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Saint Elizabeth of Hungary Roman Catholic Parish

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Masses in English: Monday - Saturday at 7:30 AM

Masses in Hungarian: Sundays 9 AM and 11 AM, Wednesdays 7 PM

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CHURCH BULLETIN – March 27, 2016 – Easter Sunday

He must rise from the dead.

Readings: Acts 10,34a 37-43

Col 3,1-4 or 1Cor 5,6b-8 Jn 20,1-18

WE OFFER THE HOLY MASS FOR:

9:00 for holiness in families

Katona Lászlóért (felesége és családja)

†Franciscy Györgyért, 20. évforduló (felesége Hanna)

a KFT †tagjaiért (Kovács György és családja)

†id. Málics Istvánért (Málics Istvánné és családja)

†ifj. Málics Istvánért (édesanyja és családja)

†Somogyi Emíliaért (Márta és családja)

†Doris Benit-ért (Márta és családja)

†Elek szülőkért (család)

†Horváth Máriaért és Béláért (bérmalányuk)

11:00 Király Boglárka és Mária felgyógyulásáért

(Király család)

Piriért, születésnap (barátnője)

Kecskés Piroskáért (családjai)

Pécsi család élő és †tagjaiért (Éva)

Szervó, Szendi és Csermely családok élő és †tagjaiért

(Szendi Ica)

†Pásztor Maryért (Éva)

†Juhász Andrásért (gyermekai)

†édesanyáért, Rohonyi Katalinért (Attila és Mónika)

†Domokos Antalért és Erzsébetért (Forrai család)

†Zydrón Lászlóért (család)

†Tréki Béláért (felesége és fiai)

Easter Monday (28)

7:30 for the intention of the Jesuit General

for holiness in families

for healing from cancer of Gard Florendo

for the protection of the unborn

for †Olivia Penafiel (family)

11:00 †Vajda Irmáért, évforduló

Tuesday (29)

7:30 for our †Jesuits

for holiness in families

for the complete healing of Pat Fabella

for †Olivia Penafiel (family)

for the souls in purgatory

Wednesday (30)

7:30 for Jesuit vocations

for holiness in families

thanksgiving for blessings

for the conversion of Patricia & Pamela

for †Olivia Penafiel (family)

for the souls in purgatory

7 PM békéért a Kárpát-medencében

Zoltai Józsefért (Molnár Éva)

Thursday (31)

7:30 for the conversion of non believers

for holiness in families

for the special intention of Russell Fernandes

for blessings on Aidan and Miles

11:00 the funeral Mass of †Haman Éva

Friday (1)

7:30 for our benefactors (the Jesuits)

for holiness in families

for an end to the practice of abortion & euthanasia

for †Varazsdi Alajos, anniversary (Évi and Zoli)

7 PM †Lajosért (Ica)

Saturday (2)

7:30 for world peace

for holiness in families

for Etelka and Pál

for Nagy and Erdős families (family)

for blessings on Jun & Winnie on their anniversary

The Holy Father's prayer intentions for March

Universal: That families in need may receive the necessary support and that children may grow up in healthy and peaceful environments.

Evangelization: That those Christians who, on account of their faith, are discriminated against or are being persecuted, may remain strong and faithful to the Gospel, thanks to the incessant prayer of the Church.

PARISH EVENTS

27. Easter Sunday; Masses at 9 AM and 11 AM

Blessing of the Food at the end of the 9 AM Mass

(office closed) **28. Easter Monday; Masses: 7:30 AM**

(English), 11 AM (Hungarian) **April 2. Hungarian**

School, Scouts, First Communion and Confirmation

classes **3.** Family Mass at 11 AM **5.** MCC meeting at 1 PM **10.** Schnitzel and Bake sale to support the Caritas ❖ General Assembly of the Hungarian House **17.** First Communion on the 11 AM Mass, followed by a reception in the Hall for the family members **24.** Lunch in the Hall prepared by the MCC.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

❖ Three-Day Inner Healing **Retreat** starting on **April 1** at 9 AM at the Divine Retreat Centre, 69 William St. Led by Fr. Joby Kachappilly, VC and the Divine team. Attendance on all three days is required. Registration: \$75 with lunch and refreshments included. Phone: 647-949-4932/647-660-1314.

