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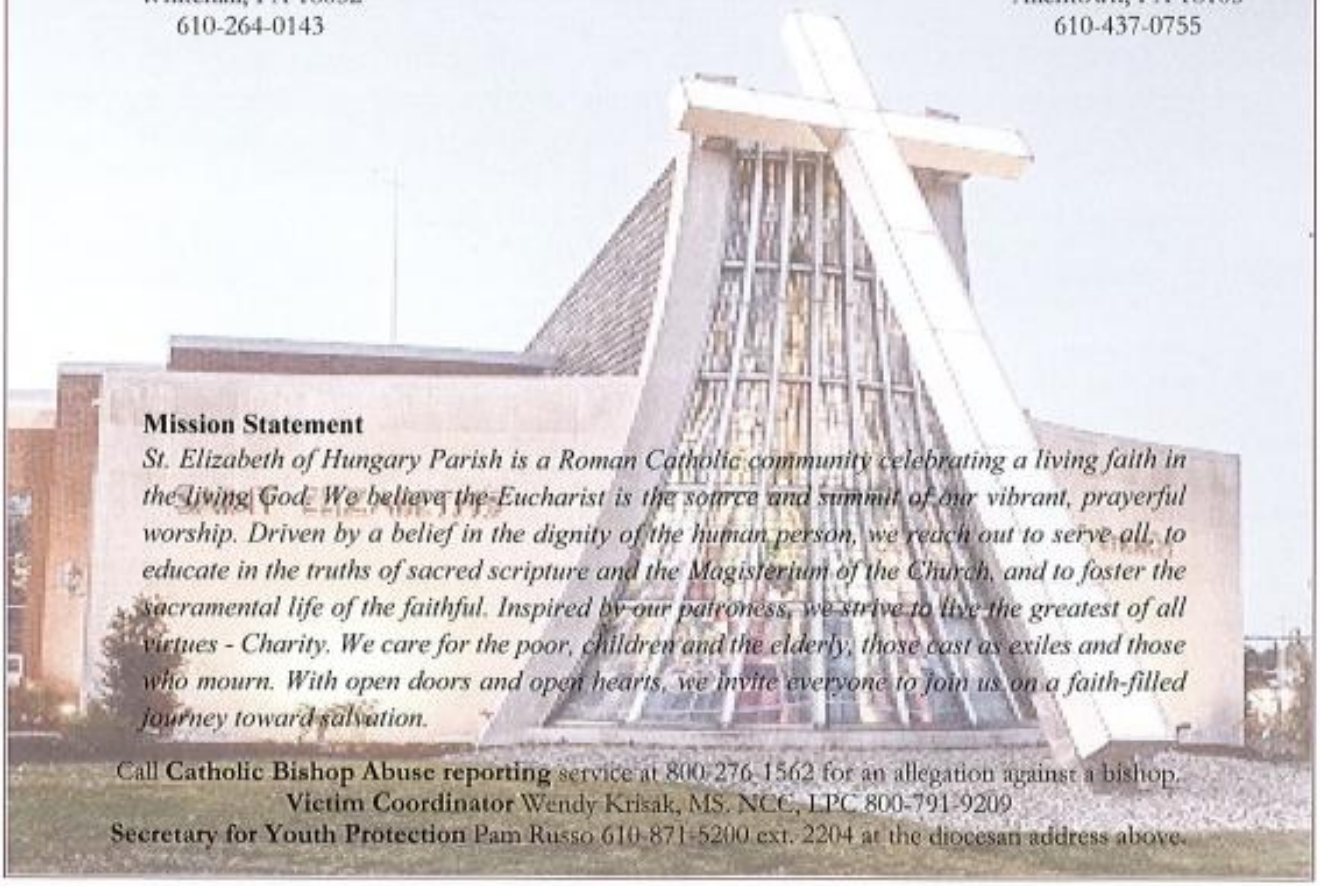
Weekend Masses: Saturday 4:30 pm ◆ Sunday 8:00 am and 10:00 am

