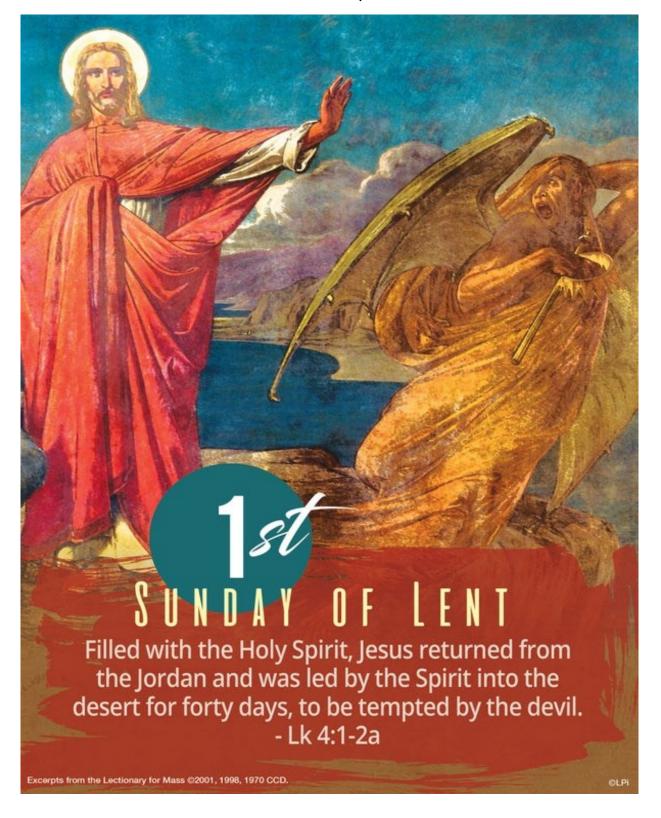


# ST. ELIZABETH of the Trinity



### March 6, 2022



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## FROM THE PASTOR...

You have probably heard by now that the Archdiocese has removed the mask requirement for schools, parishes, offices, etc... The signs you see on the church doors now say: "Masks optional". For some of you this may be a relief and just what you were waiting for to come back to church. For others, this easing might cause concern that Covid and other sicknesses will more easily spread. Some will still wear masks, some won't, but I ask you to respect the decision that people make and to still use the hand sanitizer. Wearing or not wearing a mask is an option, please honor each other regardless.

The parish is looking to hire at least one full-time maintenance person. The pay and salary would be based on training/experience, but we are looking even for a building engineer or tradesman. There is also the need for another part or full-time person for more routine maintenance/custodial work as well, it's a fairly big campus as you know. If you know someone that might be looking for work, that you trust, and has some relevant qualifications, have them contact or send their resume to me at: mgrisolano@archchicago.org.

We are also looking to fill a new role created by the Archdiocese called Director of Evangelization. Just like the Operations Director role that was created to help pastors stay focused on the mission by managing facilities oversite, this role is intended to help move newly merged parishes from just maintaining normal levels of spiritual service into helping make Catholic disciples of Christ. This position does require a person with some theological training and pastoral experience. The full job description is posted on the Archdiocesan website but if you know someone that you think would be a good fit or you would like to see the full job description, please let me know.

This is the First Sunday of Lent, the time when the Church calls us to enter the desert with Christ and take on the disciplines of prayer, fasting, and almsgiving in a more focused way. If you have already failed in some of your disciplines, keep trying with humility, if you haven't taken on any Lenten practices yet, might I make some suggestions.

The Lord gives us the example of how to deal with temptations from the Devil first by quickly rejecting them. To start with we might ask ourselves honestly, in the old phrasing, do I avoid the 'near occasion of sin.' Fasting from the internet, tv, or other non-work-related digital activities can free us from unhealthy distractions and temptations. Fasting from some foods or drink may also be good for our health, but I do highly recommend that you choose one thing to fast from that you know is the main obstacle to your sanctity, even if the thing itself is not objectively evil.

Also, Jesus shows us that knowing one's faith and the Word of God can refute Satan's lies. The Truth sets us free. Can you take time this Lent to grow in your relationship with Christ through some amount of spiritual reading and through prayer? One could start with prayer before bed every day for at least a minute to review the day with the Lord, including praying with Sacred Scripture. Can we also pray for peace in the world, especially in war torn regions like Ukraine?

