

ST. ELISABETH OF HUNGARY CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time October 28, 2018

THE HOPE AND PROMISE OF REDEMPTION

The prophet Jeremiah prophesies the end of the Babylonian exile. He describes how the weak and sorrowful people now return with joy. These are the scattered people of God: the blind and the lame, the mothers and pregnant women. They shall be led along an easy road so that no one will stumble. The Lord's kindness and mercy are on all these weak and broken people.

Here and in Psalm 126 we find the most lovely poetic images of God's love and care for us. "Those that sow in tears / shall reap rejoicing. Although they go forth weeping, / carrying the seed to be sown, / they shall come back rejoicing, / carrying their sheaves" (Psalm 126:5-6). Although God had to punish Israel for their many sins, God never forgot them, scattered as they were, and brings them all back to the land of their ancestors, there to flourish and be joyful again. We can see in this the hope and the promise of our own redemption, gathered from the far corners of the earth into the great banquet of God.



LA ESPERANZA Y PROMESA DE REDENCIÓN

El profeta Jeremías anuncia el fin del exilio en Babilonia. Describe cómo los débiles y los tristes ahora regresarán con alegría. Éste es el pueblo dispersado de Dios: los ciegos y cojos; preñadas y paridas. Serán guiados por un camino llano para que nadie tropiece. La bondad y misericordia del Señor están con este pueblo débil y deshecho.

Aquí y en el Salmo 126 (125) encontramos imágenes poéticas extremadamente hermosas del amor y cuidado que Dios tiene por nosotros. "Los que sembraban con lágrimas, / cosechan entre cantares. Al ir, iba llorando, / llevando la semilla; / al volver, vuelve cantando, / trayendo sus gavillas" (Salmo 126[125]:5-6). Si bien Dios tuvo que castigar a Israel por sus muchos pecados, nunca se olvidó de ellos aun cuando estaban dispersos, y los llevó de regreso a la tierra de sus ancestros para que prosperaran y fueran felices de nuevo. En esto encontramos la esperanza y la promesa de nuestra propia redención al reunirnos, desde todos los rincones del mundo, para celebrar el gran banquete de Dios.



ALL SAINTS DAY
Wednesday, October 31
7:00pm Spanish (Vigil)

Please join us on Day of Obligation

Thursday, November 1, at 8:10am, 5:00pm (English) and 7:00pm in Spanish Masses and celebrate our brothers and sisters who have reached heaven.

NO ADORATION

DIA DE TODOS LOS SANTOS
Miércoles, 31 de Octubre
7:00PM (Vigilia)

Se les invita el Día de obligación
Jueves, noviembre 1ro, a las Misas en inglés a las 8:10am, 5:00pm y 7:00pm en español. En este día celebramos a nuestros hermanos que han alcanzado el cielo.

NO ADORACION



ALL SOULS
Novena and Altar

We will have a novena of Masses in November. Please use the especial envelope and drop it in the regular collection.

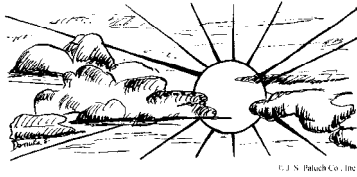
Please bring a small framed picture of your loved one to be placed on a special altar beginning MONDAY, October 29.

DIFUNTOS
Novena y Altar

Tendremos una novena de Misas en noviembre y el miércoles, 2 de noviembre, de las 8:10am English 6:00pm Español. Por favor use el sobre especial llénelo y déjelo en la colecta.

Se le invita a traer fotos en cuadros chicos de sus seres queridos para ponerlas en el altar especial empezando lunes, 29 de Octubre.





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The LORD has done great things for us; we are glad indeed.

— Psalm 126:3

Estábamos alegres, pues ha hecho grandes cosas por su pueblo el Señor.

— Salmo 126 (125):3

Parish Center & Mailing /Centro Parroquial:

6635 Tobias Ave. • Van Nuys, CA 91405

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St.elisabethchurchvn@gmail.com

Hours/Horario : Monday–Friday 9:00 am to 8:00 pm

Closed for lunch from 12:30–1:30pm.

