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“Let the one among
you who is without sin
be the first to throw a
stone at her.”

JOHN 8:7

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Season of Lent

April 3, 2022 &
April 10, 2022

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Mass Intentions

5th Week of Lent

April 3 – April 9, 2022

Saturday	April 2nd
4:00 pm	Clara Troiano Mary Sawicki Myra & George Hawie
7:30 pm	Eulalio Tanseco
Sunday	April 3rd
8:00 am	S.I. St. Elizabeth Parishioners
10:00 am	Wilson Crespo
12:00 nn	Feehan Family in Thanksgiving Cindy Lesnowich-Barny
Monday	April 4th
8:00 am	People of the Parish
12:05 pm	Frank Krenek Jr.
Tuesday	April 5th
8:00 am	Christina Romero
12:05 pm	Rose Ribaldo (Health & Restore)
Wednesday	April 6th
8:00 am	Barbara O'Halloran
12:05 pm	John Licknack Joseph P. Golian Birthday
Thursday	April 7th
8:00 am	Rev. Msgr. Robert H. Slipe
12:05 pm	Phyllis Ribaldo
Friday	April 8th
8:00 am	Sister Patricia Mahoney, OP
12:05 pm	Frank & Anne Derelanko
Saturday	April 9th
12:05 pm	Rose Ribaldo (Health & Restore)

Holy Week

April 10 – April 16, 2022

Saturday	April 9th
4:00 pm	Francesco (Tot) Villani Salvatore Marangella Susan Pakos
7:30 pm	Eulalio Tanseco
Sunday	April 10th
8:00 am	Special Intentions for Youth
10:00 am	Paul Amari
12:00 nn	Thomas H. Crowhurst The Baran Family
Monday	April 11th
8:00 am	People of the Parish
12:05 pm	Alksy Belzek
Tuesday	April 12th
8:00 am	Fr. William Mc Kenna, SJ
12:05 pm	Joseph D. Alves
Wednesday	April 13th
8:00 am	Rodulfo Rosales
12:05 pm	Albert Merlo
Holy Thursday	April 14th
7:00 pm	Mass of the Lord's Supper
Good Friday	April 15th
3:00 pm	Passion & Veneration of the Cross
Holy Saturday	April 16th
8:00 pm	Easter Vigil Easter envelope intentions

Memorials

Week of March 27, 2022

Altar Bread

Joseph S. Frazilus

Week of April 10, 2022

Altar Bread & Wine

Tom & Joyce Walker

Sanctuary Lamp

Still Available

Week of April 3, 2022

Altar Candles

Still Available

Altar Candles

Arthur Handschuh



Financial News



Offertory Collections

March 13th Deposit/Donations (snow)	\$ 2,964.84*
March 20th Deposit/Donations	\$ 3,984.34
Weekly Amount Needed to Stay on Budget	\$ 4,150.00

Restricted Donations from Weekly Envelopes

To offset Heating Expense	\$ 749.00
To offset Archdiocesan Assessment	\$ 182.00
Black & Indian Missions	\$ 137.00

Online, E-Giving Donations through "We Share"

Our online giving platform: <https://sainteonline.weshareonline.org/>

Parish News

2022 Archdiocesan Annual Appeal

Annual Appeal ^{the 2022}

2022 Cardinal Tobin's Goal for St. Elizabeth	\$ 30,000
2022 amount collected to date	\$ 31,632

Notes On the Annual Appeal

- \$1,632 will be **coming back to the parish** for our 70th Anniversary Restoration Projects.
- Thanks to your generosity our parish will receive a **2% reduction** of the next year's assessment (Archdiocesan tax of our collection income)
- All donations now should be made toward our **Rehab Organ Fund or Front Steps Renovation.**



Lenten & Easter Podcast with FRED

Thursdays 7:00 – 7:45pm

Living Joy 9 Rules to Help You Rediscover and Live Joy Everyday

Continuing Thursday evenings, FRED (Fr. Ed) will lead a 45-minute Podcast on the Chris Stefanick book, “Living Joy.” Each week FRED will have a different guest from the parish staff on the Podcast to discuss a chapter of the book. Complimentary books are available from the parish at the entrances of the Church. FRED’s guests are local people who will share their story of joy. You can access the Podcast off the parish Facebook page and parish website – www.sehplinden.org.