Scripture says that "Charity covers a multitude of sins". Our world is starving for love and Jesus Christ is calling us first to receive His love but then share it with others. The homeless and poor need someone to help them, the homebound, imprisoned, widows/widowers, and sick need care. Can this Lent be a time when we help someone hands on, in a simple way?

Our Lenten disciplines ideally are simple, practical, and helpful for ourselves and others... we can't do everything, but we can do something. In Christ.

Fr. Mike





In today's Gospel, Jesus overcomes the temptations to wealth, power, and esteem. As we begin Lent, may we open our hearts to the grace of prayer, fasting, and almsgiving.

Your gift in the St. Vincent de Paul Poor Box will help the poor to celebrate the grace of God's love this Easter.



### **Lenten Schedule**

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Evening Prayer (Vespers): Monday at 6:30 p.m.

Stations of the Cross: Friday at 6:30 p.m. in English and 7:30 p.m. in Spanish



#### THE PILLARS OF LENT

As we begin our Lenten journey, reflect on how your prayers, fasting and almsgiving can guide you. As Pope Francis explains, these are "elements which, when lived sincerely, can transform life and provide a sure foundation for dignity and fraternity."

How can practicing the Lenten pillars transform your life and the lives of our sisters and brothers around the world? Visit **crsricebowl.org** to learn more.

#### LADIES GUILD

Our next monthly Mass will be on **Sunday, March 6 at 9:00 a.m.** Meet in the back of church so that we can process in and sit together. All women of the parish are invited to join us.

#### ST. ELIZABETH OF THE TRINITY SCOUT PACK 3969 & TROOP 969 64th ANNUAL PANCAKE BREAKFAST & RAFFLE



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**Sunday, <u>APRIL 3</u>, 2022** – 7:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.



Social Center – 5859 N. Moody Ave.

Donation: \$8.00 Pre-sale - \$10.00 at the door

Children under 5 are free

Tickets available from any scout.

Take advantage of our take-out option!

#### **Sharing Families-Rwanda**

The students in Rwanda have just received the latest supplies from the Sharing Families. It is always a special day for the children to receive the gifts. For some, this is the first time they have their very own shoes. They especially love the backpacks.

A message from Father Denis: "I take this opportunity to extend my sincere thanks to all the sponsoring families for the love and sacrifices you make towards children in the Station School. Your sponsorship goes far in ensuring that these children have education, food, and other basic needs in life. Your gesture goes with what Jesus teaches us in the Gospel of Matthew 25 where He says: I was hungry and you fed me, I was thirsty and you gave me a drink, I was naked and you dressed me etc., come and enter into the kingdom of my Father. Indeed, thank you for putting the word of God into practice."



Can you tell which students have never had their photo taken?

Helping one child will not change the world however, for that one child the world will be forever changed.

Thank you to all the Sharing Familes for the difference you are making.

The cost to become a sponsor is \$25.00 per student however any size donation is appreciated. You can give at any time by making a check payable to St. Elizabeth of the Trinity Parish. Please be sure to **mark on the memo portion of the check** *Station School*. You can also donate online via Faith Direct. Follow our progress on this remarkable journey at <a href="https://www.stelizabethtrinity.org">www.stelizabethtrinity.org</a> and see the hope and smiles in the eyes of the children. We have given the gift of a brighter future and we have received the gift of an extended family.

**Bobbie DuMelle** 



Michele Schmidt—Maria Szumski—Carol Williams—Gary Sowell—Virginia Barski—Jeffrey Lalowski—Jadwija Chudzynski—Amy Grudzinski—Bernadette Bannach—Patricia Newell—Guzman family—Angela Ross—Kasia Worth—Nicholas Guerrieri—Cathy Minnick—Marie Brasher—Molly Morris—Paola Estrada—Judy Biala—Eva Anderson—Elise Fernandez—Gerard Rangel—Roger Rangel—Emery Tanski—John Carr—Fr. Dan Fallon—Cahy Muldoon-Pauly—John Morrison—Sr Roda Villaruz MSHT—Sr Kelly Masdat MSHT—Darlene Russo—Lou Galassini—Elizabeth Jay — Jane Garvey — Patrick Hagerty —Robert Polston — Rigo Cortez — Arlene Iglehart —Constance Anderson — Roxanne Bartol — Floriberta Arroyo (Call the rectory office to have your name added or removed)

#### OUR ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY AT WORK

Once again, members of our St. Vincent de Paul Society came out to the Jefferson Park Transit Center to share the gifts of food and warm clothing with our friends in need on a very cold day in Chicago.