We close Saturdays and Sundays

Parish Under the Direction of The Rogationist Fathers

Fr. Vito Di Marzio, R.C.J., Pastor

Fr. Shinto Sebastian R.C.J.– Associate Pastor

Fr. Antonio Fiorenza, R.C.J. in Residence

Fr. Rene Panlasigui, R.C.J., in Residence

Deacon Carlos Castro

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irma.stelisabethchurch@gmail.com

Roxanna Martinez, Parish Secretary, Bulletin Editor

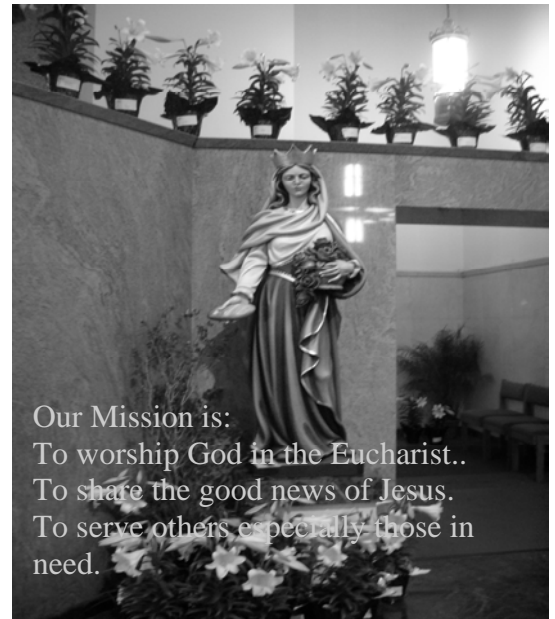
roxana.stelisabeth@gmail.com

Maria Mojica– Evening Secretary

Lupe Tapia, Friday Evening Secretary

Alberto Rodriguez, Plant Custodian

Jun R. Corpin, Liturgy and Music Director



Our Mission is:

To worship God in the Eucharist..

To share the good news of Jesus.

To serve others especially those in need.

Schedule of Masses -Horario de Misas

Saturday (Vigil) 4:45 pm

6:30 pm (Español)

Sunday 8:00 am, 9:30 am, 11:00 am

6:30 am, 1:00 pm, 5:00 pm (Español)

Weekday 8:10 am

6:00 pm (Español)

Holy Days 8:10 am, 5:00 pm

7:00 pm (Español)

Rogationist Vocation Ministry & Development

818-782-1762 ♦ 818 -782-1765 ♦ Fax 818-782-1794

www.vocationsandprayer.org or www.rogationists.org

Daughters of Divine Zeal

818-779-1756 ext. 218

Sr. Angelie Inoferio, FDZ Sr. Marietta Castellano, FDZ

Sr. Anna Koottungal, FDZ Sr. Daisy Dy-Tiapco, FDZ

Society of St. Vincent De Paul

William Lim– President 818-570-2853

LEAVE A MESSAGE

ST. ELISABETH SCHOOL - ESCUELA DE SANTA ELISABETH

Pre–School- thru 8th grades. Primary Academy– Intermediate Academy–Junior High - Technology Academy

Information: (818) 779-1766 ♦ Fax 818-779-1768 www.stelisabeth.org Sr. Angelie Inoferio, FDZ, Principal

Adoration and Benediction for Vocations

Thursdays 6:30-7:30 pm (Bilingual)

2nd Saturday 10:00pm -5:00am

(Adoración Nocturna)

Confessions-Confesiones

Thursdays 6:30-7:30 pm

Saturdays 3:30-4:30 pm

Any other time contact a priest.

Otra hora llamen a un Sacerdote.

Baptisms and Weddings

Bautizos, Bodas, Quinceañeras.

Call Parish office/ Llamar a la oficina

School of Religious Education

Sr. Angelie Inoferio, FDZ, Family Catechesis

Coordinator 818-782-2012

Carlos Patron, Coordinator of Youth Confirmation

818-782-2030 (9:00am to 4:00pm weekends only)

Yolanda Alvarado, Coordinator of R.C.I.A.

