



# St. Elizabeth of Hungary

Roman Catholic Church

## *Baptism*



*Buried with Christ - Raised to New Life*

*13<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time † June 28, 2020*

175 Wolf Hill Road, Melville, NY 11747  
631 - 271 - 4455

Faith - Family - Fellowship



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1025 Fifth Avenue, East Northport, New York 11731, 631-261-5130 Patricia Ayers, Principal

Are you interested in receiving emails from St. Elizabeth Church? Have you stopped receiving emails from us but would like to reconnect? Send your updated information (name, address and current email address) to [mkies@stelizabeth.org](mailto:mkies@stelizabeth.org) and we will update our records to keep you informed on all parish events.



*We invite all new members of our parish community to register at the Center. We also encourage you to join one of our numerous parish ministries, so that you may acquire a deeper sense of belonging and accomplishment serving the needs of others.*

### *Celebration of the Eucharist*

Weekday (Monday to Thursday) at 9:30 a.m. in church.

Saturday at 5:00 p.m. (Vigil for Sunday) in church.

Sunday at 9:00 a.m. (outdoors weather permitting) and 11:30 a.m. in church

Holy days usually at 9:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. (Please check the bulletin or website.)

### *Becoming a Catholic or Adult Confirmation*

Are you interested in becoming Catholic? Were you never Confirmed and now find that you would like to complete your Sacraments of Initiation? Are you interested in finding out more about the Catholic faith? If you answered "Yes" to any of these questions, then Faith Formation is for you! Call the Parish Center for more information.

### *Baptism*

Baptisms are celebrated on various Sundays throughout the year at 1:15 p.m. You are encouraged to register for the baptism BEFORE YOUR CHILD IS BORN, so that it is easier to attend the required Baptism Preparation Class. Please call the Center and we will be happy to set up an appointment. Many parents also use this opportunity to register in the Parish as a new parishioner. Information about Godparents is available on the website.

### *Marriage*

We are happy to arrange for your wedding. First, we have the marriage interview and then we can set the date for the wedding. More information is available on the website. Please call the Center for an appointment and we will be happy to help you!

### *Reconciliation*

Confessions will be heard by appointment only. Please email Fr. Irinel: [iracos@stelizabeth.org](mailto:iracos@stelizabeth.org)

### *Anointing of the Sick*

We encourage all those eligible for this Sacrament to be anointed after the Noon Mass on the first Sunday of the month or by calling the Center. Those eligible are those who are about to undergo an operation; are suffering from serious illness and the condition has worsened; or are enduring the weakening effects of advancing age and it has been one year since they were last anointed.

### *Mass Cards*

Mass cards are always available when the Parish Center is open. If you are unable to come to the Center during our normal hours, you are invited to call (631.271.4455) and request a Mass card over the telephone or email [center@stelizabeth.org](mailto:center@stelizabeth.org). Credit cards are accepted in payment of the offering. If you are at the Center during Religious Education hours, feel free to leave your contact information and someone will be in touch with you the next day to fulfill your request!

# faith Formation



## REGISTRATION FOR FAITH FORMATION CLASSES

Classes for kindergarten to eighth grade Faith Formation will begin in October 2020. We are offering classes in the Parish Center twice a month with a significantly reduced number of students in each room, following recommendations of the CDC and New York State requirements. Classes for special needs and older students who want to receive the sacraments are offered too. Our parish's program partners with parents in passing on the Catholic faith and preparing their children for First Reconciliation (Confession), First Communion, and Confirmation.

