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We invite all new members of our parish community to register at the Center. We also encourage you to join one of our numerous parish ministries, so that you may acquire a deeper sense of belonging and accomplishment serving the needs of others.

Celebration of the Eucharist

Weekdays (Monday to Friday) at 9:30 a.m.
Saturdays at 5:00 p.m. (Vigil for Sunday)
Sundays at 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m. (Family Mass) and Noon
Holy days usually at 9:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. (Please check the bulletin or website.)

Becoming a Catholic or Adult Confirmation

Are you interested in becoming Catholic? Were you never Confirmed and now find that you would like to complete your Sacraments of Initiation? Are you interested in finding out more about the Catholic faith? If you answered “Yes” to any of these questions, then Faith Formation is for you! Call the Parish Center for more information.

Baptism

Baptisms are celebrated on various Sundays throughout the year at 1:15 p.m. You are encouraged to register for the baptism BEFORE YOUR CHILD IS BORN, so that it is easier to attend the required Baptism Preparation Class. Please call the Center and we will be happy to set up an appointment. Many parents also use this opportunity to register in the Parish as a new parishioner. Information about Godparents is available on the website.

Marriage

We are happy to arrange for your wedding. First, we have the marriage interview and then we can set the date for the wedding. More information is available on the website. Please call the Center for an appointment and we will be happy to help you!

Reconciliation

Confessions are heard in our Church Reconciliation Room (in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel) on Saturdays from 4:00 until 4:45 p.m. You are also welcome to call the Center and make an appointment to celebrate the Sacrament.

Anointing of the Sick

We encourage all those eligible for this Sacrament to be anointed after the Noon Mass on the first Sunday of the month or by calling the Center. Those eligible are those who are about to undergo an operation; are suffering from serious illness and the condition has worsened; or are enduring the weakening effects of advancing age and it has been one year since they were last anointed.
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**Rejoice and Be Glad!**

Read Pope Francis’ most recent Apostolic Exhortation here:

St. Elizabeth of Hungary Rosary Society

May Crowning

On Wednesday, May 2 the St. Elizabeth Rosary Society had their May Crowning. The Rosary Society is deeply grateful to all who helped make the night a beautiful celebration.

Easter Flower Donations From....

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In Loving Memory of...

Patricia Keany & Lillian Sarrero, requested by the Adams Family.
Susan Henry, Ron Adler, George, Jean & George Busutill, Jr., requested by Jean Adler.
Camille Angebranndt, Pierina Di Re, Elizabeth Keene, Josephine Petralia, requested by Rudy & Elizabeth Angebranndt.
Jonathan S. Backiel, requested by Thomas, Michaela & Nicole Backiel.
The Brennan and Barfuss Families, and for the intentions of our parents, requested by John & Rosemary Barfuss.

William A. Bellmer & Patti, requested by Eleanor Bellmer.
Salvatore Buda & Josephine Buda, may their souls rest in peace, requested by Mrs. Rose Buda - Wife & Mother.
Deceased Members of the Carroll & Burke Families, requested by John, Lorraine & Jimmy Burke.
Emilia & Giuseppe Fata, requested by Pina & Chuck Campagna.
Antonio Cerrone, requested by Mrs. Antonio Cerrone.
Elsie Almiron, Rodolfo Dameno and for the intentions of the Cohen Family, requested by Andrea Cohen.
William Conklin and Michael Lemke, requested by Joann Conklin.
Tom & Josephine Connor, requested by Greg Connor.
Deceased members of the Cozzetto & Agars Families, requested by Marge & Sam Cozzetto.
Anna & Francesco Amoia, requested by the D'Amico Family.
Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Davan; Mr. & Mrs. Leslie Woltman, requested by Carol & Lawrence Davan.
Nino Manzella, requested by the De Domenico’s.
De George & O'Hagan Families, requested by Mrs. Lawrence De George.
Peter Dillon; John & Eileen Cawley; Lenore & Jack Dillon, requested by the Dillon Family.
Carol Ann White, requested by Susan Van Eeden.
Anthony Felicetta, requested by Marie Felicetta.
Jeanne Zachowski and Edmund Flyntz, requested by Eugenia Flyntz.
Our Family, requested by Mr. & Mrs. John Forte.
Dr. Charles Dumas, requested by Venice & Bill Franz.
Margaret Barry Gallagher, requested by John Gallagher, Jr..
Lenora Makowski, requested by Mr. & Mrs. Jerome Genova.
Lena & Paul Cantilmo; Mae & Paul Giaime, requested by Vincent & Rose Marie Giaime.
Mary and Gustave Robichaud, and for the intentions of Geraldine Bear, requested by Joan A. Gillespie.
Walter and Jeanette Gizze, Pearl and John Errico, requested by Mr. & Mrs. Walter J. Gizze.
The Barbella and Granato Families, requested by Mr. & Mrs. Anthony Granato.
Donald Karcher, Henry & Majorie Kummer, requested by Diane Karcher.
Lil Kennedy, requested by Jim Kennedy.

