Churches of St. Paul & St. Elizabeth

Pastor: Fr. Steve Hohman Sunday, May 15, 2022

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St. Elizabeth of Hungary 306 Clifty Ave (PO Box 273) Clarkson, KY 42726 Phone: 242-4414 saintelizabethclarkson@windstream.net Office Hours: Wednesday 12-6 PM Office Assistant: Glenda Killingbeck

St. Paul 1st and 3rd Saturday: 4:00-4:45PM Every Sunday: 7:45-8:15 AM

Baptisms

Those wishing to baptize their small children under the age of 7 should call the office to arrange for preparation classes. Ideally, you should call before the birth of the child. Baptisms will be held during regularly scheduled masses.

Visits to the sick

If you know someone who is sick or homebound and needs someone to visit them, please contact the office, and we will arrange to have communion taken to them in their homes, nursing homes or the hospital. Visits to the sick are normally done on Sunday.

Confessions:

St. Elizabeth 2nd and 4th Saturday: 3:00- 4:00 PM Every Wednesday: 5:00-5:45 PM

Marriages

Anyone interested in being married must call the office and begin preparation for this no less than 6 months before the desired wedding date. It is common for preparation to take 9-12 months.

Anointing of the sick

If there is someone who is sick and needs anointing, please call the office. If this is an emergency, call Fr. Steve at 270-662-1830.

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, May 14th – Sunday, May 22nd St. Paul Andrew & Earl Clark + Saturday 5:00 p.m. 8:30 a.m. St. Paul James VanMeter + Sunday 10:30 a.m. St. Elizabeth Parishioners Monday 8:00 a.m. St. Paul Sean McAdam + Wednesday 6:00 p.m. St. Elizabeth Angy Edwards + Thursday 8:00 a.m. St. Paul Gretchen Pachen + Friday 11:30 a.m. St. Paul David Pawley + 5:00 p.m. Saturday St. Paul Freddie Hall + 8:30 a.m. St. Paul Roger & Mimi Stinson Sunday Parishioners 10:30 a.m. St. Elizabeth

Prayer Sist: Nellie Alvey, Pat Anthony, Joyce Bell, Hanson Bounds, Katie Brand, Gerald

Bruner, Billy Carby, Brittney Carwisle, Alicia Casey, Bev Casey, Breonna Clark, Laura Clark, Helen Clemons, Brad Collins, Marty Cooper, Sallye Crace, Marcia Dunn Crain, Donald Cubbage, Mike & Brenda Cubbage, Roger Cubbage, Medea Dennis, Alan Drake, Donna Dube, Chad Durbin, Tiffany Durbin, Steve Fey, Frank Gawrecki, Lester Goetzinger, Donnie Gore, Cathy Grant, Jeff Hack, Kenton Hayden, Rhoda Hazelwood, Jim Higdon, Raymond Hill, Lloyd Howard, Eve Jarboe, Dale Johnson, Doris Kerr, Chris Lampton, Dawson Lee, Ayden McCormick, Dorris McGrew, AnnaMarie McKinney, Agnes Mandy, Savannah Mercer, Alisbeth Merrifield, Mitchell Miller, Joe Ed Milliner, David Motes, Sister Gerry Murray, Zachary Nelson, Mary Norris, Hershell Nugent, Lois Pack, Kayden Parker, Maverick Pierce, Anna Lee Portman, Glenn Portman Family, Sharon Portman, Roland Richardson, Jason Roberts, Doug Sayler, Ellen Schrader, Wayne Scobee, Mary Sue Seward, Dana Sherrard, David Skaggs, John Smith, Conner Spencer, Mark Starnes, Elizabeth & Chase Stinnett, Mimi Stinson, Eli Sullivan, Jasper Sullivan, Floyd Wilaby

For those who are serving in the military: Ryan Clemons, Thomas Davis, Isaac DePoyster, Ben Foster, Dan Harrison, Dan Leonard, Kurt Meredith, Jacob Milliner, Kevin Mudd, Cody Penny, John Penny, Corey Pierce, Kyle Portman, John Quick, Hayden Sosh, Ben Smith, Shelby Winchester

St. Paul

James Kingrey, Chairman Sharon Cooper-School Mike Foster-Youth/CCD Marc McGrew-Maintenance Richard Darst-Liturgy/Faith Tim Lampton-Outreach/Service Randall Drake-Social Jimmy Tilford-Secretary

St. Elizabeth

Mary Ellen Wygant, Chair Julie Cox- Liturgy/Worship Wes Dixon- Art/Environment Dannie Harris- Building/Grounds Amanda Roberts- Outreach Trensia Skaggs- Youth Lindsey Smith-Secretary Adam Williams- Social

Pastor's Corner

Fifth Sunday of Easter May 15, 2022

UPDATE OF LAMPTON FAMILY HOUSE PURCHASE

Just a few words to fill you in on the status of the house purchase. The St. Paul Parish Council met this past Monday and made the decision to go ahead and purchase the land and the house. It will be purchased for \$70,000. As of now, the school plans to contribute \$25,000 toward the purchase, and St. Paul Parish has agreed to contribute \$20,000 toward this. The Tri-parish Council also met recently and agreed to contribute \$5000 toward the purchase of the land.

