



St. Elizabeth of Hungary Church

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“For where
two or three
are gathered
together
in my name,
there am I in
midst of them.”



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Easter Season

May 1, 2022 &
May 8, 2022

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Mass Intentions

Third Week of Easter

May 1 – May 7, 2022

● Saturday	April 30th
4:00 pm	Edward J. Zboyan Susan Pakos
7:30 pm	Eulalio Tanseco
● Sunday	May 1st
8:00 pm	Eulalio Tanseco
10:00 am	Anthony Lordi Jr
12:00 nn	Kevin Evans
● Monday	May 2nd
8:00 am	People of the Parish
12:05 pm	Dcn Guillermo (Bill) Valladares
● Tuesday	May 3rd
8:00 am	Mary Orak
12:05 pm	Guerline Jean-Pierre
● Wednesday	May 4th
8:00 am	John & Mary Kuhtik
12:05 pm	Helen M Ryan
● Thursday	May 5th
8:00 am	Robert Quinn Maximiana Resane
12:05 pm	Eulalio (Laling) Tanseco
● Friday	May 6th
8:00 am	Ann Kolnoski
12:05 pm	William James Glover Rose Ribaldo (health & Restor)
● Saturday	May 7th
12:05 pm	Book of Remembrances

Fourth Week of Easter

May 8 – May 14, 2022

● Saturday	May 7th
4:00 pm	Mother's Day Remembrances
7:30 pm	Mother's Day Remembrances
● Sunday	May 8th (Mother's Day)
8:00 am	Mother's Day Remembrances
10:00 am	Mother's Day Remembrances
12:00 nn	Mother's Day Remembrances
● Monday	May 9th
8:00 am	People of the Parish
12:05 pm	Terry Noviello Harris
● Tuesday	May 10th
8:00 am	Guerline Jean-Pierre
12:05 pm	Jean B. Marcinkowski
● Wednesday	May 11th
8:00 am	Lottie Ziobro
12:05 pm	Martin Rudnicki Jodi Gregorio
● Thursday	May 12th
8:00 am	Ana Lydia Rivera
12:05 pm	Phyllis Ribaldo Viola J. Amari
● Friday	May 13th
8:00 am	Anna Schutova
12:05 pm	Alejandro Ancheta (1st Anniv)
● Saturday	May 14th
12:05 pm	Jodi Knox and Al Knox

Memorials

Week of May 1, 2022

Altar Candles

Intention Available

Altar Wine

Intention Available

Week of May 8, 2022

Altar Bread

Intention Available

Sanctuary Lamp

Maximiana Resane

Sanctuary Lamp

Tom Walker

Altar Candles

Intention Available



Financial News

Offertory Collections

April 10th Deposit/Donations	\$ 4,508.57
Weekly Amount Needed to Stay on Budget	\$ 4,150.00

Our Parish Easter Collection

Easter Collection to Date	\$ 11,071.00
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This year our Finance Council has budgeted **\$ 12,000.00** as income for the Easter Collection. If you were away for the Easter Holiday, you can still make your Easter gift to the parish until the end of May. We are always blessed by your generosity!

Restricted Donations from Weekly Envelopes

To offset Heating Expense	\$ 913.00
To offset Archdiocesan Assessment (Tax on our Sunday Collection)	\$ 15.00

Online, E-Giving Donations through "We Share"

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

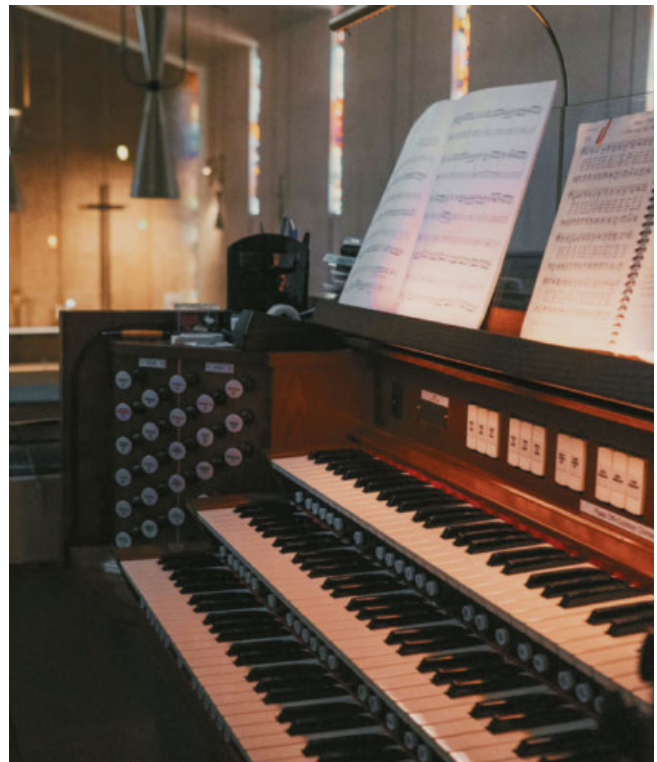


70th Anniversary Organ Refurbishing

Consider a donation in memory of a loved one!