JOIN THE SYNOD LISTENING SESSIONS happening here at St. Elizabeth of Hungary Parish. For a Synodal Church – Communion, Participation, Mission

Saturdays at 10:00am in the Lower Church

April 9 for Parish Societies, Catechists & Service Groups

April 23 Open to ALL



Synod
2021
2023

For a synodal Church
communion | participation | mission

New 7:30pm Saturday Evening Anticipatory Mass in Spanish

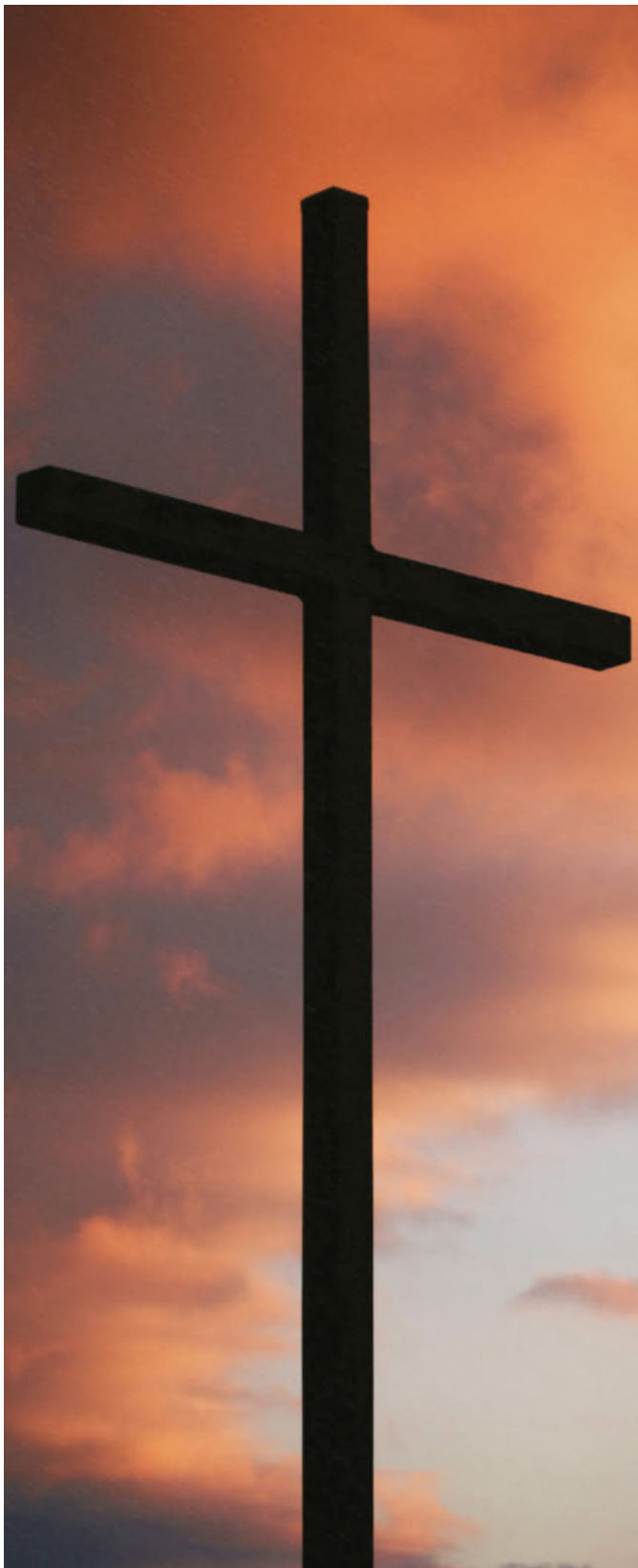
Comienzo de Misas in Español – Todos los Sábados a las 7:30pm

Beginning March 6th St. Elizabeth’s will now offer a Saturday evening Mass in Spanish. We welcome anyone to join us for this liturgy but especially for those whose second language is English and first language is Spanish. Bienvenidos!

Join Fr. Ed’s Trip to the Holy Land November 28 – December 8, 2022

Fr. Ed will be leading a pilgrimage to the Holy Land via Jordan from Monday, November 28 to Thursday, December 8. The pilgrimage departs from New York and begins at \$3,398. Anyone interested or with questions can contact Yamilee Wah at Cruise Planners – 908-986-8773 or email yamilee.wah@cruiseplanners.com

Liturgies for Holy Week 2022
St. ELizabeth of Hungary Parish



April 9-10 Passion-Palm Sunday
Saturday April 9th

4:00 pm
7:30 pm (en Español)

Sunday April 10th

8:00 am
10:00 am
12:00 nn

Monday to Wednesday Daily Mass

8:00 am
12:05 pm

April 14 Holy Thursday

8:00 am Tenebrae Service
7:00 pm Mass of the Lord's Supper
Eucharistic Adoration until Midnight

April 15 Good Friday

8:00 am Tenebrae Service
12:00 nn Church Open for Private Prayer
3:00 pm Liturgy of the Lor'd Passion/
Veneration of the Cross
7:00 pm Communal Stations of the Cross
with Music