Weekday Masses: Monday – Wednesday & Friday 9:00 am, Thursday 7:00 pm, 1st Saturday of month 8:30 am

Holy Day Masses: *consult the bulletin and website*: sercc.org

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Mission Statement

St. Elizabeth of Hungary Parish is a Roman Catholic community celebrating a living faith in the living God. We believe the Eucharist is the source and summit of our vibrant, prayerful worship. Driven by a belief in the dignity of the human person, we reach out to serve all, to educate in the truths of sacred scripture and the Magisterium of the Church, and to foster the sacramental life of the faithful. Inspired by our patroness, we strive to live the greatest of all virtues - Charity. We care for the poor, children and the elderly, those cast as exiles and those who mourn. With open doors and open hearts, we invite everyone to join us on a faith-filled journey toward salvation.

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Secretary for Youth Protection Pam Russo 610-871-5200 ext. 2204 at the diocesan address above.

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WELCOME - WE ARE GLAD YOU ARE HERE



Masses / Services for the Week



MONDAY	**NOVEMBER 2**		9:00 AM	Mary & Carl Ivankovits
TUESDAY	**NOVEMBER 3**		9:00 AM	Elizabeth Wolfer
WEDNESDAY	**NOVEMBER 4**	CHURCH	9:00 AM	John Pecelli
THURSDAY	**NOVEMBER 5**	**CHURCH**	7:00 PM	Peggy Engleman – **Mass of Remembrance**
FRIDAY	**NOVEMBER 6**		9:00 AM	Enrollees of the Memorial Fund – *Divine Mercy*
SATURDAY	**NOVEMBER 7**		8:30 AM	Barbara Nedorostek
			4:30 PM	Ginny & Mietek Gorz & *People of the Parish*
SUNDAY	**NOVEMBER 8**		8:00 AM	Robert Hartzell
			10:00 AM	Shirley Robbins





If admitted to the hospital, please call the parish if you want an Anointing.

F. Hernandez			J Potylycki	A Buchman
R. Redmond	R Bair		K Dugan	H. Ainchayba
D. Chomo	K Yanchek	Pope Leo	P Macias	A. Rosado
L Guth	M Baran	T. Robbins	A Marants	C. Wilber
		J. Flax	C Mack	J. Greczyn

* Please note that those listed above suffering from life-threatening illnesses will remain; others are on the list for three months, you may call to be re-added as necessary

WELCOME TO ALL VISITORS

While Holy Communion may be received by prepared Catholics, our non-Catholic friends are encouraged to receive a blessing during Communion. Join the line, cross your arms over your chest as you approach the altar, and the celebrant or EOM will give you a blessing.
Welcome and God Bless You.



MASS ATTENDANCE ON OCTOBER 24 – 25

LIVING OUR FAITH

Saturday 4:30 pm – 136
Sunday 8:00 am – 151
Sunday 10:00am – 244

EMERGENCY?

Please call the hospital or nursing facility Chaplain if you or your loved one is a resident or patient and needs immediate attention. For an Anointing, please call and leave a message at the parish office for the next business day.

TO THOSE WITH HEALTH CONCERNS AND SAFETY INFO

We welcome you to Mass each weekend. If you wish to receive Holy Communion and find it difficult to join the Communion line, let the Usher know and an Extraordinary Minister will bring Communion to you. Low gluten hosts are available. Prior to Mass go to the sacristy and speak with the celebrant so the host can be prepared.

At church: AED and First Aid kits are available in the School and Parish Hall; the Sacristy also has some supplies. **Exterior doors are locked after Mass begins however they are push-to-open.**

Assisted Living Residents – please note that each parish is assigned a local area facility. While we would like to visit all our parishioners, if you are not at our assigned facility, Whitehall Manor, another parish may be coming to see you.