Deceased Members of the Kobylnski & Pyzak Families, requested by Frank Kobylnski (Son).
Richard Lee and our son Richard "Flip" Lee and the Kulka Family, requested by Mrs. Dolores Lee.
Stanislow Pater, requested by Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Lojko.
Curto Family; John, Charms & Jena Lombardo, requested by Rosanne & Tom Lombardo.
Cosmo, John, Joseph Lucania, requested by wife & mother Annette.
Helen Luna and Joan Kiely, requested by Jean & Edward Luna.
Casioverde & Malanum Families, repose of the souls of the departed members of the Castioverde & Malanum Families, requested by Mrs. Cecilia Malanum.
Danny Elias, beloved son, requested by mother Barbara Masone.
Vincent Massucci, forever in our hearts, requested by Jean & Children.
Barbara & Henry Krieger, requested by George & Barbara Mayer.
Judith Mc Evoy, requested by Edward Mc Evoy.
McCormick & Byrne Families, requested by Mildred McCormick.
The Mennella Family, requested by Louis Mennella.
Mother, father, sister and two brothers requested by Mr. Dominick Minerva.
Mr. & Mrs. S. Napolitano; Mrs. & Mrs. J. Galvin, requested by Jane & Mary Napolitano.
Overos and Cadogfy Families, requested by Mry Overos.
Vincenzo Montana and Sandra Pado--Buona Pasqua, my beautiful angels--requested by Annalisa Pado.
Deceased Members of the Piervincenti & Storbjonk families, requested by Mr. & Mrs. Arthur R. Piervincenti.
Vincent & Mary DiBenedetto, requested by Jean Pilato.
Marie Mooney, James Fusaro, George Roecklein, Paul Salvato, and for the intentions of Patricia Fusaro,
   Diane & Jim Mooney, Janette & George Roecklein, Theresa Fusaro, requested by Michael George Roechlein, Jr.
Frank Ruotolo, requested by Irene Ruototo & Family.
Fernando Arraval, requested by Monique Arraval.
Sandra M. Ryan, requested by the Ryan Family.
August C. Sarrantonio, requested by Josephine M. Sarrantonio.
Sutt, Schaefer & Nowakowski Families, requested by Mary & John Schaefer.
Maria Meglio, requested by the Schneider Family.
Taormino, Schwarz& Laezza Family Members, requested by Mr. & Mrs. Schwarz.
John G. Sharkey, requested by Lillian Sharkey.
Eunice S. Solar, requested by Eugene Solar.
Frank & Catherine Lanuto, requested by John & Sandra Sonta.
Victoria Matarazzo, requested by Marylou Stallone.
Eric Tam, requested by The Tam Family.
Angelo & Margherita Volpe; Rita & Joseph Yacovelli, requested by Mr. & Mrs. Vincent Volpe.
In remembrance of Patricia Wagner, Milly Scott & Grandma Prohaske, requested by Glenn & Susan Wagner.
Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Walsh, Sr; Mr. & Mrs. John LeGrand, requested by Mr. & Mrs. T. Walsh.
Julia & Eugene Woelfel, requested by Louise Woelfel.
Jeremiah, Josephine, Carl, Carl Jr., and for the intentions of Chloe, Arthur & Alex, requested by Elizabeth Wright.
Smith & Zonin Families & Brendon Redmond, requested by Mr. & Mrs. Richard Zonin.

