Blessed are those who have not seen and have believed.

April 8, 2018
Second Sunday of Easter
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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.
There are different kinds of spiritual gifts but the same Spirit; there are different forms of service but the same Lord; there are different workings but the same God who produces all of them in everyone. To each individual the manifestation of the Spirit is given for some benefit. 1 Corinthians 12:4-7

Living Your Strengths Workshop

Do you know what your greatest talents are? Have you ever asked yourself what God wants you to do? Do you want to discover how you can fulfill your calling by joining a ministry here at St. Elizabeth?

God created you with a unique combination of talents and a specific calling. Discover how gifted you are in God’s eyes and begin to discover your calling. Get to know other parishioners and learn about the various ministry opportunities here at St. Elizabeth. If you are new to ministry, or if you are looking to volunteer more of your time, Living Your Strengths will help you identify your gifts and make the most of the talents God gave you – empowering and inspiring you to find ways to share them with others. Come to this workshop to discover your God-given gifts and learn how to live your strengths.

Wednesday, April 18 and Wednesday, April 25,
7:00 to 9:00 p.m. in Room 108
Facilitator: Eleanora Ferrante

The cost is $20 per person. First come, first served. To register, simply please fill out the form below and mail it to, or drop it off at, the Center, with your check made out to St. Elizabeth Church.
Please join us for a talk and discussion

Monday, April 16,
7:15 p.m. in church
with
Fr. Francis Pizzarelli
Founder of Hope House Ministries

All are welcome --
St. Elizabeth community, parents, students (8th grade and higher)

The Poverty of Caring......
The Challenge of Today

A little about Hope House and Fr. Frank…Fr. Frank is the Founder and CEO of Hope House Ministries, begun 38 years ago to serve adolescents, individuals and families in crisis with counseling, housing and more. They also offer wellness seminars to educate students, teachers and parents in understanding peer pressure, drug and alcohol abuse and teenage suicide. The heart and soul of their ministry is a comprehensive outreach to a growing number of young people who are suffering from addiction.

Please join us for coffee, tea and dessert in the Hospitality Room after Fr. Francis’ talk.

“Lord, teach us to step outside ourselves.
Teach us to go out into the streets
and manifest your love.”

Pope Francis

For further information please email
mdybec@gmail.com or
call Marie – 516-567-6836
A message from Lillian Sharkey to her travel companions:

Thank you! To all the parishioners who made the trip to Italy, my sincerest appreciation and gratitude. Without your help and support, I may not have finished the journey. This trip was a dream of mine for many years— you made it happen! You are truly my guardian angels. Thank you and God Bless each and everyone one of you.

Gratefully, Lillian Sharkey
Thank you to the St. Elizabeth Boy Scout Community for their generous donation of over 2,000 pounds of food to our Pantry.

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The Diocese of Rockville Centre celebrates Saint Gianna Feast Day at St. Agnes Cathedral on Saturday, April 28 beginning with Mass at 5 p.m. Bishop John Barres presiding. 6:00 p.m. Reception at the Pastoral Centre

Part of the liturgy will include a blessing in thanksgiving for those celebrating the gift of a child, those planning now or in the future for a child and those who are expecting a child. After Mass there will be an opportunity to venerate the relics of St. Gianna.

RSVP by April 20 to 516.678.5800 x381 or x626.

St. E Melville-6

St. Elizabeth Knights of Columbus will host an Entertainment Trivia Night Saturday, April 21 in Msgr. Kane Hall

$20 dinner includes Pasta, Salad, Dessert, Beer, Wine, Soda

Play Entertainment trivia: Music, Movies, TV, Sports Cash prize to winning team - Baskets to be raffled

Doors open at 6:30 p.m. Monies will be collected at the door - If you plan to attend, please RSVP to 631-271-9649 or council5753@gmail.com
Thoughtful Moments

St. Gianna Beretta Molla
Born into a large Catholic family in Italy, St. Gianna studied medicine and became a physician. She married Pietro Molla and they had three children: two girls and a boy. Their fourth pregnancy was so risky, an abortion was recommended. St. Gianna refused; she was willing even to die if her child could live. St. Gianna gave birth to a girl and died a week later. She is the patroness of mothers, physicians, and unborn children.

Choose forgiveness
When we have been hurt, forgiveness is the right choice we can make in response. It may not be the choice we want to make but the “Our Father” prayer Jesus gave us asks God to “forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us.” Forgiving our wrongs is how we want God to treat us.

