

**ST. ELIZABETH
OF HUNGARY**
Diocese of Knoxville

**Mass intentions
for Mar. 30, 2025**

4th Sunday of Lent
Saturday, 5 p.m. — (English)
† Deceased of Bartus family
By: George & Thea Bratton

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

Sunday, 9 a.m. —
† Paul Gurdak

Monday, 8 a.m. —
† Johnny Vines

Tuesday, 8 a.m. —
† Jenny Venable

Wednesday, Noon —
David & Alyssa Quigley
By: Ed & Marghi Quigley

5th Sunday of Lent
Saturday, 5 p.m. — (English)
† Diane Berger
By: Chris Neal & Angela Costagliola

Saturday, 7 p.m. — (Spanish)
Presider's intention

Sunday, 9 a.m. —
People of the parish



REPROACH OF EGYPT

The Hebrews spend their first night in the Promised Land. After Moses' death, Joshua took command and led the people across the Jordan river. The first order of business is that all those who have not been circumcised must have the rite performed. Apparently this ritual had not been done in Egypt, hence the word "reproach". With this act finished the Hebrews can now celebrate their first Passover in Canaan (Palestine). The manna — a sort of honey — that fed them in the desert no longer flows.

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"The ultimate goal of fasting is to help each one of us to make a complete gift of self to God."

~ Pope Benedict XVI

Weekly readings

4th Sunday of Lent
Joshua 5:9a, 10-12
Psalm 34:2-7
2 Corinthians 5:17-21
Luke 15:1-3, 11-32

Monday

Isaiah 65:17-21
John 4:43-54

Tuesday

Ezekiel 47:1-9, 12
John 5:1-16

Wednesday

Isaiah 49:8-15
John 5:17-30

Thursday

Exodus 32:7-14
John 5:31-47

Friday

Wisdom 2:1a, 12-22
John 7:1-2, 10, 25-30

Saturday

Jeremiah 11:18-20
John 7:40-53

5th Sunday of Lent

Isaiah 43:16-21
Psalm 126:1-6
Philippians 3:8-14
John 8:1-11

Lay ministers for Apr. 5/6

Altar servers

Sat. — Timothy, Leo & Finnian Grubb
Sun. — Carl Johnson, Mike Snow

Commentators

Sat. — Cathy Champon
Sun. — Tom Manning

Readers

Sat. — Beth Kortze, Mercedes Burke
Sun. — Vikki Sitter, Irene Whitehead

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist

Sat. — Angela Nieland, Angela Murphy-Walters
Sun. — Marghi Quigley, Greg Watson

Ushers

Sat. — J.J. Regan, Bob Gamache
Sun. — Richard Barker, Jimmy Townsend

Parish Life

Confirmation Mass—will be celebrated with Bishop Beckman on Sat., April 5, at 7pm.

Bereavement—Parishioner Rose Graves died March 25. Please keep her family in your prayers.

Thank You—to Brophy Lee, who in her short tenure as a parish money counter did a great job. Brophy is beginning service in the U.S. Navy in April.

E-Team to Meet — The Evangelization Team (E-Team) is scheduled to meet at 2pm, Sat., April 5. All are invited!

Food and Fellowship Next Weekend — The evangelization team (E-team) will provide fellowship time after Masses next weekend. Plan to stay a few minutes and enjoy time together.

Youth Group

Alive In You (AIY) LAST WEEKEND TO REGISTER—is a week-long mission trip conference to Knoxville for rising 8th graders or older (including college students & adult chaperones). Dates are June 17-22, 2025. For more info, contact Vicki Johnson at 859-802-9710 or youthministry@stelizabethsparish.com.

Parish Pastoral Council

Update from your Parish Pastoral Council—

—Recommended and approved by Father Jesús, these policies & procedures are being implemented:

1. Privacy Policy
2. Key Control Policy
3. Communication procedures

—Father Jesús is now able to occupy the new rectory.

—The formation of a sub-committee is underway to create recommendations for a parish mission statement.



Soup Suppers—Every Friday during Lent. Supper begins at 5pm followed by Stations of the Cross at 6pm. There is no charge. If you plan to attend, please sign the sign-up sheet in the vestibule so food prep can be planned. All are welcome.

Lenten Food Drive—The Knights of Columbus are teaming up with Abundant Life Women's Ministry (ALWM) for the annual Lenten Food Drive ending on Easter. Food donations must be non-perishable. Cash donations will be given to Assistance Resource Ministries (ARM) or Loaves & Fishes (L&F).

The Knights are continuing their support to Catholic Charities of East Tennessee. Currently they are collecting baby formula; however, other baby items (diapers, wipes, clothing, blankets, etc.) and cash donations are always appreciated.

Please put cash/check donation in an envelope marked either ARM, CC of ET, or L&F. Checks for ARM or CC of ET should be made out to Council 10743 KofC and on the memo please indicate ARM or CC of ET. Checks for L&F should be made out to St. Elizabeth of Hungary Catholic Parish with ALWM-L&F noted on the memo line.

Pray for the Sick of Our Parish:

Manny Bandarra	Lynda Gamache
Thea Bratton	Chuck Muraski
Mary Carr	Leroy & Agnes Policky
Jim Cathelyn	Jim Stapleton
Joel Dean	Jimmy Townsend
Lilo Duncan	Margaret Vines
Mercedes Fernandez	Linda Yarwood

Thank you for your generosity.

In person—Mar. 23

Regular — \$2,519.00	Building Fund — \$140.00
Backpack Buddies — \$9.30	Easter Flowers — \$60.00
Operation Rice Bowl — \$705.00	Eastern Europe — \$35.00
Black & Indian Missions — \$35.00	

**Lenten
Penance Service**

Tues., April 1, 6pm