For the intentions of the Palm & De Garay families, requested by Francis & Marilyn De Garay
For the intentions of our family, requested by Mr. & Mrs. Gerard Ferrari
In Praise & Thanksgiving, Kay & Mike Gurello
For the intentions of Kevin and Gail Mattimore, requested by Kevin & Gail Mattimore
For all our military serving, requested by The O'Shaughnessy Family
For the intentions of Louis Pio, requested by Sheila Pio
**Bulletin Reflection**

Jesus is the perfect steward, watching carefully over all who had been entrusted to Him by the Father and then sending them all out into the world in service. May I similarly protect and wisely use the gifts entrusted to me!

**Living Stewardship**

We are grateful this week for all stewards in our parish who recognize that, although each of us has our own unique gifts to share, our mission is the same—-to serve others and help build God’s kingdom.

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**Calling all Altar Servers!**

**NEW ALTAR SERVER TRAINING**

All boys and girls in grade 5 and older are invited to train to become Altar Servers on Thursday, May 24 at 6:30 p.m.

Registration in advance of the May 24 training date is required.

Please call or email Mrs. Victor to register:

631.385.1942 or aladjo@aol.com

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**The Diocese of Rockville Centre**

will hold its next Day of Prayer and Healing for Women (after abortion)
on Saturday, June 9, beginning at 9:00 a.m.

For more information and to register, visit respectlife.drvc.org

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**ST. ELIZABETH SENIOR GROUP**

May 15

Meeting & Singer
**Cancelled**
Our Catholic Gift Shop

Visit Our Gift Shop!

Your source for gifts of faith, hope and love….

Do you know someone receiving a sacrament? We have varied items for Baptism, Communion and Confirmation such as crosses, rosaries, pins, bookmarks, frames, jewelry, statues, gift items and more.

We also have a selection of rosaries, medals, crosses and prayer cards. Stop in to see what we have! The Gift Shop is located in the Parish Center, Room 103 and is open Monday to Friday from 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Just ask the receptionist for access.

St. Elizabeth Widow and Widowers Social Club

Just a reminder - there will be no May meeting at the Center.

Our June luncheon will be on Thursday, June 14. Members will be informed of the place and time.

Our June meeting will be held on Wednesday, June 27 in Room 108 at 2 p.m. All widows and widowers are invited to attend. More details in the June bulletins.

Please call Kathleen for any information at 631.423.5462

CREATING a SAFE ENVIRONMENT for our CHILDREN

VOLUNTEER CODE OF CONDUCT
For Service in the Parish Community of St. Elizabeth Church

Our children are the most important gifts God has entrusted to us. As a volunteer, I promise to strictly follow the rules and guidelines in this Volunteer’s Code of Conduct:

As a volunteer, I will:

- Treat everyone with respect, loyalty, patience, integrity, courtesy, dignity, and consideration.
- Avoid situations where I am alone with children and/or youth at parish activities.
- Use positive reinforcement rather than criticism or comparison when working with children and/or youth.
- Refuse to accept expensive gifts from children and/or youth or their parents without prior written approval from the pastor.
- Refrain from giving expensive gifts to children and/or youth without prior written approval from the parents or guardian and the pastor.
- Report suspected abuse to the pastor, or appropriate supervisor and the local Child Protection Services agency or other civil authorities.
- Cooperate fully in any investigation of abuse of children and/or youth.

As a volunteer, I will not:

- Smoke or use tobacco products in the presence of children and/or youth.
- Use, possess, or be under the influence of alcohol at any time while volunteering.
- Use, possess, or be under the influence of illegal drugs at any time.
- Pose any health risk to children and/or youth (i.e., no fevers or other contagious situations).
- Strike, spank, shake, or slap children and/or youth.
- Humiliate, ridicule, threaten, or degrade children and/or youth.
- Touch a child and/or youth in a sexual or other inappropriate manner.
- Use any discipline that frightens or humiliates children and/or youth.
- Use profanity in the presence of children and/or youth.