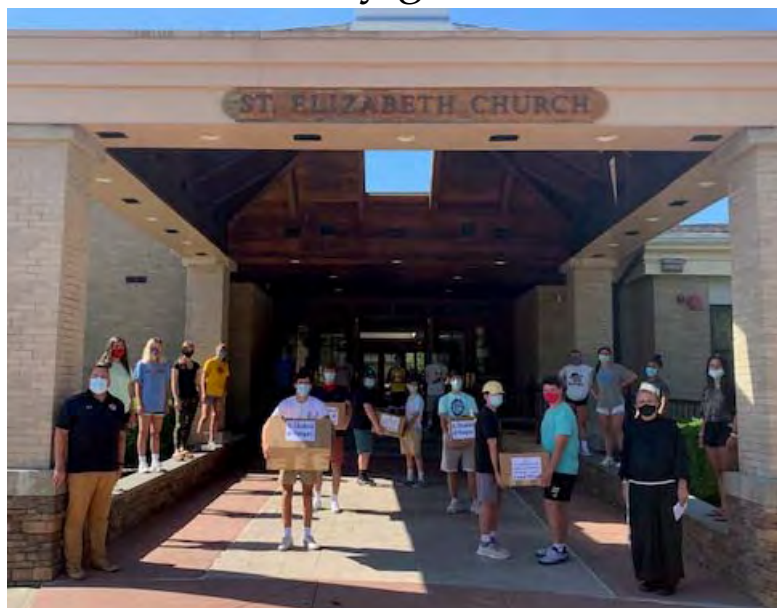
Parent meetings will be offered in the church and through online virtual meeting platforms, giving parents choices to better accommodate complicated family schedules with the unknowns of Covid-19. The Family Program's parent classes requirement will be on hold this academic year (2020-2021) as we determine how and if it can continue with the challenges of Covid-19. A calendar of classes and detailed information is posted on our parish website ([www.stelizabeth.org](http://www.stelizabeth.org)) under the Rel Ed tab.



To the students of  
St. Anthony's High School  
for their very generous donation of

six cartons  
of food  
for our  
pantry.

The students  
held a food drive  
in conjunction  
with their return  
to school to clean  
out their lockers!



*Thank you  
and God bless!*

*MaryAnn  
Giannettino*





# What's Happening

The Parish Center is now open from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday to Friday only through the Main Entrance on Wolf Hill Road.

- 9:30 a.m. daily Mass is celebrated in church.
- 5 p.m. Saturday Mass is celebrated in church.
- 9 a.m. Sunday Mass is celebrated outdoors, weather permitting. Should we need to move indoors due to inclement weather, the same guidelines as other indoor Masses will be in place.
- 11:30 a.m. Sunday Mass is celebrated in church.

We will follow Diocesan directives, keeping every other pew unoccupied and following social-distancing and mask requirements for everyone's safety. If the doors to the church are locked, we have reached capacity for that particular Mass (of course, capacity will not be problem at 9:00 a.m. should we be outdoors.) For the well-being of our entire parish community, the church will be thoroughly cleaned after the 5 p.m. Mass and again after the 9:00 (if indoor) and 11:30 a.m. Masses.

Should you not yet be comfortable returning to Church for Mass, you are invited to stream our 5 p.m. Mass live on Instagram or, after 5 p.m., on YouTube by using this link:

[https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCAWlh7Pd\\_xLSPne8iOU-HAg](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCAWlh7Pd_xLSPne8iOU-HAg).

You may also continue to follow Fr. Irinel with his "Espresso for the Soul" and other posts by visiting our website and looking for the Instagram logo with the words "[Pray with Fr. Irinel](#)" on the left-hand side of our homepage. Click on the logo and you will be brought to Fr.'s Instagram page, "vobiscum2016."

Dispensation from the obligation to attend Sunday Mass remains in effect. If you are sick or vulnerable, we encourage you to remain home and stream Mass. Celebration of the sacraments of Baptism and Matrimony, as well as Funerals are also now permitted, keeping in mind that the guidelines for these sacramental celebrations remain the same as for Mass.

We will do our utmost best to keep you informed and up-to-date through our website and via Constant Contact emails.

