

February 5, 2022

5th Sunday
in
Ordinary Time

SAINT ELIZABETH OF HUNGARY CATHOLIC CHURCH

Eureka Springs, Arkansas

Contact Us...

CHURCH

30 Crescent Drive
Eureka Springs, AR
72632

PARISH CENTER

232 Passion Play Road
Eureka Springs, AR
72632

OFFICE HOURS

Tues. & Thurs.
10:00am-4:00pm

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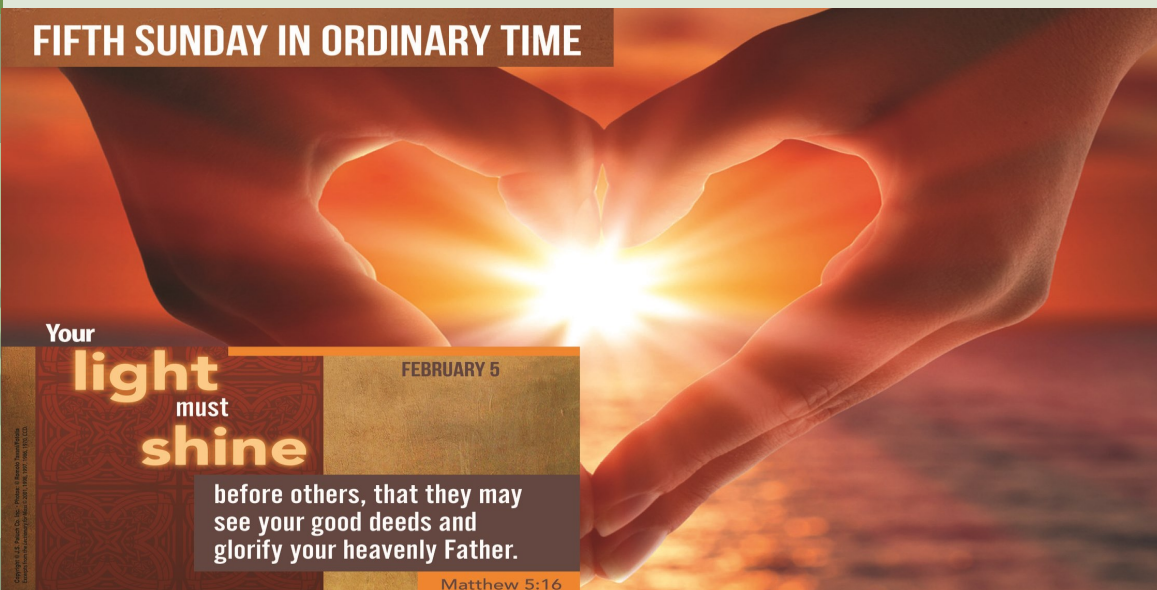
ST. ANNE CHURCH

614 Main St.
Berryville, AR 72616
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MASS SCHEDULE

Wednesday 6:00pm
Saturday 8:30am
Sunday
(English) 11:00am
(Spanish) 1:00pm

FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



All visitors to our beautiful town of Eureka Springs are welcome to visit our historic Saint Elizabeth of Hungary Church, and to pray and worship with us. If you are Catholic, and have recently received the Sacrament of Reconciliation, you are also invited to share in the Holy Eucharist. If you are not a practicing Catholic, we invite you to come forward with arms crossed over your chest to receive a sacramental blessing. Pray that we all continue to grow together into the body of Christ, to which the Lord calls us.

SACRAMENTAL LIFE

For Baptism, First Communion or Confirmation, contact our Parish Office, and we will point you in the right direction.

MINISTRY TO SICK & HOMEBOUND

If someone in our community is at home or in the hospital, and in need of Sacramental Care, or to be placed on our prayer list, please let us know at the Parish Office.

GIFT SHOP

St. Elizabeth Gift Shop is located behind the Church in a small building. It is generally open seven days a week (March - Oct.) and weekends through the Holiday season. We carry a large selection of medals, holy cards, rosaries, crucifixes, statuary and religious art. Come on back and check us out!

TO OUR VISITORS

Welcome to our Parish! If you wish to join our Parish family, please call the Parish Office, T&Th, at 253.2222. Registration forms are available in the narthex at both locations.

Getting Married?

Saint Elizabeth welcomes couples from all over the world who want to receive the Catholic Sacrament of Matrimony in our beautiful and historic Church. For more information, please contact the Parish Office, 479.253.2222.