I understand that as a volunteer working with children and/or youth, I am subject to a thorough background check including criminal history. I understand that any action inconsistent with this Code of Conduct or failure to take action mandated by this Code of Conduct may result in my removal as a volunteer with children and/or youth.
St. Elizabeth of Hungary

Camper & CIT Registration Form

Camp: July 30 to August 3, 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
Opening Mass: Sunday, July 29 @ 10 a.m.
Closing Mass: Sunday, August 5 @ 10 a.m.

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Medical/Special Needs & Allergies (specify for each child)

Return this completed form with your check made payable to St. Elizabeth Church to:
St. Elizabeth Parish Center, 175 Wolf Hill Road, Melville, NY 11747 - Attention: VBC.
Questions? Email youth@stelizabeth.org

St. E Melville-9
SAVE THE DATE!

ST. ELIZABETH FAMILY FESTIVAL
Friday, September 7 - Sunday, September 9

Rides, Games, Food, Entertainment...
All in the St. Elizabeth community are invited to be a part of this weekend.
There will be something for everyone!
Lots of help is needed to make this event a success.

Can you help?
Volunteers are needed to help with ticket and raffle sales, advertising, promotion, sponsorship, security (retired police officers), clean up, donations for raffle baskets, etc.

We welcome your ideas!
Any time commitment is appreciated!

Call or email Cathy Babinski
at (516) 445-7483
or wilparkmom@aol.com
First Reading: Proclaimed in the context of the Seventh Sunday of Easter, we focus on how the ministry of the Apostles continues in the early Church. A new leader is chosen through discernment and in communion with other Apostles and believers. The Eleven (now Twelve again) will continue their proclamation of the Risen Christ and the new life He offers.

Responsorial Psalm 103: The refrain tells us the Lord’s throne is in heaven. Following upon the First Reading for the Seventh Sunday of Easter, the psalm invites us to bless the Lord with our entire being, as those who are his Apostles do. The Lord rules over all, yet ours is the task to now show others the way to Him.

Second Reading: Now, nearing the final days of Easter Time, we hear these words again. The message is simple, yet profound. The words this Sunday, as the past few Sundays, are words of love. God is love. We know this because He sent His Son as the Savior of the world. We go forth and carry on His work as He returns to the Father. Ours is the call to teach others how to live in God’s love. We do this within a communion of faithful people who can constantly remind us of God’s love and our ongoing invitation from Him to live in it.

Gospel: Joy is Jesus’ wish for His dear ones, His disciples. He knows He took care of them while He was with them on earth, but He must return to the Father. So now He prays that the Father watch over them while they are still in the world. He does not want His followers removed from the world, for then they have no impact on the world. Bind them to the truth and make them holy are Jesus’ desires for the disciples and for us.

Hear our Prayers
O Lord for...

the Deceased
Mark Natale; Ronnie Quereau

the Sick
Rachel Antorino; Ellen Cubbin
Vincent De Joy; Connor Hebert
Patricia Moran; Albert Tomei

Our Servicemen and Women
PO1st Cl. Patrick G. Buhse, U.S. Navy
Ssgt. James Calfa, U.S. Army
Ssgt. Mitchell Ciccarelli, U.S. Air Force
Airman Dylan Ciccarelli, U.S. Air Force
MIDN Brian Z. DiSalvo, U. S. Navy
Capt. Thomas Frey, U.S.M.C.
Lt. Brendan Johnston, U.S. Navy
P.F.C. Brad John Peck, U.S.M.C.
Cadet Kiersten Spencer, U.S. Army
Lt. Col. Kent Walsh, U.S. Army
Lt. Frederick Zappala, U.S. Army

Banons of Marriage

First Banons
Michelle Garziano (St. Elizabeth) and
Eric Dirr (St. Hugh of Lincoln)

Second Banons
Jennifer Maccio (St. Elizabeth) and
Frank Di Gregorio (Good Shepherd)
Lorraine Cheng (St. Elizabeth) and
Kevin Yip (Tyson’s Corner, VA)
Amanda Ritchie (St. Hugh) and
Brian Muller (St. Elizabeth)
Mass Intentions, Presiders and Readings for the Week

