate, and take hold of the riches God has given them in the New Covenant. Highlighting the critical distinctions between the Old and New Covenants, Hebrews will help Catholics get to know the generosity of the Father's heart in a deeper way than ever before.

(For ZOOM information contact Elizabeth Seidemann in the Rectory)



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."



All Saints Day (November 1st)

The feast of All Saints is a **Holy Day of Obligation**. It is our duty and privilege to attend Mass on this feast day that honors those who have gone before us, known or unknown, and are in heaven. Masses will be on Monday October 31st at 7:00 PM, Tuesday November 1st at 8:00 AM (with the school children), 12 Noon, 1:45 PM (with Bishop Dunne) and 7:00 PM.



Holy Redeemer All Souls Day Mass

On **Wednesday, November 2nd**, we will celebrate our annual All Souls Mass at Holy Redeemer Cemetery in the chapel. There are many of our relatives, friends and parishioners who have been laid to rest there. One of the benefits of a Catholic cemetery is that Mass can be offered there on site. Our **All Souls Mass** will begin at **11:00 AM on November 2nd**. After the priest will bless the graves of your loved ones.



St. Vincent de Paul TRUCK PICKUP

On October 22nd & 23rd there will be a SVDP truck in the parking lot to accept large item donations for St. Vincent de Paul. The truck attendants will assist you in unloading and provide a statement for tax purposes. members from SVDP will be at the truck assisting with the collection 30 mins. prior and 30 mins. after each Mass.

Catholic Charities Drive to Help Local Refugees

Catholic Charities Dallas needs the following items for many services they offer. These will benefit Refugee Services, Education Services, Disaster and Homelessness & Housing programs. By collecting these items, we allow the funds they raise through their ministry to help the Refugees directly pay some of their initial bills as they begin their new lives here in Dallas.

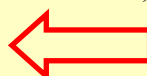
*****Please bring all NEW items to the church *****
(leave in the box by the table across from the bathrooms)
by October 31, 2022.

Toiletries: Toilet paper; Toothbrush and toothpaste; Full size shampoo, conditioner, body wash, soap; Deodorant; Shaving supplies; Combs/brushes; Feminine hygiene items; Diapers: Newborn & Sizes 1 -6.

Full size household cleaning supplies: Dish soap; All-purpose cleaner; Sponges; Laundry detergent; Waste baskets; Mop/broom; Trash bags.

Other household items; Towels; Alarm clocks; Pillows & pillowcases; Shower curtains and rings; Twin sheets/blankets; Can opener; Mixing bowls; Kitchen utensils; Silverware; Pots & pans sets.



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