818-779-1756 ext 205 (5:00 to 8:00pm)

Safeguard the Children 818-779-1756 ext. 205

S.E.R.V.– Center 6640 Cedros Ave -

Under the Direction of Fr. Shinto Sebastian,

Open on Tuesday from 9:30am to 12:00pm

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

- Mon. Oct. 29 8:10am Steven Miguel
6:00pm Faustino Cortes †
Las Almas
- Tues. Oct. 30 8:10am Steven Miguel
Quintin Salamanca †
6:00pm Cenovio Estrada/Soledad Muños†
Las Almas
- Wed. Oct. 31 8:10am Federico & Isabel Huertas †
Nelson, Alfonso Jr., Camila Huertas †
Cosme & Dolores Quinto †
6:00pm Las Almas
Reyna Juarez Ortega †
- Thu. Nov. 01 8:10am Edelburgo Talip Pag-ong †
6:00pm Almas del Purgatorio
Pedro Sanchez †
Aurelia Gutierrez †
Las Almas
- Fri. Nov. 02 8:10am Emilio & Pilar De Leoz †
Souls
6:00pm Carlota Soria Bustamante †
Amelia Jurado Duarte †
Agatino & Francesca Marineo †
Luis Casas † (3 Aniversario)
Todos los Difuntos Familia Casas †
Familia Park & Ruben Pavia Kim †
Maria & Francisco Rivera †
- Sat. Nov. 03 8:10am Our Lady of Guadalupe
4:45pm Lord f Miracles
Stanley & Rose Metza
Richard Kowalski †
6:30pm Silvia Avena –70th Birthday
Florentino Perez
Evelia Michel—Cumpleaños
- Sun. Nov. 04 6:30am Delia Soto—Cumpleaños
Tomas & Macaria Xiloj Perez †
Bonifacio & Toribia Quiej †
8:00am St Elisabeth Parishioners
9:30am Daniel Acosta Miguel †
11:00am Earlie Mae Murphy †
1:00pm Florentino Perez
5:00pm Jose Emiliano Burciaga Jr. †
Inocencia, Pilar & Guadalupe Martinez†

PRAY FOR YOUR PARISH FINANCES

October 21, 2018

Masses: \$ 7,989.00

Second Collection (World Mission) : \$4,089.00

Give to God what's right– not what's left.

Dele a Dios de sobra -no de lo que le sobra

WE PRAY FOR THE HEALING OF:

Grace, Keila, Addison Martínez, Anthony Flores, Jose Luis Ramirez, Leo Anicua, Lodwrick Cook, Oswaldo, Martha Lamas, Peter and Tim Cullen, , Andy Martinez, Eric Guiyab, Judy Kowalski, Janet Hopp, Kyu Kim , Eva Arreola, Jesus Flores, Kierré Dixon, Daniel Gamboa, Jocelyn Camacho, Yvette N. Camacho, Angela Tapia, Kristine Nazaire, Mellie P. Nazaire, Petra Hidalgo Barrientos, Guadalupe Tellez, Violeta Anthony, Sergio Fuenzalida, Grisel, Ernie, Cindy Garcia, Leana Barrantes, Sharlene Paddon, Ary Alvarenga, Carmen De Petro, Valerie Reyes, Lexy O'Malley, Kaiden Enrique Trejo, Allison Der, Joseph Martinez, Kathleen Padden, Amparo Valadez, Paul Wagner, Gilda Khachatanian, Anthony Leon, Margarita Hernandez, Noel Ayala, Pedro Guardado Mazariago, Nina Foreman, Eduardo, Elias Villa, Rafi Lamas, Juan Rosa Munguia, Familia Arias, Laura Rios, Dr. Bruce Howard, Julie Auten, Peter Arnet, Gloria Avanzini, Francisco, Miguel Palma, Aura Santizo, Daniel Pimienta, Rosemary Martinez, Maria Chavez, Hector Arredondo, Ofelia Gutierrez, Miguel Angel Tirado Jr., Max Orozco Clue, Gerardo Saucedo, Hal Hanula, Francisca Marin, Joseph Martinez, Javier De Los Santos, Paulette (Cardinal) Davidson, Rainbowe Kilborn, Rafael Barrutia Jr., Antonio Montes, Juan Ferrer, Mayra Ferrer, Ana Maria Jacobo Macias, Karen Wilhem. **May our Lord lay his healing hand upon them and bring them peace.**

SPECIAL THANK YOU/

AGRADECIMIENTO ESPECIAL

To Oscar Martinez and Family for our beautiful gardens at Church and School.