**Mass Intentions**

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| Monday, May 14    | 9:30 a.m. | Reading 1: Acts of the Apostles 1:15-17, 20-26  
Gospel: John 15:9-17 |
| Tuesday, May 15   | 9:30 a.m. | Reading 1: Acts of the Apostles 29:16-26  
Gospel: John 17:1-11a |
| Wednesday, May 16 | 9:30 a.m. | Reading 1: Acts of the Apostles 20:28-38  
Gospel: John 17:11b-19 |
Gospel: John 17:20-26 |
| Friday, May 18    | 9:30 a.m. | Reading 1: Acts of the Apostles 25:13b-21  
Gospel: John 21:15-19 |
| Saturday, May 19  | 5:00 p.m. | Reading 1: Acts of the Apostles 28:16-20, 30-31  
Gospel: John 21:20-25 |
| Sunday, May 20    | 8:00 a.m. | Reading 1: Acts of the Apostles 2:1-11  
Reading 2: 1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13  
Gospel: Galatians 5:16-25 |

**Presiders**

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<td>Saturday, May 19</td>
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| Sunday, May 20    | 8:00 a.m. | Fr. Eric Kasongo  
First Communion |
|                   | 10:00 a.m. | Fr. Irinel Racos  
First Communion |
|                   | Noon    | Fr. Irinel Racos  
First Communion |

**Weekly Readings**

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Gospel: John 17:1-11a |
Gospel: John 17:11b-19 |
Gospel: John 17:20-26 |
| Mother’s Day Novena | Friday, May 18 | Reading 1: Acts of the Apostles 25:13b-21  
Gospel: John 21:15-19 |
| Mother’s Day Novena; Frances Claus Edward J. Franz; Martha La Sorsa | Saturday, May 19 | Reading 1: Acts of the Apostles 28:16-20, 30-31  
Gospel: John 21:20-25 |
| Mother’s Day Novena; James Benicasa Margaret Lauer; Anthony Pagano Agnes Cagney For the Parishioners of St. Elizabeth | Sunday, May 20 | Reading 1: Acts of the Apostles 2:1-11  
Reading 2: 1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13  
Gospel: Galatians 5:16-25 |

**Bread and Wine Intentions for Sunday, May 13**

Bread and Wine Intentions for Sunday, May 13 are donated in praise and thanksgiving for all our mothers.
Outreach aims to aid people in accessing the resources that will assist them in meeting their basic needs.

**Our Outreach Pantry is open:**
Monday to Friday
10:00 a.m. to 12:00 Noon
Phone: 631.351.2136

Outreach provides assistance with food, information and referral to other agencies to meet various family needs and other emergency assistance.

**Stewardship.... Treasure**

Sunday, May 6, 2018
Sixth Sunday of Easter

**FINANCE MINISTRY**

2018 - $18,536
2017 - $18,972
(2% decrease from 2017)

**MASS ATTENDANCE**

2018 - 2,324
2017 - 2,340
(1% decrease from 2017)

St. Elizabeth is sustained by the generosity of our parishioners through time, talent and treasure.
For all that you do - thank you!
Welcome New Parishioners!
Are you a new parishioner? Welcome! The Stewardship Committee is available to speak with new parishioners and answer any questions you may have. We’re available at masses and at Hospitality Weekends on the first of the month. Look for us, we’re wearing our name tags!

Our next Hospitality Weekend is June 2nd & 3rd. Please feel free to stop by the Stewardship/Information Desk in the Hospitality Room after mass and allow us to introduce ourselves. Welcome forms are available in the church, next to the bulletins, or at the Parish Center.

Gifts & Talents
Are you being called to share your gifts & talents? The Stewardship Committee is able to help you discover your gifts & talents and help you determine a ministry that fits for you. Come visit us after mass on June 2nd or 3rd in the Hospitality Room for more information.

