

Founded in 1928

Saint Elizabeth of Hungary Roman Catholic Parish

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CHURCH BULLETIN - October 11, 2015 - 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

For humans it is impossible, but not for God; for God all things are possible.

Readings: Wis 7,7-11 Heb 4,12-13

Mk 10,17-30

WE OFFER THE HOLY MASS FOR:

9:00 for holiness in families

for Holy Discalced Carmelite Vocations

for the Rosary Apostolate and for Sr. Marilina

†Derényi Jenőért (Derényi Szilvia és családja)

Nagy Erzsébetért (család)

♦ Mátés Ernőért (fiai Miklós és Ervin)

11:00 hálából (Domok Piroska)

Hauser Lajos felgyógyulásáért (KFT)

Chomor Máriáért (Sepa Erzsébet és Ilona)

Juhász Márti sikeres műtétjéért (Klári)

Báthory Teri felgyógyulásáért (Pouzár Magda)

†Bajusz Máriáért (Somlai család)

†Szilárd Istvánért

Néma Józsefért és Ágnesért (lányai Ildikó és Csilla)

PMagyar Gézáért és Erzsébetért

Simándi Ágnesért (Czink Apor, Klári, Pax Romana)

Puskás Sándorért (felesége)

Monday (12) Thanksgiving Day

7:30 for the intention of the Jesuit General

for holiness in families

for Holy Discalced Carmelite Vocations

for the Rosary Apostolate and for Sr. Marilina

thanksgiving from Gene and Linda

for a safe pregnancy for Adrianne

Tuesday (13)

7:30 for our \$\phi Jesuits

for holiness in families

for Holy Discalced Carmelite Vocations

for the Rosary Apostolate and for Sr. Marilina

for healing from cancer for Julia and Tammy

for \(\phi\)Julia Cizmar, \(\phi\)Patricia O'Brian and

†Salton Feverier (Alexandra Fowell)

for Melanie Young

Wednesday (14) Saint John Ogilvie

7:30 for Jesuit vocations

for holiness in families

for Holy Discalced Carmelite Vocations

for the Rosary Apostolate and for Sr. Marilina

for the healing of Danny Aquino

7 PM békéért a Kárpát-medencében

Zsuzsa felgyógyulásáért

Derényi Jenőért (Derényi Szilvia és családja)

Thursday (15) Saint Teresa of Jesus

7:30 for the conversion of non believers

for holiness in families

for Holy Discalced Carmelite Vocations

for the Rosary Apostolate and for Sr. Marilina

for Sr. Katalin, birthday (Nóra and Nusi)

for \$Joe Francis

for †Ellie Aguilar and Matt Puno

Friday (16) Saint Marguerite d'Youville

7:30 for our benefactors (the Jesuits)

for holiness in families

for Holy Discalced Carmelite Vocations

for the Rosary Apostolate and for Sr. Marilina

for the protection of the unborn

for \$\phiLeon & Rosario Viola

Saturday (17) Saint Ignatius of Antioch

7:30 for world peace

for holiness in families

for Holy Discalced Carmelite Vocations

for the Rosary Apostolate and for Sr. Marilina

for Etelka and Pál

The Holy Father's prayer intentions for October Universal: That human trafficking, the modern form

of slavery, may be eradicated.

Evangelization: That with a missionary spirit the

Christian communities of **Asia** may announce the Gospel to those who are still awaiting it.

Funeral: Puskás Sándor (86)

PARISH EVENTS

11. Bake Sale to support the orphans of Fr. Böjte 12. Thanksgiving Day – Long Weekend 17. Hungarian School, Scouts, First Communion and Confirmation classes & Grape Festival dinner and dance 18. World Mission Sunday special collection 1. All Saints Day & Daylight Savings Time ends – at dawn please adjust your clocks accordingly & Caritas Sausage Sale 3. MCC meeting at 1 PM 7. & 8. Bazaar 8. & Family

