

**ST. ELIZABETH
CATHOLIC CHURCH**

Diocese of Knoxville

**Mass intentions
for July 28, 2024**

17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, 5 p.m. — (English)
† Paul Gurdak
By: *Laura Gurdak*

Saturday, 7 p.m. — (Spanish)
People of the parish

Sunday, 9 a.m. —
† Harlene Devine
By: *Jim & Sharon Bready*

Monday, 8 a.m. —
Julia Holt
By: *Fr. Jesús*

Tuesday, 8 a.m. —
† deceased of Bartus family
By: *George & Thea Bratton*

Wednesday, noon —
† souls in purgatory
By: *Lisa Palmieri*

18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, 5 p.m. — (English)
† Jose Gonzales
By: *Quigley family*

Saturday, 7 p.m. — (Spanish)
† Rita Solis
By: *Victor & Rosalba Granados*

Sunday, 9 a.m. —
People of the parish



**ELISHA'S
MULTIPLICATION**

Jesus was the not the first person in the bible to multiply loaves of bread. Over 700 years before Jesus, a prophet named Elisha did it on a much smaller scale. He performed this feat for a group of 100 monks. They were starving because of a famine. Elisha had been given 20 small loaves, probably similar to modern pita or Syrian pocket bread. He accomplished this action along with other miracles mentioned that foreshadow the miracles of Jesus.

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**Thank you
for your
generosity**

In person July 21, 2024

Regular, \$3,572.71
Building, \$200
Church in Africa, \$140

Weekly readings

**17th Sunday
in Ordinary Time**
2 Kings 4:42-44
Psalm 145:10-11, 15-18
Ephesians 4:1-6
John 6:1-15

Monday
*St. Mary, St. Martha &
St. Lazarus*
Jeremiah 13:1-11
John 11:19-27

Tuesday
Jeremiah 14:17-22
Matthew 13:36-43

Wednesday
St. Ignatius of Loyola
Jeremiah 15:10, 16-21
Matthew 13:44-46

Thursday
St. Alphonsus Liguori
Jeremiah 18:1-6
Matthew 13:47-53

Friday
Jeremiah 26:1-9
Matthew 13:54-58

Saturday
Jeremiah 26:11-16, 24
Matthew 14:1-12

**18th Sunday in
Ordinary Time**
Exodus 16:2-4, 12-15
Psalm 78:3-4, 23-25, 54
Ephesians 4:17, 20-24
John 6:24-35

Lay ministers for August 3/4

Altar servers

Sat. —
Sun. — Carl Johnson, Timothy Grubb

Commentators

Sat. — Bob Gamache
Sun. — Nick Schicker

Readers

Sat. — Bob Gamache, Cathy Champon
Sun. — Cheryl White, Katie Taylor

Ushers

Sat. — J.J. Regan, George Bratton
Sun. — Tom Manning, Tim Eilers

Gift Bearers

Sat. — Ushers
Sun. — Taylor family

Saintly Wisdom

“What good thing could God deny us
when he is the one who invites us to ask.”
— *St. Anthony Mary Zaccaria* —

Parish Life

Ice Cream Social This Sunday — The Youth Group is sponsoring an ice cream social from 3 to 4:30 p.m. this Sunday for the parish. They plan to talk about their experiences at the Alive in You conference and service camp last month in Knoxville. All are invited.



Food and Fellowship on Next Weekend — The evangelization team (E-team) will provide fellowship time after the Masses next weekend.

Distribution from the Cup — Beginning Aug. 15 (Solemnity of the Assumption of Mary), distribution of the Precious Blood will be available to those who would like to receive communion under both species.



Low Gluten Hosts Available — Please inform the deacon or Fr. Jesús before Mass if you would like to receive a low gluten host. At communion time, approach the altar in the line for Fr. Jesús.

Pool Party Next Sunday — A back-to-school pool party is planned from 3 to 8 p.m. next Sunday, for the Youth Group. The party will be at the home of Vicki Johnson, youth ministry leader. Contact her at 859-802-9710 for more information.



Education and Formation

PSR Classes to Begin Aug. 18 — Classes for the Parish School of Religion will begin Aug. 18 for students in kindergarten through high school. Classes will meet on Sundays after Mass for about an hour. If you did not participate last year, please register your child by emailing secretary@stelizabethsparish.com

OCIA — Any adult who would like to learn more about Catholicism may participate in St. Elizabeth's OCIA (Order of Christian Initiation of Adults) program (formerly called RCIA). Classes will begin meeting after Labor Day. Email secretary@stelizabethsparish.com if interested.

Diocesan News

Masses with the New Bishop — Bishop Mark Beckman will celebrate Mass in the Five Rivers Deanery at 6 p.m. Tuesday at St. Patrick Church in Morristown. He will also celebrate Mass with the diocesan Hispanic community at 1 p.m. Saturday at All Saints Church in Knoxville.

Special Intention

World Day for Grandparents, Elderly — This Sunday is the World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly. Please keep them in your prayers.

— Pray for the Sick of Our Parish: —

Manny Bandarra	Lynda Gamache
Thea Bratton	Chuck Muraski
Mary Carr	Jim Stapleton
Jim Cathelyn	Jimmy Townsend
Cathy Champon	Margaret Vines
Joel Dean	Tina Wachs
Lilo Duncan	Ed & Linda Yarwood