“Children, obey your parents in everything, for this is pleasing to the Lord” (Colossians 3:20).

Raising good decision makers
At the root of every sin is a bad decision. Children’s inexperience and lack of perspective often leads to bad choices that get them into trouble. A well-formed conscience, accountability, and learning to make good choices are powerful ways to raise happy, healthy, and holy decision makers.

Conscience is the ability to decide what is right or wrong. Basic ways to form a Catholic conscience include taking families to weekly Mass, regular Confession to a priest, making parish religious education classes a priority, and expecting and modeling Gospel-centered behavior at home.

Accountability is loving parents holding children responsible for their own decisions. When confronted by their bad behavior, youngsters may try to shift blame, refuse to acknowledge or follow rules, or attempt to avoid consequences. Set standards, give consequences, and follow through.

Good decision-making begins in childhood. The first step is to encourage children to stop and think before acting. A moment or two of hesitation can prevent sin. Next, teach them to ask “why am I about to make this choice?” Sin is a deliberate choice to disobey God. Choosing right takes practice and awareness.

Finally, asking “if I do this, what will happen?,” can be a deterrent to sin. Even simpler, “Will this get me into trouble?” If the answer is “yes,” or even “maybe,” don’t do it.

Why Do Catholics Do That?
Why do Catholics celebrate Divine Mercy Sunday?

In 1931, Jesus appeared to St. Faustina Kowalska, a simple Polish nun, with his hand raised in blessing and two rays of light radiating from his heart - a red and a pale one. He told her to paint the vision with the words, “Jesus, I trust in you.” He also asked that the Sunday after Easter become the “Feast of Mercy,” and promised that anyone who approaches him as the King of Mercy would receive special graces and great mercy.
Making chores into holy work

Giving children chores helps them to contribute to the family and become good stewards over what God gives us. “The Lord God then took the man and settled him in the Garden of Eden, to cultivate and care for it” (Genesis 2:15). When they contribute to the household by doing chores, they are contributing in an important way to the family.

Make it a family affair. Assign chores to everyone in the family. Let them see that parents have chores, too.

Give choices. Children can help with laundry, meal preparation, caring for pets, yard work, or house cleaning. Identify a few jobs to be done and let each person pick which one he or she wants to do.

Connect chores with privileges. “For each will bear his own load” (Galatians 6:5). Set deadlines and offer rewards if chores are done or consequences if they aren’t. Playtime can only happen if chores are done well, for example.

Show appreciation. Earning compliments for a job well done is a great self-esteem builder.

Scripture Lesson

John 15:1-8, Remain in Christ’s love

This Gospel comes from Jesus’ Last Supper Discourse, a kind of farewell speech for his disciples. Jesus told his disciples – and us – that without him, we can do nothing. He compared our relationship to him to the branches on a grapevine. Just as the main stem is the source of life for the branches, so Jesus is the source of spiritual life for us.

We first received this spiritual life in Baptism. We preserve this life by staying close to Jesus and listening to his words. If we remain with Jesus, we will experience peace, joy, and hope. More importantly, we will be able to fulfill our mission. Our goal is to remain in God’s love and to share that love with others. We can only do this with Jesus’ help.

What should a parent do? Jesus told all his disciples that without his help, they could do nothing. Remind children that when it’s difficult to make the right decisions to ask God for help. With Jesus, we have everything we need to become the saints we’re called to be.

Parent Talk

My son’s teacher suggested that we make Easter baskets for nursing home residents who had no one to visit them. At first, neither of my kids liked the idea. Abby was wondering how she would talk to people with memory problems, and Dakota was worried he would catch their illnesses. I reminded them that Jesus said when we show compassion to the sick, lonely, or the forgotten, we serve him.

We made up ten Easter baskets, each filled with a prayer card, a stuffed animal, and some candy, and brought them to the local nursing home. After checking with the nurse, we handed out the baskets. The kids were shy at first, but that changed when they saw the residents’ faces light up with joy. We visited with the residents for an hour and the children were reluctant to leave. I promised them we would come back to visit again.

Feasts & Celebrations

April 5 – St. Vincent Ferrer (1419). Against his parents’ wishes, St. Vincent Ferrer joined the Order of St. Dominic. He became a famous preacher around Europe and aimed to prepare his listeners for judgment. During the “Great Western Schism,” three men claimed to be pope. St. Vincent’s efforts at unity caused the most stubborn candidate to be dethroned, ending the schism.