DONATION TO CHURCH/

DONACION A LA IGLESIA

Confraternidad Centro Americana: \$250.00

WEDDING BANNES



There is a promise of marriage between:
Pedro Ortega & Eva Salamanca (2)
Manuel Arellana & Olga Adame (2)



THANKSGIVING DONATIONS

“An occasion for you to reach out to our fellow human beings on Thanksgiving”

St. Elisabeth Serv Center is giving away Turkeys on Tuesday, November 13 from 10:00am to 12:00pm for 250 families.

We ask you to be generous and share your blessings.

FROM THE LETTER OF POPE FRANCIS ON ABUSE IN THE CATHOLIC CHURCH

“If one member suffers, all suffer together with it”, said Saint Paul. By an attitude of prayer and penance, we will become attuned as individuals and as a community to this exhortation, so that we may grow in the gift of compassion, in justice, prevention and reparation. Mary chose to stand at the foot of her Son's cross. She did so unhesitatingly, standing firmly by Jesus' side. In this way, she reveals the way she lived her entire life. When we experience the desolation caused by these ecclesial wounds, we will do well, with Mary, “to insist more upon prayer,” seeking to grow all the more in love and fidelity to the Church (Saint Ignatius of Loyola, Spiritual Exercise, 319). She, the first of the disciples, teaches all of us as disciples how we are to halt before the sufferings of the innocent, without excuses or cowardice. To look to Mary is to discover the model of a true follower of Christ.

May the Holy Spirit grant us the grace of conversion and the interior anointing needed to express before these crimes of abuse our compunction and our resolve courageously to combat them.

— Pope Francis



CAN CATHOLICS CELEBRATE HALLOWEEN?

The word Halloween is actually a contraction for **All Hallows Eve**, which, before the reform of the liturgical calendar, was the vigil of All Saints and All Souls Days. As such, **Halloween can be considered a Christian holiday**. Like many Christian holidays, the secular world has attached its own traditions to the day (e.g., costumes, trick-or-treating, parties) that are not inherently bad in and of themselves but can be problematic when the religious meaning of the holiday is set aside, forgotten, or ignored. **At its best, Halloween is a reminder of our own mortality and our own need to prepare ourselves to one day face God.** The festivities attached to the holiday can, like Mardi Gras for Lent, prepare us for All Saints and All Souls Days, and for the month of November, which the Church has traditionally set aside for remembrance of the souls in purgatory. Christian parents have a variety of options for celebrating the holiday in a **Christian spirit and should feel free to pick among those options what works best for helping their families learn the "reason for the season."** (Catholic answers)

DID YOU KNOW?

How to communicate with those showing inappropriate behavior with children

How should you communicate your concerns to someone who may be behaving inappropriately with children? The “I” message is a simple way to reframe what you want to say so that the listener hears you speak of your feelings and concerns rather than hearing a complaint against themselves. The “I” message, simply diagrammed is: “I feel” (feeling) when (situation) because (reason). For example, you can say: “I feel anxious when you drive a child home alone after religious education classes because that could put you or the child in a potentially risky situation.” It is a much more constructive approach than saying: “You shouldn’t be driving children home alone because it is against the rules and puts them in danger.” For more information on child protection efforts and programs, call the Archdiocese’s Safeguard the Children Program Office, (213) 637-7227.

