



Serving St. Elizabeth Church & Our Lady of Lourdes Church

Sunday, November 9, 2025

Dedication of The St. John Lateran Basilica



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WEEKEND MASSES

St. Elizabeth

Saturday at 4:30pm and
Sunday at 7:15am & 10:45am

Our Lady of Lourdes

Sunday Mass at 9:00am

Daily Mass: (St. Elizabeth)

Monday: No Mass

Tuesday: Noon

Wednesday 11:00 am

Thursday & Friday: 12 Noon

(Except when noted:
Thursday Prison Mass)

Exposition of The Most Blessed
Sacrament is on Wednesdays from
11:30am to 1pm at St. Elizabeth.



Please consult the parish FaceBook page
for up-to-date scheduling changes, which
supersede bulletin scheduling.

Anointing of the Sick

Parishioners who are seriously or
critically ill or having surgery, please
contact the parish office.

Baptisms

Please call the Parish Office.

O.C.I.A.

The Order of Christian Initiation of
Adults is an ongoing formation
process for adults who are
interested in becoming a Catholic
and would like to receive the
Sacraments of Baptism,
Confirmation and /or First
Eucharist. Call the Parish Office for
additional information.

Sacrament of Marriage

If you are considering marriage,
please contact the Parish Office no
later than 6 months prior to the
proposed wedding date, and the
diocesan and parish guidelines
will be explained.

Sacrament of Penance

Saturdays at St. Elizabeth
3:15pm to 4:00pm
or by appointment

Our 2025 PSR Parade of Saints!



Mass Intentions and Schedule

Sat. Nov. 8	4:30pm	JoAnn Shepherd by Mary Beth Reilly
Sun. Nov. 9	7:15am	Charles and Edna Schlosser by Chad Arkenberg Family
	9:00am	Sharon Coffman by Bob and Kourtney Coffman
	10:45am	The Souls in Purgatory
Mon. Nov.10		NO Mass
Tue. Nov. 11	Noon	Ken Watts by Terry and Lynne Roche
Wed. Nov.12	11:00	Joseph Foster by Jacob and Abigail Foster
Thur.Nov.13	Noon	No Mass (RCC Prison Mass)
Fri. Nov. 14	Noon	Mary Anne Johnson by Terry and Lynne Roche
Sat. Nov. 15	4:30pm	Linda Sparks by Robb Sparks
Sun. Nov. 16	7:15am	Favorable Weather
	9:00am	Nory Japson by OLOL Women's Group
	10:45am	Fr. Kevin Sullivan

Liturgical Ministry Schedule

November 16, 2025, 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sat., Nov. 15, 2025, 4:30pm

LECTOR: Robb Sparks

USHERS: Richard Mullins Family

COMMUNION MINISTER: Celeste White

SERVERS: Gavin and Dawson Tuel

GIFT BEARERS: Richard Mullins Family

Sun., Nov. 16, 2025, 7:15am

LECTOR: David Holscher

USHERS: Eric Mosbey and Family

COMMUNION MINISTER: Shari Eckert

SERVERS: Lucy Mosbey and Ali Meyers

GIFT BEARERS: Brad Schutte Family

Sun., Nov. 16, 2025, 9:00am OLOL

LECTOR: Anita Kocher

USHERS & GIFT BEARER : Don Schmidt and Karmyn Coffman

COMMUNION MINISTER: Stacia Matson

ALTAR SERVER: Emma Davis

Sun., Nov. 16, 2025, 10:45am

LECTOR: Keith Buercklin

USHERS: Patti Buercklin and Jeannie Veach

COMMUNION MINISTER: Kristin East

SERVER: Eileen Hartrich

GIFTBEARERS: Patti Buercklin and Jeannie Veach

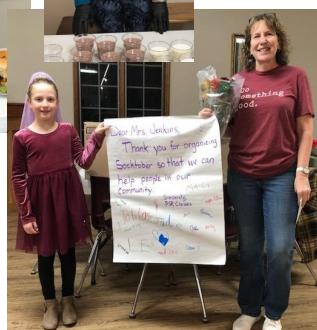
PSR News & Youth Group News

We have **PSR** for **K-8th grade** this Wednesday, November 12.