Thank you to Michael Avella & Family and Murray Bros. Caddyshack for providing the delicious biscuits and gravy and chili. Thank you to Andrea DeVince for baking delicious desserts. Thank you to Monica Dillon of the Chicago NWS Homeless Outreach Volunteers for continuing to partner with us to make this possible. Thank you to Lindsey LaPointe, Chicago's 19th district State Representative, for stopping by and thank you to Father Mike for his prayer and support.

Thanks to our volunteers who braved the cold: Dave McNaughton, Deacon Greg, Joe and Delia O'Connor, Mary Ellen Gold, Rich Muench, Mark Stemper, and Len Strauch.

"I will always welcome joyfully any opportunity that comes my way to be of service to you." — St. Vincent de Paul















### **RELIGIOUS ED**

SUNDAY, MARCH 6TH CLASS

SUNDAY, MARCH 13TH CLASS

LIFE WITH CHRIST IS A WONDERFUL ADVENTURE!~POPE ST. JOHN PAUL II



### The Seven Sundays of St. Joseph

Beginning the seventh Sunday before St. Joseph's Day on March 19th, the Seven Sundays Devotion honors the seven joys and seven sorrows that St. Joseph experienced as the husband of the Mother of God, guardian of Christ and head of the Holy Family. This devotion helps us to discover what God is telling us through the simple, faith-filled life of St. Joseph.

#### The Sixth Sunday-March 6th

His sorrow when he was afraid to return to his homeland; his joy on being told by the angel to go Nazareth.

#### Prayer

O most glorious St. Joseph, you marveled to see the King of heaven obedient to your commands. Your consolation in bringing Jesus out of the land of Egypt was troubled by your fear of Archelaus. Nevertheless, being assured by an angel, you lived in gladness at Nazareth with Jesus and Mary. By this sorrow and this joy, obtain for us that our hearts may be delivered from harmful fears, so that we may rejoice in peace of conscience and may live with Jesus and Mary. Our Father..., Hail Mary..., Glory Be...

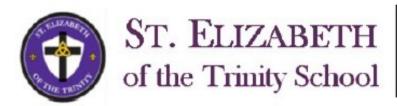
### Children's Liturgy of the Word

St. Elizabeth of the Trinity Parish would like to bring back Children's Liturgy of the Word at the 9am Mass and we need your help! No prior experience is needed, just a desire to make this part of the Mass more understandable for children and the commitment of one Sunday per month. Training and materials will be provided. We can only begin this program if we have enough adult volunteers who are willing to work with the children during the Liturgy of the Word part of the Mass. Please contact Ms. Driscoll (kadriscoll@archchicago.org) for more information. Thank you for prayerfully considering serving in this ministry.

#### **Totus Tuus Host Families Needed!**

When: June 26th-July1st

We are seeking any St. Elizabeth of the Trinity parishioners willing to host the Totus Tuus team during their stay and programs. The team consists of two college aged girls and two college aged guys. Host Families provide sleeping arrangements (one bedroom for the two team members), a private bathroom, a morning continental breakfast, and possibly laundry facilities. Housing of team members takes place from their arrival Saturday until their departure the following Friday morning. Each team will provide their own transportation to and from the parish. Please contact Kathleen Driscoll if you can help or have any questions. (773)-763-8228 or kadriscoll@archchicago.org.



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https://stelizabethtrinityschool.org/

The 7th grade had a wonderful time ice skating and playing all-school Bingo during Catholic Schools Week. Students enjoyed Valentine's Day exchanging cards and making a craft with their faith partners. 7th grade learned about the science behind some of the Winter Olympic sports and designed their own ski slopes. Most recently, the 7th grade began a unit on rocks and minerals and measured and calculated density to identify minerals.















