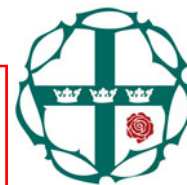




St. Raymond– St. Elizabeth Maronite Catholic Church



Most Rev. A. Elias Zaidan, Bishop of The Eparchy of Our Lady of Lebanon
Most Rev. Mitchell Rozanski, Archbishop of St. Louis
Rev. John Nahal, Rector

Downtown

931 Lebanon Drive
St. Louis, MO 63104

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Website: straymond-mc.org

Facebook: St. Raymond's
Maronite Cathedral group

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



4th SUNDAY AFTER HOLY CROSS

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1 Thessalonians 5:1-11

Matthew 24:45-51



28th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Isaiah 25:6-10a

Psalm 23

Philippians 4:12-14, 19-20

Matthew 22:1-14

Sunday, October 11, 2020

DIVINE LITURGY & MASS INTENTIONS DOWNTOWN:

Sun, Oct. 11	<i>4th Sunday after Holy Cross</i>
10:15am	Louis Kilo (By Christine Ojile) Members of the Order of St. Sharbel
Mon, Oct. 12	<i>St. Edno</i>
12:00pm	Claire & Gene Shumate (By Mary Denny & Family)
Tues, Oct. 13	<i>St. Carpus</i>
12:00pm	No Divine Liturgy
Wed, Oct. 14	<i>Sts. Gervase & Protase</i>
12:00pm	No Divine Liturgy
Thurs, Oct. 15	<i>St. Theresa of Avila</i>
12:00pm	Sam Haddad (By Patti Carnie & Family)
Fri, Oct. 16	<i>St. Longinus</i>
12:00pm	No Divine Liturgy
Sun, Oct. 18	<i>5th Sunday after Holy Cross</i>
10:15am	John Haman (By The Haman Family) Shirley Milford (By Dimitros & Maureen Sioumcas)

CRESTWOOD:

Sat, Oct. 10	<i>Sunday Vigil</i>
4:00pm	Walter & Loretto Braeckel
5:15pm	Jack & Mary Pudlowski (By Patti Carnie & Family)
Sun, Oct. 11	<i>26th Sunday of Ordinary Time</i>
8:00am	Rosemary & Francis Bruno
10:30am	People of the Parish
Mon, Oct. 12	<i>Weekday</i>
8:00am	The Willging & Englehard Families
Tues, Oct. 13	<i>Weekday</i>
8:00am	Frank Miles
10:30am	Loretta Linder (By Mary Ulett & Family)
Wed, Oct. 14	<i>St. Callistus I, Pope & Martyr</i>
8:00am	Dolores Nemitz (By Lynn Vincent)
Thurs, Oct. 15	<i>St. Teresa of Jesus, Virgin & Doctor of the Church</i>
8:00am	Art Smith
Fri, Oct. 16	<i>St. Margaret Mary Alacoque, Virgin</i>
8:00am	Sr. Eileen Fuchs (By Mary Lee McGuire)
Sat, Oct. 17	<i>Sunday Vigil</i>
4:00pm	Shirley Milford (By Ramona Milford)
5:15pm	Subdeacon George Simon (By Patti Carnie & Family)
Sun, Oct. 18	<i>26th Sunday of Ordinary Time</i>
8:00am	People of the Parish
10:30am	John Garvin (By Mike & Kathy McSorely)

WEEKLY OFFERING 10/4/20 ST. ELIZABETH:

4:00pm Saturday	
Loose cash	115
Checks/Envelopes	1,470
7:30pm Shepherd's Table	251
8:00am Sunday	
Loose cash	94
Checks/Envelopes	640
10:30am Sunday	
Loose cash	320
Checks/Envelopes	20
Revenue during the week	2,525
St. Vincent de Paul	273
Parish Maintenance	50
Special Collections	50
Candles	76.85
Online Giving osvonlinegiving.com/1825	1,070
Total Collection	\$6,954.85

ST. RAYMOND:

5:15pm Saturday	
Loose cash	84
Checks/Envelopes	175
10am Sunday	
Loose cash	68
Checks/Envelopes	750
Revenue during the week	1,411.88
Coffee Hour	0
Candles	90
Second Collection	365
Food Pantry	275
Memorial	100
Online Giving straymond-mc.org/online-giving	1,150
Expenses	8,962.17

WED. LUNCH 10/7/20

Total Revenue	2,229.10
Expenses	1,208.33

Thank
you 



A note from the pastor

Stewards of God's Creation

A biblical world view of stewardship can be consciously defined as: "Utilizing and managing all resources God provides for the glory of God and the betterment of His creation." The central essence of biblical world view stewardship is managing everything God brings into the believer's life in a manner that honors God and impacts eternity.