Middle School Youth Group will meet on Sunday, November 9th in the parish center from 6:30pm — 7:45pm.

High School Youth Group will meet on Sunday, November 16, in the parish center from 6:30pm—7:45pm.

Our wonderful CCW ladies that served the PSR fellowship meal—Rhonda Stone, Carol Jaeger, Kaye Holscher, Esper Ealy, and Linda Sikorski.



—And Janet Jenkins (Socktober organizer) with her thank-you card and little Miss St. Elizabeth! (Loralyn Rich)

OCIA News

OCIA is for anyone interested in joining the Catholic faith or anyone who is Catholic and wanting to refresh themselves in their Catholic faith. Our first gathering will be a meet-and-greet and informational meeting on Tuesday, November 18th, from 7:00 — 8 :00pm. All are welcome!

Socktober Totals Are Impressive!

Socktober is over and the results are in! Our Catholic parishes jointly collected 1,367 pairs of socks! The kid-crafted envelopes placed in the pews brought-in \$800.00. The boxes are sorted and ready for our four local clothing charities. Thank you to all who helped in anyway—donating, collecting, or buying. Your generosity is amazing for those in need! May God bless you all!

Memorial Candle Mass, 2025

At the **10:45am Mass this weekend, and the Oblong 9am**, we have our brief “Candle Mass” ceremony where glass-encased candles are distributed to survivors of folks for whom we had funerals this past year. Praying for the dead is always a grace, as we dearly hope folks pray for us when our own time comes. May our Resurrected Lord smile on us all!

Second Collection Today, November 9

This once-every-three-years collection is for the Archdiocese of Military Services (AMS) in the USA and is used to increase the awareness of, and support for, "Serving Those Who Serve." The ministries offered by the AMS benefit all six branches of the U.S. Armed Forces, veterans, and their families.

The AMS mission is to ensure all service members, veterans, and their families are able to receive Baptism, Confirmation, First Communion, Penance, and Marriage; and to benefit from consultation with a priest as these military patriots defend our rights of freedom and free speech, and face frequent transitions and uncertainty.

In addition, the AMS Co-Sponsors the only vocations program in the United States providing priests to serve as military chaplains. When the chaplain-priest separates from the military, he returns to his diocese or community.

Please help by continuing to pray for those entrusted with military pastoral care, and for an increase in vocations to the priesthood and religious life. Thank you for your characteristic generosity!

Men's Group

Men's group meets again on Tuesday night, November 11, at 6:00pm. Information was passed out last week from a recent get-away meeting on "how to organize a parish men's group." This will be discussed, with some preliminary decisions about where we might go from here. All men from both parishes are most warmly welcome. Refreshments will be served.

Harvest Mass

Just two short weeks until Saturday, November 22, 2025, when we again hold our annual Harvest Mass (Hickory Holler, 9876 E. 200th Avenue, West York—same lovely spot as the prior two years)! This 4:30 Mass fulfills one's Sunday obligation. Most agree the renovated historic barn and silo are rustically beautiful—Perfect for a Harvest Mass! After the liturgy, the CCW women once again serve us: Delicious chili, crackers, peanut butter sandwiches, and assorted drinks. You are welcome to bring a dessert to fill-out this hearty spread of a meal! Thank you so much, and may God bless our farmers!



