

CONTRIBUTIONS FOR PARISH SUPPORT
ST. ELIZABETH

Total Offertory Sunday 6/25/17:	\$ 2,834
Mailbacks for Week Ending 6/24/17:	\$ 1,381
Total EFT for Week Ending 6/24/17:	\$ 25,310
Total Parish Support for Week Ending 6/24/17:	\$ 29,524
Total Parish Support since 7/1/16:	\$ 701,754
Target Parish Support since 7/1/16:	\$ 715,000
Over (Under) Target since 7/1/16:	\$ (13,245)

Thank you very much!

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

St. Elizabeth Parish:
Vigil Mass: Saturday 4:00 p.m.
Sunday: 10:30 a.m. & 5:00 p.m.

St. Isidore Parish:
Vigil Mass: Saturday 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 9:00 a.m.

Daily Eucharist this week:
St. Isidore— No Daily Masses here this week.

St. Elizabeth—9:00 a.m., Monday & Wednesday.

Sacrament of Reconciliation:
3:00-3:30 p.m.—St. Elizabeth
4:00-4:30 p.m.—St. Isidore

For current information check the parish website or call the parish telephone number.

CONTRIBUTIONS FOR PARISH SUPPORT
ST. ISIDORE

Total Offertory Last Sunday: 6/25/17:	\$ 2,431
EFT for Week Ending 6/25/17:	\$ 2,000
Total Parish Support for Week Ending 6/25/17:	\$ 4,431
Total Parish Support since 7/1/2016:	\$ 239,184
Target Parish Support since 7/1/2016:	\$ 239,200
Over (Under) Target since 7/1/2016:	\$ (\$15.45)
Peters Pence Collection	\$ 606
St. Vincent DePaul	\$ 31
Grant Annual (129% of goal)	\$ 44,032

Thank you very much!

OUR PARISHES:

St. Elizabeth of Hungary 89 Arlington St. Acton, MA 01720 Phone (978) 263-4305 Fax: (978) 263-9014 www.seoh.org	St. Isidore 429 Great Rd. Stow, MA 01775 Phone (978) 897-2710 Fax: (978) 461-0577 www.stisidorestow.org
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COLLABORATIVE STAFF

Pastor: Rev. Walter J. Woods, STD
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READINGS THIS SUNDAY— June 2
(Cycle A)

2 Kgs 4:8-11; Rom 6:3-4, 8-11; Mt 10:37-42

READINGS NEXT SUNDAY— July 9
(Cycle A)

Zec 9:9-10; Rom 8:9, 11-13; Mt 11:25-30

St. Isidore Parish, Stow
St. Elizabeth of Hungary Parish, Acton & Boxborough

Celebrating God's love in Jesus Christ. Going forth to share it with all.



Thirteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time
July 2, 2017

*You are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation;
announce the praises of him who called you out of darkness
into his wonderful light.*



A warm welcome to our visitors.
We are glad to have you among us!

If you are new to the parish, please let us know so that we can welcome you personally!

The parish is the presence of the Church in a given territory, an environment for hearing God's word, for growth in the Christian life, for dialogue, proclamation, charitable outreach, worship and celebration. In all its activities the parish encourages and trains its members to be evangelizers. It is a community of communities, a sanctuary where the thirsty come to drink in the midst of their journey, and a center of constant missionary outreach (Pope Francis, *Joy of the Gospel*, 28).

WEEKDAY MASSES THIS WEEK:
(Special Schedule for this week only)

St. Isidore:
No Daily Masses this week.

St. Elizabeth:
Monday & Wednesday, 9:00 a.m.

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK:

St. Isidore:
Saturday, July 1, 5:00 p.m.
James N. Stronach, Sr.

St. Elizabeth:
Monday, July 3, 9:00 a.m.
Mass of Thanksgiving

Wednesday, July 5, 9:00 a.m.
Paul J. Curran, Jr.
Memorial Mass

Prayers for the Departed:
Judith York
Thomas Coughlin

YOUTH MINISTRY
APPLE VALLEY CATHOLIC COMMUNITY
July Events

KIMBALL'S MINI-GOLF AND ICE CREAM
Sunday, July 9, 6:30—9:00 p.m.

We will meet at Kimball's at 6:30 p.m. at the mini golf entrance. Pay on your own.

BOSTON RED SOXS vs. TORONTO BLUE JAYS
Monday, July 17, 5:00 p.m.
All High School Youth and Families!