Stewardship begins and ends with the understanding of God who is the Creator of all: "The earth is the Lord's, and everything in it, the world, and all who live in it." (Psalm 24:1)

"To the Lord your God belong the heavens, even the highest heavens, the earth and everything in it." (Deuteronomy 10:14)

"The land must not be sold permanently, because the land is mine and you are but aliens and my tenants." (Leviticus 25:23)

"Who has a claim against me that I must pay? Everything under heaven belongs to me." (Job 41:11)

Stewardship is further supported and sustained theologically on the understanding of God's holiness as found in such verse as:

Genesis 1:2, the earth was a formless void and darkness covered the face of the deep, while a wind from God swept over the face of the waters.

Psalm 104, Psalm 113, 1 Chronicles 29:10-20,

Colossians 1:16, For in him were created all things in heaven and on earth, the visible and the invisible, whether thrones or dominions or principalities or powers; all things were created through him and for him.

and Revelation 1:8, "I am the Alpha and the Omega," says the Lord God, "the one who is and who was and who is to come, the almighty."

Let us be Faithful Stewards to God's Creation, and pray that we will hear from Him: "Well done, good and faithful servant! You have been faithful with a few things; I will put you in charge of many things. and share your master's happiness!"



<https://henrytrocino.wordpress.com/2017/11/14/readiness-means-serving-christ-while-expecting-his-coming/>

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To submit: Email Jen
jenryan@archstl.org

ONLINE GIVING
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
Tuesdays 8:30am
(following daily Mass)



LECTORS: CRESTWOOD

Sat, Oct. 17 4:00pm	Pat Codden
Sun, Oct. 18 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)
Christopher & Cathy Seemayer	Leisure
Mary Lou Works	Elizabeth Wolff
Patrick Nelms	Don Ganim
Chris Nelms	Kathleen Antoni
Ted Arunski	Esther Nassif
Dave Holdinghausen	Loretta Linder
Barb Fix	Nijmeh Abounader
Beverly Klipfel	Elias Hitti
Pat Dieters	Ralph Salame
Joann Vollet	John Anton
Lynn Warfel	Jim Hoffman
Pat Cooseman	Gary Bieller
Mary Ann Reiter	Richard Baker Sr
Jean Weidler	Patrick Carr
Dave Wissler	Steve Baker
Michelle Bausworth	Jana Smith
Tom Saucier	Bernie Elking Sr
Will & Claudette Karcher	Joshua Stevens
Rhoda Simpher	
Br. John	
Mangogna, CM	
Carole Gassel	

SAVE THE DATE FOR UPCOMING EVENTS

- Ongoing: Monday Night Bible Study, 7pm (Crestwood)
- Oct. 11: Confirmation & First Communion Classes Begin
- Oct. 15: Fatima Movie Showing 8:45am (Crestwood)
- Oct. 20: Joint St. Ray/St. Eliz Women's Meeting (Crestwood)
- Oct. 21: That Man is You program begins (Crestwood)
- Oct. 22: Fatima Movie Showing: 7pm (Crestwood)
- Nov 14-15: St. Raymond's Feast Day
- Nov. 17: St. Elizabeth of Hungary's Feast Day
- Sat. Dec. 5: Christmas in Crestwood Celebration (Crestwood)
- Sun, Dec 13: Breakfast with Santa (Downtown)

KITCHEN SCOOP

The kitchen will be open for carry out and curbside pick up Wed., October 14th. Please pre-order through Square. We encourage everyone to preorder through our Square link <https://st-raymond-cathedral.square.site> so you are guaranteed your order. All help is welcomed from both locations of St. Raymond-St. Elizabeth Cathedral. Thank you, Denise, Kathi and Gina

DENIM DRIVE

During the month of October, St. Raymond's Ladies Society will be collecting men's, women's and children's jeans at both parish locations for the homeless and poor that are served by St. Vincent DePaul Parish, located just south of St. Raymond's Downtown.

