

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

**Mass intentions
for Mar. 9, 2025**

1st Sunday of Lent
Saturday, 5 p.m. — (English)

† Maria Hennequin
By: Ed & Marghi Quigley

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

Sunday, 9 a.m. —
† Frankie Carr
By: Mary Carr

Monday, 8 a.m. —
Intentions of Celia Mistretta
By: Ed & Marghi Quigley

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

Wednesday, Noon —
Quigley family
By: Ed & Marghi Quigley

2nd Sunday of Lent
Saturday, 5 p.m. — (English)
† Gurdak & Messina families
By: Laura Gurdak & family

Saturday, 7 p.m. — (Spanish)
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A WANDERING ARAMEAN

Today's first reading describes an ancient thanksgiving ceremony. A farmer brings a basket of the first fruits of the harvest and then states a sort of creed. It is a brief acknowledgement of God's saving acts in history. It begins with the notion that the patriarchs came from Aram, usually identified with eastern Syria. The ritual ends with prostration before God. This passage is probably meant to link with the Gospel by teaching that one should bow before only God.

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Weekly readings

1st Sunday of Lent
Deuteronomy 26:4-10
Psalm 91:1-2, 10-15
Romans 10:8-13
Luke 4:1-13

Monday
Leviticus 19:1-2, 11-18
Matthew 25:31-46

Tuesday
Isaiah 55:10-11
Matthew 6:7-15

Wednesday
Jonah 3:1-10
Luke 11:29-32

Thursday
Esther C:12, 14-16, 23-25
Matthew 7:7-12

Friday
Ezekiel 18:21-28
Matthew 5:20-26

Saturday
Deuteronomy 26:16-19
Matthew 5:43-48

2nd Sunday of Lent
Genesis 15:5-12, 17-18
Psalm 27:1, 7-9, 13-14
Philippians 3:17-4:1
Luke 9:28b-36

Lay ministers for Mar. 15/16

Altar servers

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

Commentators

Sat. — Cathy Champon
Sun. — Nick Schicker

Readers

Sat. — Steve Hummel, Cathy Champon
Sun. — Jeannie Walker, Richard Barker

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist

Sat. — Michael Gray Jr., Angela Murphy-Walters
Sun. — Greg Watson, Marghi Quigley

Ushers

Sat. — George Bratton, Bob Gamache
Sun. — Tim Eilers, Tom Manning

LENT
Pray + Fast + Give



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 Council 10743 continue their annual Lenten drive through Easter. Donated food must be non-perishable and all cash donations will be given to Assistance and Resource Ministries (ARM).

The Council continues to support Catholic Charities of East Tennessee. Donations of baby items (formula, diapers, wipes, clothing, blankets, etc) and cash are always appreciated.

If you are giving a cash/check donation, please put it in an envelope and mark it either ARM or CC of ET. Checks should be made out to Council 10743 KofC and indicate either ARM or CC of ET on the memo line.

Parish Life

Holy Hour—with adoration will be celebrated with Deacon Gray this Tues., Mar. 11.

St. Patrick's Day Parish Potluck—The Ladies Guild will be hosting on Sunday, Mar. 16, at 5pm in the basement. Bring a favorite dish to share! Dave Olson will be singing Irish songs.



Youth Group



Alive In You (AIY)—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. **Deadline for sign-up is Sun., Mar. 30.**

Diocesan Job Opportunities

Director of Youth and Young Adult and Pastoral Juvenile—Responsible for fostering the faith formation and spiritual growth of youth and young adults within the Diocese of Knoxville. If interested, please contact Maura Lentz at mlentz@dioknox.org.

Director of Human Resources—If interested, please contact Deacon Sean Smith at ssmith@dioknox.org.

For full job descriptions of either posting, please visit the Diocese website at <https://dioknox.org/employment>.

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

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for your
generosity.**

In person—Mar. 2
Regular — \$2,677.00
Building Fund — \$400.00
Backpack Buddies — \$113.00
Church in Central &
Eastern Europe — \$10.00

Online Offertory
February
\$9, 951.00

