# ST. ELIZABETH CATHOLIC CHURCH

Diocese of Knoxville

Mass intentions for Nov. 12, 2023

32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, 5 p.m. —
People of the parish

Sunday, 9 a.m. — † John Hathaway By: Carolyn Hathaway

Monday, 8 a.m. —

Tuesday, 8 a.m. —

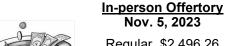
Wednesday, noon — † Debbie Cooper By: Mary Carr

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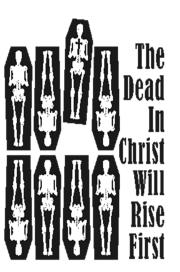
Saturday, 5 p.m. — † Robert & Rosemary Gamache By: Bob & Lynda Gamache

Sunday, 9 a.m. — People of the parish

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#### **FALLEN ASLEEP**

Paul is teaching about the resurrection. Some of the people of Thessalonica expected the Second Coming of Christ to happen in the immediate future. Thev also anticipated that they would ascend to heaven with him. But some believers had died. This led survivors to fear that the dead wouldn't share in Jesus' triumph. answers that the dead Christians hadn't really died; they had merely entered a sleep-like state pending the resurrection.

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## Weekly readings

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Wisdom 6:12-16 Psalm 63:2-8 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18 Matthew 25:1-13

Monday

St. Frances Xavier Cabrini Wisdom 1:1-7 Luke 17:1-6

Tuesday

Wisdom 2:23—3:9 Luke 17:7-10

Wednesday

Wisdom 6:1-11 Luke 17:11-19

Thursday

Wisdom 7:22b—8:1 Luke 17:20-25

Friday

St. Elizabeth of Hungary Wisdom 13:1-9 Luke 17:26-37

Saturday

Wisdom 18:14-16; 19:6-9 Luke 18:1-8

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Proverbs 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31 Psalm 128:1-5 1 Thessalonians 5:1-6 Matthew 25:14-30

# Stay awake...

for you know not the hour

### Lay ministers for Nov. 18/19

#### **Altar servers**

Sat. —

Sun. — Timothy Grubb, Leo Grubb

#### Commentators

Sat. — Bob Gamache

Sun. — Richard Barker

#### Readers

Sat. — Bob Gamache

Sun. — Cathy Champon, Cheryl White

#### Ushers

Sat. — Bob Gagne, J.J. Regan

Sun. — John Tolejko, George Bratton

#### Gift Bearers

Sat. — Ushers

Sun. — Bienaime familly

#### **Saintly Wisdom**

"Grant me, O Lord my God,
a mind to know you, a heart to seek you,
wisdom to find you, conduct pleasing to you,
faithful perseverance in waiting for you,
and a hope of finally embracing you."

— St. Thomas Aguinas —

#### Parish Life

<u>Veterans Day</u> — On this Veterans Day weekend, let us remember with gratitude the many sacrifices veterans made on behalf of all of us. Thank you, veterans!

Remembering Our Dead — A table in near the votive candles honors our loved ones who have died. Please feel free to add the names of deceased in the book near the table. If you wish, add a photo or small memento to the table.

<u>Bereavement</u> — Marian Gradle, mother of parishioner Linda Snow, died Tuesday. Please keep her family in your prayers.

#### **Youth Group**

Youth Group Hangout Night Wednesday -

The Youth Group will have a hang-out night from 6 to 8 p.m. Wednesday at the church. They will be discussing confession. This will be the last hang-out night for the first semester.

<u>Thank You</u> — The Youth Group would like to thank everyone who supported their luminary fundraiser this Saturday. The group raised \$1,830 through the generosity of those who made donations for the 250 luminaries. Thank you!

#### Social Action

Angel Tree — "Angels" will be available next weekend on the annual Angel Tree, which will benefit 50 underprivileged children at Harold McCormick School. Gifts will be distributed through the Elizabethton school system before the holidays, so the deadline for bringing in gifts is Sunday, Dec. 10.

<u>Baby Winter-Clothing Drive</u> — Catholic Charities of East Tennessee is asking for new and gently used winter clothing in sizes newborn to 12 months. The Knights of Columbus are collecting the clothing in a box near their room on the ground floor of the education building.

<u>Drive for Home Medical Equipment</u> — Home medical equipment for those who need it in Mexico may be left on the first floor of the education building. Donation can include, for example, wheelchairs, walkers, crutches, bathroom safety bars, blood pressure testers, medical beds, diabetes testing supplies and such. (No medications, please.)

#### Did You Know...?

Nov. 17 (Friday) is the feast day of our parish's patron, St. Elizabeth of Hungary. She was born a Hungarian princess in 1207 and became a widow at age 20. Before she died four years later, she founded a hospital and became a lay Franciscan who dedicated herself, in poverty and humility, to serving the poor.

From Heavenly Friends by Rosalie Marie Levy

## Pray for the Sick of Our Parish:

Manny Bandarra Thea Bratton Mary Carr Sheila Clark Joel Dean Lynda Gamache José Gonzales Chuck Muraski Jimmy Townsend Margaret Vines

Ed & Linda Yarwood