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MATTHEW 5:3



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Office Hours: Tuesday-Friday 8:30 AM - 5 PM
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Please visit stelizabethdallas.org for more information about **Baptisms, Quinceañeras, and Weddings.**

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 Virginia Greene 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
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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 svdcp@stelizabethdallas.org.

Scan the QR code to donate.



No aid is available at the parish office.

St. Elizabeth of Hungary Catholic Parish is a Texas nonprofit corporation and 501(c)(3) tax-exempt charitable organization.

4TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

From The Desk of The Parochial Vicar

God is enough



The readings of this Sunday focus on the help of God for the weak. The Prophet Zephaniah, in the first reading, carried out his prophetic mission during the *interegnum* between the reign of Manasseh and the reforms of King Josiah. At that time the land was polluted with foreign gods, the trading wealthy class was unjust, the prophets were faithless and the priests profaned what was sacred. The prophet foresaw a time when God will draw the weak and the poor to himself and make them to inherit the land while the powerful will be punished and rejected. The weak will find their joy and strength in the Lord and will respect his laws.

The gospel comes as the fulfillment of the prophecy. In the beatitudes Jesus declared blessed those whom the society considers as weak: the poor, those who mourn, the gentle, those who hunger for justice, the merciful, the chaste, the peace makers and the persecuted. These are not considered powerful in the society, but Jesus says that they are blessed, they should be happy. Why?

The answer is in the personality of Jesus who embodies all the attitudes of the beatitude. Jesus was poor, meek, peaceful, worked for justice, was persecuted but he is blessed because God was always with him. By showing God's preference for the weak over the powerful and declaring the former happy Jesus sends a clear message to his followers; namely, that he who is with God must be happy because God is sufficient in every situation. He invites his followers to practice the beatitudes.

Each of the beatitudes is attached to a blessing. They become the principles of happiness. Practicing them may present one as a weakling but in them God is found. Practicing the beatitudes is still the easiest way to keep God's friendship. Having God as friend is being truly blessed. He who seeks God should seek him in the beatitudes and God alone is enough for those who trust in him.

~ Fr. Francis

Stewardship

"In all things I have shown you that by so toiling one must help the weak, remembering the words of the Lord Jesus, how he said, 'It is more blessed to give than receive'" - 1 Peter 4:10

Teller Team Captain 2/1 - Valmarie Perez
Teller Team Captain 2/8 - Felipe Gomez

Weekly Mass Intentions

Saturday, January 31

- 8:00 AM Domingo Perez, Jr,'s Birthday, by Alberta Marroquin and Family
5:00 PM David Salazar, Sr., by the Salazar Family

Sunday, February 1

- 8:00 AM Caroline A. Portman's Birthday, by Alberta Marroquin and Family
10:00 AM People of the Parish
12:00 PM † Ellie Malke, by Sheri and Eric Edelman

Monday, February 2

- 8:00 AM Gerard Muchangi's Birthday

Tuesday, February 3

- 8:00 AM † Magdalena Chotiner, by the Johnson Family

Wednesday, February 4

- 8:00 AM † Teresa Arzola, by the Johnson Family

Thursday, February 5

- 8:00 AM † Norma Gene Bond, by Susan Bond Butsch

Friday, February 6

- 8:00 AM † Faye Wallace Butsch, by Susan Bond Butsch



The sanctuary candle burns continuously next to the tabernacle to signify the real presence of Jesus Christ in the Blessed Sacrament. You can offer a special intention by contacting the office.

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

Eucharistic Adoration



Our Precious Lord will be available for Eucharistic Adoration on this First Friday, February 6th during the hours of 10AM to 7PM. Immediately following adoration, communal praise in the form of Benediction will take place. We ask that you join in the Holy Father’s intention: *“that children suffering from incurable diseases and their families receive the necessary medical care and support, never losing strength and hope”*. Please use the sign-up sheet in the rear of the church. It is our way of ensuring that the Blessed Sacrament will not be left unattended at any time. All are encouraged to attend the sacred event. **THIS is our FAITH.**

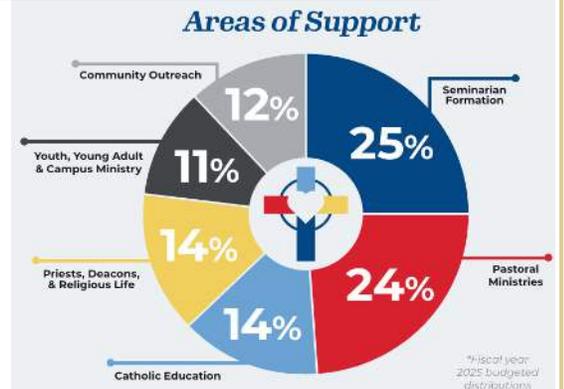
In addition to First Fridays, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will be held every Friday from 6PM to 7PM. Benediction will follow.



This weekend is Commitment Weekend at our parish. In 2025, St. Elizabeth of Hungary donated \$63,181. Please join our parish in supporting this effort that strengthens the many important programs and ministries (listed to the right) across the Diocese of Dallas. Our goal for 2026 is \$66,000. It can be achieved through YOUR generosity!

Now is the time to pledge your gift. How? There are pledge forms available in the pew and in the back of the church; you can scan the QR code or you can visit donate.dallasbishopsappeal.com.

Your gift will truly make a difference to our community. Thank you for your prayers and support.



Youth Ministry

Don’t forget to donate your canned goods for DCYC in February. Cans can be dropped off at the table in the narthex the weekends of January 31st – February 1st and February 7th – 8th.

All canned food items will be donated to the **North Texas Food Bank**.



St. Vincent de Paul TRUCK PICKUP



Due to inclement weather, St Vincent de Paul has rescheduled the Bundle Collection for **February 14th and 15th**. The truck will be stationed in the parking lot adjacent to St. Francis Hall to collect your bulky items. SVdP members will be on hand to assist with unloading your donated items. Members will be stationed 30 min prior to each Mass and 30 min after each Mass.

Save the Date

Join the school for their Grand Gala Night. The event is formal and will begin at 6:00 PM on February 21, 2026 at the Hilton Garden Inn in Duncanville. More information coming soon.

Bible Study

Delve deeper into Scripture. Join the Bible Study Group on Zoom, Tuesdays at 7 PM as they reflect on the Gospel of John. Call the office at (214) 331-4328 for more information.

Deadlines: Information for the Bulletin **must be submitted at least 2 (two) Fridays before** the date of your 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. Please contact the office if you have any questions.

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