April 16 Holy Saturday

8:00 am Tenebrae Service
12:00 pm Blessing of the Food
8:00 pm Easter Vigil

April 17 Easter Sunday

7:30 am Salubong with Procession into
8:00 am Mass

Easter Masses

8:00 am
10:00 am
12:00 nn

Reconciliation/Confessions

Communal Reconciliation Service
April 9th at 3:00 pm

Individual Confession

Daily Afternoon Mass and Saturdays before the
4:00 pm Mass

Gospel Meditations

5th Sunday of Lent

April 3, 2022

We love to make examples out of those who have erred and done wrong. Publicly punishing others serves as a means of demonstrating the consequences for what is deemed inappropriate or wrongful behavior. While this may appear an effective way of achieving conformity to established rules, it runs the real risk of distorting motivation. Obviously, we want people to do what is right and pursue healthy, virtuous behaviors and ideals. But is fear of punishment ever the best motivation for avoiding one action in favor of another?

Doing something out of fear is never healthy. Focusing exclusively on our behavior and what others expect or think, leads to living life with a self-focused superficiality. We become more concerned about protecting ourselves from something negative and unpleasant, than investing ourselves in the freedom, wonder and awe of being human! We can still find our way to the unacceptable or inappropriate behavior as long as we do not get caught! Being a whole, focused, and God-centered human being requires more. It demands an investment of the heart. Virtuous, moral, and mature lifestyles reflective of the Gospel necessitate love.

When we experience and recognize love, God's unconditional love, in the depth of our soul, we fall in love with what we have found. We then find ourselves leaving destructive and sinful actions behind in search of something more holy, dignified, true, integral, and loving. This is really "mercy realized." God's tremendous, loving, eternal forgiveness and willingness to bring us back to something more real and tender is transformational. The respect for myself that I receive from God is so life changing that it causes me to run quickly away from anything sinful and self-destructive to things that are whole and holy.

There are many people who want nothing more than to judge or criticize us. What would actually stoning the woman caught in adultery really accomplish? Nothing more than the inflation of the already self-righteous egos of a few men who think they have power. They have no power because they are sinners too, just like everyone else. What all of us have is the humble ability to express sorrow for pursuing destructive thoughts and actions and receive the power of God's mercy. Then, Jesus' request to "go and sin no more" will be one we proudly heed and follow.

Passion/Palm Sunday

April 10, 2022

Pope St. John Paul II rightly taught, "To believe in Jesus is to accept what he says, even when it runs contrary to what others are saying. It means rejecting the lure of sin, however attractive it may be, in order to set out on a difficult path of Gospel virtues." Acceptance, rejection, suffering, betrayal, fear, reluctance, persecution, and painful, undeserved and unjust death are all played out in dramatic fashion today. Jesus spoke of God's unconditional love, mercy, and forgiveness. Who doesn't like hearing about love, especially God's? Jesus did not have backs turned on him, face intense suffering, and succumbed to a horrific death because he spoke of God's love. All of those things occurred because of the implications of actually believing in God's love.

God's love comes with an intimate and equal bond with love of neighbor. This moves the believer outward to truly see their brothers and sisters as equals and compels them to work for a world that mirrors God's kingdom: a world based on justice, peace, mercy, and forgiveness. Sometimes, people want to keep God's love to themselves and use it solely for their own benefit. When they only want to use God's love to justify their own intentions and for their own projects, problems occur.

Sin makes something hurtful, destructive, and self-serving look very attractive and justifiable. The lure of sin creates friends who begin to believe the lie that the sin expounds. This is what happened on Calvary. When you begin actually doing what Jesus is saying and translate love into action, it inevitably will upset popular and longstanding conventions and structures. Many of these serve to protect status, foster personal gain and success, and further divide those who have from those who do not. Most people who hear the Gospel are attracted to what they hear, at first. When they realize that it means standing apart from popular opinion, even if that opinion is against the Gospel and sinful, they cower back in fear and join the throngs shouting, "Crucify him!" There is an ambivalence found in many believers as they struggle with whether their belief is strong enough "to set out on the difficult path of Gospel virtues."

It takes a lot of courage to admit that the system is broken. It takes even more courage to point out the sin. And it takes an unbreakable love of God to then accept the consequences of doing so.



Weekend Mass Schedule

(All Masses open to the public.)



Saturdays	4:00 PM 7:30 PM	Anticipatory Mass for Sunday Anticipatory Mass en Español
Sundays	8:00 AM 10:00 AM 12:00 Noon	Sunday Mass Sunday Mass* Sunday Mass

*Also live streamed for those at home on our Facebook and Youtube:
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