Capital Campaign
The Capital Campaign has been approved and we are excited for the opportunities it brings to update and build upon our parish. Information sessions are currently underway.

Weekly Contributions
Although we will be initiating the Capital Campaign, we hope you will be able to continue your weekly donations which support the Parish and all of its programs. Your weekly contributions help us keep the lights on, the boiler & air conditioning running, and maintain the building & grounds, including the many snow removal moments we have had these winter months. We appreciate and thank you for supporting the parish community.

Parish Family Festival
Save the Date: Parish Family Festival ~ Friday - Sunday, September 7th-9th
Carnival Rides, Games, Food & Entertainment. All parishioners are invited! There will be something for everyone. Volunteers will be needed to make this event a success. If you are able to help, please contact Cathy Babinski at wilparkmon@aol.com or 516-445-7483.

Pope Francis tells us ...
“But to all of you, especially those who can do more and give more, I ask: Please, do more! Please, give more! When you give of your time, your talents and your resources to the many people who struggle and who live on the margins, you make a difference. It is a difference that is so desperately needed, and one for which you will be richly rewarded by the Lord.” (1/18/15)

Stewardship Committee Mission
To welcome and encourage all parishioners to become vibrant participants centered in the Eucharist and to provide an opportunity to deepen our faith so as to flourish as disciples of Jesus. As the Body of Christ, we share our gifts of time, talent, and treasure by:

- Witnessing and serving in deed and action for Christ’s work of justice and peace in our ever-changing world.
- Gathering as a community to be nourished in love and care for one another.
## Weekly Calendar of Events

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<td>May 13</td>
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|            | 12 Noon Mass  
*Anointing of the Sick*  |                                              |                                               |
| **MONDAY** |                                              |                                              |                                               |
| May 14     | 9:30 a.m. Mass                              | 10 a.m. to Noon Outreach Assistance          | 10 a.m. Overeaters Anonymous (w/babysitting)  |
|            | 10 a.m. to Noon Eucharistic Adoration      | 7 p.m. Catholic Daughters of the Americas   | 12 Noon Alcoholics Anonymous                 |
|            | *Begins at daily Mass and closes at Noon*  | 7:30 p.m. Finance Committee                  | 6 p.m. Alcoholics Anonymous (Women Only)      |
|            |                                              | Liturgy Resource Rm.                         |                                               |
| **TUESDAY**|                                              |                                              |                                               |
| May 15     | 9:30 a.m. Mass                              | 10 a.m. to Noon Outreach Assistance          | 12 Noon Alcoholics Anonymous                 |
|            | 1 p.m. Diocesan Consolation Prayer Svc.    | 1:30 p.m. Diocesan Consolation Discussion    | 7:30 p.m. Women’s Evening Retreat             |
|            |                                              | Hosp. Rm.                                    |                                               |
| **WEDNESDAY**|                                          |                                              |                                               |
| May 16     | 9:30 a.m. Mass                              | 10 a.m. to Noon Outreach Assistance          | 10 a.m. Alcoholics Anonymous                 |
|            | 10 a.m. to Noon Eucharistic Adoration      | 6 p.m. Diocesan Lector Training             | 12 Noon Alcoholics Anonymous                 |
|            | *Begins at daily Mass and closes at Noon*  | 6 p.m. Diocesan Liturgical Minister Training | 7:30 p.m. Alcoholics Anonymous               |
|            |                                              | MKH                                          |                                               |
|            | 10:30 a.m. OLMM Novena/Rosary              | 6 p.m. First Communion Rehearsal            |                                               |
|            | 6 p.m. First Communion Rehearsal           |                                              |                                               |
|            | 6 p.m. Boy Scouts                            |                                              |                                               |
|            | 7:30 p.m. Liturgy Committee Meeting         |                                              |                                               |
|            | 7:30 p.m. Liturgy Committee Meeting         |                                              |                                               |
|            | 8 p.m. Ladies Auxiliary                      |                                              |                                               |
|            |                                              | K or C Rm.                                   |                                               |
| **THURSDAY**|                                          |                                              |                                               |
| May 17     | 9:30 a.m. Mass                              | 10 a.m. to Noon Outreach Assistance          | 12 Noon Alcoholics Anonymous                 |
|            | 10 a.m. to Noon Eucharistic Adoration      | 10:30 a.m. Pastoral Team Meeting             |                                               |
|            | *Begins at daily Mass and closes at Noon*  | Sm. Conf. Rm.                                |                                               |
|            |                                              | 6 p.m. First Communion Rehearsal            |                                               |
|            | 6 p.m. First Communion Rehearsal           |                                              |                                               |
| **FRIDAY** |                                              |                                              |                                               |
| May 18     | 9:30 a.m. Mass                              | 10 a.m. to Noon Outreach Assistance          | 12 Noon Alcoholics Anonymous                 |
|            | 10 a.m. High Noon Annual Reception          | 10 a.m. High Noon Annual Reception          |                                               |
|            | Hospitality Rm.                             | 7:30 p.m. H I H I End-of-Year Celebration    |                                               |
|            | 7 p.m. H I H I End-of-Year Celebration      | Msgr. Kane Hall                             |                                               |
|            | 7 p.m.                                     |                                               |                                               |
| **SATURDAY**|                                          |                                              |                                               |
| May 19     | 8 a.m. Men of St. Elizabeth Prayer          |                                              | 10 a.m. Alcoholics Anonymous (Young People)  |
|            | 4:00 to 4:45 p.m. Confessions              |                                              | 10 a.m. Bereavement Group                    |
|            | 5:00 p.m. Mass                              |                                              | 12 Noon Alcoholics Anonymous                 |
|            |                                              |                                              | 1 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous                   |
|            |                                              |                                              |                                               |
**BOOK TALK**
Come meet Msgr. John Alessandro speak on Pope Francis’ Exhortation “The Joy of Love” Sunday, May 20 from 2 to 4 p.m. at the Seminary of the Immaculate Conception Library, Huntington. Call 631.423.0483 x141 or email libraryweb@icseminary.edu for more information.

