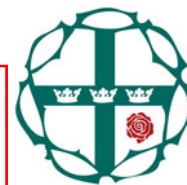




St. Raymond– St. Elizabeth Maronite Catholic Cathedral



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Facebook: St. Raymond's
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DIVINE LITURGY

Sunday: 10:15am
Monday–Friday: 12 noon
(Divine Liturgy at 11:30am in Arabic/
English– every last Sunday of the month)

RECONCILIATION:

Saturday: 4:00pm
or by appointment

Crestwood

1420 S. Sappington Road
Crestwood, MO 63126

Tel: (314) 968-0760
Fax: (314) 968-8023

Website: stelizabethhungary.org

Facebook: St. Elizabeth of Hungary
Catholic Church @sehcrestwood

DIVINE LITURGY/HOLY MASS:

Saturday: 4:00pm- Roman
5:15pm– Maronite
Sunday: 8am and 10:30am–Roman
Monday-Friday: 8am

RECONCILIATION:

Saturday: 3:00pm
Sunday: 9:45am

MINISTERING THE SACRAMENTS (OR MYSTERIES IN OUR TRADITIONS)

Sacrament of Baptism: call the rectory 1 month in advance to schedule an appointment and date with Fr. John

Sacrament of Matrimony: call the rectory 6 months in advance (1 year in advance if there are canonical issues)

Visitation and Anointing of the Sick: call the rectory; Fr John's emergency contact is on the answering machine

Intentions for Divine Liturgy: call the rectory, mail, or email your intentions



12th WEEK OF PENTECOST

The fruit of the message to the Gentiles

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Ephesians 3:1-13

Matthew 15:21-28

Assumption p594

Romans 12:9-15

Lk 1:46-55/10:38-42



20th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Isaiah 56:1, 6-7

Psalm 67

Romans 11:13-15, 29-32

Matthew 15:21-28

Sunday, August 16, 2020

DIVINE LITURGY & MASS INTENTIONS DOWNTOWN:

Sun, Aug. 16	<i>12th Week of Pentecost</i>
10:15am	James & Elizabeth Crenshaw, Mark Crenshaw (by Karen, James, and Maria Crenshaw)
Mon, Aug. 17	<i>St. Myron, Martyr</i>
12:00pm	Donald Behiter
Tues, Aug. 18	<i>Letter of King Abgar</i>
12:00pm	Meha Alkhoury
Wed, Aug. 19	<i>St. Andrew, Martyr</i>
12:00pm	Shirley Milford
Thurs, Aug. 20	<i>St. Bernard of Clairvaux</i>
12:00pm	Theresa McDermott
Fri, Aug. 21	<i>St. Bassa, P. Samuel</i>
12:00pm	Poor Souls in Purgatory
Sun, Aug. 23	<i>13th Week of Pentecost</i>
10:15am	David Laubenthal & Fran Hanus (-Laubenthal Family)

CRESTWOOD:

Sat, Aug. 15	<i>Sunday Vigil</i>
4:00pm	The Brady Family
5:15pm	Walid Badra
Sun, Aug. 16	<i>20th Sunday of Ordinary Time</i>
8:00am	Margaret Grana
10:30am	People of the Parish
Mon, Aug. 17	<i>Weekday</i>
8:00am	Art & Madge Doerr
Tues, Aug. 18	<i>Weekday</i>
8:00am	Frank Miles
Wed, Aug. 19	<i>St. John Eudes, Priest</i>
8:00am	Rob Ryan
Thurs, Aug. 20	<i>St. Bernard, Abbot & Doctor of the Church</i>
8:00am	Donald Morrow
Fri, Aug. 21	<i>St. Pius X, Pope</i>
8:00am	Maureen Meyers
Sat, Aug. 22	<i>Sunday Vigil</i>
4:00pm	Art Smith
5:15pm	Louis Kilo (By Joe & Mary Ojile)
Sun, Aug. 23	<i>21st Sunday of Ordinary Time</i>
8:00am	Maureen Meyers
10:30am	People of the Parish

WEEKLY OFFERING 8/9/20 ST. ELIZABETH:

Envelope Total	2,090
Loose Total (Checks & Cash)	2,495
Online Giving osvonlinegiving.com/1825	635
Parish Maintenance	140
St. Vincent de Paul	55
Special Collections	30
Votive Offerings	85.01
TOTAL COLLECTION (BUDGET)	\$5,530.01 (\$6,500)

ST. RAYMOND:

5:15pm Saturday Loose Checks/Envelopes	102 150
10am Sunday Loose Checks/Envelopes	12 640
Revenue during the week	1,795
Candles	165
Coffee Hour	0
Second Collection	265
Ladies' Sodality (to Caritas Lebanon)	700
Men's Society	4,000
The Cedars	1,200
Online Giving	1,115
Expenses	1,410.75
Wed. Lunch Revenue	2,038.27
Wed. Lunch Expenses	1,778.00





A note from the pastor

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

How can we apply this teaching to our everyday lives?

According to Pope Benedict XVI:

By contemplating Mary in heavenly glory, we understand that the earth is not the definitive homeland for us either, and that if we live with our gaze fixed on eternal goods we will one day share in this same glory and the earth will become more beautiful.

Consequently, we must not lose our serenity and peace even amid the thousands of daily difficulties. The luminous sign of Our Lady taken up into Heaven shines out even more brightly when sad shadows of suffering and violence seem to loom on the horizon.

We may be sure of it: from on high, Mary follows our footsteps with gentle concern, dispels the gloom in moments of darkness and distress, reassures us with her motherly hand.

Supported by awareness of this, let us continue confidently on our path of Christian commitment wherever Providence may lead us. Let us forge ahead in our lives under Mary's guidance.

[General Audience, August 16, 2006]



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Crestwood:
osvonlinegiving.com/1825

Downtown:

straymond-mc.org/online-giving

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT- CRESTWOOD

Mondays 8:30am-6:30pm
Benediction at 6:30pm

OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP DEVOTIONS- CRESTWOOD

Mondays 8:30am
(following daily Mass)



LECTORS: CRESTWOOD

Sat, Aug. 22 4:00pm	Pat Codden
Sun, Aug. 23 8:00am	Mary Alice Englehard
10:30am	Chris Pickel

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND OF OUR PARISHES

<i>St. Elizabeth</i>	<i>St. Raymond</i>
Gertrude Slama	Pat Webbe
Mark Beck	Terry Leong
Tom Hearst	Connie McDermott
Steven Sulze	Judge Paul & Mary
Victor Sciarrino	Jane Simon
Rosalie Hubert	Joseph & Mary
Mike McSorley Sr.	Ojile
James Brumfield	Gloria (Skip)
Cathy Seemayer	Leisure
Mary Lou Works	Elizabeth Wolff
Patrick Nelms	Don Ganim
Chris Nelms	Kathleen Antoni
Lois Jones	Esther Nassif
Ted Arunski	Loretta Linder
Dave Holdinghausen	Nijmeh Abounader
Barb Fix	Elias Hitti
Beverly Klipfel	Ralph Salamie
Pat Dieters	John Anton
Joann Vollet	Jim Hoffman
Lynn Warfel	Gary Bieller
Pat Cooseman	Richard Baker Sr
Mary Ann Reiter	Patrick Carr
Jean Weidler	Steve Baker
Dave Wissler	Jana Smith
Michelle Bausworth	Bernie Elking Sr
Tom Saucier	
Will & Claudette	
Karcher	
Rhoda Simpher	
Br. John	
Mangogna, CM	

SAVE THE DATE FOR UPCOMING EVENTS

- Aug. 16: Praying Through Pain & Loneliness (Crestwood)
- Sept. 14: Monday Night Bible Study Begins (Crestwood)
- Sept. 9: Men’s Club Meeting (Crestwood)
- Sep 19-20: Lebanese Festival (Downtown)
- *Oct 17: Wine and Beer Tasting Event (Canceled)*
- Nov 14-15: St. Raymond’s Feast Day
- Nov. 17: St. Elizabeth of Hungary’s Feast Day
- Sun, Dec 13: Breakfast with Santa (Downtown)

ST. RAYMOND’S KITCHEN SCOOP

The kitchen will be open for carry out and curbside pick up Wednesday August 19th. We encourage everyone to preorder through our Square site <https://st-raymond-cathedral.square.site> so you are guaranteed your order. We will be prepping grape leaves and Kibbi 8:30am on Tuesday and Wednesday rolling cabbage 12:30-3:30pm. All help is welcomed from both locations of St. Raymond-St. Elizabeth. Thank you, Denise, Kathi and Gina

DONATIONS TO OUR CHURCH

Thank you to those who have generously donated funds for our new altar cloths and cruet tray! Please let Fr. John know if you would like to sponsor any items below. Thank you kindly!