Please donate new or clean, gently used jeans--all sizes are needed. Thanks for your generosity and support.

SJM PSR TEACHERS NEEDED

Seeking two more St. Justin Martyr PSR teachers! This role involves you to bring our young people closer to Jesus and grow in their faith as Catholics. Please contact Marge Meiners for further information at meiners@stjustinmartyr.org

IN THE MIDDLE OF A WORLD WAR, PEOPLE NEEDED HOPE. THEY RECEIVED A MIRACLE.

FATIMA

ST. RAYMOND-ST. ELIZABETH- CRESTWOOD

THURSDAY, OCT. 15
AT 8:45AM
&
THURSDAY, OCT. 22
AT 7:00PM

TO REGISTER: EMAIL JENRYAN@ARCHSTL.ORG



**GIVE A MEAL A MONTH:
OCTOBER**

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

(Please bring your own bags.)

Extras: Toilet Paper

Meal-a-Month Donations go to
St. Raymond's Downtown Food Pantry.
If you are in need of assistance in
Crestwood, please call the help line
below, and someone will return your call
within the next 24 hours:

St. Vincent DePaul

Help Line:

314-289-6101 Ext. 2274

**JOIN US IN PRAYER FOR OUR
COUNTRY:**

- Patriotic Rosary– St. Elizabeth
Church: Tuesdays at 6pm

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

✠ Loretta Linder	9-28-2020
✠ Rajaa Haddad	9-15-2020
✠ Patricia Skinner	9-2-2020
✠ Maurice Safar	8-11-2020
✠ Souad Batanian	7-31-2020
✠ 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
✠ David Brophy	2-29-2020
✠ Meha Alkhouri	2-9-2020
✠ Dorothy Morice	2-3-2020

WOMEN'S MINISTRY/LADIES SODALITY MEETING

Ladies, save the date for a joint St. Raymond and St. Raymond-St. Elizabeth meeting for women of both parishes on Tuesday, Oct. 20th at 6:30pm in the Crestwood cafeteria.

RELIGIOUS ED AT ST. RAYMOND-ST. ELIZABETH

First Communion and Confirmation classes begin Sunday, Oct. 11 at the Crestwood campus or over zoom. Please contact Jen Ryan—jenryan@archstl.org for more information.

PATRONAL FEAST DAY CELEBRATIONS

Our bishop, Most Rev. Elias Zaidan will celebrate St. Elizabeth of Hungary's Feast Day at St. Raymond-St. Elizabeth Church in Crestwood on Sunday, Nov. 15 and St. Raymond's Feast Day at St. Raymond Cathedral downtown on Sunday, Nov. 22.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION ADORERS NEEDED

Each Monday, Eucharistic Adoration is available in the Church from 8:30am-6:30pm. Additional regular adorers are needed to complete our schedule. Please email jenryan@archstl.org to sign up for a time – we are in particular need of an additional adorer for:

9:30-10:30am, 12:30-1:30pm, & 4:30-5:30pm Thank you!

2nd BLOOD DRIVE DOWNTOWN

Please join us for a blood drive at St. Raymond Maronite Cathedral on Wednesday, October 14, 2020 from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Visit RedCrossBlood.org to schedule an appointment.

ORDER OF ST. SHARBEL

Order of St. Sharbel members are invited to come to the Cathedral Mass this coming Sun. Oct. 11 at 10:15am for a blessing. The Order of St. Sharbel supports our Seminarians and retired priests in their prayers and financial aid. Everyone is invited to join, for more info <https://www.orderstsharbel.org>.

MONDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY: GOSPEL OF JOHN

All are welcome on Mondays from 7-8:15pm in the cafeteria!

REMAINING SCRIP FOR SALE

The following SCRIP gift cards are available for sale from the Crestwood office– help us sell out our stock while you get a head start on your holiday shopping! Stop by the Crestwood office during the week, or email Mona at steeliz@sbcglobal.net.

3 Apple/I-tunes \$15	5 Ihop \$10	1 Nordstrom \$25
4 Applebees \$25	2 Ihop \$25	6 O'Charleys \$25
10 Bath& Body Works \$10	5 Jack in the Box \$10	5 Red Lobster \$25
8 Bath & Body Works \$25	4 Kohl's \$100	10 Subway \$25
1 Chili's \$10	1 Lowe's \$25	2 Target \$100