Given the status of the current pandemic, despite our best efforts to mitigate exposure to the virus in the church and church facilities, attending Mass and other Church functions may pose a risk of contracting the coronavirus. The church does not have the ability to supervise every visitor's actions throughout the day and cannot guarantee with certainty that an individual will not contract the coronavirus. Please make your decision to attend Mass, or any other church function prayerfully and thoughtfully, being cognizant of all the risks. Proper face masks are to be worn at all times on church property (bandannas and scarves are not acceptable). Social distancing must be observed at all times (at least six feet apart). For your own well-being and that of other parishioners and guests, if you do not feel well, please stay home. If you feel someone on church property is not adhering to our policies, please report it to us immediately.



# HEROES WANTED

## Hero

*Noun:* A person who is admired or idealized for courage, outstanding achievements, or noble qualities.

Join the Knights of Columbus today and show your family and especially your children who true heroes are in our great country. The Knights of Columbus Council #5753 are a group of Catholic men who are from our parish. Their main mission is charity. Help support our parish and Father Irinel in all his endeavors.

Now is the time to join! It only takes 30 minutes online and you can become a member. Once you are a member, we ask that you attend a few of our meetings (one hour) and volunteer a few hours a year at one of the parish events.

Join now and we will donate \$30.00 to the "Food for Brothers" program. This program gives grocery debit cards to Knight members in Suffolk County who need help feeding their families during this pandemic. During this period, Suffolk Chapter of Knights of Columbus will match our donation. That means a \$60.00 donation for each new member that joins our council.

Become a Hero today. Join this great group of men from our parish.

Email us today at: council 5753@gmail.com  
Call: 516-252-2145

God Bless  
Grand Knight - Tom Ferraro

*How could I  
bear a crown  
of gold when  
the Lord bears  
a crown of  
thorns? And  
bears it for me!*

*—St. Elizabeth of Hungary*

## REFLECT

### FIRST READING

We hear how the prophet Elisha and his servant Gehazi repaid the Shunammite woman for her generous hospitality. When have you shown excessive generosity to another?

### SECOND READING

Paul taught the Roman Christians that through Baptism, believers fully participate in the death, burial, and resurrection of Christ. How should this reality impact one's day-to-day living?

### GOSPEL READING

Jesus continues to teach his followers the challenges of discipleship. What do you find most challenging in following Christ?



# Prayer of the Faithful

Sunday, June 28 2020  
Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Confident in the abundance of the Father's love, we bring our prayers and petitions before Him.

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For Church leaders, may God look graciously upon them as they continue to strengthen and give courage to those entrusted to their pastoral care, let us pray to the Lord.

For all civil leaders, may the God of peace and justice inform their efforts, let us pray to the Lord.

For an end to hatred, injustice and violence, may we, with God's help, encourage common good, social justice and respect, let us pray to the Lord.

For all who are alienated from God and His Church, may Christ's message of love and healing penetrate their hearts and reconcile them to Him, let us pray to the Lord.

For all of us here, may God restore in us whatever is necessary for fullness of life and health, especially during this pandemic time, let us pray to the Lord.

For our beloved dead, may they come to share in the fullness of Christ's glory and enjoy His favor forever, remembering Alexander Aurrichio, Richards Schulken, all members of our faith community, our families, and all the victims of the corona virus, let us pray to the Lord.

For the prayers we hold deep in our hearts, let us pray to the Lord.

