

### **Mass Intentions**

Saturday, November 13th

5:00 pm

† Frances Blevins

By Family

Sunday, November 14th

8:00 am

In honor of The Madonna of Health

By Angela Gross

10:30 am

**Living & Deceased Members** 

of St. Theodore

Monday, November 15th

8:45 am

Blessings for the Anthony Nappi Family

By Angela Gross

Tuesday, November 16<sup>th</sup>

8:45 am

† Vera Harzold

By Family

Wednesday, November 17th

8:45 am

In thanksgiving of Jesus & Mary

By Angela Gross

Thursday, November 18<sup>th</sup>

No Mass

Friday November 19th

8:45 am

† John Filippone

By Family

Saturday, November 20th

5:00 pm

† Charles T. Guerriere

By Family

Sunday, November 21st

8:00 am Altar Rosary Society

10:30 am

† Maria & Greg Karkoszka & Henryk & Franuszek Karuc

By Karuc Family

#### **Devotions**

Blessed Virgin Mary–Monday 8:45 am Saint Joseph – Tuesday 8:45 am Divine Mercy – Friday 8:45 am Rosary Prayer – 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday 8:45 am Your Offertory Gift November 7, 2021

First Collection: \$2,824

Maintenance & Repair \$1,060

Propane: \$50

**Votive: \$121** 

### Thank you for your support!

Next weeks collection will be for the Assessment Fund



The 2022 Mass intention book is now available. The stipend is \$10.00 per Mass.

To schedule a Mass call the Parish office at 908-689-8318

Sanctuary Candle

Blessings for Diamantino Manas &

the poor souls in purgatory



We pray for the children of our parish who are preparing to receive First Holy Communion and Confirmation. May they prepare worthily for these sacraments. Let us pray to the Lord.

# Bulletin Board



Just a reminder to please submit your pledge. It is our goal to end this phase of our campaign shortly after Thanksgiving, which is when we hope to announce our achieving and surpassing our campaign goal. Your timely and positive response is appreciated! Please, feel free to call me at the parish office with any further questions at (908) 689-8318.

Keep in mind that this campaign is based on equal sacrifice and not equal giving!



Total Pledged

\$93,950

Total Collected

\$35,800

### **Parish Giving Tree**

Our Parish Giving Tree will be on display in the Narthex from now until Dec. 13 th. A flier explaining how the program works is hung



on the bulletin board in the back of the church. As always, thank you for your generosity as we try to make this Christmas season a special one for those less fortunate.

Working towards a Free Turkey at ShopRite or Weis? Or doing some early Christmas Shopping?

YOUR Gift Card purchases made possible a \$375 donation to the Parish in October!

Stop in Parish hall after any weekend Mass and purchase gift cards for your grocery & other shopping needs!

Many businesses in inventory and more options can be ordered.

See https://www.sttheodorenj.org/gift-cards for more info or email sttheosscrip@gmail.com

Or call Irma (908-892-4403) or Theresa (973-271-8469)

## St. Elizabeth of Hungary

### Feast Day November 17<sup>th</sup>

Patron: of bakers, beggars, brides, charities, death of

children Birth: 1207 Death: 1231

In her short life, Elizabeth manifested such great love for the poor and suffering that she has become the patroness of Catholic charities and of the Secular Franciscan Order. The daughter of the King of Hungary, Elizabeth chose a life of penance and asceticism



when a life of leisure and luxury could easily have been hers. This choice endeared her in the hearts of the common people throughout Europe.

At the age of 14, Elizabeth was married to Louis of Thuringia, whom she deeply loved. She bore three children. Under the spiritual direction of a Franciscan friar, she led a life of prayer, sacrifice, and service to the poor and sick. Seeking to become one with the poor, she wore simple clothing. Daily she would take bread to hundreds of the poorest in the land who came to her gate.

After six years of marriage, her husband died in the Crusades, and Elizabeth was grief-stricken. Her husband's family looked upon her as squandering the royal purse, and mistreated her, finally throwing her out of the palace. The return of her husband's allies from the Crusades resulted in her being reinstated, since her son was legal heir to the throne.

In 1228, Elizabeth joined the Secular Franciscan Order, spending the remaining few years of her life caring for the poor in a hospital which she founded in honor of Saint Francis of Assisi. Elizabeth's health declined, and she died before her 24th birthday in 1231. Her great popularity resulted in her canonization four years later.

Susan Jones, Michael & Christion, Helen & John Schuttler, Christopher Picht, Lisa Moyer, Mary Whitman, William & Joan Prosser.