April 7 – St. John Baptist de la Salle (1719). St. John was born at Rheims, France, to a noble family, and was ordained a priest in 1678. St. John taught groups of poor children together, which was very unusual for his time. He formed the Brothers of the Christian School, a successful community of educators.

April 9 – Solemnity of the Annunciation of the Lord (1st Century). The angel Gabriel visited the Blessed Virgin Mary with the extraordinary news of her role as the mother of God. Even at her young age, she had complete confidence in God’s grace and trusted in his wisdom.

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### Bulletin Reflection

**The Christian community described in Acts understood and practiced total stewardship.**

St. Paul reports that the believers did not claim anything as their own, but held everything in common and distributed to each whatever was needed.

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**Living Stewardship**

We are grateful this week for all stewards in our parish who look beyond their own wants to help satisfy the needs of others.
Catholic Daughters of the Americas
Court St. Elizabeth #2687

SAVE the DATE
Please join the Catholic Daughters of the Americas in supporting the American Legion at their Annual Veterans Fundraiser June 9 & 10 before and after all Masses in the Hospitality Room.

Lush Plants
Exciting Raffle Baskets
50/50

Parish Family Festival
Friday to Sunday
September 7-9
Carnival Rides - Games
Food - Entertainment
Volunteers needed
Contact Cathy Babinski at wilparkmon@aol.com or 516-445-7483

Join the LADIES AUXILIARY in the Hospitality Room after all Masses the weekend of April 28 & 29 for their BAKE & Raffle Basket Sale Come out and support their charitable works!

Bakers Needed!
Questions? Call Lorraine at 631.549.1741

ST. ELIZABETH SENIOR GROUP
April 17

St. E Melville-10
**Hear our Prayers**

O Lord for...

the Deceased

Fabrizio De Rosa

the Sick

Annette Buondelmonte; Vincent De Joy
Connor Hebert; Patricia Moran; Ann Ribaudo

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
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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

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**Understanding the Sunday Readings**

**Second Sunday of Easter**

**First Reading:** This summary of the early community of believers at Jerusalem depicts an ideal community, one we can strive to emulate. Would that we, like they, see our unity in the one heart and mind of Jesus Christ and hold everything in common, for everything ultimately belongs to the Lord! The community took care of everyone’s needs as it centered its work on witnessing to the Resurrection and living out the message of new life in the Risen Christ.

**Responsorial Psalm 118:** As we sing this song of thanksgiving today, may its words help us give voice to our Easter joy for there is nothing, not even death, which will put an end to the Lord’s mercy. For Christians, Jesus is the cornerstone who was rejected and sentenced to death on a tree, but who now lives forever. Truly this is the Lord’s day!

**Second Reading:** Throughout the Sundays of Easter Time, the Second Readings come from the First Letter of John. Today, we hear words from the final chapter of this letter. These words instruct us that love of God’s children is intimately connected to love of God and obeying God’s commandments. Faith conquers all that is evil in the world. God’s children have confidence in this truth for we believe Jesus Christ conquered death. And, when our memory lapses in regard to this truth, we only need listen to the testimony of the Spirit.

**Gospel:** Peace is Jesus’ gift to the disciples when he appears to them in a locked room. “Receive the Holy Spirit,” he says. You have the power to forgive sins. Even on the basis of the disciples’ testimony, Thomas did not believe they had seen the Lord. Would we have believed is the question this Gospel passage leads us to ponder today. Perhaps knowing Thomas’ doubt, Jesus appears again a week later offering the same gift of peace. Not judging Thomas at all, Jesus invites him to see for himself that He is, indeed, his Lord and God.

**Women’s Evening Spring Retreat**

April 17 - “The Faith Project”
May 15 - “200 Billion Messages”

Come for one or both...

fellowship, friendship, sharing faith.
Gather at 7:15 p.m.
in the Spiritual Life Center Chapel.

Call Chris Reilly for more information and to register
631 - 897 - 6309.

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## Weekly Readings

### Monday, April 9
- **Reading 1**: Isaiah 7:10-14, 8:10
- **Reading 2**: Hebrews 10:4-10
- **Gospel**: Luke 1:26-38

### Tuesday, April 10
- **Gospel**: John 3:7b-15

### Wednesday, April 11
- **Reading 1**: Acts of the Apostles 5:17-26
- **Gospel**: John 3:16-21

### Thursday, April 12
- **Reading 1**: Acts of the Apostles 5:27-33
- **Gospel**: John 3:31-36

### Friday, April 13
- **Reading 1**: Acts of the Apostles 5:34-42
- **Gospel**: John 6:1-15

### Saturday, April 14
- **Gospel**: John 6:16-21

### Sunday, April 15
- **Reading 2**: 1 John 2:1-5a

## Presiders

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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.

