

# Church of Saint Monica Saint Elizabeth of Hungary Saint Stephen of Hungary

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**Second Sunday of Easter – April 28th, 2019**

## Office Hours

*Our Offices are open:*

**Mo. 9am – 5pm**

**Tu.-Th. 9am – 7pm**

**Fri. Closed**

**Sat. 10am -2pm**

**Sun. Closed**

*Our offices close for lunch:*

**1pm – 2pm daily**

## Parish Staff

*Pastor*

*Associates:*

*Deacon*

*Pastoral Associate:*

*Parish Manager:*

*Music Director*

*Wedding Coordinator:*

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**Rev. Msgr. Leslie J Ivers**

**Rev. Joslin K. Jose**

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## Mass Schedule

**Saturday: 12:00pm Saturday Vigil: 5:30pm**

**Sunday: 7:30am 9:00am 10:30am 12:00pm 5:00pm**

**Monday – Friday: 7:30 & 12:00pm**

**Confessions:**

**Saturday 5:00 – 5:30pm and by appointment**

**Our church is open: 7am – 4pm daily for private prayer**

**Vespers (evening pray) 5:10pm Fridays in Parish Center Chapel**

## St. Stephen of Hungary School

**Pre-K through 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Catholic Parochial School**

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*Principal:*

**Ms. Kelly Burke**

**www.saintstephenschool.org**

Interested in admissions to our parish school?

**admissions@saintstephenschool.org**



## MISSION STATEMENT

The Roman Catholic Parish of St. Monica, St. Elizabeth of Hungary and St. Stephen of Hungary opens its doors to welcome and embrace all in our community. We strive through worship, hospitality and service to receive those seeking a spiritual home. In the midst of diversity of thought, life style, nationality, economic status and age, we endeavor to live as a community of faith and invite you to join our family - a family seeking to know and love Jesus Christ.

## TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading -- A large number of people gathered, bringing the sick, and all were cured (Acts 5:12-16).  
Psalm -- Give thanks to the Lord for he is good, his love is everlasting (Psalm 118).  
Second Reading -- Do not be afraid. I am the first and the last, the one who lives (Revelation 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19).  
Gospel -- The risen Christ comes to his disciples with peace and the Spirit. The absent Thomas doubts (John 20:19-31).  
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## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Acts 4:23-31-37; Ps 2:1-4, 7-9; Jn 3:1-8  
Tuesday: Acts 4:32-37; Ps 93:1-2, 5; Jn 3:7b-15  
Wednesday: Acts 5:17-26; Ps 34:2-9; Jn 3:16-21 or (for the memorial) Gn 1:26 -- 2:3 or Col 3:14-15, 17, 23-24; Ps 90:2-4, 12-14, 16; Mt 13:54-58  
Thursday: Acts 5:27-33; Ps 34:2, 9, 17-20; Jn 3:31-36  
Friday: 1 Cor 15:1-8; Ps 19:2-5; Jn 14:6-14  
Saturday: Acts 6:1-7; Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19; Jn 6:16-21  
Sunday: Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41; Ps 30:2, 4-6, 11-13; Rev 5:11-14; Jn 21:1-19 [1-14]

## Mass Schedule

<b>SATURDAY</b> 5:30PM	<b>April 27th Vigil</b> <i>Ana Corra</i>
<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>April 28th Second Sunday of Easter</b>
7:30AM	<i>Keith Finer</i>
9:00AM	<i>Matthew Youngho Hwang</i>
10:30AM	<i>Anne Keating</i>
12NOON	<i>All Parishioners</i>
5PM	<i>Matthew Anderson</i>
<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>April 29th St. Catherine of Siena</b>
7:30AM	<i>Msgr. Richard Albert</i>
12NOON	<i>Margaret DiCarlo</i>
<b>TUESDAY</b>	<b>April 30th Easter Weekday</b>
7:30AM	<i>Joan Mohr</i>
12NOON	<i>Bernice &amp; Peter Hogan, Jr.</i>
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	<b>May 1st Easter Weekday</b>
7:30 AM	<i>Catherine Conzelmann</i>
12NOON	<i>Fr. Donald C. Baker</i>
<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>May 2nd St. Athanasius</b>
7:30AM	<i>Charlie Allen</i>
12NOON	<i>Margaret DiCarlo</i>
<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>May 3rd Ss. Philip &amp; James</b>
7:30AM	<i>Richard Kavanaugh</i>
12NOON	<i>Kathrine M. Reddington</i>
<b>SATURDAY</b> 12NOON	<b>May 4th Easter Weekday</b> <i>Madeline &amp; Peter D. Hogan, Sr.</i>

## SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Second Sunday of Easter  
(or Sunday of Divine Mercy);  
Monday: St. Catherine of Siena  
Tuesday: St. Pius V  
Wednesday: St. Joseph the Worker  
Thursday: St. Athanasius;  
National Day of Prayer;  
Friday: Ss. Philip and James;  
First Friday  
Saturday: First Saturday

*If you wish to add the name of a loved one to the prayer list, please notify the parish center:  
(212) 288-6250*



### **K-8 Religious Education**

- **K-8 Religious Education** resumes on Sundays, 10:15-11:45am in the Parish Center, **April 28**.
- Sessions also meet on May 5, 12, and 19, and June 2.
- **Save the date:** Family Faith Formation 9-11:45am on Sunday, June 9. This is the final event for the year!
- **Registration** for next year will open up in May!

### **Adult Faith Formation – open to all adults!**

- Sunday Morning **Scripture Discussions**, 10:15-11:45am in the Parish Center – join us for coffee and conversation every Sunday that Religious Education is in session! No charge, no registration needed. **Sessions resume on April 28!**

### **Adults who are thinking about becoming Catholic, or**

- **Catholic adults who have missed First Communion and/or Confirmation – It's never too late!** Contact Maryann Tyrer, Pastoral Associate, to discuss our adult initiation process. You can begin the process any time throughout the year.

**Want to volunteer?** Yes, we need more volunteers on Sunday mornings, please! Many different opportunities are available, with various time commitments – Contact Maryann to discuss how your gifts might meet our needs.

### **OUR NEXT PARISH TOUR WILL BE.....**

### **Switzerland and Germany with the Oberammergau Passion Play!**

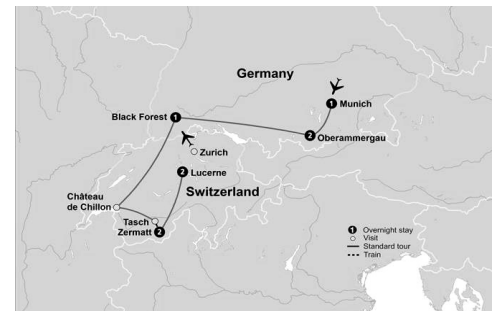
Details at:

<https://gateway.gocollette.com/link/938182#>

### **July 7-15, 2020**

Experience the epic Oberammergau Passion Play, performed every ten years since 1634 by the residents of Oberammergau - a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity! Tour the Black Forest region of Germany, see the castles of Neuschwanstein and Château de Chillon on Lake Geneva. Ride through the Swiss Alps to the Matterhorn. Tour Zermatt and Lucerne. Escape the heat of NYC in July with this exciting tour!

**Our parish has 25 spots guaranteed until May 1, 2019.** After that, they are opened up to the general public. **The Passion Play sells out a year in advance, so you MUST book early!** Contact Maryann at 212-288-6250, or [mtyrer@stmonicanyc.org](mailto:mtyrer@stmonicanyc.org), or stop by the parish center to get a brochure.



## Upcoming Events:

**Play ball!** Join the Saints & Sinners Co-ed Church Softball League! Spend your Saturday afternoons playing slow-pitch ball for charity in Central Park. Fellowship continues at a local pub after the games. Anyone 18 or older is welcome, no matter your skill level. Contact Anthony Piscitiello at [afpiscit@smumn.edu](mailto:afpiscit@smumn.edu) for more information.



**Young Adults** - come to the 5pm Mass on Sunday, **April 28**, and stay for a Wine and Cheese Social afterwards. Meet other young adults, and meet our new Pastoral Associate for Parish Life, who will be developing Young Adult Ministry here at the parish!



## Icon Painting Workshop – Rev. Peter Pearson



returns **April 29-May 3**, 6-9pm each evening, offering his expert instruction. Each participant will paint his/her own icon of the Angel Gabriel.

The \$250 fee covers all materials and instruction.

You must pre-register by calling the parish office – space is limited!

**May Crowning** at our next Family Mass, Saturday, **May 4** at 5:30pm. All children are invited to participate!



**Family Faith Formation** – Sunday, June 9, 9-11:45am in the Parish Center – this will be a year-end celebration for all of our Religious Education families! Mark your calendars.....

## SPECIAL DEVOTIONS

After all weekday masses

### **Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament**

Every Friday after the Noon Mass to 3 PM,  
with Benediction following the Divine  
Mercy Chaplet

### **Devotions**

Miraculous Medal on Mondays after  
each Mass

### **Divine Mercy**

The Divine Mercy Chaplet is prayed each  
Friday afternoon at 3 PM

### **Sacrament of Reconciliation:**

5:00 PM on Saturdays Anytime  
by appointment

### **BAPTISMS & MARRIAGES:**

Please call the rectory office for more  
information.