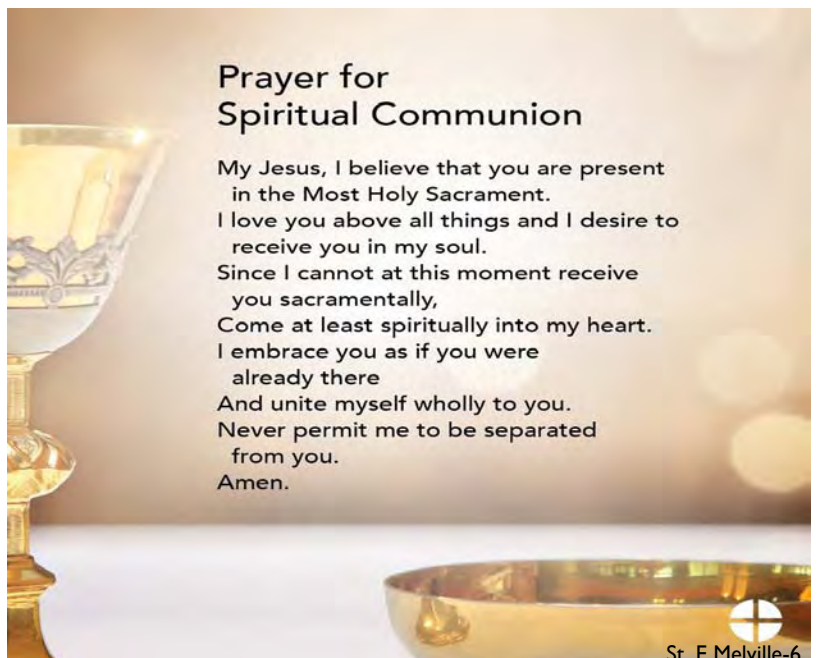
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Heavenly Father, we rejoice in your Son, Jesus Christ, and in the gift of your Holy Spirit. Hear the prayers we offer this day. We ask this in the name of your Son, Jesus Christ.

**AMEN**

## Prayer for Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that you are present  
in the Most Holy Sacrament.  
I love you above all things and I desire to  
receive you in my soul.  
Since I cannot at this moment receive  
you sacramentally,  
Come at least spiritually into my heart.  
I embrace you as if you were  
already there  
And unite myself wholly to you.  
Never permit me to be separated  
from you.  
Amen.



# Scripture Insights

Sunday, June 28

## Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

A central theme of today's readings is accepting death to receive life. What a paradox! In the First Reading, we hear the story of the Shunammite woman's son. Because of her great hospitality, the prophet Elisha promised her a son. Today's reading does not include the sequel. The woman later gave birth to a son, but then the child died so she went to find Elisha and made him return with her in order to heal her son and bring him back to life (see 2 Kings 4:16-37).

In today's Second Reading, Paul reflects on Christian Baptism. He says it is like going down into death with Christ so that the baptized can come into new life with Him. The Greek word *baptizo* means "to dip" or "to submerge." Paul's hearers would have understood this powerful metaphor of life out of death, because early Christians practiced adult Baptism by immersion.

Paul's audience would have witnessed or experienced for themselves this going down into the water. Elsewhere, Paul explains that Jesus submitted to death, which came into the world because of sin, so that sin would be conquered once and for all through His Resurrection (see 1 Corinthians 15:51-57). Thus, even though they die, sin no longer has power over the baptized. They live the new life of Christ.

Today's Gospel consists of two sets of short sayings attributed to Jesus. The first set centers on the cost of discipleship, while the second focuses on hospitality. The themes are appropriate because this reading is part of what was traditionally called the "mission discourse." The saying that embraces the whole of the mission discourse is "Whoever finds his life will lose it and whoever loses his life for my sake will find it. Are you willing to live the paradox?"

Lord, Hear our  
Prayers for



## the Deceased

Alexander Aurrichio; Richard Schulken

## the Sick

Frank McQuade; Nick Montanino

## Our Servicemen and Women

Ssgt. James Calfa, U.S. Army  
Tsgt. Mitchell Ciccarelli, U.S. Air Force  
Ssgt. Dylan Ciccarelli, U.S. Air Force  
Fireman William DeGaray, U.S.C.G.  
MIDN Brian Z. DiSalvo, U. S. Navy  
Sgt. Victor B. Famighette, U. S. Army  
Major Thomas Frey, U.S.M.C.  
Lt. Brendan Johnston, U.S. Navy  
Cpl. Brad John Peck, U.S.M.C.  
First Lt. Kiersten Spencer, U.S. Army  
Sgt. Michael J. Stewart, U.S. Army  
Lt. Col. Kent Walsh, U.S. Army  
Lt. Frederick Zappala, U.S. Army