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PRAYING…AS DISCIPLES

SACRAMENTS
DEVOTIONS

INTENTIONS



Please pray for those who have died, especially **Sylvia Gill and Kirk Hines.** May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

MEMORIAL INTENTIONS



The Sanctuary Candle burned this week for the Deceased Members of the Krempasky Family requested by *the Glovers.*

PRAYER, ADORATION AND ROSARY



Adoration is held one hour before every weekday Mass. We also say the rosary half an hour before Mass begins. Please join us. The main church is open daily from 10 am to 2 pm for private prayer. This month we are devoting adoration to Priestly Vocations. Please pray for the Holy Spirit to inspire more men to join the priesthood.

OUR LADY OF KNOTS NOVENA



A small group of dedicated people stay after daily Mass on Tuesdays to pray a novena to Our Lady of Knots. Bring a rosary and join us. We now have an image of Our Lady of Knots in the Chapel.

RECONCILIATION / CONFESSION

Reconciliation is available before weekend Masses. Saturday 3:30 – 4:15, Sunday 7:15 – 7:45 am, 9:15 – 9:45 am and by appointment during weekdays.

KNIGHTS CORNER

The Knights are holding a **blood drive** in December. Please sign up in the parish office or on the bulletin board in the church foyer. For more info contact Deacon Mike at servantmike1@yahoo.com.

JOLLY JINGLE RAFFLE

Tickets are on sale at the parish office and after Masses.
Winners will be announced at the Parish Appreciation Dinner.
Tickets are $50 ea. –
Top prize is $5,000
Thank you for supporting St E.



SACRAMENTS

New to the parish? – Register as a new member to receive Sacraments.

BAPTISM: *(Infant to Age 6)*
Baptisms are currently being celebrated on the first Sunday of the month. Registered parish members may contact the parish office as soon as they learn that a child is on the way but should contact the parish office at least two months prior to the Baptism to register for the Baptism Class.

FIRST EUCHARIST/ PENANCE:
Normally received in 2nd grade. Parish member's enrollment in St. Elizabeth Regional School or Parish Religious Education Program (P.R.E.P) is required for at least two years before sacrament is received.

CONFIRMATION:
Normally received in 8th grade. Parish member's enrollment in St. Elizabeth Regional School or Parish Religious Education Program (P.R.E.P) is required for at least two years before sacrament is received.

MARRIAGE:
At least six months before your anticipated wedding. Contact the pastor for a meeting to go over information regarding scheduling and the preparation process.

PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK:
Contact the Pastor at the parish office for the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick; this is the preferred contact method, please do not pass messages through others.

FUNERAL:
For the passing of a loved one, please contact the funeral home of your choice. The Funeral Director will contact the church to arrange a date and time for the service. Funerals are held on weekdays.

ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS: (O.C.I.A.)
Is Jesus inviting you to join His Church? Do you want to become Catholic? Contact the parish office to learn more about this process. We look forward to journeying in Faith with you. OCIA@sercc.org

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LIVING…*as Disciples*

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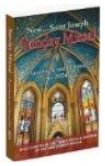
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ST. JOSEPH MISSAL 2027



Are here and can be purchased at the parish office during business hours for **$6 each.** They make great gifts!

BINGO



Pre-sale tickets are available at the parish office. Get an extra Specials packet for all presale ticket purchases. Tickets are $25. Bingo is Nov 8 – doors open at noon, games start at 1 pm. 15 regular games and 5 specials. Presale ends Thurs, Nov 5.

ST. ELIZABETH MUSIC MINISTRY NUTROLL SALE



Members of St. Elizabeth Music Ministry are selling Apricot, Lekvar, Nut, Poppyseed, Pumpkin Cheese, and Seedless Raspberry Rolls for Thanksgiving/Christmas. The cost is now $18 each, and orders are due by November 5th. Look for order forms later this month. And, as always, thank you for your support. Have questions? Please call Joan Glover at 610-349-7791.

MAY THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED REST IN PEACE

All Soul's Day is celebrated on November 2nd holds great significance as a day to remember our loved ones. This solemn day allows us to offer prayer, Mass and devotions for our loved ones. Mass will be at 9 am that day.

