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## **Saint Elizabeth of Hungary Roman Catholic Parish**

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### **CHURCH BULLETIN – May 15, 2016 – Pentecost Sunday**

The Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything, and remind you of all that I have said to you.

**Readings:** Acts 2,1-11 1Cor 12,3b-7. 12-13  
 Jn 20,19-23 or Jn 14,15-16. 23b-26

#### **WE OFFER THE HOLY MASS FOR:**

**9:00** for holiness in families

for the Rosary Apostolate and for Sr. Marilina

✦Dala Irénért (Kristóf Julianna)

✦Dobos Helenért (Kristóf Julianna)

✦Katona Lászlóért (felesége és gyermekei)

**11:00** a béralkozókért és családjaikért

Miklósért és Mónikaért, 60. házassági évforduló

Molnár családért és Nóráért (Eta)

Benyó család élő tagjaiért (Mrs. Benyó)

✦Domok Józsefért és szüleiért (Domok Piroska)

✦Harmath szülőkért (lánya Harmath Mária)

✦Harmath Sándorért és Terézért (Harmath Mária)

✦Dobos Helenért (Meszesán Erzsébet)

✦Czikajló Tamásért, 10. évforduló (Német Ágnes)

✦Dala Irénért (Eta)

✦szülőkért és testvérekért (Illés Anna és Sándor)

✦Branyiczkiné Rohonyi Katalin édesanyáért

(Mónika, Attila és a család)

✦Törőcsik Máriaért, 6. évforduló

(leánya Marika és családja)

✦Radocsay Margitért, születésnap

(fia Radocsay Mihály)

**Monday (16) Saint Andrew Bobola, priest, religious,  
martyr**

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

for holiness in families

for the Rosary Apostolate and for Sr. Marilina

**Tuesday (17)**

**7:30** for our ✦Jesuits

for holiness in families

for the Rosary Apostolate and for Sr. Marilina

for ✦Teresa Josephine Leela Jeganathan

**Wednesday (18)**

**7:30** for Jesuit vocations

for holiness in families

**7 PM** a magyar politikai élet megtisztulásáért

**Thursday (19)**

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

for holiness in families

#### **Friday (20)**

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

for holiness in families

**Saturday (21)**

**7:30** for world peace

for holiness in families

for Etelka and Pál

for ✦Choi Beong Hi Rea

#### **The Holy Father's prayer intentions for May**

**Universal:** That in every country of the world, women may be honored and respected and that their essential contribution to society may be highly esteemed.

**Evangelization:** That families, communities, and groups may pray the Holy Rosary for evangelization and peace.

**Funeral:** Kiss Rozália (95)

#### **PARISH EVENTS**

**15. Confirmation** with bishop Cserháti at the 11 AM Mass ✦ Lángos sale ✦ Exhibition of the paintings of the grandmothers of our church in the Hall **21.** Hungarian School and Scouts **28.** Pre-registration of the Hungarian School **29.** Family afternoon of the Catholic Men's League; Mass at 4 PM, followed by a reception in the Hall **4.** Mass of the Hungarian School at 11:30 AM **5.** Family Mass at 11 AM ✦ Schnitzel and Bake Sale on behalf of the Caritas **7.** Meeting of the MCC at 12 PM **11.** Closing performances of the Hungarian School ✦ Scola Cantorum Spring Concert at 7 PM, followed by reception **12.** Seniors' Tea party at 3 PM in the Hall, organized by the United Hungarian Fund; if you plan to attend, please leave a message: 416-783-2097.

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

✦ **Sisters from St. Elisabeth Convent of Minsk,** Belarus will speak on their ministry and outreach programs: support of a psychiatric hospital, an orphanage for children, a hospice for adults with special needs, a homeless shelter and introducing

people to Christianity. They will also sell handcrafted items to support their ministries. St. Philip Neri Church, 2100 Jane St, **May 13**, following 7:15 AM and 8 AM Masses. Info: 416-241-3101.

❖ **Theology on Tap East - MY Unique Personal Vocation** on Monday, **May 16**, 7-9 PM at Boston Pizza, 400 Progress Ave, Scarborough. 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: Patricia Murphy, Assistant Professor of Moral Theology, St. Augustine's Seminary. For more information call OCY at 416-599-7676 or visit [www.faithconnections.ca](http://www.faithconnections.ca).