ST. ELISABETH SCHOOL WALK- A-THON

We would like to thank all our parishioners, sponsors, and school families. Our walk-a-thon was a great success.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Monday: Eph 4:32 — 5:8; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 13:10-17
- Tuesday: Eph 5:21-33 or 5:2a, 25-33; Ps 128:1-5; Lk 13:18-21
- Wednesday: Eph 6:1-9; Ps 145:10-14; Lk 13:22-30
- Thursday: Rv 7:2-4, 9-14; Ps 24:1-6; 1 Jn 3:1-3; Mt 5:1-12a
- Friday: Wis 3:1-9; Ps 23:1-6; Rom 5:5-11 or 6:3-9; Jn 6:37-40, or any readings from no. 668 or from the Masses for the Dead, nos. 1011-1016
- Saturday: Phil 1:18b-26; Ps 42:2, 3, 5cdef; Lk 14:1, 7-11
- Sunday: Dt 6:2-6; Ps 18:2-4, 47, 51; Heb 7:23-28; Mk 12:28b-34



TOGETHER IN MISSION 2018

Our Parish Goal \$ 50,444.00

Amount Pledged: \$ 43,305.00 Amount Paid: \$ 37,968.17

Registered Families: 2,787 Families Pledged: 344

If you have not made your promise to help the poorer parishes and schools, please do so, there are envelopes in the Church or Parish office.

As always, what you give should be given in gratitude and thanksgiving for what God has given to you. Thank you for your prayerful consideration and generous response. We encourage all of you to fulfill your pledge.

**CARTA DEL SANTO PADRE FRANCISCO
AL PUEBLO DE DIOS**

Si un miembro sufre, todos sufren con el” nos decía San Pablo. Por medio de la actitud orante y penitencial podremos entrar en sintonía personal y comunitaria con esta exhortación para que crezca entre nosotros el don de la compasión, de la justicia, de la prevención y reparación. María supo estar al pie de la cruz de su Hijo. No lo hizo de cualquier manera, sino que estuvo firmemente de pie y a su lado. Con esta postura manifiesta su modo de estar en la vida. Cunado experimentamos la desolación que nos produce estas llagas eclesiales, con María nos hará bien “ instar mas en la oración” (S. Ignacio de Loyola, Ejercicios Espirituales, 319), buscando crecer mas en amor y fidelidad a la Iglesia. Ella, la primera discípula, nos enseña a todos los discípulos como hemos de detenernos ante el sufrimiento del inocente, sin evasiones ni pusilanimidad. Mirar a María es aprender a descubrir donde y como tiene que estar el discípulos de Cristo.

Que el Espíritu Santo nos de la conversión y la unción interior para poder expresar, ante estos crímenes de abuso, nuestra compunción y nuestra decisión de luchar con valentía. — Papa Francisco

**AGRADECIMIENTO
ESPECIAL**

El grupo de Confraternidad Centro Americana les da las gracias a todas las personas que ayudaron, en especial al Padre Antonio y Padre Shinto por hacer la fiesta de canonización del Arzobispo Romero todo un éxito.



DIVINA MISERICORDIA

Se les invita a rezar la Coronilla a la Divina Misericordia el domingo 4 a las 3:00pm a 4:00pm en el templo.



**PUEDEN LOS CATOLICOS
CELEBRAR HALLOWEEN?**

La palabra “Halloween” quiere decir la vigilia de todos los santos. Por lo tanto Halloween puede considerarse un fiesta Cristiana. Como muchas fiestas Cristianas, el mundo seglar unió sus tradiciones a este día (como disfraces, brujas etc.) Estas tradiciones no son malas pero pueden ser problemáticas cuando el sentido cristiano es ignorado y olvidado. Halloween puede ser un recuerdo de nuestra mortalidad y necesidad de prepararnos para mirar a Dios cara a cara. Las festividades de Halloween pueden prepararnos a celebrar las fiestas de todos los santos y todos los difuntos, y el mes de Noviembre en la Iglesia católica es dedicado a las almas en el purgatorio. Los padres cristianos tienen diferentes opciones para celebrar con un espíritu cristiano y enseñar a los niños “la razón para la fiesta.” (Catholic Answers)

DONACION DE ACCION DE GRACIAS

“Una ocasión para que usted pueda ayudar a nuestros compañeros humanos”

El Centro de Servicios de St. Elisabeth estará regalando Pavos el Martes 13 de noviembre de 10:00am a 12:00pm Para 250 familias.

Le pedimos que sean generosos y compartir sus bendiciones.



