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ST. ELIZABETH

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CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Mass Times: Saturday 5:00pm, Sunday 10:00am, Weekdays & Holy Days as posted in bulletin Confession: Saturdays 4:00pm-4:45pm, Sundays 9:00am-9:45am Offered any time by appointment. Half hour before Friday Masses for 15 minutes

Baptism

Contact priest to set up appointment.

Matrimony

Contact priest first before date is set and at least 6 months prior. Classes and retreat required.

Anointing of the Sick

Contact priest or parish office.
Education: CCD, Sundays 11:30am12:30pm. Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (R.C.I.A), contact office or pastor for more information.

Office Hours: Mondays-Tuesdays, 8:30am-1:30pm. Wednesdays

1:00pm-5:00pm.
All bulletin news due at noon the Wednesday before the Sunday it is to appear. Email rectory-office@seas-np.org.

July 3, 2022: 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time



Welcome to St. Elizabeth's! It is our hope that you feel at home and among friends here. If you are a visitor for a day, we pray God's speed on your journey. If you are looking for a parish community, we would be delighted to welcome you into our parish family. Please introduce yourselves. Registration forms are available in the entry racks, or contact us any time at 308-534-5461.

Mass Intentions		
Monday 7/4	8:00 am	End to Abortion
Tuesday 7/5	8:00 am	Peace Among Families/Nations
Wednesday 7/6	5:30 pm	Names in Book of Blessings/Memories
Thursday 7/7	8:00 am	Names in Book of Blessings/Memories
Friday 7/8	8:00 am	Conversion of hearts in USA
Saturday 7/9	5:00 pm	Pope Francis
Sunday 7/10	10:00am	Missa Pro Populo

Stewardship for June 26, 2022: \$2,566.50, Peter's Pence: \$615.00

Office Hours: Office will be staffed the following weekdays, dependent upon federal, state, school holidays, illness, or vacations. Mondays & Tuesdays, 8:30am-1:30pm, Wednesdays, 1:00pm-5:00pm.

<u>Common Act of Contrition</u>: O my God, I am heartily sorry for having offended Thee, and I detest all my sins because of Thy just punishments, but most of all because they offend Thee, my God, Who art all-good and deserving of all my love. I firmly resolve, with the help of Thy grace, to sin no more and to avoid the near occasions of sin.

To All Knights and Fellow Parishioners: After nearly 50 years, the wrong decision that was made in Roe v. Wade has been set right. The Supreme Court's historic decision in Dobbs v. Jackson Women' Health Organization overturning both Roe and Planned Parenthood v. Casey, is a watershed moment in the movement that generations of Knights of Columbus have worked and prayed for. Indeed, it is one of the most significant advancements in human rights in our nation's history. We are grateful and encouraged by the Court's finding that abortion is not a "constitutional right." But we must not think that today is a day to declare victory. Instead, I call upon every member of the Knights of Columbus to redouble their personal efforts to build up the Culture of Life that St. John Paul II described in his prophetic encyclical letter Evangelium Vitae. With Roe reversed, federal advocacy to protect unborn life is still necessary, but the decision opens wide the doors for states to consider their own abortion laws as well. Many states have laws that immediately protect unborn human life. Others have taken regrettable steps to make themselves "sanctuaries" for abortion-on-demand. Pregnancy resources centers will become even more vital as they reach out to serve pregnant women, new mothers and their children. In the months and years ahead, Knights should work to support — or start marches for life in every state. Another critical action we can all take is to increase our support for pregnancy resource centers in our communities. To that end, the Supreme Council has announced a \$5 million campaign to support new mothers and their children through a new program: ASAP (Aid and Support After Pregnancy). These pregnancy centers

and maternity homes are now the front lines of the pro-life movement, and Knights should continue to stand and serve with them. You can support this effort by making a donation today. Even before the Dobbs decision was officially released, we saw numerous instances of violence and vandalism targeted at pregnancy resource centers and Catholic churches across the country. Let us find our response in the words Pope Francis addressed to the 2021 Supreme Convention, which called on us to be men "committed to building up rather than tearing down, promoting healing and reconciliation in place of hatred and recrimination, and inviting all to undertake the 'journey of fraternity' that can lead to a world ever more in accord with God's saving plan for our human family." Finally, we must continue to pray and fast for the end of abortion. How fitting it is that the Dobbs decision arrived on the Solemnity of the Sacred Heart of Jesus. Let us pray in thanksgiving for this decision, and continue to implore the intercession of Our Lady of Guadalupe as we work to build a Culture of Life in which every human life, made in the image and likeness of God, is welcomed in life and protected in law. Fraternally, Patrick E. Kelly- Supreme Knight

<u>Lay Faithful and Priests</u> are invited to sign up for the free weekly newsletter on the upcoming 3 year efforts toward Eucharistic Revival. https://www.eucharisticrevival.org/

<u>Bulletin</u>: Please mail or email material for the bulletin by noon the Wednesday before it is to appear in the Sunday bulletin. Material can be sent to Fr. Rand or to rectory-office@seas-np.org.