PARISH BREAKFAST IS BACK



We will serve our monthly Breakfast Buffet on Sunday, November 8 from 8:30 – 11:30 am. Come enjoy your favorites all for $10/adult, children age 11 and older are $5/child and children under 10 are free! **Treat your favorite Veteran!** We are grateful to all our wonderful volunteers who are helping us "kick-off" our first breakfast. Many thanks to our Breakfast Club coordinator, Tom Amico!
Our sponsor this month is Jay Gilbert and Family and our "special" is Fr. Joe's cooks with collars quiche made by Deb Schuster.

DAY LIGHT SAVINGS REMINDER



On Sunday, November 1st Daylight Savings will end. Please turn your clock back for one hour.

POINSETTIA SALE



This year, we're selling single-bloom poinsettias for $6 each. They'll arrive in time to be a perfect little gift for a family member, neighbor, or co-worker. We sell red, white, or marble poinsettias; all newly grown at Garden City. Order forms will be in next week's bulletin. Pick-up is Sunday, December 13, in the Parish Hall from 8:30–11:15 am.
Order deadline is November 30.

USEFUL INFORMATION

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THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION - PRAYER PARTNERS NEEDED



On Thursday, February 25, 2027 at 4:30 pm, Bishop Schlert, will administer the Sacrament of Confirmation to our parish Confirmandi. To assist our candidates in their preparation, we call upon our parishioners to pray for them and encourage them. Please consider being a prayer partner by praying for them each day and writing a congratulatory note that can be given to them on their Confirmation day. Please contact Camille Stockdale at the parish office if you'd like to be a prayer partner. 610-266-0695 ext. 208 or e-mail at dirreled@sercc.org. *Come Holy Spirit Come.*



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FR JOE'S BIRTHDAY THANK YOU

Thank you to my St E's family for your birthday wishes and joining us in the parish hall for my birthday. I enjoyed the "67" signed by all our school students. Special thanks to Deb, Jan and Jon Schuster, MaryAnn Lake, and Deb Galgon for preparing and serving all the food and treats.

















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FELLOWSHIP…AS DISCIPLES!

Community Events

The 12th Annual Blue Star Mothers of America Military Appreciation and Basket Social

November 7th ~ Fullerton Fire Company

Doors Open at 5:00pm, Dinner at 6:15 pm

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For tickets

Or contact Maura at mauraroszyk@gmail.com

Proceeds benefit all military, including veterans, families, and Gold Star families through care packages, financial assistance, and support.





Come & See

On Sunday, November 15th from 8:30 am to 5:45 pm St. Charles Borromeo Seminary will host a retreat day for young men ages 14 and older. If you are open to discovering the Lord's call to the holy priesthood, join us for this day of discernment – a unique opportunity to see where the future priest study, pray, and live! Register by November 12th at allentowndiocese.org/vocation-discernment-events

Annual Holiday Craft Fair and Bake Sale

November 7 | 9:00am-2:00 pm
Mullen Hall| 1 395 Bridle Path Road, Bethlehem, PA 18017
Interested in being a vendor? Spaces are available! Visit our website www.SchoolSistersOsf.org/upcoming-events

St John's Fall Dance

On November 7 St. John the Bapist, Allentown will host a Fall Dance from 7-10 pm featuring "Johnny K". Cost is $5 per person. For more information call 610-432-0034.

Fall Fest – Basket Raffle!

Sunday, November 8th, 9 am – 3 pm at St. Paul Parish Center 219 W. Susquehanna St., Allentown Basket Raffles, Food, Bake Sale & More!

Bereavement Support Group- 6 Week Sessions

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Be our protection against
the wickedness and snares
of the devil.
May God rebuke him,
we humbly pray;
and do thou, O Prince
of the heavenly host,
by the power of God,
cast into hell Satan
and all the evil spirits
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world seeking the ruin of souls.
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