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

Mass Schedule

Masses: Saturday (anticipatory) 5 PM
Sunday 8 AM, 10 AM and 12 PM
Daily Masses: Monday thru Saturday: 8 AM

Adoration

First Friday: 10 AM - 7 PM, ends with Benediction
Other Fridays: 6 PM - 7 PM, ends with Benediction

Confession

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

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 Letty Rangel at (469) 697-6778.

Liturgical Ministries

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, Lectors and Altar Servers, please call Deacon Paul Williams at (469) 901-8138 or email pwilliams@stelizabethdallas.org

Ushers and Greeters call Michael Rangel at (469) 855-2943.

Clergy

Pastor: Very Rev. Emmett Hall, V.F.
Parochial Vicar: Rev. Francis Nwizu
Deacon: Paul Williams

Lay Staff

Business Manager: Maria Longoria Chavez
Parish Catechetical Leader
& Wedding Coordinator: Elizabeth Seidemann
Funeral Coordinator: Letty Rangel
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Facilities Specialist: Leo Moncada

St Elizabeth of Hungary Catholic School

Mrs. Jennifer Borth, M.S.E.L., Principal
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Faith Formation for Children & Teens

✠ PreK-4 through 7th grade meets Sunday mornings during the school year.
✠ 8th grade & high school Confirmation classes are Wednesday evenings during the school year.
✠ High School Youth Ministry meets Wednesday evenings during the school year.
Contact Elizabeth Seidemann at (469) 697-6775 or eseidemann@stelizabethdallas.org for information.

Interested in Becoming Catholic?

OCIA (Order of Christian Initiation for Adults) meets Wednesdays at 7:00 pm from September to May. Contact Estella Castillo at (214) 725-2100 or ecastillo@stelizabethdallas.org for information.

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

Financial Assistance

Contact St. Vincent de Paul Society at (469) 418-0871 or svdp@stelizabethdallas.org.

Scan the QR code to donate.



Food Pantry

Visit Oak Cliff Churches for Emergency Aid located at 123 S Llewellyn Ave., Dallas TX | oakcliffchurchesaid@gmail.com

No aid is available at the parish office.

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From The Desk of The Pastor

Practical Notes on Receiving Communion



The Eucharist, which we receive in Holy Communion, is the Body, Blood, Soul, and Divinity of our Lord Jesus Christ. Therefore when we receive Him, it is of the utmost importance that we do so well. I'll take this opportunity to share some practical notes about this important moment in the Mass.

First, only practicing Catholics in good standing should receive Holy Communion — that is, those who have been properly prepared and initiated, and who are in a state of grace. Sometimes folks who are not Catholic find themselves attending Mass for whatever reason — and that's a good thing! All are welcome to attend Mass. However, at Communion time, they might follow along with what everyone else is doing, and accidentally try to receive Communion when they aren't supposed to. That's why I always try to be alert when distributing Holy Communion, and I'm grateful for your patience if I've ever misjudged your approach and asked "are you Catholic?" or "Do you receive?" if I'm not sure.

Next, we should always fast for at least one hour before receiving Holy Communion. That's one of the reasons why we don't chew gum or consume food or drinks during or immediately before Mass. Neither water nor medicine break the fast, so feel free to take them if you need to. If you're taking a lozenge for medicinal purposes, please do so discreetly to avoid giving other people the impression that you're chewing gum or candy.

Receiving on the tongue, while standing, is the norm for reception of Holy Communion. It is also permitted to receive on the hand in the United States and some other countries, or to receive while kneeling. For those who prefer to kneel, we have altar rails which you're free to use. No need to make eye contact with me beforehand — if you just go to the altar rail, I'll know what to do.

For those who receive on the hand, please make sure to do so in the proper way, with both hands, not grasping the Host before It is placed on your palm, and then consuming It immediately, without making the sign of the cross with It or any other sort of gesture. NEVER break the Host with your hands before consuming — it can lead to particles of the Host falling to the ground.