❖ **Chesterton's Canada: Landscape and Legend.** On **April 2**, 2 PM at St. Michael's College, Charbonnel Lounge, 81 St. Mary St. Toronto. The G.K. Chesterton Institute for Faith and Culture at Seton Hall University and the Archdiocese of Toronto invite you to this special event featuring speakers Fr. Ian Boyd, CSB; Conrad Black; Cardinal Thomas Collins; and Dermot Quinn. RSVP: chestertoninstitute@shu.edu POSTER (FULL DETAILS): chestertonlandscapelegend.pdf.

❖ Theology on Tap West - **Year of Mercy** on Monday, **April 11**, 7-9 PM, Boston Pizza, 50 Courtneypark Dr E, Mississauga. Faith Connections, the Office of Catholic Youth and the local parishes invite young adults (19-39) to join us for an evening of thought-provoking theological discussion in a comfortable and relaxed setting, with special guest: Cardinal Thomas Collins, Archdiocese of Toronto. Info: 416-599-7676 or www.faithconnections.ca.

❖ "The impact that Silent Voice has had on my life as a former camper has given me the opportunity to meet many deaf and hard of hearing children from different backgrounds. Silent Voice has helped me discover who I am in my life and has given me purpose and future goals. As an adult, I want to help other deaf children and youth who are going through difficult times in life. I want to show them that they are not alone and provide them with support and a role model that is really needed in their lives. Thank you, **ShareLife!**" (Suma, former camper and Silent Voice day program counselor). Last year more than 600 deaf children received support through Silent Voice's Sign Language Summer Camps. Next ShareLife Sunday is **April 17**. Please give generously. You can work wonders!

Pope Francis: Light has dispelled the darkness!
Dear Brothers and Sisters! Jesus Christ is risen! Love has triumphed over hatred, life has conquered death, light has dispelled the darkness!

Out of love for us, Jesus Christ stripped himself of his divine glory, emptied himself, took on the form of a slave and humbled himself even to death, death on a cross. For this reason God exalted him and made him Lord of the universe. Jesus is Lord!

By his death and resurrection, Jesus shows everyone the way to life and happiness: this way is humility, which involves humiliation. This is the path which leads to glory. Only those who humble themselves can go towards the "things that are above", towards God (cf. Col 3:1-4). The proud look "down from above"; the humble look "up from below".

On Easter morning, alerted by the women, Peter and John ran to the tomb. They found it open and empty. Then they drew near and "bent down" in order to enter it. To enter into the mystery, we need to "bend down", to abase ourselves. Only those who abase themselves understand the glorification of Jesus and are able to follow him on his way.

The world proposes that we put ourselves forward at all costs, that we compete, that we prevail... But Christians, by the grace of Christ, dead and risen, are the seeds of another humanity, in which we seek to live in service to one another, not to be arrogant, but rather respectful and ready to help.

This is not weakness, but true strength! Those who bear within them God's power, his love and his justice, do not need to employ violence; they speak and act with the power of truth, beauty and love.

From the risen Lord we ask the grace not to succumb to the pride which fuels violence and war, but to have the humble courage of pardon and peace. We ask Jesus, the Victor over death, to lighten the sufferings of our many brothers and sisters who are persecuted for his name, and of all those who suffer injustice as a result of ongoing conflicts and violence.

We ask for peace, above all, for Syria and Iraq, that the roar of arms may cease and that peaceful relations may be restored among the various groups which make up those beloved countries. May the international community not stand by before the immense humanitarian tragedy unfolding in these countries and the drama of the numerous refugees.

We pray for peace for all the peoples of the Holy Land. May the culture of encounter grow between Israelis and Palestinians and the peace process be resumed, in order to end years of suffering and division.

We ask for peace and freedom for the many men and women subject to old and new forms of enslavement on the part of criminal individuals and groups. Peace and liberty for the victims of drug dealers, who are often allied with the powers who ought to defend peace and harmony in the human family. And we ask peace for this world subjected to arms dealers.

May the marginalized, the imprisoned, the poor and the migrants who are so often rejected, maltreated and discarded, the sick and the suffering, children, especially those who are victims of violence; all who today are in mourning, and all men and women of goodwill, hear the consoling voice of the Lord Jesus: "Peace to you!" (Lk 24:36). "Fear not, for I am risen and I shall always be with you" (05 April 2015).