*The Most Reverend John O. Barres,  
Bishop of Rockville Centre,  
will ordain*

*Bishop-Elect Luis M. Romero Fernandez  
as Auxiliary Bishop for our diocese on  
Monday, June 29,  
the Solemnity of Saints Peter and Paul  
at 2 p.m. in St. Agnes Cathedral.*

*Congratulations*





# Mass Intentions, Presiders and Readings for the Week

## Mass Intentions

**Monday, June 29**

All Fathers Living and Deceased

**Tuesday, June 30**

All Fathers Living and Deceased

**Wednesday, July 1**

Michael Tesmacher

**Thursday, July 2**

Kathleen Martin

**Saturday, July 4**

Joseph & Evanne Augustin; Jorge Herrera  
Eileen Kobus; John, Michael and Ann Mercurio

**Sunday, July 5**

David Butler; Rose and Lawrence Chiusano  
Joseph Cutrone; Annette Lucania

## Weekly Readings

**Monday, June 29**

**Reading 1:** Acts of the Apostles 12:1-11

**Reading 2:** 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 17-18

**Gospel:** Matthew 16:13-19

**Tuesday, June 30**

**Reading 1:** Amos 3:1-8; 4:11-12

**Gospel:** Matthew 8:23-27

**Wednesday, July 1**

**Reading 1:** Amos 5:14-15, 21-24

**Gospel:** Matthew 8:28-34

**Thursday, July 2**

**Reading 1:** Amos 7:10-17

**Gospel:** Matthew 9:1-8

**Friday, July 3**

**Reading 1:** Ephesians 2:19-22

**Gospel:** John 20:24-29

**Saturday, July 4**

**Reading 1:** Amos 9:11-15

**Gospel:** Matthew 9:14-17

**Sunday, June 28**

**Reading 1:** Zechariah 9:9-10

**Reading 2:** Romans 8:9, 11-13

**Gospel:** Matthew 11:25-30

## Banns of Marriage



### First Banns

Jenna Scudieri (St. Elizabeth) and  
Ralph Miranda (St. Hugh of Lincoln)

### Second Banns

Amanda Strigaro (St. Elizabeth) and  
Joshua Roiland (South Huntington)



# Outreach Ministry



## Feed my sheep...

We are in great need of any donations of nonperishable foods at this time as our pantry is extremely low on everything. Thank you!

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Canned Chef-boy-Ardee             | <input type="checkbox"/> Oatmeal         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Baking Products                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Apple Juice     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Boxed or Powdered Milk            | <input type="checkbox"/> Tea             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bread (Sliced)                    | <input type="checkbox"/> Crackers        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Pasta Sauce                       | <input type="checkbox"/> Canned Potatoes |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Peanut Butter & Jelly             | <input type="checkbox"/> Cooking Oil     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Canned Meat/Spam                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Rice            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Canned Tuna & Chicken             | <input type="checkbox"/> Tomato Sauce    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Beans (Black/Red - dry or canned) |  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cleaning Products                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Diapers, Size 4 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Laundry Detergent                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Toothpaste      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Feminine Products (pads)          |  |

### SPECIAL NOTE:

Nonperishable foods may be left in the Gathering Lobby. We are unable to accept fresh foods at this time.

Outreach is grateful for your generosity!



**HIS LOVE  
EXTENDED**

Outreach aims to aid people in accessing the resources that will assist them in meeting their basic needs.

Our Outreach Pantry is currently open  
by appointment only

Phone: 631 . 351 . 2136

Outreach provides assistance with food, information and referral to other agencies to meet various family needs and other emergency assistance.




