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Outreach is grateful for your generosity!

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Stewardship...Treasure

Sunday, April 1, 2018
Easter Sunday

**FINANCE MINISTRY**
2018 - $56,235
2017 - $56,727
(1% decrease from 2017)

**MASS ATTENDANCE**
2018 - 3,365
2017 - 3,614
(7% 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!
**Stewardship Corner**

**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 April 7th & 8th. Please feel free to stop by the Stewardship/Information Desk in the Hospitality Room after mass and allow us to introduce ourselves.

**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 April 7th or 8th in the Hospitality Room for more information.

**Stewardship During Lent**
Lent is a good time to reflect on ways to grow closer to God. Here are some ways for you to spend time with God:

+ Attend Daily and/or Weekly Mass.
+ Read the Gospel prior to Mass.
+ Pray throughout the day.
+ Fast from TV on Sundays. After Mass, listen to music, read a book, enjoy a hobby or sit & reflect on God's goodness.

**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 will take place after Easter.

**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.

**Catholic Ministries Appeal**
On the weekend of March 3rd & 4th, we viewed a video presentation for the Catholic Ministries Appeal. As you may already be aware, 100% of the money raised by this fund helps support over 60 programs and services that the people of our church and all of the people on Long Island have come to rely on.

These programs include services to people in need including affordable housing for senior citizens, people with disabilities and our veterans, as well as the formation of our priests, deacons, lay leaders and young people. Your support of these programs help make our parish and community a vibrant and wonderful place to worship and live.

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**We are called to Cultivate a Relationship With God**

Worshiping the Lord means giving him the place that he must have; worshiping the Lord means stating, believing—not only by our words—that he alone truly guide our lives; worshiping the Lord means that we are convinced before him that he is the only God, the God of our lives, the God of our history.

*Pope Francis, April 14, 2013*

**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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**LIFE CENTER IN DEER PARK**
is in need of baby toiletries and boys and girls clothes in sizes 0 to 6 months and 24 months to 4T. They are located at 1767 Deer Park Avenue in Deer Park. Please call 631.243.0066 or 631-243.2373 for more information.

**AN EVENING OF CELTIC MUSIC**
to benefit Saint Anthony’s High School Celtic Friars Band will be held on Friday, April 13 at 7 p.m. in their auditorium. Tickets are $25 in advance; $30 at the door. Call 631-271-2020 for more information.

**MAGNIFICAT ANNUAL RETREAT**
will be held May 4 to 6 at the Seminary of the Immaculate Conception in Huntington. Speaker will be Kate Mims and will be speaking on “Mary, Mother, Intercessor and Disciple.” Cost is $250 per person and includes five meals and a private room. Pre-registration is required. Please make checks payable to “Magnificat” and mail to Judy Murphy, 42 Pinehurst Street, Lido Beach, NY 11561. Checks must be received by April 19. For more information, call 917-453-5750.

**2018 DESERT BREAD WORKSHOPS**
Join the Friends of the Seminary for a workshop series presented by author and Professor Annabelle Moseley. Explore the rich treasure trove of the art, literature and music unique to our Catholic faith. Workshops will be held on April 8, 22; May 6 and June 10. $25 per session; $90 for all four in advance. Call 631-423-0483 x102 for more information or reservations.

**SUMMER COURSE OFFERINGS**
for a Master of Arts in Theology will be offered through St. Joseph’s Seminary from June 4 to July 17. Classes offered in Huntington as well as Yonkers. For more information, visit www.dunwoodie.edu or call 631-423-0483 x131.

**SCRIPTURE BY THE SOUND**
Join them at the Sunken Meadow Park Boardwalk main entrance at 10:30 a.m. on May 1, 8, 15 and 22 to listen to scripture, hear a brief reflection, meditate with the Word, faith sharing, walk alone or with friends. If there is inclement weather, session will be cancelled and the information will be posted on Christ the King RCC Commack Facebook page. Please call 631-864-1623 for more information.

**2018 SUMMER CAMP & COURSES**
will be held at Our Lady of Mercy Academy in Syosset. Basketball, cross country, Introduction to Coding, lacrosse, soccer, science research course; softball; summer theatre workshop, tennis and volleyball. Cal 516-921-1756 for more information or a brochure.