Annie, Jr is coming to St. Elizabeth next weekend! Get your tickets ASAP!

Tickets will ONLY be sold prior to the show - no tickets will be sold at the door. All tickets are reserved seating.

Contact Rebecca Gold at music.rgold@gmail.com to purchase.

Ticket Info



Interested in seeing Annie Jr.? Contact Rebecca Gold at <a href="mailto:music.rgold@gmail.com">music.rgold@gmail.com</a> to purchase tickets!

#### Performances:

Friday, March 11 @ 7 pm Saturday, March 12 @ 3 pm Saturday, March 12 @ 7 pm

### \$10 Each Reserved Seating

When you email to request tickets please specify:

- · Your Name & Phone Number (for contacting)
- Requested Performance Date/Time
- Number of Tickets Requested

\*\*All ticket sales are first come, first serve. You will receive a confirmation email from music.rgold@gmail.com with your seat number and ticket pick up information.



Tickets are pre-sale ONLY. No tickets will be sold at the door. Ticket sales run now through Monday, March 7 or until sold out.

Tickets have already been sold to families of the cast. We have a limited number of seats left. Please click on the link to view available seats (green).

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1BsXDMZDBQB93A5M4JjRIwTXLKyPiBczoSsAXv7 qoKUc/edit?usp=sharing



Watch St. Elizabeth of the Trinity 9:00 a.m. Sunday Mass live on You Tube - search for St. Elizabeth of the Trinity Parish channel.

#### **SATURDAY, MARCH 5, 2022**

5:00 PM — Peter Smith, Don Love Jr., Carmen Rosario Castro, Michael Maughan

#### **SUNDAY, MARCH 6, 2022**

7:30 AM — Alice Kern

9:00 AM — Eileen & Jack Owen, Don Quinn, Lorraine, John, Martin, Richard & Brian Fulara, Margaret & Matthew Futterer, Lillian Rosenau, the Ladies Guild, the souls in purgatory

11:00 AM — Maria Rossa, Julia Keeney, Charles Patrick Boyd

1:00 PM — (Spanish) - Jose Luis Bucio, Andy Flores

#### **MONDAY, MARCH 7, 2022**

8:30 AM — deceased members of the Gonsalves & D'Souza families

#### **TUESDAY, MARCH 8, 2022**

8:30 AM — Eleanor, Sam, Gracie & Joseph Holden 11:00 - 6:00 PM - Adoration / Benediction at 6:00 5:30 - 6:00 PM - CONFESSIONS 6:30 PM — for peace in Ukraine

#### WEDNESDAY, MARCH 9, 2022

8:30 AM — Margaret A. Konyn, Brenda n Patrick Johnson

#### THURSDAY, MARCH 10, 2022

8:30 AM — Joseph Pryst (9th anniversary), Rosalina Carballo, Mary O'Malley

#### **FRIDAY, MARCH 11, 2022**

8:30 AM — for peace in Ukraine

#### SATURDAY, MARCH 12, 2022

8:30 AM — Maria Stopeka 3:30 - 4:30 — CONFESSIONS

5:00 PM — Malachy Byrne (1st anniversary), Stanley R. Erie (19th anniversary), deceased members of the Ognibene family, Jessica Bach, Michael Maughan, Brendan Patrick Johnson

#### **SUNDAY, MARCH 13, 2022**

7:30 AM —for our parishioners 9:00 AM — Eileen & Jack Owen, Don Quinn, Peter Smith, Brendan Patrick Johnson 11:00 AM — for our parishioners 1:00 PM — (Spanish) - Andy Flores

#### Presider Schedule - March 12 & 13

5:00 p.m. — Fr. McCarthy
7:30 a.m. — Fr. McCarthy
9:00 a.m. — Fr. Grisolano
11:00 a.m. — Fr. Landfried
(Spanish) 1:00 p.m. - Fr. Landfried

#### DISPENSATION

Cardinal Cupich has continued the dispensation from the obligation to attend Sunday and Holy Day Mass until further notice.





