



**Serving St. Elizabeth Church &
Our Lady of Lourdes Church
Sunday, December 15, 2024
Third Sunday of Advent**



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Office Hours:

Monday and Friday: 8:00am to Noon

Tuesday — Thursday: 8:00am to noon
~ 1:00pm to 4:00pm

WEEKEND MASSES

St. Elizabeth

Saturday at 4:30pm and
Sunday at 7:15am & 10:45am

Our Lady of Lourdes

Sunday Mass at 9:00am

Daily Mass: (St. Elizabeth)

Monday: No Mass

Tuesday: Noon

Wednesday 11:00 am

Thursday & Friday: 12 Noon

(Except when noted:

Thursday Prison Mass)



(Exposition of the Most Blessed
Sacrament is on Wednesdays from
11:30 am to 1 pm at St. Elizabeth.)

Please consult parish webpage for up-
to-date scheduling changes, which
supersede bulletin scheduling.

Anointing of the Sick

Parishioners who are seriously or criti-
cally ill or having surgery, Please contact
the parish office.

Baptisms

Please call the Parish office

R.C.I.A.

The Rite of Christian Initiation of
Adults is an ongoing formation
process for adults who are
interested in becoming a Catholic
and would like to receive the
Sacraments of Baptism,
Confirmation and /or First Eucharist.
Call the Parish Office for additional in-
formation.

Sacrament of Marriage

If you are considering marriage,
please contact the Parish Office no
later than 6 months prior to the pro-
posed wedding date, and the
diocesan and parish guidelines
will be explained.

Sacrament of Penance

Saturdays at St. Elizabeth
3:15pm to 4:00pm
or by appointment

*"Have no anxiety at all,
but in everything,
by prayer and petition,
with thanksgiving,
make your requests
known to God."*

(Philippians 4:6)



*Gaudete Sunday:
The Third Sunday in Advent*

Mass Intentions and Schedule

Sat. Dec. 14	4:30pm	Virginia Barclay by Hugh and Celeste White
Sun. Dec. 15 LOLO	7:15am 9:00am 10:45am	Linda Sikorski Fr. Walter Deppisch - Parish 70th JoAnn Shepherd by Preston and Mary Beth Reilly
Mon. Dec 16 Tues. Dec. 17	Noon	No Mass (Communion Service) Father away.
Wed. Dec. 18	11:00am	Greg Bohman and Edna O'Dell by George and Jane Bohman
Thur. Dec. 19 Fri. Dec. 20	Noon Noon	Prison Mass Albert Fehrenbacher by Keith and Patti Buercklin
Sat. Dec. 21	4:30pm	Randy Hatten by Edie Hice
Sun. Dec. 22 LOLO	7:15am 9:00am 10:45am	David Worman by Angela and Joshua Stumborg Living and Deceased Hall Family Members by Keith and Stacia Matson For all parishioners

Liturgical Ministry Schedule

December 21-22, Fourth Sunday of Advent

Sat., December 21, 2024, 4:30pm

LECTOR: Celeste White

USHERS AND GIFTS: Steve Ezell and Keith Buercklin

COMMUNION MINISTER: Susan Goodwine

ALTAR SERVERS: Aleigha Mullins and Clara Mullins

Sun., December 22, 2024, 7:15am

LECTOR: Linda Sikorski

USHERS : Jim Jaeger and Dave Holscher

COMMUNION MINISTER: Shari Eckert

ALTAR SERVERS: Nathaniel and Naomi Arkenberg

GIFT BEARERS: Jim Eckert Family

Sun., December 22, 2024, 9:00am, OLOL

LECTOR: Chris Keller

USHERS & GIFTS: Ethel Dhom and Carol Zellars

COMMUNION MINISTER: Donna Keller

ALTAR SERVER: Cameron Davis

Sun., December 22, 2024, 10:45am

LECTOR: Roselene Quick

USHERS: David and Jeannie Veach

COMMUNION MINISTER: Kristin East

ALTAR SERVER: Brady York and Will Schutte

GIFT BEARERS: Stewart Schutte Family

OCIA Classes

Our next continuing classes for Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA) will be January 7th and 14th.

PSR

Our next PSR class will be December 18, our last class of 2024. Our profound thanks to our dedicated teachers, and participating parents and grandparents, for recognizing the importance of these classes for our kids!

"NEW" Online Giving

Our NEW online giving program through the new office software is up and running! For any of our parishioners who choose to donate their weekly collections online, from here on forward you can go to the parish website at w.crawfordcountycatholics.net and use the links there for "Give - St. Elizabeth, Robinson" or "Give - Our Lady of Lourdes, Oblong." Once you have established your new account, it will be a very easy and a quick way to do all your weekly, monthly, or special collections in a snap! Please continue using this way of donation, or give it a try for your first time! You will be surprised how easy it is, and may learn to love it!