PLEASE HELP WITH OUR  
**URGENT  
NEEDS**

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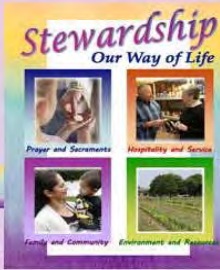
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# July

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>★ ★ ★ ★ ★</p> <p>5</p> <p>If you cannot attend Mass, watch it online as a family. Pray for those affected by COVID-19.</p> 	<p>★ ★ ★ ★ ★</p> <p>6</p> <p>Start a summer memory book. Each week, add pictures and record family memories.</p> 	<p>★ ★ ★ ★ ★</p> <p>7</p> <p>Pick a person or event in the news and devote a family prayer to it.</p> 	<p>1</p> <p>Bless each child this morning before the day's activities start.</p> 	<p>2</p> <p>Have an egg-and-spoon race in the backyard. The winner picks dinner.</p>	<p>3</p> <p>Resolve not to complain today.</p> 	<p>4</p> <p><b>Happy 4th of July!</b> Offer a prayer for troops overseas and for their families.</p> 
<p>★ ★ ★ ★ ★</p> <p>12</p> <p>Listen carefully to the homily at Mass today and talk about one thing you learned.</p>	<p>13</p> <p>Pick a Beatitude and live it all day (Matthew 5:3-11).</p> 	<p>14</p> <p>Make suncatchers! Decorate tracing paper with colored markers. Display in a window.</p> 	<p>8</p> <p>Punch a hole in the bottom of a plastic cup to blow through. Dip in a pan of soapy water. Blow bubbles!</p> 	<p>9</p> <p>Create a family dinner together. Let each person make a different part of the meal.</p> 	<p>10</p> <p>Watch a good movie and eat popcorn together.</p> 	<p>11</p> <p>Rejoice! Put on some music and have a dance-off!</p> 
<p>★ ★ ★ ★ ★</p> <p>19</p> <p>Watch a streamed Mass together and pray for the Pope's intentions.</p> 	<p>20</p> <p>"Finish the story!" One person starts and the others take turns adding to it.</p> 	<p>21</p> <p>Catch fighting bugs in a jar. Release them before going to bed.</p> 	<p>15</p> <p>At dinner, pray together for anyone going through a difficult time today.</p> 	<p>16</p> <p>Today, enjoy a caramel-themed dessert in honor of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel.</p> 	<p>17</p> <p>Sit outside and watch the sunset. Marvel at God's creation.</p> 	<p>18</p> <p>Set up an obstacle course in the yard. Take turns or form teams and have a relay race.</p>
<p>★ ★ ★ ★ ★</p> <p>26</p> <p>After Mass today, pray for the souls in Purgatory.</p> 	<p>27</p> <p>Say "I forgive you" to someone who hurt you today.</p> 	<p>28</p> <p>Honor Jesus' grandparents St. Joachim and St. Anne by praying for all grandparents.</p> 	<p>22</p> <p>Practice patience.</p> 	<p>23</p> <p>Pretend to be a character from a movie or book. See who can guess your character first.</p>	<p>24</p> <p>Give up a favorite treat, just for today as a Friday sacrifice.</p> 	<p>25</p> <p>Build a campfire in the backyard. Roast hotdogs and sing campfire songs.</p> 
<p>★ ★ ★ ★ ★</p> <p>31</p> <p>Have an A-Z scavenger hunt around the yard. Photograph something that starts with every letter.</p> 	<p>29</p> <p>Tidy the house and set the table nicely, to honor St. Martha, who hosted Jesus.</p> 	<p>30</p> <p>Build a blanket fort in the living room and read books by flashlight.</p> 	<p>31</p> <p>Have an A-Z scavenger hunt around the yard. Photograph something that starts with every letter.</p>	<p>31</p> <p>Have an A-Z scavenger hunt around the yard. Photograph something that starts with every letter.</p>	<p>31</p> <p>Have an A-Z scavenger hunt around the yard. Photograph something that starts with every letter.</p>	<p>31</p> <p>Have an A-Z scavenger hunt around the yard. Photograph something that starts with every letter.</p>