PARISH STAFF & MINISTRY LEADERS

Pastor

Rev. Joseph Archibong

Parish Secretary & Bookkeeper

Nancy Elfter

Director of Music

Sharon Parker

Parish Council Chair, Parish Life,

Gift Shop Manager

Rod McGuire

Finance Council Chair

Ted Meyer

Knights of Columbus

Mike Godfrey

Liturgical Ministers & Ministry of Care

Leva Murphy

Religious Education for Youth

Contact St. Anne in Berryville

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

Contact St. Anne in Berryville

Saint Joseph's Guild & Gardens

Mike Lubbers

Society of St. Vincent de Paul

Mark Elworth

svdpberryville.weebly.com



SPECIAL EVENTS & LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 7

Adoration 8:00am
Daily Mass 8:30am

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 9

Daily Mass 8:30am
Confessions 9:15am

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 10

Daily Mass 8:30am

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 11

Confessions 2:30pm at the PC
Holy Rosary 3:30pm at the PC
Vigil Mass 4:00pm at the PC

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 12

6th Sunday in Ordinary Time 8:30am

Readings for the Week

Monday: Gn 1:1-19; Ps 104:1-2a, 5-6, 10, 12, 24, 35c; Mk 6:53-56
Tuesday: Gn 1:20-2:4a; Ps 8:4-9; Mk 7:1-13
Wednesday: Gn 2:4b-9, 15-17; Ps 104:1-2a, 27-28, 29bc-30; Mk 7:14-23
Thursday: Gn 2:18-25; Ps 128:1-5; Mk 7:24-30
Friday: Gn 3:1-8; Ps 32:1-2, 5-7; Mk 7:31-37
Saturday: Gn 3:9-24; Ps 90:2-6, 12-13; Mk 8:1-10
Sunday: Sir 15:15-20; Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 17-18, 33-34; 1 Cor 2:6-10; Mt 5:17 (20-22a, 27-28, 33-34a, 37)

God's Blessings & Birthday Wishes to:

Nita Reuter-2/8, Annie Nelson - 2/8

May you have many more!

International Day of Prayer and Awareness
Against Human Trafficking



Feb.8 is the Feast Day of **St. Josephine Bakhita** who was kidnapped as a child and sold into slavery in Sudan & Italy.

The International Day of Prayer and Awareness Against Human Trafficking is Wednesday, February 8th.

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

Mass Ministers

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 11

4:00pm Vigil Mass at the Parish Center

Lector: Robert Bartos

EMCs: see sign-up sheet

Ushers: Mark Elworth, Jo Elworth

Altar Server: Robby Bartos

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 12

8:30am Mass at the Church

Lector: Rod McGuire

EMCs: Karen Finkeldei

Ushers: Mike Murphy, Gary Finkeldei

Altar Server: Leva Murphy

Mass Intentions

Tuesday, February 7

For the Repose of the Souls of Faye & Clint Newberry

Thursday, February 9

For the Intentions of Timothy, Lisa & Rebecca Marte

Friday, February 10

For the Intentions of Matt & Kevin Nolan

Saturday, February 11

For the Repose of the Soul of Marge Schoenhofer

Sunday, February 12

For the Intentions of Tom Metzger



Pray for us...

Pray for
the Sick



OUR PARISHIONERS - Connie Blazek, Bob

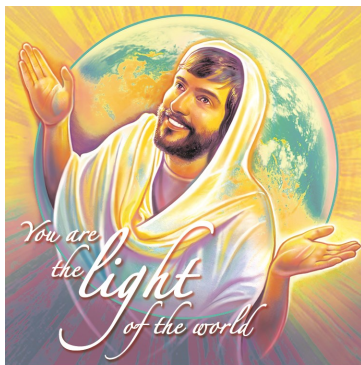
Elworth, Richard & Sheila Fowler, Florence Giels, Charlotte Nowlin, Joe Ricciardi, Sandra Stamps and Barbara Witkowski.

OUR FRIENDS AND FAMILY MEMBERS -

Michael Bezjian, Gary & Carla Bowman, Lucy Carreta, Patsy Crawford, Gerry Gloss, Don Gloss, Harold Klammm, Marcy Krieger, Brent Lamar, Amelia Logan, Chuck Maxwell, Eric Pederson, Dale Putrino, Joe Shaughnessy, Alex Shie, Pat & Tony Siciliano, Missie Sisco, Marty Stamps, Benedict Wardein, and Judy White.

THOSE WHO HAVE DIED - Louis Maiella

OUR MILITARY - Tyler Horning, Gerald Kean, Zachary Lubbers, George Schwender, and Nic Smith.



Black & Indian Mission Collection

Thank you to everyone who participated in the 138th annual Black and Indian Mission Collection last weekend. Your prayerful support enables people to come to know Jesus Christ in African American, Native American, and Alaska Native communities all over the U.S.A. Spreading the Gospel couldn't happen without your support!

CASA

Did you know that your CASA offerings are a source of funding for the education of our Seminarians? Your faithful support helps provide the best in intellectual, personal and spiritual training and education that all of our Seminarians deserve. They have given everything for us and the Church, do we owe them any less than the best that we can give? Become a Catholic Arkansas Sharing Appeal supporter.



Our Seminarians for the month of February, 2023

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Contact address:

Assumption Seminary,
2022 W. Woodlawn Ave.,
San Antonio, TX 78228

For more information
on our seminarians, go to
www.dolr.org/seminarians



**Christopher
Elser**



STEWARDSHIP

As a parish, we are financially dependent on your generous weekly contributions to pay our bills and keep the lights on and our doors open and even more so during these difficult times. So, as you plan for the weeks and months ahead, please remember your parish family in your prayer and in your financial planning.



