

November 27, 2022
First Sunday
of
Advent

SAINT ELIZABETH OF HUNGARY CATHOLIC CHURCH

Eureka Springs, Arkansas

Contact Us...

CHURCH

30 Crescent Drive
Eureka Springs, AR
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PARISH CENTER

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MASS SCHEDULE

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

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You must be prepared, for at an hour you do not expect,
the Son of Man will come.

Matthew 24:44

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

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Mike Godfrey

Liturgical Ministers & Ministry of Care

Leva Murphy

Religious Education for Youth

Contact St. Anne in Berryville

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THIS WEEK at Saint Elizabeth

SPECIAL EVENTS & LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 29

Adoration 5:00pm
Daily Mass 5:30pm

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 1

Daily Mass 8:30am
Confessions 9:15am

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 2

Daily Mass 12:00noon at the PC

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 3

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

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 4

Second Sunday of Advent 8:30am

Readings for the Week

Monday: Is 4:2-6; Ps 122:1-9; Mt 8:5-11
Tuesday: Is 11:1-10; Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17;
Lk 10:21-24
Wednesday: Rom 10:9-18; Ps 19:8-11; Mt 4:18-22
Thursday: Is 26:1-6; Ps 118:1, 8-9, 19-21, 25-27a;
Mt 7:21, 24-27
Friday: Is 29:17-24; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14;
Mt 9:27-31
Saturday: Is 30:19-21, 23-26; Ps 147:1-6;
Mt 9:35-10:1, 5a, 6-8
Sunday: Is 11:1-10; Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17;
Rom 15:4-9; Mt 3:1-12

God's Blessings & Birthday Wishes to:

Cheryl Muth -11/27, Jean Horning -11/28,
Mary Popovac-11/30, Steve Vitt-12/2

May you have many more!



LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

Mass Ministers

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 3

4:00pm Vigil Mass at the Parish Center

Lector: Ginnie Jankowski

EMCs: see sign-up sheet

Ushers: Robert Bartos, Sophie Bartos

Altar Server: Robby Bartos

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 4

8:30am Mass at the Church

Lector: Phyllis McGuire

EMCs: Rod McGuire

Ushers: Bev Wright, Ted Meyer

Altar Server: Mike Lubbers

Mass Intentions

Tuesday, November 29

For the Repose of the Soul of Elizabeth Pollos

Thursday, December 1

For the Repose of the Souls of Antonio Velasco Jerezma
& Carole A. Parker

Friday, December 2

For the Intentions of Alan Paul Morean and the Repose
of the Soul of Enrique Sunano

Saturday, December 3

For the Intentions of June Bruner

Sunday, December 4

For the Repose of the Soul of George Jankowski

Pray for us...

Pray for
the Sick

OUR PARISHIONERS - Connie Blazek, Richard & Sheila Fowler, Florence Giels, Charlotte Nowlin, Susan Schaefer, Sandra Stamps and Barbara Witkowski.

OUR FRIENDS AND FAMILY MEMBERS -

Michael Bezjian, Lucy Carreta, Patsy Crawford, Gerry Gloss, Don Gloss, Harold Klamm, Marcy Krieger, Brent Lamar, Amelia Logan, Dale Putrino, Joe Shaughnessy, Alex Shie, Pat & Tony Siciliano, Marty Stamps, Benedict Wardein, and Judy White.

THOSE WHO HAVE DIED - Judith Casterline

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

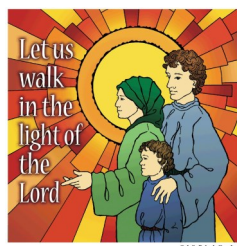
The Chosen

The third season of "The Chosen" will premier in movie theaters Friday, Nov. 18, with more times Nov. 19-22. The new season picks up with the disciples facing their biggest challenge yet, when Jesus sends them out, two by two, to preach and perform miracles without him. Episode 1 and 2 will premier in theaters, launching the most emotional and consequential season of "The Chosen" to date.

Arkansas theaters showing the episodes include:

*Bentonville: Skylight Cinema

*Fayetteville: AMC Fiesta Square 12; The Razorback Cinema



Retirement Fund for Religious



Lighten the Load. An abbot writes, "Your gift helps ease our worldly burdens and allows us to continue living out our mission of seeking God and serving the Church." Donations to next week's Retirement Fund for Religious collection help hundreds of US religious communities to provide for their aging members. Please give generously.