# Stewardship Corner

## Stewardship Committee

Father Irinel Racos  
Pastor

Harry Perepeluk  
Business Manager

Doreen Boehme  
Chairperson

## Committee Members

Gayle Brady  
Denise Ferrari  
John Ferrante  
Marguerite Melone  
Joseph Monestere  
Kathy O'Donohoe  
Evelyn Polvere

## Welcome New Parishioners!

Are you a new parishioner? Welcome! The Stewardship Committee is available to speak with new parishioners and answer any questions you may have. We're available at masses and at Hospitality Weekends. Look for us, we're wearing our name tags!

**Welcome forms are available in the gathering area next to the bulletins or at the Parish Center.**

## Gifts & Talents

Are you being called to share your gifts & talents? The Stewardship Committee is able to help you discover your gifts & talents and help you determine a ministry that fits for you.

**Come visit us on Hospitality Weekends for more information.**

## Stewardship Committee Mission

To welcome and encourage all parishioners to become vibrant participants centered in the Eucharist and to provide an opportunity to deepen our faith so as to flourish as disciples of Jesus. As the Body of Christ, we share our gifts of time, talent, and treasure by:

- *Witnessing and serving in deed and action for Christ's work of justice and peace in our ever-changing world.*
- *Gathering as a community to be nourished in love and care for one another.*



## *Stewards of Creation: June*

Creation is a gift to be shared. It is the space that God gives us to build up with one another, to build a "we." The world, history, all of time – this is the setting in which we build this "we" with God, with others, with the earth. (7/7/15, Educators)

## *Living Stewardship: Pillar of Service*

As Christians, we are called to live a life filled with meaning. We are to give, pray and serve our God and others. If you are able to, perhaps donate goods to your parish's food pantry.

## *Bulletin Reflection*

Jesus calls us to take up our crosses and follow Him. We must have faith that our God loves us and will see us through all of our troubles.



# Thank You For Your Continued Support To Our Parish

We are so grateful to all who continue to mail their weekly envelopes and those who have signed up for automatic giving. While we face this difficult time together, your continued generosity shows that our parish is still unified and can recover with one another's support.



## Alternative Ways Of Giving



- Weekly and Easter Offerings can still be mailed to the Parish Center using the self addressed return envelope that comes with your offering mailing.
- One time donations or ongoing offerings using your credit card or direct bank withdrawal can be accepted using the authorization form below. You can mail it to the Parish Center or email [kmergl@stelizabeth.org](mailto:kmergl@stelizabeth.org) for assistance with this process.
- You can contact your bank to issue a donation check to the parish on your behalf. Following your instructions, the bank will mail a one time or recurring check, with no additional fees to you.

We Appreciate Your Ongoing Support and May God Bless You And Your Families.

### Credit Card Authorization *Please Write Clearly*

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Security Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Card Type:  Visa  Mastercard  American Express  
Card Holder Name : \_\_\_\_\_  
Billing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

I authorize Saint Elizabeth of Hungary Church to charge my credit card as authorized here:

- Recurring Donation Of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ charged on the 15th of every month.  
 One Time Donation Of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ charged upon receipt of this authorization.

\* Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### Direct Bank Withdrawal Authorization *Please Write Clearly and Include a Voided Check If Available.*

Account Type:  Checking  Savings Bank Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Account Holder Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Routing Number : \_\_\_\_\_ Account Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
Billing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

I authorize Saint Elizabeth of Hungary Church to withdraw from the bank account provided as authorized here:

- Recurring Donation Of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ withdrawn on the 15th of every month.  
 One Time Donation Of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ withdrawn upon receipt of this authorization.

\* Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_