**HEALING MASS**
will be celebrated at St. Anastasia’s Church, 45-14 24th Street in Douglaston by Fr. Augustine Fernando on Tuesday, May 15 beginning at 7 p.m. with the Rosary, followed by Mass and a Healing Service. Call 718.631.4454 for more information.

**HOPE HOUSE MINISTRIES BENEFIT**
Second annual 5K run/walk to end addiction will be held on Saturday, May 19 at 9 a.m. at Shorefront Park in Patchogue. Contact Joe Folks, Race Director, at 631.949.2442 for more information. Register at www.strongislandrunningclub.com

**ALZHEIMER’S ASSOCIATION**
will sponsor a free program on Thursday, May 17 from 6 to 8 p.m. at St. Anthony of Padua Parish Outreach, 1025 Fifth Avenue in East Northport. Learn the 10 warning signs and health living for your brain and body. Light meals will be served. To register, call 1.800.272.3900 or email jcorrales@alz.org.

**KELLENBERG MEMORIAL H.S. REUNION**
All members of Kellenberg Memorial High School classes of 1998, 2003, 2008 and 2013 are invited to return to campus on Saturday, June 23 to celebrate their 20, 15, 10 and 5-year reunions. The evening will begin with Mass at 6 p.m. followed by private cocktail parties for each class from 7 to 10 p.m. For more information or to register online, please visit www.kellenberg.org/reunion. If you have any questions, please contact the Director of Alumni, Mr. Thomas Huggard at MrHuggard@kellenberg.org or call 516.292.0200 x375.

**Happy Mother’s Day!**

The most important person on earth is a mother. She cannot claim the honor of having built Notre Dame Cathedral. She need not. She has built something more magnificent that any cathedral: a dwelling for an immortal soul, the tiny perfection of her baby’s body. The angels have not been blessed with such a grace. They cannot share in God’s creative miracle to bring new saints to Heaven. Only a human mother can. Mothers are closer to God the Creator than any other creature. God joins forces with mothers in performing this act of creation. What on God’s good earth is more glorious than this: to be a mother?

Joseph Cardinal Mindszenty, Cardinal Mindszenty Foundation