GIFT SHOP

The Gift Shop

is closed until March 10th



PHOTO CONTEST

Any Arkansas photographer, 18 or older, can enter their photo of a local Catholic church or institution for a chance to be featured on the cover of the 2024 Diocese of Little Rock Directory. **Arkansas Catholic** sponsors the annual cover photo contest. The contest entry deadline is March 17.

Sister Maria Rose Carter, OSB, of Holy Angels Convent in Jonesboro won last year's contest with a photo of a sunlit mosaic depicting St. Benedict. Her photo was featured on the cover of the 2023 directory. Complete rules and an entry form are available on the **Arkansas Catholic** website, arkansascatholic.org. For more information, contact Emily Roberts by e-mail to eroberts@dolr.org.

2023 Retreats at Little Portion with

John Michael Talbot

The Lord's Supper Retreats

A Eucharistic Revival

From the anointed grounds of Little Portion Hermitage and Monastery, John Michael Talbot will walk you through the Mass with **Teaching, Music and Adoration** of the Source and Summit of our Faith—

JESUS CHRIST IN THE EUCHARIST!

March 24-26, June 2-4, 2023 & June 16-18, 2023

Space is limited! For complete details and to register:

www.troubadourforthe lord.net

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THE LIGHT OF SERVICE

The prophet Isaiah inspires us with these words: “Light shall rise for you in the darkness, and the gloom shall become for you like midday.” All of us celebrating the liturgy today praise God for these words of encouragement. Surely each of us knows the gloomy side of life, but today’s readings propose a brilliant antidote to misery: the light of service. Isaiah focuses on physical suffering, telling us to provide food, clothing, housing and equal opportunity to those with limited resources. Moving beyond material needs, St. Paul demonstrates how to proceed humbly when attending to people’s spiritual needs. St. Matthew’s Gospel stirs us to bold action: whatever gifts we have, we must put them at the service of our communities. As Christians, we must engage with one another without holding back, letting our light shine before all.



You
are the
light
of the
world

GIVING

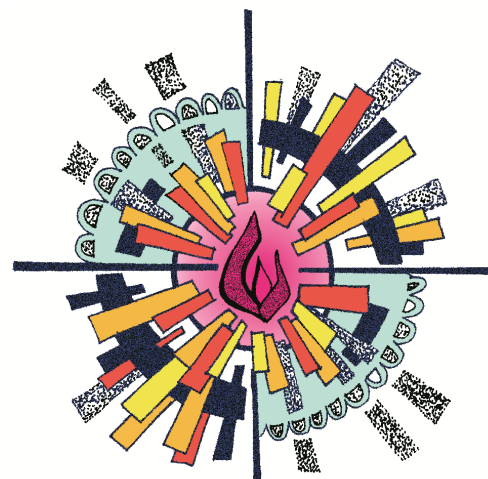
When you give, see that you give that which multiplies in giving.

-Raymond Lull

POPULARITY

Avoid popularity if you would have peace.

-Abraham Lincoln



Little Portion Bakery Sale

Little Portion Bakery’s 20% Sale continues for **Homemade Bakery Products**. Little Portion has also recently introduced their **Valentines Days Treats!** You may continue to order and they will ship as soon as possible.

Please visit: <https://littleportionbakery.org/>

CATHOLIC PRAYER CORNER


Prayer in Time of Illness

I believe that having passed through the gate of life in baptism, I will always have your protection and comfort. Yet today the pains of my illness threaten to overcome me and cause me to forget all the good things you have given me in this life. I pray in confidence that you would send forth your Spirit to refresh and revive me as you have always done in the past. May I continue to witness to your goodness in this life so that I may be with you at the heavenly banquet table in eternity.

Amen. Alleluia.

Our Fascinating Faith—Our Lady of Lourdes (February 11)

On February 11, 1858, fourteen-year-old Bernadette Soubirous, the oldest of nine children in a poor family from Lourdes, France, saw Our Lady in the first of eighteen apparitions. At the grotto of Massabielle, Bernadette saw “a small lady in white” who invited her to return each day. During the visions the Lady communicated a message of penance, instructed Bernadette to dig so that a spring of water began to flow, requested that a chapel be built there at the grotto, and eventually identified herself by saying “I am the Immaculate Conception.” Throughout these apparitions, Our Lady addressed Bernadette in a formal way, treating the humble girl with dignity. In 1862 the authenticity of the apparitions was confirmed by Church authorities. The Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes was recognized worldwide in 1907. Lourdes became a place of pilgrimage for thousands of the faithful; their faith and the faith of many others was revitalized through the story of a simple young girl from rural France.

<p><i>A Speedy Recovery</i> for Joe Ricciardi</p>	<p><i>Advertise Here</i> 3 mo. - \$20 6 mo. - \$40 12 mo. - \$80</p>	<p>J & B SCREEN SHOP</p>  <p>New Window Screens Repair Window Screens Repair Door Screens JIM WITKOWSKI 479-981-0865 jimwitkowski@cox.net</p>	<p>Come Shop! <i>St. Elizabeth Gift Shop</i> Behind the Church</p>
	<p>Lakefront & Lakeview Lots Available with Boat Slip Option <i>Kyle Bishop</i> 417-846-</p>	<p>Available</p>	<p>Available</p>
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