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## Saint Elizabeth of Hungary Roman Catholic Parish

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### CHURCH BULLETIN – November 13, 2016 – 33<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

By your endurance you will gain your souls.

Readings: Mal 4,1-2 2Tess 3,7-12

Lk 21,5-19

#### WE OFFER THE HOLY MASS FOR:

**9:00** for holiness in families

for the Rosary Apostolate and for Sr. Marilina

for Faustine Leung

for †Paul Lim and deceased family members (Lim)

†Szép Stephenért és Katalinért (család)

†Balogh Katalinért (család)

†Dr. Kroath Wilfridért és Máriáért (család)

†Katona Lászlóért (felesége és gyermekei)

**11:00** a KFT élő és †tagjaiért

Rosemary Rozinka Tallon felgyógyulásáért (családja)

Király Boglárka felgyógyulásáért (Király család)

Farkas Sándorért, 90. születésnap

(Teréz, Katica és családja)

†Illés Annáért (családja)

†Gugg Jánosért és Erzsébetért (leánya és családja)

†Néma Ágnesért és Józsefért, évforduló (lányai)

†Kláráért, születésnap (Kaltenecker Sándorné és cs.)

†Berden Istvánért (KFT)

†Jovan Vasicért (Göncz Mária)

†Vörös Jánosért (felesége és családja valamint a KFT)

†Kniss Margaretért (férje István)

†Forrai Pálért, †Bogos Erzsébetért, †szüleikért és

testvéreikért (Forrai család)

†Göncz Istvánért (Remsei család)

†Link Józsefért (felesége és családja)

†Román Mihályért és Erzsébetért (leánya)

†ifj. Pajzs Gyuláért (nagynénje és családja)

†Zentai és Szikszay családjáért és barátokért

(Júlia és Frigyes)

†Horváth Erzsébetért és Joákimért (unokájuk)

#### **Monday (14) Saint Joseph Pignatelli**

**7:30** for the intention of the Jesuit General

for holiness in families

for the Rosary Apostolate and for Sr. Marilina

for Synchrony Canada

for †Paul Lim and deceased family members (Lim)

for †Lee K. S. Joseph, anniversary (Lee S. H. John)

#### **Tuesday (15)**

**7:30** for our †Jesuits

for holiness in families

for the Rosary Apostolate and for Sr. Marilina

for Synchrony Canada

for Gilice Erzsébet, birthday (friends)

for †Paul Lim and deceased family members (Lim)

**Wednesday (16) Saint Margaret of Scotland, Saint**

**Roch González, Saint John Del Castillo and Saint**

**Alphonsus Rodriguez**

**7:30** for Jesuit vocations

for holiness in families

for the Rosary Apostolate and for Sr. Marilina

for Synchrony Canada

for †Paul Lim and deceased family members (Lim)

**11:00** the funeral Mass of †Bogárd András

**7 PM** békéért a Kárpát-medencében

Király Boglárka felgyógyulásáért (Baranyai Margit)

#### **Thursday (17) Saint Elizabeth of Hungary**

**7:30** for the conversion of non believers

for holiness in families

for the Rosary Apostolate and for Sr. Marilina

for Synchrony Canada

for †Paul Lim and deceased family members (Lim)

#### **Friday (18)**

**7:30** for our benefactors (the Jesuits)

for holiness in families

for the Rosary Apostolate and for Sr. Marilina

for Synchrony Canada

for †Paul Lim and deceased family members (Lim)

#### **Saturday (19)**

**7:30** for world peace

for holiness in families

for Etelka and Pál

for the Rosary Apostolate and for Sr. Marilina

for Synchrony Canada

for †Paul Lim and deceased family members (Lim)

#### **The Holy Father's November prayer intentions**

**Universal:** That the countries which take in a great number of displaced persons and refugees may find support for their efforts which show solidarity.

**Evangelization:** That within parishes, priests and lay people may collaborate in service to the community without giving in to the temptation of discouragement.