This is a Catholic night at Fenway Park! We will join parishes from all over the area. We have 25 tickets. Must purchase your tickets and submit your permission slip **before July 10**. We will meet at St. Elizabeth at 5:00 p.m. **ALL High School Youth Welcome and Families!** Contact Jim Flanagan with questions: 617-922-0024 (cell) 978-263-4305 x23, or email at jim@applevalleycatholic.org.



MISSIONARY PREACHERS THIS WEEKEND

Missionary preachers from the Archdiocese of Nyeri, Kenya, will be visiting both parishes this weekend. They ask for our prayerful and financial support.

SUMMERTIME SUNDAY CAFÉ



Our weekly Sunday Café experience has been well received in both parishes. It provides a great time for people to connect, to meet new people and provide a place of welcome for our visitors. Jill Smith (St. Isidore) and Carol Guerrero (St. Elizabeth) have done a great job in coordinating volunteers to help throughout the year to make this possible. During the summer our goal is to continue with the weekly Sunday Cafés, holding them outside when the weather permits. We are grateful for the many volunteers have already committed their time to for the summer!! However, summer time also means irregular schedules and additional help will be needed on some weekends. Please consider volunteering to help a weekend or two over the summer and helping to sustain this great part of our collaborative parish life! Please contact Carol (cbrewer@rocketmail.com) or Jill (jillian_k_smith@yahoo.com) for details. Thank you!

THE COLLABORATIVE OFFICES
WILL BE CLOSED ON
JULY 3 & 4.

Happy Fourth of July



Thank You to all who serve.

3 MINUTE RETREAT

The 3-Minute Retreat invites you to take a short prayer break online. Anytime, day or night, spend some quiet time in prayer and reflection. You can receive the 3-Minute Retreat every day for free with an email subscription. Visit www.3minuteretreat.com to register.

APPLE VALLEY COLLABORATIVE
Vacation Bible School

August 7-11, 9 a.m.-12 p.m., St. Elizabeth of Hungary

Closing service and ice cream social will be on August 10, 6:30 p.m., St. Isidore Church.

For children age 4 by Sept. 1 through entering 6th grade. Questions? Contact Co-Directors Lisa Lapinski (lisalapinski@verizon.net) or Sarah Burianek (sarahburianek@msn.com). Volunteers needed: teens entering 7th grade—adult. Link to Registration and Volunteer Forms - www.seoh.org. Cost for the program is \$35 child with a \$90 family maximum.

ST. ELIZABETH A/V SOUND TEAM

Have you heard?

When you're in the church, and you can't hear,
Or if you're there, and sound's just queer,
When the speaker's go wheeee, and the echoes
go woooo!

Who you gonna call?

The St. Elizabeth A/V Sound Team, that's who!

If you want to be part of a dynamic team that keeps the sound system running even when the gremlins come calling, give us a call and we'll fit you into a schedule that's convenient for you, so you can contribute to making your fellow parishioner's and your own audio experience at each Mass the best that it can be. Contact any one of us, or Michael Hoff at 978-263-8927 or cmichael.hoff@gmail.com.



We look forward to hearing from you.

ST. ELIZABETH PRAYER LINE

Are you looking for a way to give back? Do you have 10-15 minutes a week to pray? We have an email prayer line that generates a few emails per week that are requests for prayer. It is amazingly comforting to know that a group of people are praying for you. Please email Cathy Griffin at cathleengriffin@comcast.net. We would love for you to join us! And, if you need a prayer, you can use the same email. We only use first names, or no name, to protect your privacy.



ST. ISIDORE THE FARMER
COLLABORATIVE VEGETABLE GARDEN

St. Isidore and St. Elizabeth volunteers are still needed to help weed, harvest and deliver produce to local food pantries. If you can help please contact Michele Sinopoli at mtsinopoli@yahoo.com or call the office.

ST. ISIDORE NO PARKING NOTICE

Please note there should be no parking in the circle driveway in front of St. Isidore. This is a Fire Lane access and the area needs to be open in the event of an emergency. Thank You!

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

"God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him might not perish but might have eternal life." Let God amplify and elucidate the love in your marriage by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next WWME Weekends are September 16-17 in Medway and October 21-22 in Contoocook, NH. For more information, call Stephen & Michelle O'Leary at 800-710-9963 or visit <https://wwmema.org/>.

PARISHIONER SEEKING RIDE TO CHURCH
CAN YOU HELP?

A parishioner who lives in South Acton would love to attend Mass on Saturdays – at either St. Isidore or St. Elizabeth, but cannot drive. If you regularly attend Saturday Mass, at either parish, and could help out with rides, please call Carol at 978-263-8842. You can also leave a text message at 978-467-5596. Thank you!



Heading to church?