Since January, our 70-year-old Pipe Organ has been undergoing a major refurbishing and renovation by the Peragallo Organ Co. The pipes and all its parts have been removed from the loft and what you hear now is a temporary electronic organ with speakers. The beginning steps of reinstallation have begun and we expect all the pipes and organ console to be returned in all its glory at the end of the Easter season in May.

If you would like to make a gift to offset the \$200,000 expense, please contact Fr. Ed. Families might want to use this opportunity to memorialize a deceased loved one. This magnificent pipe organ will be a key part of weddings, funerals and Sunday Masses for the next 70 years.



Easter Podcast with FRED Thursdays 7:00 – 7:50pm

*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 community 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



New 7:30pm Saturday Evening Anticipatory Mass in Spanish

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

St. Elizabeth’s is currently offering a Saturday evening 7:30pm Mass in Spanish. We welcome anyone to join us for this liturgy but especially for those whose primary language is Spanish. Bienvenidos!



Feast of the Ascension Permanently Moved to the 7th Sunday of the Easter Season

As most of you are aware from your days in Catholic School or CCD, the Feast of the Ascension is traditionally celebrated 40 days after Easter Sunday, thus placing it on a Thursday.

Over the years most dioceses have observed the Ascension on the 7th Sunday of Easter to remove the obligation for Catholics to attend Mass on a workday. After much discussion, Cardinal Tobin and the Bishops of the Province of New Jersey “have unanimously voted to transfer permanently the observance of the Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord Jesus to the Seventh Sunday of Easter” – this year, May 29, 2022.

The Ecclesiastical Province of Newark now joins the practice of all ecclesiastical provinces in the United States except for Boston, Hartford, New York, Omaha and Philadelphia.

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



Gospel Meditations

3rd Sunday of Easter

May 1, 2022

Could it be that God's image has become so soiled and distorted that it is hard for us to see it? Our self-serving agendas have done a great job twisting God's image into what profits us. We want our agenda to be God's agenda and use prayer as the convincing leverage we need. Worse still, our success and egocentric agenda often erases God's image completely, replacing it with our own. St. Oscar Romero instructs us that the Son of Man "dies on the cross to cleanse God's image, which is soiled in today's humanity, a humanity so enslaved, so selfish, so sinful." Striving to preserve control of our destinies at all costs, we fail to see the risen suffering servant, the Christ, standing right beside us.

Jesus, who suffered and died on a cross and was raised from the dead, corrects our soiled image of God. He shows us God as God is, not who we want to make God to be. God is the God of the poor, the weak, and the marginalized. He is the God who tenderly caresses us when we are suffering and hurting, assuring us that all will be safe and well. He is the God of equity, peace, justice, and compassion who wants happiness for each of His children, desiring their wellbeing and success. God goes where men and women are afraid to go, sitting with the lost, the broken, and the sorrowing. St. Oscar Romero challenges us to illuminate with "Christ's light ... even the most hideous caverns of the human person: torture, jail, plunder, want, chronic illness. The oppressed must be saved." The resurrection calls us to be God's microphone, a messenger, and a prophet (St. Oscar Romero).

Using eyes that see beyond the limited constructs and desires of our world, we can see the true and real Jesus standing before us, calling us to transformation and change. Asking us more than once, "do you love me?" We are beckoned to give an answer. Answering in the affirmative, it is now our task to feed the sheep and the lambs who belong to God. In short, equipped with the power of the resurrection and a corrected image of God our task is to make things better, brighter, holier, more life-giving, and just for all of God's children. Considering our choices, our interactions, our philosophies, and aspirations, how can we do this

4th Sunday of Easter

May 8, 2022

"Human beings, while capable of the worst, are also capable of rising above themselves, choosing again what is good, and making a new start." (Pope Francis) We have a difficult time figuring out what is true and best for us. There are many voices talking and so many trying to get our attention. We wrongly convince ourselves that the true voice is the voice of progress, the one that speaks of contemporary wants and desires, enticing us with the latest trends and causes. We are taught, by listening to the voices around us, that truth is found in feelings and thought, and ideals must match current and popular human wants. Because we feel a particular way it must be true. Then, we find a shepherd who empathizes with us and affirms us. We follow that voice even though listening to that voice will render us powerless and lead us to harm. There are many with me in this procession to this pasture. I must be on the right path and listening to the right voice.

We are very confused. What can keep us safe and from harm? Where do we go to find life, love, and happiness? Jesus tells us that he is the way, the truth, and the life. The only way to get to Truth, who is God, is through him. There is no other way. The Church, the gate around God's pasture of life, is charged with the mission of directing us where God desires that we go. In the midst of all of the conflicting voices around us, the voice of truth is often muffled in all of the noise, but it beckons us to a life of virtue and grace. Helping us understand who we are and where we have to be, it discerns the voice of God, providing us with the safety net we need to stay straight on our path to life eternal.

We have to trust the voice of God, the true Shepherd, even when it does not mirror what we want and what others may believe. Faith goes way beyond feeling and involves a radical trust in Someone who can lead us and form us. At day's end, if we do not know to find our way home, we will be truly lost.

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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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