At the moment, the Parish Council of St. Elizabeth is still getting feedback on this question. While there is no set-in stone amount, some of you were wondering what was meant by a "significant contribution" to the purchase means. The figure thrown around for St. Elizabeth was \$10,000. We feel that this is warranted by the fact that this community school has educated and led a significant number of St. Elizabeth Parish students in recent years. The windfall that we will soon receive from the Gilbert Clemons inheritance will also help us a good bit. Before, it was brought up that some of this should be given to the school, among other projects (just which project that means it to be open for discussion). This will be dealt with in the upcoming parish council meeting.

Thus the parish/school is moving forward with plans to close on this purchase. We are dealing with the family, the diocese and the parish in terms of getting things signs and getting the money together for this. The plan is to ultimately tear it down and build the new school addition on that sight. Depending on our fund-raising efforts and the progress of the building committee, we will see exactly when it gets torn down. But this is the ultimate end game of what we are doing. Keep us in your prayers that we will have the Lord's guidance in all that we do.

LOCAL "ASK PADRE" SECTION TO BE SET UP

In our discussion at the parish council meeting at St. Paul this past week, one thing that was brought up was to ask you all in the parish for your own questions that you might want to include in the "ask padre" section, similar to the ones that are on the covers of our bulletins. What are some of the questions that you yourself would like to ask "What is it you yourself may not understand?

It would work this way- there are three different ways that you can submit these questions: Either simply fill out a form in church with a question you would like to ask, and either drop it in the collection or the box that will be marked for this purpose in the back of church, or email it to me at <u>stpaulgrayson@windstream.org</u>. Answers to MOST questions will be openly dealt with in one of a few ways; Either it will be mentioned in the Sunday sermon, or in the bulletin, or it will be included as part of the upcoming Bible study that we will be having in the fall. I personally would love to hear what the questions are that may be in your own mind. Feel free to take part in this educational tool

ST. ELIZABETH LITURGICAL APPOINTMENTS:

Date: Sunday, May 22 Lector: Kerry, Victoria Euch. Ministers: Sherri

Servers: Alex, CJ Gifts: Ron Johnson

ST. PAUL LITURGICAL APPOINTMENTS:

<u>Date</u>: Saturday, May 21 <u>Lector</u>: Mary Pierce; Becky Lucas <u>Euch Minister</u>: Zack Robinson <u>Servers:</u> Brandon, Jenna, Christian Date:Sunday, May 22Lector:Amanda Thomas; Emily DrakeEu Min:Larry PawleyServers:Gunner, Ethan, Layton

Special Collection This Weekend: St. Paul School **Special Collection Next Weekend**: St. Paul School Building Fund

Happy 30th Anniversary to Marc & Rhonda McGrew on Sunday, May 15th.
Happy 36th Anniversary to Doug & Mary Smith on Tuesday, May 17th.
Happy 90th Birthday to Jackie Milliner on Tuesday, May 17th.
Happy 85th Birthday to Helen Clemons on Thursday, May 19th.
Happy 75th Birthday to Vivian Milliner on Thursday, May 19th.
Happy 76th Birthday to Beverly King on Saturday, May 21st.

THIS WEEK'S EVENTS

Monday, May 16	Eucharistic Adoration; St. Paul, Noon- 9:00 PM
	Parish Council Meeting; St. Elizabeth, 6:00 PM
Tuesday, May 17	8 th Grade Graduation; St. Paul, 6:00 PM
Thursday, May 19	Senior Meal; St. Elizabeth, 11:30 AM
Friday, May 20	St. Paul Pork Dinner; 4:30-6:30 PM
Saturday, May 21	Trip to pray at abortion clinic; leave 4:30 AM from St. Paul
	Grounds Cleanup Day; St. Elizabeth, 9:00 AM
Sunday, May 22	Mass for graduating Seniors; both morning masses
	Youth gathering; St. Paul, 5:00-7:00 PM

CONGRADULATIONS TO THOSE MAKING THEIR FIRST COMMUNION: We

would like to welcome to the table of the Lord all of our children who are making their first communion this Sunday:

ST. PAUL, Jackson Beville, Lucas Butler, Waylon Darst, Audrey Drake, Adalyn Milliner, Luke Milliner.

ST ELIZABETH: Kinsley Dixon, Brayden Higdon, Emily Taylor

 Collection:
 \$1,698.00

 Needed for budget:
 \$1,442.00

Collection: \$2,560.00

Needed for budget: \$2,423.00

YOUTH GATHERING: We will once again have a youth gathering on Sunday, May 22, from 5-7 PM. We thank all parents and youth for their participation. Guests are always welcome. Also, Fr. Steve can use extra help if anyone is willing to step up for this.