Mass with Fr. Böjte at 11 AM, followed by a reception in the Hall and chalk painting competition for children.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- ❖ Cultivating & Caring for Creation: Modeling a Response to **Laudato Si** at 7:00 PM in St. Philip Neri Parish, 2100 Jane St. Free ecology video series with Brother Alan Gaebel, OFM Cap. Info: 416-241-3101
- 1. A Life Giving Ecology for All October 12
- 2. Who is in Greatest Peril? Oct. 26
- 3. Presence of God Nov. 9
- 4. Creation has Intrinsic Order Nov. 23
- 5. Human Ecology Dec. 7
- 6. Responsible Stewardship Dec. 21
- 7. A Moral Issue Jan. 4, 2016
- 8. Solidarity Jan.18
- 9. Creation and Spirituality Feb. 8
- 10. Do Not Despair Feb. 22
- 11. Think Globally, Work Locally Mar. 7
- 12. Becoming Committed Mar. 21
- ❖ The Grape Festival (Szüreti Bál) with raffle, grape stealing and dance, is going to be on Saturday, October 17 at 6 PM. Music band Szinkron. For reservations please call Emma Varga at 416-225-9024. Adults \$30, students (13-18) \$18.00, children (6 -12) \$8. Ticket sale Sundays after the Masses in the room across the church office (September 27, October 4, 11).
- ❖ Broken Wholeness: A Contemporary Encounter with Henri Nouwen's Spirituality on October 13, 7 PM, St. Basil's Church, 50 Saint Joseph St. The Henri Nouwen Society presents noted South African scholar Dr. Riaan van der Merwe for a one-night-only speaking engagement. Please join us for a thought-provoking and inspiring lecture. A not-to-be-missed event for fans of Henri Nouwen! Free admission. Reception to follow. Info: 416-925-3745.
- ♦ Mini Retreat on "Love and Forgiveness" on October 17, 8:30 AM in St. Isaac Jogues Church, 1148 Finch Ave., Pickering. Author and speaker Patrick Sullivan will talk about "Love and Forgiveness." He will discuss the love God has for all of us and encourage us to be openly kind, loving and compassionate to those we meet in our lives. Patrick will also address a lack of ability to forgive ourselves and others and the impact this has on our day-to-day life. Pre-registration is required. Cost: \$10. Info: Marie Pennell 905-420-0557.
- ❖ The Family of Faith campaign is nearing its Conclusion at St. Elizabeth of Hungary Parish. In addition to providing the resources to support our own parish needs, the campaign will help the Church of Toronto:

Parish Goal: \$245,000 Current Total: \$247,835 Parish Share today so far: \$61,958 We hope that each parishioner will prayerfully consider your response to the urgent needs of the Church, here and throughout the archdiocese. Please continue to pray for the success of the campaign!

More info: www.ourFamilyoffaith.ca.

Pope Francis:

Human trade a disgrace to our societies

Pope Francis has said that human trade is a "vile activity, a disgrace to our societies that claim to be civilized. Exploiters and clients at all levels should make a serious examination of conscience both in the first person and before God". For this reason, he added, "today the Church is renewing her urgent appeal that the dignity and centrality of every individual always be safeguarded, with respect for fundamental rights".

Why is the Pope so concerned about the issue of human trafficking? Why has he used such strong expressions on numerous occasions, calling it "a crime against humanity" and "a social plague of our times", in addition to the eloquent appeals we read in this section of our reflections?

There is no lack of reasons. The figures of this modern slavery are bloodcurdling. There are 20.9 million adults and children in the world who are subject to forced labour or prostitution. Human trafficking is worth around 32 billion dollars a year, the same amount generated by weapons smuggling. Ninety-eight percent of the victims of the illegal sex trade are women and young girls.

There are three kinds of human trafficking:

- For sexual exploitation (79 percent)
- For forced labour (18 percent)
- For organ transplants (3 percent)

The Pope calls upon us to commit to the struggle to eradicate this evil and help to restore the dignity of those who have been violently deprived of their right to happiness.

What can we do to counteract human trafficking? Three things we can do are:

- Help to raise awareness, educate society and talk about the issue, especially to healthcare personnel and the police.
- Shelter, protect and assist the victims, if the occasion arises.
- Advocacy: influence our society to change and to enforce existing laws.

The Apostleship of Prayer commits to working together with the Pope in harmony with this great concern in his heart.

(Claudio Barriga, SJ Former AP / EYM Director General Delegate in Rome).