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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of
3 Representatives wish to congratulate the Saint Elizabeth of the
4 Trinity parish in Chicago on its formation through the
5 successful merger of Saint Tarcissus, Saint Cornelius, and
6 Saint Thecla parishes; and

7 WHEREAS, Saint Elizabeth refers to Elizabeth Catez, a
8 French Discalced Carmelite nun, who died in 1906 at the age of
9 26 from Addison's disease, a disorder which affects the adrenal
10 glands; she was canonized in 2016 and serves as the patron of
11 sick people, of the loss of parents, and against illness; the
12 parish's name also reflects its origin as three separate
13 parishes uniting together to form a trinity, similar to the
14 Catholic belief of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit
15 forming the Holy Trinity; and

16 WHEREAS, The new parish will be located in the current home
17 of Saint Tarcissus at 6020 West Ardmore Avenue in Chicago; the
18 Saint Tarcissus campus and church will be referred to as Saint
19 Elizabeth of the Trinity in all parish materials beginning July
20 1, 2020; and

21 WHEREAS, In addition, the Pope Francis Global Academy North
22 Campus, which is housed in the former Saint Tarcissus School,

1 will be renamed the Saint Elizabeth of the Trinity School; and

2 WHEREAS, The current pastor of Saint Tarcissus, Mike
3 Grisolano, will become the pastor of Saint Elizabeth of the
4 Trinity starting this summer; and

5 WHEREAS, Currently, plans are being made to form a
6 unification committee that will consist of approximately six
7 members from each the three parishes; the committee's
8 responsibilities will include sponsoring events in which
9 members of all three parishes will participate; therefore, be
10 it

11 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE
12 HUNDRED FIRST GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that
13 we congratulate Saint Elizabeth of the Trinity and wish them
14 many years of faith and fellowship as they build their new
15 community; and be it further

16 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
17 presented to Pastor Mike Grisolano and the Saint Elizabeth of
18 the Trinity parish as a symbol of our esteem and respect.