New Parish Office Hours

Monday and Friday—8:00am to Noon
Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday—8:00am to 4:00pm

Christmas Mass Schedule



Christmas Eve Masses:

Our Lady of Lourdes—4:30pm
St. Elizabeth—8:00pm

Christmas Day Mass:

St. Elizabeth—8:00am

St. Elizabeth Annual Advent Project

The **Final call** for returning tags and gifts for the Annual Advent Project at St. Elizabeth is this weekend. We must please have tags with the gifts returned to the church no later than the 10:45am Mass **THIS Sunday, December 15th**. Thank you all who are helping make Christmas Day a bit brighter for residents of a few local nursing homes. Merry Christmas! May God richly bless you!



Joint Parish Christmas Party 2024



Daily Scripture Readings

Monday, December 16, 2024,

Numbers 24:2-7, 15-17 / Gospel Matthew 21:23-27

Tuesday, December 17, 2024

Genesis 49:2, 8-10 / Gospel, Matthew 1:1-17

Wednesday, December 18, 2024

Jeremiah 23:5-8 / Gospel, Matthew 1:18-25

Thursday, December 19, 2024

Judges 113:2-7, 24-25 / Gospel, Luke 1:5-25

Friday, December 20, 2024

Isaiah 7:10-14 / Gospel, Luke 1:26-38

Saturday, December 21, 2024

Song of Songs 2:8-14 / Gospel, Luke 1:39-45

Sunday, December 22, 2024,

(Fourth Sunday of Advent)

Reading I - Micah 5:1-4

Reading II - Hebrews 10:5-10

Gospel - Luke 1:39-45

Weekly Offerings

St. Elizabeth

(Week ending Sunday, December 8, 2024)

Envelopes: \$ 3035.00 / Christmas Flowers: \$ 25.00

Give Central weekly: \$ 440.00/ Loose: \$ 328.00

Retirement Fund for Religious: \$ 1721.00

Immaculate Conception: \$ 238.00

Total Deposit: \$ 5787.00

Our Lady of Lourdes

(Week ending Sunday, December 8, 2024)

Envelopes: \$ 1080.00 / Loose: \$ 49.00

Retirement Fund for Religious: \$ 325.00

Immaculate Conception: \$ 90.00

Christmas Flowers: \$ 10.00 / Total Deposit: \$ 1554.00

Prayer List

Jessica Andruch	Fr. Steve Arisman
Anne Batzloff	Howard Beagles
Tony Bierman	Joe Bierman
Paul Berger	Megan Burton
Ryan Calvert	Annie Calvert
Sara Casburn	Scott Chapman
Nancy Conrad	Angela Day
Linda Dillingham	Kristen Eagleson
Eileen Fabris	Edward K. Hartrich
Tim Hinterscher	(Genie) Huss-White
Marcia Lawhead	Huong Que Le
Jeff Monrone	Gregg Mossman
Carol Marshall	Larry Mette
Kathleen Myers	Michell's Dad
Debbie Nichols	Henry Miles
Jocelyn Ramsey	Ellen Rees
Chuck Reinoehl	Margo Riker
Jennifer Sadler	Fr. Suresh & his family
Karen Sanders	Fr. Carl Schrage
Judy Schiller	Amy Slover
Raymond Smith	Rodney Smith
Chelsey Steeno	Linda Stewart
Jeremy Warren	Nina Watts
Chary Wilson	Kathy Wojkovich
	Ralph Worman

All in the Armed Forces, and all our First Responders.

Quiz Question of the Week

He is the Patron Saint of altar boys:

- St. Aloysius Gonzaga
- St. Charles Borromeo
- St. Savio
- St. Pancratius

{Stayed tuned, for the answer next week}

Quote of the Week

The Heart of Jesus was conceived beneath the heart of the Virgin Mother and its earthly life ceased at the moment Jesus died on the Cross.

- Pope St. John Paul the II

Please Silence Cell Phones During Mass

Once again we ask: Please **completely silence** cell phones during Mass, ***including rings and "message prompts," and audible phone notifications.*** These are disruptive to our prayerful neighbors in adjoining pews, and simply disrespectful in The House of God. If you are awaiting a truly vital call or message, it is suggested you place your phone on "vibrate." Respectfully, if individuals do not know how to control their phone's audible features, perhaps they shouldn't bring their phones into Mass at all.

PSR / Fellowship



December 4, 2024

Where would we be without our teachers and volunteers??