### **COMMUNION FOR THE HOMEBOUND:**

If you know of anyone who cannot attend  
church because of illness or age, and would  
like to have communion brought to them,  
please contact the parish office, so that we  
can arrange for a Eucharistic Minister to  
bring communion to them.

## PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

**Please remember in your prayers**

***ALBERT WALSH, PAULINE TIAMBO,  
DR. PAUL OTTAVIANO & BETH SOUCY***

***ALL VICTIMS OF MILITARY ACTIVITY***

## PRAYERS FOR THE DECEASED

***Please pray for our deceased parishioners  
and family members***

***Aidan Parigen, Hedwiga Jankowski,  
Jean Hatch & Aristide Tiambo***

## CARING FOR OUR COMMON HOME



Caring for Our Common Care will  
next meeting will be on Wednesday,  
May 1st, 2019 at 6:15PM at the  
Modugno Room in the  
Parish Center Basement. Join this  
dynamic group if you are interested in  
all things related to protecting the  
environment



**Our next Family Mass will be  
Saturday, May 4th at 5:30PM**

**All Families & Parishioners  
are invited**

## Sanctuary Lamp



This Weeks' Sanctuary Lamp  
In Memory of  
Msgr. Richard Albert

Offered by Maria Litrenta

## Baptism Announcements

Saturday, May 4th there will be a baptism service at *10:30am* in the church.

At that service we will be baptizing:

*Margot Olivia Wood*  
*Alexander Gardner Kozikowski*  
*Emma Josephine Correnti*

Please join us in congratulating

*Kenneth & Giulia Wood,*  
*Daniel & Juliana Kozikowski*  
*Joseph & Elizabeth Correnti*  
on their children's new life in Christ.

Baptism Services are open for members of the parish to join in the welcoming of our newest members.



## The Concert Series at St. Monica

The next installment of the Concert Series takes place on Sunday, May 19<sup>th</sup> at 2:30 pm with our Broadway Concert. We are excited to have singers from the Broadway community perform an afternoon of traditional and contemporary tunes. Be sure to mark your calendars.

The last concert of the series will feature our Spring Concert. Our very own Adult and Children's Choirs will be performing along with a few guest artists on June 15<sup>th</sup> at 8pm. We will also have our St. Stephen Show Choir performing as well. Make sure to mark your calendars.



## ST. STEPHEN OF HUNGARY SCHOOL 8TH ANNUAL GOLD OUTING

**WE LOOK FORWARD TO A BEATIFUL DAY ON THE COURSE**

### WHEN

TUESDAY, MAY 14, 2019

### WHERE

PELHAM BAY & SPLIT ROCK GOLF COURSES  
BRONX, NEW YORK

### SCHEDULE

11:30AM-REGISTRATION & BBQ LUNCH

12:30PM-SHOTGUN START

5:30PM –PARTY ON THE PATIO WITH COOKTAILS,  
HEAVY HORS D'OEURVES, RAFFLES AND PRICES

# **Just a word**

*From your Pastor April 28th, 2019*

## **Easter Thanks**

Just a brief word right up front to everyone who worked so hard to make the Holy Week celebrations the experience they were. From the musicians and the choir members, from the readers to the servers, from the hospitality and ushers to all the people who helped clean and decorate - and to our priests our deacon and our pastoral associates who preached and presided and served, thank you.

Each year we “put on the dog” a little at Easter. It is our way of emphasizing how important we feel the message of the celebration of Easter is. However, the celebration would be impossible without all of you. Thank you for your support of this parish, at Easter and throughout the year.

## **Post Easter . . .**

. . we all take a deep breath. Things will be a bit quiet around here for a couple of weeks. But a few things to remember about May:

May 3<sup>rd</sup> we will be celebration our annual May crowning at the Family mass at 5:30pm on May 4<sup>th</sup>. Children from the school and parish will present flowers to an image of the blessed mother and the image will be crowned.

May 12<sup>th</sup> is Mother’s Day and we will bless mothers at all masses that day.

Tuesday, May 14<sup>th</sup> is the annual school Golf Outing – this event is a fund raiser in support of the school and is a wonderful afternoon of food golf and fun. If you are interested in participating, contact the school office (contact information is found on the front of this bulletin)

Sunday, May 19<sup>th</sup> is the next concert in our concert series. Check the poster at the entrance of our church for performers and times.

## **And finally . . .**

We have not spoken much of it. Perhaps it is a bit of denial. But this is to remind everyone that Father Joslin will be leaving for good at the end of May. His education being finished, he needs to return to work for his religious order, the Society of St. Paul. He has been reassigned to Nigeria. In the next couple of weeks, we will have more information about the plans for our good bye celebration.

Father Baker