



St. Elizabeth of Hungary CATHOLIC PARISH

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MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday Masses: Saturday (anticipatory) 5:00 pm Sunday 8:00am, 10:00 am and 12 Noon Daily Masses: Monday through Saturday: 8:00 am

CONFESSION

Saturday 3:30 - 4:30 PM, and by appointment Parents with young children in tow are warmly invited to skip to the front of the line.

ADORATION

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First Friday: 10:00 am - 7:00 pm, ending with Benediction.

All Other Fridays: 6:00 - 7:00 pm ending with Benediction.

Please see our website for more information on Baptisms, Quinceañeras, and Weddings.

To offer a Mass Intention, reserve a room for your ministry, or for general inquiries, please contact the front desk: 214-331-4328 or office@stelizabethdallas.org.

For Business Office and Tithing Questions, please contact Maria Chavez at (469) 697-6774 or mchavez@stelizabethdallas.org.

MATERIAL ASSISTANCE

St. Vincent de Paul Society at 469-418-0871 or svdp@stelizabethdallas.org. or QR code to donate



Oak Cliff Churches for Emergency Aid located at 123 S. Llewellyn Ave., Dallas TX No aid is available at the parish office.

Project Gabriel: If you are pregnant and are considering terminating your pregnancy, let us help you choose life for your child! Call 469-602-HELP(4357) or White Rose: (972) BABY-DUE.

FAITH FORMATION FOR CHILDREN & TEENS Faith formation for Prok 4 through 7th grade mosts

Faith formation for PreK-4 through 7th grade meets Sunday mornings during the school year.

Confirmation classes for 8th grade & high school are held Wednesday evenings during the school year.

High School Youth Ministry meets Wednesday evenings during the school year.

Please contact Elizabeth Seidemann at (469)697-6775 or eseidemann@stelizabethdallas.org for more information.

INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC?

RCIA meets Wednesday evenings at 7pm from September to May. Please contact Estella Castillo at 214-725-2100 for more information.

Catholic adults desiring to complete their sacraments of initiation (First Holy Communion and Confirmation) may also attend these courses.

MINISTRY TO THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND

Anointing of the Sick is administered upon request. Please call the office to make arrangements.

For extended needs for Holy Communion at home please call the office for further information.

FUNERALS

Before making arrangements, please contact Cliff Thompson at (469) 697-6778 (office), (214) 558-0719 (cell), or cthompson@stelizabethdallas.org.

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, Lectors and Altar Servers, please call Deacon Paul Williams at (469) 901-8138 or pwilliams@stelizabethdallas.org Ushers & Greeters: please call Michael Rangel at 469-855-2943.

The Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

FROM THE DESK OF THE PASTOR



As we've concluded the Christmas Season and await the beginning of Lent — in just one month! — we find ourselves back in the "green season" of Ordinary Time. In much the same way as the other seasons, Ordinary Time follows a progression: beginning with the first events of Jesus' pub-

lic ministry, through His teaching & miracles throughout the summer, to the parables on the end times in the fall.

This week and next, our Gospel passages recount the calling of the Apostles. This was one of the first steps in our Lord's public ministry, and it's worth recalling that the Apostles accompanied Him throughout, for roughly three years, before His Passion. Jesus invested time — and much patience! — in these men who would be entrusted with carrying on His mission. Even when we don't see them mentioned in events recounted in the Gospel, they're likely present and being formed.

Today's first reading recounts the call of Samuel, one of the great prophets in Israel's history. It's one of my favorites, as it shows a young man learning to hear and discern the voice of the Lord. "Speak, for your servant is listening" is a great way to begin a period of prayer.

We can see the wisdom of pairing today's first reading with the Gospel passage, as both recount a first encounter with the Lord, and the beginning of an extraordinary calling. I am confident that the Lord still calls people in similar ways. Indeed, both of these accounts resonate greatly with my own experience of being called to the priesthood.

Let's be attentive to the way our Lord is still calling His people. That begins with taking time in prayer to listen for His voice. We should also be encouraging young people — especially from among our families — to listen for the call to become a priest or religious sister, and encourage them to respond generously if they hear it.

Next Sunday Fr. Mark Garrett, the Director of Vocations for the Diocese, will celebrate the 10 am Mass here at St. Elizabeth. He is the primary contact for young men responding to God's call to the priesthood. Please give him a warm welcome, and pray for vocations!

Fr. Emmett

Church Office Hours

Tuesday—Friday 8:30am—5:00 pm Lunch— 12:00pm—12:30 pm

Stewardship

Attendance January 7, 2023

5:00 PM 8:00 AM	160 118
10:00 AM	402
12:00 PM	292
Total	972

Teller Team Captain 01/14 — Tom Janik Teller Team Captain 01/21 — Norma Gonzalez



WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, January 15

8:00 AM — NO MASS.

Tuesday, January 16

8:00 AM — ♣ Agapito (Pete) Esparza, by his wife.

Wednesday, January 17

8:00 AM — \$\Pi\$ Agapito (Pete) Esparza, by his wife.

Thursday, January 18

8:00 AM — **♣** Andrew Garza, by the Garza & Castillo family.

Friday, January 19

8:00 AM— & Agapito (Pete) Esparza, by his wife.

Saturday, January 20

8:00 AM— ♣ Agapito (Pete) Esparza, by his wife.

5:00 PM— ♣ Agapito (Pete) Esparza, by his wife.

Sunday, January 21

8:00 AM— **†** Feliciano & Flora Vega, by the Suarez family.

10:00 AM — ♣ Agapito (Pete) Esparza, by his wife. 12:00 PM— The People of the Parish.



The Sanctuary Light burns for the intention of Arryan, Carlina & Gentry, by Margaret White.

Scripture Study

Tuesdays 7-8 PM
On Zoom
(For ZOOM information contact
Elizabeth Seidemann in the Parish Office)



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."

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction

This Friday we will have Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament from 6-7pm, immediately followed by Benediction. It is a Great Gift to be able to spend personal time with Our Lord.



Catholic Charities Mobile Food Pantry in partnership with St. Vincent de Paul Food Distribution

Catholic Charities will be here on **Thursday January 25th** in the parking lot, and every fourth Thursday, to distribute food. If you, or someone you know, would like to take advantage of this op-

portunity to resupply your cupboard during these difficult times, please come by the parking lot between the hours of 10:00am - Noon. The food is given without any preconditions.

Payday Loan Relief

Are you struggling to pay bills because of high-interest payday or auto title loan payments, or need an emergency loan for unexpected expenses such as home and auto repair, apartment deposit or medical expenses? The **Society of St. Vincent de Paul** offers a program to convert payday loans/auto title loans into a low-interest loan that can be paid off over 12 months. We also offer emergency loans. For more information, call the St. Vincent de Paul assistance helpline, 214-520-0650 x124, and ask about the **Mini Loan Program**.



"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

Pray the Rosary



RCIA classes have begun and are being held each Wednesday from 7:00-8:30 in the Grahmann Center. If someone you know is interested in becoming a Catholic, completing sacraments, or is interested in learning more about our faith please call Estella Castillo at 214-725-2100 or email her at:

estellacastillo1@gmail.com.

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