CONGRADULATIONS TO OUR GRADUATING 8th GRADERS: We would like to con- gradulate those who will be graduating from the 8th grade at St. Paul School this week. Our graduates are Lilly Depoyster, Corbin Geary, Noah Higdon, Keaton Love, and Grayson Wright

EUCHARISTIC MINSTERS: With the advent of us being allowed to receive from the Blood of Christ, we will be needing more Eucharistic minsters, since we now need three every weekend mass. There will be a refresher course soon on how to distribute from the chalice as well. All of those interested in helping us out, please talk to Fr. Steve or the parish office.

SENIOR MASS SCHEDULED: At both of next Sunday's masses, we will celebrate our graduating High School. We will be celebrating the high school graduation of the following: St. Elizabeth: Grant Avis, Mikayla Clemons, Bianca Grant, Will Higdon, CJ Johnston St. Paul: Brandon Burkhead, Jenna Lucas, Karley Tilford

SENIOR MEAL THIS WEEK: We once again welcome all of our seniors to join us this coming Thursday at 11:30 for a senior meal. This is always a fun time to get together. We have had good crowds for this lately. If you have not done this before, now it the time to come and see it.

ST PAUL PORK DINNER NOW GOES INSIDE: St. Paul School will sponsor its final pork dinner of the year on Friday, May 20. For the first time in over 2 years, this will actually feature sit-down dining, as well as take out or delivery

PRAYER AT LOUISVILLE ABORTION CLINIC PLANNED FOR MAY 21:

PLEASE join us as we once again head to the abortion clinic in Louisville on May 21. It is my sincere hope that this is the LAST AND FINAL time that we will ever have to do this sacrifice. As you likely have heard, recent events by the Supreme Court may soon lead to abortion being outlawed in the state of Kentucky. This is part of what our very prayer at the clinic is all about. As usual, we will leave from St. Paul at 4:30 AM, and we will pray that the very abortion mill where we pray will very soon be closed. Please join us for this.

YOUTH PAINTBALL TRIP: The youth will be taking a trip to Condor's Paintball on Saturday, May 28. We will leave from St. Paul Church at 10 AM and return around 1 PM. Permission slips will be available this weekend, and we ask that you please turn them in by May 21. It is needed for us to know how many people we have for this trip. The cost of this trip will be \$40. For further information, call the parish office or talk to Fr. Steve.

<u>ST PAUL YARD SALE COMING UP</u>: St. Paul will have their annual yard sale on June 3^{rd} and 4^{th} , at St. Elizabeth Church. We let you know about this now, so that you might be able to start saving up things you would like to donate. More details will follow.

ST ELIZABETH MOVIE NIGHT COMING UP: Starting at 8:00 PM on June 4, there will be a family-oriented movie at St. Elizabeth Church. We will also provide food and drinks. Depending on the weather, etc, it will either be inside or outside.

ST PAUL FAMILY PICNIC: ON Sunday afternoon, June 5, St. Paul will host an informal fun and social family picnic, beginning at 5:00 PM. Burgers and brats will be provided (we are looking for volunteers to help with this) and families are asked to bring a dish to pass. There will be games for both young and old folks. You are welcomed to bring any games you wish to bring.

<u>ST ELIZABETH FAMILY PICNIC</u>: After mass on Sunday, June 12, St. Elizabeth will o have its family picnic. Once again, there will be burgers and brats provided, and families are asked to bring a dish, which can be dropped off in the hall either before or after mass.

UPCOMING EVENTS

May 28	Paintball trip to Elizabethtown; leave at 10 AM
May 30	K of C Memorial Day Rosary; War memorial park, 10 AM
June 3-4	St. Paul Yard Sale; St. Elizabeth
June 4	Movie Night; St. Elizabeth; 8 PM
June 5	St. Paul Family Picnic; 5:00 PM
June 5	PENTECOST SUNDAY
June 12	St. Elizabeth family picnic, after mass
June 19	FEAST OF CORPUS CHRISTI
June 19	Renewal of marriage vows at all weekend masses

PRE-SCHOOL TEACHER NEEDED AT ST. PAUL: St. Paul School is looking for a pre-school teacher for the upcoming school Year. This will require state certification for pre-school. Training for this will be given if needed. Those interested in teaching pre-school should call St. Paul at 242-7483

FACILITIES MANAGER WANTED AT ST PAUL CHURCH: St. Paul Parish is seeking a person to step up to oversee what may need to be addressed regarding repairs, maintenance and improvements on our property. This could conceivably be a volunteer or paid position. Anyone interested please speak with Fr. Steve.

ABORTION AWARENESS

There were 247 abortions in Louisville in April Please continue to pray for the unborn and for the Supreme Court