St. Elizabeth of Hungary Catholic Parish

Diocese of Knoxville

Weekly Readings

3rd Sunday of Easter Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41 Psalm 30:2, 4-6, 11-13 Revelation 5:11-14 John 21:1-19

> *Monday* Acts 6:8-15 John 6:22-29

Tuesday Acts 7:51 – 8:1a John 6:30-35

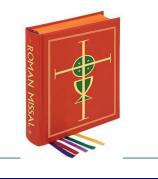
> Wednesday Acts 8:1b-8 John 6:35-40

Thursday Acts 8:26-40 John 6:44-51

Friday Acts 9:1-20 John 6:52-59

Saturday Acts 9:31-42 John 6:60-69

4th Sunday of Easter Acts 13:14, 43-52 Psalm 100:1-2. 3, 5 Revelation 7:9, 14b-17 John 10:27-30



Mass Intentions For May 4, 2025

Third Sunday of Easter

Laura Ciccone & Trayden

By: Ed & Marghi Quigley

The people of the parish

† Deceased of the Bartus family

By: George & Thea Bratton

† Margaret Christensen

By: Rick & Jan Balota

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Saturday, 7pm – (Spanish)

Saturday, 5pm – (English)

Kamprath

Sunday, 9am –

Monday, 8am -

Tuesday, 8am -

† Robert Davis

Wednesday, noon -

† Rose Graves

Fourth Sunday of Easter

Saturday, 5pm – (English) † Marsha Hupko By: Mike Hupko

> Saturday, 7pm — (Spanish) † Leslie Fonceca By: Avel Avila

Sunday, 9am — The people of the parish



Thank you for your generosity. In person April 27

Regular — \$2,309.00 Building Fund — \$200.00 Backpack Buddies — \$186.00 Good Friday Collection for the Holy Land — \$100.00 Seminarian Education — \$140.00 Catholic Home Missions — \$552.00

One of the appearances of the risen Jesus happened at the lake of Galilee--also called the lake of Tiberias, from the largest city on its shores. Peter and some of the others had gone home, possibly waiting for instructions from Christ. Meanwhile they must feed their families, so they have returned to their old jobs as fishermen. Jesus repeats the sign that he had first shown to the Apostles: the miraculous catch of fish. John mentions that there were 153 fish caught. This number is probably a symbol meaning a complete number. Aristotle had taught that there were 153 different species of fish in the Mediterranean Sea. Thus Peter was given a commission to bring all people into the hands of Christ. Materials for Sunday bulletins. They may be freely reproduced in any non-profit publication. © 2003 by Father Richard Lonsdale.

Parish Life

<u>**Conclave**</u> – The Vatican has announced that the conclave to elect our new Holy Father will begin on Wednesday, May 7.

The faithful are exhorted to offer their private prayers, works, and almsgiving for the election of a new Supreme Pontiff. The simple custom of frequently praying the Our Father, Hail Mary, and Glory Be for this intention is encouraged. The election of the new Pope should be prayed for in the recitation of the Rosary.

<u>Bereavement</u>—Parishioner Rosemarie Carden died April 27. Please keep her family in your prayers.

<u>Parish School of Religion</u> – This Sunday, May 4, is the last day of classes for the 2024-2025 year.

<u>Knights of Columbus</u>—The Knights of Columbus will be meeting this Wednesday, May 7, at 6pm in the church basement.

<u>New Bulletin and Ministry Event Procedures</u> – Your parish office team has created a new method for ministries to request bulletin announcements and secure confirmation for church events. "Announcement Submission" and "Fundraising or Event" forms are available in the parish office. This revised procedure ensures that events are appropriately approved before being scheduled on the calendar.

If you have a bulletin announcement, or would like an event added to the church calendar, please see Pandora in the parish office or contact her at 543-3412, option 4, or at secretary@stelizabethsparish.com.

<u>Parish Online Presence</u> – St. Elizabeth has a parish website that can be accessed at stelizabethsparish.org and an additional online presence through the My Parish App and Facebook. Thank you to parishioner Cathy Champon for keeping them up to date.



Lay ministers for May 10/11

Altar Servers Sat. – Timothy, Leo & Finnian Grubb Sun. – Carl Johnson Commentators Sat. – Steve Hummel Sun. – Richard Barker Readers Sat. – Rick Kortze, Nick Schicker Sun. – Mark Sitter, Chris Durney Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist Sat. – Matt Grubb, Marilyn Schicker Sun. – Pandora Gage, Mike Snow Ushers Sat. – George Bratton, Bob Gamache Sun. – Tim Eilers, J.J. Regan

Social Action

Baby Bottle Fundraiser – The Abundant Life Ministry is sponsoring a Baby Bottle fundraiser to benefit TLC Community Center of Elizabethton. Bottles will be distributed on Mother's Day, May 11. Fill your bottles with spare change or a donation. All checks must be made payable to St. Elizabeth's Church with "TLC" written on the memo line. Bottles will be collected on Father's Day, June 15.

Job Opportunities

<u>**Part-time Bookkeeper**</u>-Position is available immediately at St. Anthony of Padua in Mountain City. Contact Fr. Jesús at frjesusguerrero@stelizabethsparish.com for more info.

Diocesan Events

<u>Men's Discernment Group</u> – Saturday, May 24, 9am-12pm. The Men's Discernment Group is for men who are interested in discerning if God is calling them to the priesthood. If you are interested in joining, e-mail vocations@dioknox.org . There will also be a Zoom option to attend. This is hosted by Fr. Mark Schuster every fourth Saturday of the month.

Pray for the Sick of Our Parish

Manny Bandarra Mary Carr Jim Cathelyn Joel Dean Lynda Gamache Jennie Mace Chuck Muraski Leroy & Agnes Policky Jim Stapleton Jimmy Townsend Elizabeth Vermillion Margaret Vines Linda Yarwood