2018 UNIDOS EN MISION

Meta Parroquial 2018 \$ 50,444.00
Cantidad Prometida: \$ 43,305.00
Cantidad Pagada: \$ 37,968.17
Familias Registradas: \$ 2,787

Familias que han hecho su promesa: 344

Si no ha hecho su promesa o donación por favor hágalo lo mas pronto posible, puede obtener un sobre en la Iglesia o en la oficina del Centro Parroquial Como siempre, lo que usted dé debe ser dado en agradecimiento y gratitud por lo que Dios le ha hecho a usted.

Gracias por su consideración en oración a esta petición y por su generosa respuesta. Por favor los animamos que cumplan su promesa.

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: Ef 4:32 5:8; Sal 1:1-4, 6; Lc 13:10-17
Martes: Ef 5:21-33 o 5:2a, 25-33; Sal 128 (127):1-5; Lc 13:18-21
Miércoles: Ef 6:1-9; Sal 145 (144):10-14; Lc 13:22-30
Jueves: Ap 7:2-4, 9-14; Sal 24 (23):1-6; 1 Jn 3:1-3; Mt 5:1-12a
Viernes: Sab 3:1-9; Sal 23(22):1-6; Rom 5:5-11 o 6:3-9; Jn 6:37-40, o lecturas de las misas para los difuntos
Sábado: Fil 1:18b-26; Sal 42 (41):2, 3, 5cdef; Lc 14:1, 7-11
Domingo: Dt 6:2-6; Sal 18:2-4, 47, 51; Heb 7:23-28; Mc 12:28b-34

NATIONAL VOCATION AWARENESS WEEK

(SEMANA NACIONAL PARA PROMOVER LAS VOCACIONES)

November 4-11 2018

Dear Parishioners,

National Vocation Awareness Week (NVAW) is an annual week-long celebration of the Catholic Church in the United States dedicated to promote vocations to the priesthood, diaconate and consecrated life through prayer and education, and to renew our prayers and support for those who are considering one of these particular vocations.

We warmly invite you, to participate in the various activities and meetings that will take place along the week:

(Queridos feligreses NVAW, es una celebración de una semana de la Iglesia Católica en los Estados Unidos dedicada a promover vocaciones al sacerdocio, diaconado y a la vida consagrada, por medio de la oración y educación, y renovar nuestras oraciones y apoyo para los que consideran una de estas vocaciones particulares.)

(Nosotros invitamos fervorosamente a todos ustedes a participar a las actividades y encuentros que vamos a tener durante esta semana)

Sunday Nov. 4

9:15 am – 10:45 am **Vocation Open Forum:** Confirmation Students 1st and 2nd year **Hall**
1:00 pm - **Televised Mass on ESNE TV**

Monday Nov. 5

8:10 am – 9:00 am **School Mass - Vocation Mass** (Installation of SEEKERS Vocation Club)

Church

7:00 am – 8:30 pm **Film Showing: “For The Love of the poor” & Discussion**
For all groups: English- **Hall** Español - **Church**

Tuesday Nov. 6

6:35 pm – 7:10 pm Vocation Talk for Altar Servers by Fr. Vito **Hall**
7:15 pm – 8:25 pm Parents of CCD and Altar Servers Spanish Speaking by Fr. Rene **Hall**
Parents of CCD English Speaking by Fr. Shinto **Room 3**
7:10 pm – 8:25 pm CCD classes of First Communion **Classrooms**

Wednesday Nov. 7

9:00 am – 9:45 am **School Students grades 4-8** by Fr. Rene **Church**
7:15 pm – 8:25 pm Parents of CCD students spanish speaking by Fr. Rene **Church**
6:40 pm – 7:55 pm CCD classes: First Communion **Classrooms**

Thursday Nov. 8

6:30 pm – 7:30 pm Special Vocation Adoration: Bilingual **Church**
7:45 Youth activities

Friday Nov.9

12:30 pm 1:30 pm Vocation encounter for Teachers and staff of the School **Room 5**

Saturday Nov. 10

Vocation Activities and Visit of the image of the Virgin of Guadalupe

Sunday Nov. 11

Closing Celebration of Masses

The Rogationists and the Daughters of Divine Zeal