~ Fr. Emmett

Stewardship

August 3, 2025

Attendance Total: 857

5:00 PM 152

8:00 AM 156

10:00 AM 287

12:00 PM 262

Collections: \$10,794

Online: \$5,994

Teller Team Captain 8/10 - Cesar Guerrero

Teller Team Captain 8/17 - Felipe Gomez

Weekly Mass Intentions

Saturday, August 9

8:00 AM Zenia Curiel, by Maria Curiel and Family

5:00 PM Luke Treadaway, by the Treadaway Family

Sunday, August 10

8:00 AM The People of the Parish

10:00 AM † Frank A. Aguilar, the Aguilar Family

12:00 PM All August Birthdays, by the Johnson Family

Monday, August 11

8:00 AM † Josefina Cruz Villanueva, by Alberta "Birdie" Marroquin and Family

Tuesday, August 12

8:00 AM Alberta "Birdie" Marroquin's Birthday, by the Marroquin Family

Wednesday, August 13

8:00 AM Ruben Rubio, by Yareli Rubio

Thursday, August 14

8:00 AM † Ethan Heatly, by the Heatly Family

7:00 PM Letty Rangel's Birthday, by Michael Rangel and Family

Friday, August 15

8:00 AM The People of the Parish

12:00 PM † Kenneth Shugart, by Beatriz Shugart

7:00 PM † Hilaria O. Rodriguez, by Rosie and Joe Villegas

 Visit stelizabethdallas.org to register as a parishioner, see upcoming events, sign up for online giving and much more.

Holy Day of Obligation



The Assumption of Mary Feast Day dates back to earliest Christian times. The first believed to have asked what had happened to Mary’s body was St Epiphanius, a 4th Century bishop who devoted himself to the study of Mary’s death and believed Our Lady did not die but instead was recalled to heaven.

The feast day of this holy and momentous event stems from the middle of the 5th Century when the Commemoration of the Mother of God was celebrated each year on 15 August in a shrine located near Jerusalem. More than 100 years later, the feast also commemorated the end of Mary’s sojourn on earth and was known as the “Dormition of Our Lady.”

The feast was introduced to Rome in the 8th Century by Pope Sergius and from there it spread rapidly throughout western Europe, with Pope Hadrian later giving the Feast Day its official name as the Assumption of Mary towards the end of the Century.

Mass will be celebrated on **Thursday**, August 14th at 7:00 PM; **Friday**, August 15th at 8:00 AM, 12:00 PM, and 7:00 PM.

The office will be closed on Friday, August 15th.

Flowers for the Altar

Flowers on the altar reminds us of the beauty of God’s creation and our efforts to give Him glory and praise. The flowers on the altar this weekend are in loving memory of **Beatrice “BeBe” Gomez** by Felipe Gomez and Family. If you would like to donate flowers, please contact the office.



2nd Collection



Within the Diocese of Dallas, we believe that Catholic Schools need to be excellent across five domains in order to thrive: Academics, Community, Catholic Formation, Facilities, and Finances. Catholic Schools need to be reflective of the needs of their communities and serve the greater interests of those they serve. At our best, Catholic Schools are not merely good for Catholics – Catholic Schools are good for Dallas. There will be a second collection next weekend for Catholic Schools on **August 16th and 17th**.

Golden Anniversary Mass



Bishop Burns will be celebrating Mass commemorating 50th Wedding Anniversaries in our diocese at the Cathedral Santuario de Guadalupe (2215 Ross Avenue) on Saturday, August 23rd starting at 10AM. A reception will follow at the Morton H. Meyerson Symphony Center.



Repair and Maintenance Fund

Today’s 2nd collection is for our monthly Repair and Maintenance Fund. With your support, we can keep our campus and facilities looking beautiful and safe for everyone who visits our parish. Thank you for being so generous.

Breakfast Tacos

The Guadalupana Association will be selling breakfast tacos on **Sunday, August 17th** after all the Masses. Help support this group by purchasing these tasty tacos. Please stop by the table a grab your tacos before they’re all gone.

Bible Study

Classes are on Tuesdays on Zoom at 7:00 PM. They are finishing up the last chapters in the Book of Galatians. If you are interested in joining this group, please contact the office.

Deadlines: Information for the Bulletin **must be submitted at least 2 (two) Fridays before** the publication deadline and/or date of the event. Pulpit announcements must be submitted by the Wednesday (before noon) prior to the event. The office retains all right to change, modify, or not use any submissions.

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