



MARIE LAWSON FIALA

Father Kolb and St. Elizabeth Church invite you to read a very special true story of faith and family and the miraculous power of prayer from Catholic author **Marie Lawson Fiala**

Marie will visit St. Elizabeth on the following date and time to lead a faith-filled discussion and sign her book.

All are welcome.

Date: Sunday, November 13th, 10:00 a.m.

Place: St. Elizabeth of Hungary
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About *Letters From A Distant Shore*

Tragedy shattered Marie Lawson Fiala's life as a wife, mother, and lawyer when her 13-year-old son, Jeremy, was felled by a massive hemorrhage from a ruptured artery deep in his brain. Within an hour, Jeremy was in a coma, sustained only by machines. This memoir of a mother's ferocious care and fierce determination to bring her child home alive and functioning despite devastating loss will win the hearts of families who have ever suffered from physical trauma with loved ones. Just when Marie believed all hope was lost for her son to talk and walk ever again, her family organized three worldwide prayer vigils for Jeremy, using the internet support network that had been following Marie's email updates on Jeremy's



condition posted from his hospital bedside. After each prayer vigil, Jeremy showed dramatic healing, far surpassing his doctors' predictions. Was this a coincidence or a miracle? Readers will find their own faith in things unseen as Marie tells her tale of Jeremy's recovery and homecoming. *Letters From a Distant Shore* is both a profoundly spiritual work and a gripping read. The suspense is relentless and the author's observations as sharp as a scalpel.



Letters From A Distant Shore is available for purchase on amazon.com.