*Our Seminararians
for the month of
November, 2022*

Nathan Asburn

Contact address:

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

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



**John Paul
Hartnedy**



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 difficulties 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 NEWS

November / December Gift Shop Schedule

Sun., 11/27	10:00-4:00	Elworth
Mon., 11/28	10:00-4:00	Breaux
Thurs., 12/1	10:00-4:00	CLOSED
Fri., 12/2	10:00-14:00	CLOSED
Sat., 12/3	10:00-4:00	Leggett
Sun., 12/4	10:00-1:00	Stamps

FYI: Volunteers at the Church are needed to take care of the candles in the Rotunda. If you would be interested in helping out with this, please contact Rod McGuire at 479-253-4503.

Little Portion Bakery Christmas Gifts

Make this Christmas special for someone you love with a delicious Gift from Little Portion Bakery.

877-504-9865



The Nine Lessons Performance will be held on Sunday, December 4th, at 5:00pm at the Parish Center Hall.

St. Elizabeth Christmas Dinner and Party will be held on Wednesday, December 14th, at 5:30pm at the Parish Center Hall. We will be doing the **Gift of Giving** again this year. As soon as the names are ready, we will notify everybody.

People of the Light

We are called to reflect the light of God's love through the ways in which we live our lives. Imagine the impact if each of us took this call to heart, every day, at home, work, or school, in our parish, in the world. "All nations shall stream toward it," toward the love that only comes from God. Yet we must admit that much of the time we fail to be beacons of God's light. We fall asleep, complacent, preferring to go the easy route, which often leads to darkness rather than the radiance of Christ's light. As we begin the season of Advent, Saint Paul admonishes us to throw off the works of darkness, to awaken to the call of light and love. In today's Gospel, Jesus too tells us to stay awake, to be prepared to greet the Lord of light as people of the light.



CATHOLIC PRAYER CORNER

Advent Prayer

Come, Lord Jesus.

O God, you are great indeed.

Look upon us and reveal your glory,
promised to Abraham and sent to us
through David and his lineage.

Send us the warmth of your love, the light of your
Word, the vision of your wisdom, and the comfort
of your people. Open our hearts in welcome and
grant us your salvation. Fill our minds with watch-
ful hope and let us see your kindness.

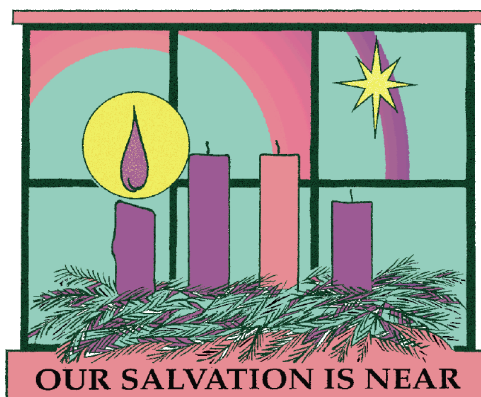
Give us new life, the promise and joy of salvation.
May the glory of your Son dwell in our land forev-
er.

We pray: Come, Lord Jesus. Amen.

FULFILL TODAY

If what you did yesterday still looks big to you, surely you have not done much today.

-Anonymous



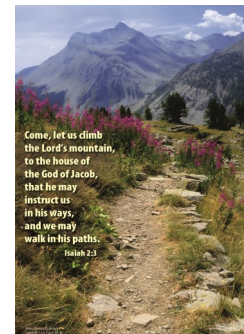
Our Fascination Faith

The Season of Advent

What are we really waiting for during Advent? The longstanding tradition of the Church is that the Advent season really marks not one but three comings of Christ: his coming into history 2,000 years ago, his coming in glory at the end of time, and his coming into our hearts here and now. Advent starts with a focus on the future coming of Christ so that we might see the big picture. If Christmas is to make any sense at all, we have to ask the question, "What are you doing to get ready for the (final) coming of Christ?" This perspective opens us up to the sense of anticipation experienced by the Jewish people on the eve of the first coming of Christ. This Advent, we will hear John the Baptist tell them (and us) how best to prepare. He urges repentance and an examination and reform of our way of life.

Then on the 4th Sunday, we are drawn in to the history of Jesus' arrival as the child of Joseph and Mary. Our work of spiritual preparation brings us to the point of the whole season. What good is it that Christ comes into my heart if I don't then carry that presence out into the world, just as Mary did?

Do you know we have a space on the back of the bulletin, available weekly, where you can send personal messages? You can send messages of get well, happy birthday or anniversary, sympathy or support. The cost is only \$10 for a weekly message. Call the secretary to have your message put in the bulletin...479-253-2222.



*A Speedy
Recovery*
for
**Michael
Boardman**

*Katherine's
Café
Amoré*

Thank you parishioners of
St. Elizabeth for your
continued support. Come
see us soon!

Thurs - Sun 4pm - 8pm
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Come Shop!
*St. Elizabeth
Gift Shop*

December Schedule

Sat. Dec. 3, 10, 17
10:00am—4:00pm
Sun. Dec. 4, 11, 18
10:00am—1:00pm



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