### PARISH EVENTS

**13.** collection on behalf of the Shepherds' Trust ❖ Feast of our patron saint, Saint Elizabeth: Mass at 11 AM; lunch at 12:30 in the Hall; for tickets please call the office **19.** Hungarian School and Scouts at St. Edward Catholic School **20.** Sausage sale of Caritas **26.** Advent Mass of the Hungarian School at 11:30 **27.** First Sunday of **Advent** ❖ Bake Sale on behalf of the orphans of Fr. Bojte ❖ Biscuit sale of the scouts; orders need to be made before November 20 by calling Dobos Zsuzsa: 647 340 0504 (1kg - \$30, ½ kg - \$15) **4.** Family Mass at 11 AM ❖ Sausage sale of the Married Couples Club **6.** Married Couples Club at Noon **10.** Christmas Folk Dance House of Kodály at 6 PM **11.** Christmas Concert of Scola Cantorum at 3 PM, followed by a reception in the Hall **14.** Day of Confession; confessions between 6-8 PM **31.** New Years' Eve Dinner and Dance at 6 PM.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

❖ The mission of the **Shepherds' Trust** is to raise awareness and funds so that elderly and disabled priests are provided with sufficient financial resources to lead a dignified life after many years of ministry. The fund supports the needs of retired clergy in the Catholic Archdiocese of Toronto who have served our family of faith for many years. By supporting the Shepherds' Trust, retired priests are given the dignity of adequate pensions, health care and other assistance in their golden years. This year the collection day on behalf of the Shepherds' Trust is **November 13.**

❖ This year marks the **60th Anniversary of the Hungarian Revolution.** The influx of approximately 40,000 Hungarians in 1956 influenced society so much that it was declared a Canadian National Historic Event, and is part of Canadian heritage. To commemorate this occasion, two large-scale concerts with the title "A Bridge to the Future" are being organized by the Canadian-Hungarian Association for Music Performance: Thursday, **November 17,** 7:30 PM, (Trinity-Paul's United Church, Toronto), and Tuesday, **November 29,** 7:30 PM (Canadian Museum of History, Gatineau). The concerts will also commemorate the 135th anniversary of the birth of Béla Bartók with the performance of his Music for Strings, Percussion and Celesta. Works by Kodály, Liszt and Polgár performed by Krisztina Szabó, mezzo-soprano, Daniel Warren, trumpet, Peter Cosbey, cello, Mary Kenedi, piano and a chamber orchestra led by conductor William Shookhoff. The concerts are under the sponsorship of Stefánia Szabó, Consul General of Hungary, and Bálint Ódor, Ambassador of Hungary. Both events will be attended by both Hungarian and Canadian dignitaries, and will be followed by a reception. Tickets: [www.champ1956.com](http://www.champ1956.com), Box Office of Museum, info: [info@champ.com](mailto:info@champ.com), or 416-272-4904.

❖ Theology on Tap: **Grief** - what's love got to do with it? On Monday, **November 21,** 7 PM - 9 PM at the Duke of York Pub, 39 Prince Arthur Ave, Toronto. Faith Connections invites young adults (19-39) to join us for an evening of thought-provoking theological discussion in a comfortable and relaxed setting, with special guest: Florence Loh, Manager of Programs and Services, Catholic Family Services of Toronto. What would God and Freud agree on if they had a conversation about grief? Munchies provided, cash bar, come and bring a friend! Info: 416-467-2645 - a ministry of Fontbonne Ministries, Sisters of St. Joseph, Toronto.

### Saint Elizabeth of Hungary

In her short life, Elizabeth manifested such great love for the poor and suffering that she has become the patroness of Catholic charities and of the Secular Franciscan Order. The daughter of the King of Hungary, Elizabeth chose a life of penance and asceticism when a life of leisure and luxury could easily have been hers. This choice endeared her in the hearts of the common people throughout Europe.

At the age of 14, Elizabeth was married to Louis of Thuringia, whom she deeply loved. She bore three children. Under the spiritual direction of a Franciscan friar, she led a life of prayer, sacrifice, and service to the poor and sick. Seeking to become one with the poor, she wore simple clothing. Daily she would take bread to hundreds of the poorest in the land who came to her gate.

After six years of marriage, her husband died in the Crusades, and Elizabeth was grief-stricken. Her husband's family looked upon her as squandering the royal purse, and mistreated her, finally throwing her out of the palace. The return of her husband's allies from the Crusades resulted in her being reinstated, since her son was legal heir to the throne.

In 1228, Elizabeth joined the Secular Franciscan Order, spending the remaining few years of her life caring for the poor in a hospital which she founded in honor of Saint Francis. Elizabeth's health declined, and she died before her 24th birthday in 1231. Her great popularity resulted in her canonization four years later.

Elizabeth understood well the lesson Jesus taught when he washed his disciples' feet at the Last Supper: The Christian must be one who serves the humblest needs of others, even if one serves from an exalted position. Of royal blood, Elizabeth could have lorded it over her subjects. Yet she served them with such a loving heart that her brief life won for her a special place in the hearts of many. Elizabeth is also an example to us in her following the guidance of a spiritual director. Growth in the spiritual life is a difficult process. We can play games very easily if we don't have someone to challenge us ([franciscanmedia.org](http://franciscanmedia.org)).