Almighty Father, You desire not the death of the sinner, but that he may be converted and live. Pour out upon us Your mercy and hear the prayers of Your servants. Soften the hearts of Your children who have strayed from the true path which You established for their salvation. They are now forgetful of their duties as Catholics and pursue the pleasures of the world. Grant that they may quickly return to the practice of every Christian virtue, so that their lives may shine with the integrity of faith, the fervor of piety, and the ardor of charity. Restore them all to Your sacraments and the life of Your grace, through the merits of the Most Precious Blood of Your Son, our Savior Jesus Christ. Amen. From Father John Hardon's Catholic Prayer Book, 1999.

<u>A little boy</u> was listening to a long and excessively yawning homily in church. Suddenly, the red sanctuary lamp caught his eye. Tugging his father's sleeve, he said, "Daddy, when the light turns green can we go?"

<u>Tim Staples in Kearney</u>: Spirit Catholic Radio invites you to hear Catholic Answers Senior Apologist, Tim Staples, speak on "Living Bread" at Prince of Peace Church on Wednesday, July 27, at 7pm. Tim Staples defends the Real Presence of our Lord in the Eucharist using Scripture, Tradition and the Magisterium of the Church in a way that will make this core belief of the Catholic Faith come alive in your spiritual life. Tickets are \$5, or bring your friends and reserve 5 tickets for \$20! Tickets can be purchased at spiritcatholic radio.com.

<u>Catholic Daughters Meeting</u>: The Catholic Daughters Court, Our Lady of Fatima #1549, will be meeting July 11, 2022, at 6:00pm at the St. Patrick's Spiritual Life Center. We will have a brief meeting followed by a Sundae Bar and card bingo. Bring a wrapped white elephant gift. All ladies of all of the parishes are invited to attend for an evening of devotion, friendship, and fun.

World Youth Day 2023: The dates for the next World Youth Day in Portugal have been announced, and our diocesan trip is ready to start taking registrations! Our trip will be from July 24 through August 9, 2023, and includes a side trip to Fatima. For more information or to register, please go to www.lincolndiocese.org/pilgrimages/world-youth-day.

<u>Summer Canoe Trips</u>: They're filling up fast! If you would love to experience riding the river by day, going to Mass in the outdoors and generally having a lot of fun, please consider going. Carpools can be arranged locally, so sign up quickly before they fill. <u>www.lincolndiocese.org/camps/diocesancanoe-trip</u>.

<u>Sisters Vocation Prayer Calendar</u>: Sr. Philomena of Our Lady of Sorrows, of Auburn, KS, and Sr. Mary Elizabeth of the Trinity, of Park Hills, KY. They are both Novices at the Sisters of the Carmel of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph.

LITURGICAL MINISTRY ASSIGNMENTS

July 9-10, 2022 (15th Sunday in Ordinary Time)

	Saturday 5:00pm	Sunday 10:00am
Lector	Jim Nisley	Ron Tejral
Acolyte	Volunteer Needed	Conrad Buhrman
Server	James Krondak	Jace Grunden
	Nicholas Krondak	Weston Hammond
Music	Volunteer Needed	Peggy Orr
Gifts	Volunteer Needed	Volunteer Needed
Ushers	David Gross	Jeff Orr

Charity & Stewardship Appeal: The Charity and Stewardship Appeal envelopes for our Diocese that were not previously picked up have been mailed out to registered households in our parish. Please prayerfully consider what you can give to help the various projects funded through it in our diocese. It additionally benefits our parish, as we receive 80%, due to our educational support of Catholic elementary and high school education. Return the card with any gift or pledge to the parish. To date, we have received \$7,775.00 toward our goal of \$10,000.00. Thanks to all who have already made a pledge or gift for the coming year.

Pope Francis' Intentions for July- The Elderly:

We pray for the elderly, who represent the roots and memory of a people; may their experience and wisdom help young people to look towards the future with hope and responsibility.

<u>Daughters of Charity Meeting</u>: The Daughters of Charity will meet at 11:30 am on Sunday, July 10th. Installation of new officers will take place then.

<u>Eucharistic Adoration</u> this Wednesday from 6:00pm-10:00pm.

Give the Knights Your Cans: Profit from recycling the cans used for KC charitable works. Place cans in the blue barrels in front of the storage shed (SW corner of parking lot).

<u>Prayer Intentions</u>: Prayer intentions will remain in the bulletin for three weeks.

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