- \$200 Funeral Pall
- \$1,500 Vesting Sacristy Closets

BLOOD DRIVE

Thank you for all who came to St. Raymond Lebanon room for the Blood Drive on Wed. Aug. 12 from 10am-3pm.

More than forty pints of blood were collected!



**GIVE A MEAL A MONTH:
AUGUST**

Canned meat/fish, soups/stews, fruit,
peanut butter, pasta/rice, cereal

(Please bring your own bags.)

Extras: Toilet Paper

A very big thank you to the Crestwood parishioners for your generous donation of food to St. Raymond food pantry. We are sharing your sizeable donation with St. Vincent de Paul parish Food Pantry just south of St. Raymond's.

**St. Vincent DePaul
Help Line:**

314-289-6101 Ext. 2274

**ETERNAL REST GRANT UNTO
THEM, O LORD**

We pray for the repose of the soul of **Roger Renschen**, father of Steve Renschen. May his soul and all the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

✠ Walid Badra	7-29-2020
✠ Josephine Bender	7-11-2020
✠ Catherine Haman	6-10-2020
✠ Jean Louis	5-16-2020
✠ Melissa Haman	5-9-2020
✠ Donald Behiter	5-9-2020
✠ Dallis Koch	5-7-2020
✠ Josephine Klein	5-6-2020
✠ Theresa McDermott	5-5-2020
✠ Thomas Powers	4-23-2020
✠ Walter McGinnis	4-20-2020
✠ Mary C. Louis	4-9-2020
✠ Robert Rapp	4-8-2020
✠ Hilaria Green	3-6-2020
✠ Shirley Milford	3-1-2020
✠ Meha Alkhouri	2-9-2020
✠ Dorothy Morice	2-3-2020
✠ Margaret Dooling	1-11-2020

with Jen Ryan

Sunday School.
THE STUFF THEY NEVER TAUGHT US

**SUNDAY, AUG. 16:
PRAYING THROUGH PAIN & LONELINESS**

Select Sundays in Fr. Edwards Hall, 9:15-10:15am
in-person & live-streamed at
facebook.com/sehcrestwood

SAJE NURSE JOB OPENING

SAJE Senior Ministry is looking for a part-time Faith Community Nurse to assist in fulfilling our mission to promote successful aging by supporting seniors to live safely in their homes, lead physically and spiritually active lives, and remain socially engaged in their community. If you have a calling to minister to seniors in our community, please contact Deaconess Faith Community Nurses, Rev. Donna Smith-Pupillo, RN, at dpupillo@faithnurses.org or at 314-395-4655.

**VIRTUAL SCHOOL SUPPLY DRIVE TO BENEFIT
ST. FRANCES CABRINI ACADEMY**

The Ladies Sodality is delighted to launch our first VIRTUAL SCHOOL SUPPLY DRIVE. For many years, St. Raymond has supported local Catholic school children by providing school supplies. St. Frances Cabrini Academy has been our partner school because they consistently provided low-income and immigrant children with access to quality Catholic elementary education.

For your shopping convenience, we asked St. Frances Cabrini Academy to provide us with an Amazon Wish List. Throughout the month of August you can purchase any of these items online and they will be shipped directly to the school! 100% socially distanced and 100% generous!

Please visit their wish list at: [//a.co/2Z3IaXT](https://a.co/2Z3IaXT). You can pick from a large selection of school supplies identified by the school. We CANNOT take supplies in person this year. Thank you for understanding. If you have any questions, feel free to reach out to Robbyn Wahby or Mary Anne Powell.

Here's the school's address. All items should be shipped there: 3022 Oregon Avenue, St. Louis, MO 63118. (314) 776-0883.