

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

St. Elizabeth Parish:

Sunday: 10:45 a.m. & 5:00 p.m.

St. Isidore Parish:

Vigil Mass: Saturday 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 8:45 a.m.

Daily Eucharist this week:

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday 9:00 a.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

St. Isidore
Saturdays, 4:00—4:30 p.m.

SECOND COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND

This week's second collection will be shared by the Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD) and the Catholic Communication Campaign (CCC). These two organizations communicate the Gospel by promoting works of justice, education and the dignity of human life. Your generous donations will give those in poverty the support they need to make lasting changes and will support our local communications needs, such as Catholic TV programming.

INTERCHURCH OFFERTORY ENVELOPES

Offertory envelopes are available at each church for both St. Isidore and St. Elizabeth. Envelopes are available in the gathering areas of both parishes for parishioners who prefer to send their offertory to a specific parish.

CONTRIBUTIONS FOR PARISH SUPPORT ST. ELIZABETH

Total Offertory Sunday 6/3/18	\$ 4,107
Mailbacks for Week Ending 6/2/18:	\$ 951
Total EFT for Week Ending 6/2/18:	\$ 567
Total Parish Support for Week Ending 6/2/18:	\$ 5,625
Total Parish Support since 7/1/17:	\$ 695,736
Target Parish Support since 7/1/17:	\$ 680,315
Over (Under) Target since 7/1/17:	\$ 15,421

Thank you very much!

*Adjusted target is \$726,000 for the year ended 6/30/2108

CONTRIBUTIONS FOR PARISH SUPPORT ST. ISIDORE

Total Offertory Last Sunday: 6/3/18:	\$ 2,252
EFT for Week Ending 6/3/18:	\$ 2,403
Total Parish Support for Week Ending 6/3/18:	\$ 4,655
Total Parish Support since 7/1/2017*:	\$ 241,593
Target Parish Support since 7/1/2017:	\$ 259,112
Over (Under) Target since 7/1/2017:	\$ (17,519)

St. Vincent DePaul Collection 42

*Includes contributions in lieu of cash (stock, etc.)

Thank you very much!

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READINGS THIS SUNDAY— June 10 (Cycle B)

Gen 3:9-15; 2 Cor 4:13-5:1; Mk 3:20-35

READINGS NEXT SUNDAY— June 17 (Cycle B)

Ez 17:22-24; 2 Cor 5:6-10; Mk 4:26-34

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.



*Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
June 10, 2018*

*Now the ruler of this world will be driven out,
says the Lord; and when I am lifted up from the earth,
I will draw everyone to myself.*



APPLE VALLEY CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

**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).

ST. ELIZABETH'S PARISH CENTER
CLOSED ON MONDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY,
JUNE 11-13

The Parish Center will be closed, both upstairs and downstairs, for floor tile repairs in four different areas, including the upstairs and downstairs main entrances. The dates of no access are Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, June 11, 12 and 13. Most of the staff will be away at an evangelization training conference those days, so in addition to there being no staff at St. Elizabeth, there will also be NO activities scheduled on those dates. Please be prepared for this. If you need to drop something off, please do so by Sunday June 10 or hang on to it until Thursday, June 13. Or mail it. The girl scout bridging ceremony, originally scheduled in the PCH this week, has been moved to the church hall.

MISSION TRIP PRAYERS

We are sending graduating high school seniors, college young people and young adults to Juticalpa, Olancho-Honduras from June 14 through June 21. Please pray for them and the people they will be serving.



Dear Father,

Empower these people to be your hands and feet. By their actions and words, make them witnesses of your great love and your passion to all they meet. Please protect them, teach them and support them as they take this journey. Fill them with the Holy Spirit as they faithfully and joyfully minister to the people in Honduras. Amen.

BIG HEARTED BOOKS BOX IS NOW CLOSED

We are currently not accepting any books in the box in St. Elizabeth of Hungary Parish Parking Lot until further notice. Big Hearted Books is having hardships, but is hoping that another company will take over in the coming weeks and months. We will keep you updated!

ST. ELIZABETH PARISH OFFICES

Will be closed Monday through Wednesday this week:
June 11-13

BOSTON RED SOX vs TEXAS RANGERS
Tuesday, July 10th
Meet at 5:00 p.m. at St. Elizabeth of Hungary Parish.