#### WEDDING BANNS



Ryan Robinson & Sarah Donohoe- I



#### SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: 1st Sunday of Lent

Monday: Sts. Perpetua and Felicity, Martyrs

Tuesday: St. John of God, Religious Wednesday: St. Frances of Rome, Religious

Thursday: Friday: Saturday:

Next Sunday: 2nd Sunday of Lent; Daylight Saving

Time begins

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### Readings for the Week

Sunday: Dt 26:4-10/Ps 91:1-2, 10-11, 12-13, 14-15

[cf. 15b]/Rom 10:8-13/Lk 4:1-13

Monday: Lv 19:1-2, 11-18/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15/Mt

25:31-46

Tuesday: Is 55:10-11/Ps 34:4-5, 6-7, 16-17, 18-19/

Mt 6:7-15

Wednesday: Jon 3:1-10/Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 18-19/Lk

11:29-32

Thursday: Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25/Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde

-3, 7c-8/Mt 7:7-12

Friday: Ez 18:21-28/Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-7a, 7bc-8/

Mt 5:20-26

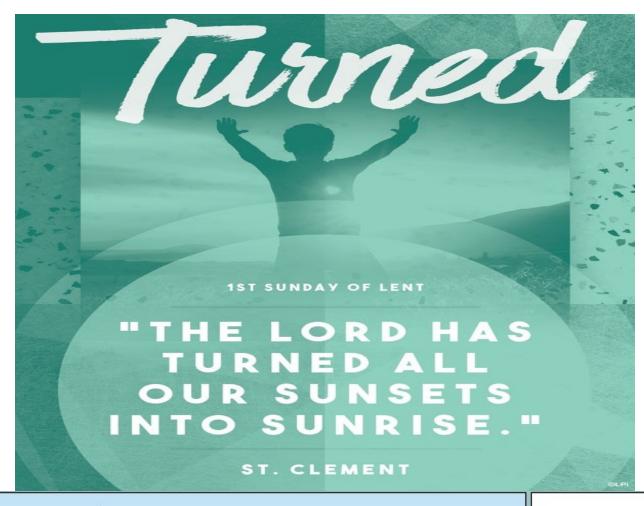
Saturday: Dt 26:16-19/Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 7-8/Mt 5:43-

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Next Sunday: Gn 15:5-12, 17-18/Ps 27:1, 7-8, 8-9, 13-

14/Phil 3:17—4:1 or 3:20—4:1/Lk 9:28b-

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Weekend Mass Schedule:

Saturday: 5:00 p.m. & Sunday: 7:30, 9:00 & 11:00 a.m.

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1:00 p.m. (Spanish)

Daily Mass Schedule:

Monday through Saturday: 8:30 a.m., Tuesday: 6:30 p.m. and

First Friday: 7:45 p.m. (Spanish)

Church is open daily for private prayer until 5:00 p.m.

Confession:

Tuesday: 5:30 - 6:00 p.m., Friday: 7:00 to 7:45 p.m. (bilingual)

Saturday: 3:30 to 4:30 p.m.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Tuesday: 11:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. - Benediction at 6:00 p.m.

Rectory (Parish Office) Hours - Monday through Friday: 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. and Saturday - 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Baptism:

Please contact Deacon Greg Bzdon to make arrangements: qbzdon@archchicago.org

Becoming a Catholic:

Would you like to learn more about what it means to be a Catholic? The Church calls this process *The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA)*. It is a small group forum where interested people learn more about initiation and membership in the Catholic Church. Please call Kathleen Driscoll at the parish office for more information.

Marriage:

Must be arranged six months prior to the ceremony. Please contact a priest to make arrangements.

Religious Education for Public Grade School Students: Contact Kathleen Driscoll for more information: kadriscoll@archchicago.org

Parish Registration: New parishioners are asked to register at the Rectory. Forms are also available on our website under the Our Parish tab.

**Communion Visits:** Ministers of Care bring Communion to the homebound. Contact Deacon Steve Wagner through the rectory to make arrangements.

High School Youth Group: Mr. Mike Wuich HEELSFINL4@AOL.COM

Bulletin Deadline: Noon on Fridays (9 days prior to bulletin date)

"It seems to me that I have found my heaven on earth, because my heaven is You, my God, and You are in my soul.
You in me, and I in You – may this be my motto."

St. Eligabeth of the Trinity