Our Lady of Lourdes Soup Supper, November 2



Daily Scripture Readings

Monday, November 10, 2025

(St. Leo the Great, Pope and Doctor)

Wisdom 1:1-7 / Gospel, Luke 17:1-6

Tuesday, November 11, 2025

(St. Martin of Tours, Memorial)

Wisdom 2:23—3:9 / Gospel, Luke 17:7-10

Wednesday, November 12, 2025

(St. Josaphat, Martyr)

Wisdom 6:1-11 / Luke 17:11-19

Thursday, November 13 2025

(St. Frances Xavier Cabrini, Virgin)

Wisdom 7:22—8:1 / Gospel, Luke 17:20-25:

Friday, November 14, 2025

Wisdom 13:1-9 / Gospel, Luke 17:26-37

Saturday, November 15, 2025

Wisdom 18:14-16; 6-9 / Gospel, Luke 18:1-8

Sunday, November 16, 2025

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Reading I - Malachi 3:19-20

Reading II - @ Thessalonians 3:7-12

Gospel - Luke 21:5-19

Mattoon Deanery Council of Catholic Women

All ladies are invited to the Mattoon Deanery Council of Catholic Women meeting on Wednesday, November 19 at Forty Martyrs Church Hall, 111 E. Van Allen Street, Tuscola. Registration: 8:30 am. The Dean of our Deanery, Fr. John Titus, will preside over the installation of new officers. Holy Mass is at 10:30 a.m., followed by Fr. Michael Trummer's talk on "2025, Jubilee Year of Hope." Lunch and silent auction (wrapped gift) will conclude the day; proceeds go to The Seminary Fund (check or cash accepted).

Contact: MDCCW President: Margaret Thompson (217) 232-4350 or drmathompson76@gmail.com

New St. Elizabeth Ministry Schedules

New ministry schedules for November, December, and January are available on the church entrance counter.

A HUGE Thank-You!



A HUGE **THANK-YOU** to Janet Jenkins for once again organizing the Socktober charity event, and being a living witness (including to our PSR kids) of Catholic charity in action.



Weekly Offerings

St. Elizabeth

Week Ending 11-2-25

Weekly Envelopes: \$ 2445.00 / Loose Cash: \$ 306.00

Push Pay: \$ 360.44 / Sister Parish (early): \$ 185.00

World Mission (late): \$ 10.00 / Indian Mission (late): \$ 5.00

All Souls' Day: \$ 245.00/All Saints Day : \$160.00

Triennial Military collection (Early): \$20.00

Building Fund: \$ 81.00 / Total: \$ 3493.44

Our Lady of Lourdes

Week Ending 11-2-25

Weekly Envelopes: \$ 470.00 / Loose Cash: \$ 80.00

Building fund: \$ 50.00

Edith Smith Food Pantry: \$20.00 / votive candles: \$40.00

All Sts. Day : \$ 180.00 / Sister Parish (early): \$50.00

Total: \$ 890.00

Prayer List

Jessica Andruch	Fr. Steve Arisman
Anne Batzloff	Howard Beagles
Tony Bierman	Paul Berger
Kathy Blaha	Mark Brown
Megan Burton	Annie Calvert
Sara Casburn	Scott Chapman
Nancy Conrad	Dave Cooper
Rita Dallmier	Angela Day
Kristen Eagleson	Eileen Fabris
Harold Goeckner	Micah Jude Gray
Michelle Hall	Edward K. Hartrich
Elaine Hasty	Tim Hinterscher
Jerry Houser	(Genie) Huss-White
Gregor Johnson	Marcia Lawhead
Hailey Ryan	Ralph Mellecker
Jeff Monrone	Greg Mossman
Carol Marshall	Larry Mette
Geri McMillen	Henry Miles
Janet Mueller	Jocelyn Ramsey
Ellen Rees	Margo Riker
Camilo Rodriguez	Luis F. Rodriguez
Hailey Ryan	Jennifer Sadler
Fr. Suresh	& his family
Fr. Carl Schrage	Perpetua Senglaub
Elijah Shick	Linda Stewart
Mike Tracy	Chary Wilson
Kathy Wojkovich	Ralph Worman

Quote of the Week

Smiling is free. Fasting is free.

Reading is free. Learning is free.

Gratitude is free. Exercising is free.

Meditating is free. Loving others is free.

Walking in nature is free...

The best things in life are free!