Open to the ENTIRE Apple Valley Catholic Community



This is a Catholic Night at Fenway Park. We will join parishes from all over the area. We only bought 35 tickets—First come—First served. To reserve tickets you must make payment. Checks should be made out to St. Elizabeth of Hungry Parish. The cost is \$35.00 for grandstand seats and bus transportation. High School Young People welcome without parent but do need a permission slip. This evening is not just for youth ministry— Parishioners of all ages are welcome!

CATHOLIC MOMS NIGHT OUT!
Monday, June 11, 7:30—9:30 p.m.
Red Raven Restaurant, Acton

Come have a summer night out with the moms of the Apple Valley Catholic Community! No formal discussions at this meeting, just a friendly, relaxing social with moms sharing stories of faith and family. If you have been wanting to get to know the Apple Valley Catholic Community on a more personal basis, then THIS is the event to try! Hope to see you there! Contact Hayley at psychchic04@gmail.com with questions.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD (CLOW)

As of July 1, Joan Mattila, the Director of Young Family Ministries, will be taking over the coordination of our CLOW program. Our summer schedule will be based on the availability of volunteers and we will publish those dates in the bulletin. Here is our upcoming parish CLOW schedule.

June 17, 10:45 a.m. Mass - St. Elizabeth of Hungary Church
June 24, 8:45 a.m. Mass - St. Isidore Church

We are in need of more volunteers in order to continue to offer CLOW at both churches. No prior experience is necessary and all training and support materials are provided. If you would like to learn more, or are interested in joining our volunteer team, please contact Joan: Joan@applevalleycatholic.org or 978-263-4305, ext. 17.



THIS WEEK AT ST. ELIZABETH

Sunday, June 10
VBS Adult Volunteer Meeting
7:00—8:00 p.m., Parish Center Room 1

Thursday, June 14
Writing in Faith
9:30—11:30 a.m., Parish Center Room 2

SUMMER BOOK DISCUSSION SOCIALS

Take a break and enjoy some good food, good company and good conversation! Please RSVP to Diahne Goodwin by the week prior to each event and let her know if you can attend the pot luck supper and, if so, what you can bring.

Monday, July 9
St. Isidore Church Hall
6:30 p.m. Potluck supper
7:30 p.m. Discussion of book

*Angels and Demons:
What Do We Really Know about Them?*
by [Peter J. Kreeft](#).

In response to actual questions many people have asked him about angels and demons, well-known author and philosophy professor Peter Kreeft separates fact from fantasy and myth from reality as he answers 100 common questions about these spiritual beings. Based on a very popular college course he teaches on this subject, this book responds to the incredible amount of interest in angelic beings and attempts to clear up some of the misinformation abounding in the numerous books today on what we know about these mysterious spirits.

Wednesday, August 22
St. Elizabeth Parish Center Hall
6:30 p.m. Potluck supper
7:30 p.m. Discussion of book

Rejoice and be Glad (Gaudete et Exsultate): Apostolic Exhortation on the Call to Holiness in Today's World, by [Pope Francis](#). Pope Francis' Apostolic Exhortation involves the call to re-propose the call to holiness in a practical way for our own time. As he has explained in this way, "Seeing and acting with mercy: That is holiness."

Copies can be downloaded from the Vatican (http://w2.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/apost_exhortations/documents/papa-francesco_esortazione-ap_20180319_gaudete-et-exsultate.html).

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK:

St. Isidore:
Saturday, June 9, 5:00 p.m.
Charles Kelley, Memorial Mass

Sunday, June 10, 8:45 a.m.
Pat and Dick Colleton, Memorial Mass

THIS WEEK AT ST. ISIDORE

Monday, June 11
Prayer Shawl Ministry
7:00 p.m., Upstairs in the Rectory

Building and Grounds Meeting
7:00 p.m., Rectory Dining Room

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED
St. Isidore Funeral Hospitality Team

Volunteers are greatly needed for the St. Isidore Funeral Hospitality team. Please consider signing up to be a baker and/or a server during the hospitality. It doesn't require a lot of your time but would mean the world to those who are grieving.

ST. ISIDORE PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

Please join us for the next prayer shawl ministry meeting on Monday, June 11, 7 p.m. upstairs in the rectory.



A big thank you to all who helped clean up the grounds this weekend at St. Isidore. Your time and effort is greatly appreciated.

EXTRA PARKING FOR ST. ISIDORE

There is extra parking at the Center Elementary School (2 doors east of St. Isidore on Rt. 117). If all spaces are taken in the St. Isidore parking lot and on the street, please park at Center Elementary. We ask that you do not park on the grass or block the driveway and fire lanes in front of the church. Thank you.

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