❖ You are invited on **May 28**, 9 AM - 4 PM to join Tim Staples and Tanya Granic Allen at the Canada Christian College, 50 Gervais Drive, in what is going to be another amazing day filled with prayer, faith and fellowship. In a world where it is increasingly more difficult to practice our faith, the world and the Church requires people to practice **heroic Catholicism**. Info, tickets: [www.ServiamMinistries.com/events/heroic/](http://www.ServiamMinistries.com/events/heroic/), [info@ServiamMinistries.com](mailto:info@ServiamMinistries.com) or 1-888-522-2070.

❖ In response to operational challenges and funding cuts, agencies continue to explore creative ways of working together and reaching more clients. The first initiative known as "Shared Services" encourages agencies to share back office functions in the areas of human resources, financial management and information technology. The vision for this effort is to strengthen the collaboration of agencies guided by the philosophy of working for the common good. Ultimately these administrative and program efficiencies will lead to enhanced organizational capacity, reducing overhead and administrative costs for **ShareLife** supported agencies. Next ShareLife Sunday is **May 29**. Please give generously. You can work wonders!

❖ **Theology on Tap - Called and Gifted: Following Christ** on Saturday, **May 30**, 7-9 PM at the Duke of York Pub, 39 Prince Arthur Ave. 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: Bishop Douglas Crosby, OMI, DD. Munchies provided, cash bar, come and bring a friend! For more information call Vanessa Nicholas-Schmidt at 416-467-2645 or visit [www.faithconnections.ca](http://www.faithconnections.ca) - a ministry of Fontbonne Ministries, Sisters of St. Joseph, Toronto.

❖ **St. Elizabeth Scola Cantorum** conducted by Imre Olah Annual Spring Concert: works by Mozart, Rossini, Kodály, Bárdos and more. Saturday, **June 11**, at 7 PM at St. Elizabeth RC Church. Adults \$20; Students \$10. Following the concert the choir invites the audience to stay for a reception. Further information: 416-300-9305 or [scola.cantorum@gmail.com](mailto:scola.cantorum@gmail.com).

❖ **Divine Bible Convention** on **July 29-31** (Friday - Sunday) 9:30-5:00 PM in Divine Retreat Centre Toronto, 69 William Street, led by Fr. Mathew Naickomparambil and the Divine team. July 29th Holy Mass celebrated by His Eminence Cardinal Thomas Collins. July 30th Holy Mass celebrated by Rev. Fr Ivan Camilleri, Chancellor of Spiritual Affairs. July 31st Holy Mass celebrated by His Excellency, Most Rev. Bishop Wayne Kirkpatrick. Please call 647-949-4932.

### **Pope Francis: Through Confirmation, we welcome the Holy Spirit into our hearts**

In this third catechesis on the Sacraments, we pause to reflect on Confirmation or "Chrismation", which must be understood in continuity with Baptism, to which it is inseparably linked. These two Sacraments, together with the Eucharist, form a single saving event — called "Christian initiation" — in which we are inserted into Jesus Christ, who died and rose, and become new creatures and members of the Church.

It is important to take care that our children, our young people, receive this sacrament. We all take care that they are baptized and this is good, but perhaps we do not take so much care to ensure that they are confirmed. Thus they remain at a midpoint in their journey and do not receive the Holy Spirit, who is so important in the Christian life since he gives us the strength to go on. Do we truly care whether our children receive Confirmation? And if you have children or adolescents at home who have not yet received it and are at the age to do so, do everything possible to ensure that they complete their Christian initiation and receive the power of the Holy Spirit.

Confirmation, like every Sacrament, is not the work of men but of God, who cares for our lives in such a manner as to mould us in the image of his Son. He does it by infusing his in us his Holy Spirit, whose action pervades the whole person and his entire life, as reflected in the seven gifts that Tradition, in light of the Sacred Scripture, has always highlighted: Wisdom, Understanding, Counsel, Fortitude, Knowledge, Piety and Fear of the Lord.

When we welcome the Holy Spirit into our hearts and allow him to act, Christ makes himself present in us and takes shape in our lives; through us, it will be he — Christ himself — who prays, forgives, gives hope and consolation, serves the brethren, draws close to the needy and to the least, creates community and sows peace. Think how important this is: by means of the Holy Spirit, Christ himself comes to do all this among us. That is why it is important that children and young people receive the Sacrament of Confirmation.

Dear brothers and sisters, let us remember that we have received Confirmation! All of us! Let us remember it, first in order to thank the Lord for this gift, and then to ask him to help us to live as true Christians, to walk always with joy in the Holy Spirit who has been given to us (29 January 2014).