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Rectory Office Hours

Monday: 11a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday: 9:00 a.m.–5 p.m.,

(Closed Wednesday, Saturdays & Sundays).

Parish Holy Masses

Saturday Vigil – 5:00 p.m.

Sunday – 8:00 a.m.; 11:00 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. – Spanish

Weekdays – 7:00 a.m.

Holy Days – As announced in bulletin.

Adoration of Blessed Sacrament:

Weekdays Eucharistic Adoration including Rosary at 6.30am before Mass.

Tuesdays: 7:30 a.m. -12 noon.

First Fridays: 7:30 a.m. –12 noon.

Our Offering to God

Stewardship: The collections for last weekend was \$ 3,260.97.

Thank you for supporting the work of your parish.

Baptism Preparation Program

Both parents are asked to attend the baptismal preparation class prior to the celebration of the sacrament. The ideal time to attend is during the pregnancy. Please call for an appointment.

Children Baptism - Celebrated First Sunday of every month at 12:00 p. m. after 11 a.m. Mass.

Marriages

Wedding arrangements should be made at least six months prior to the desired date. Call Rectory for an appointment.

Sick Calls

Any time, day or night. Call the Rectory as soon as possible.

Young Adults

Upon reaching their 19th birthday should assume their own identity by registering with the parish.

Letter of Recommendations

A prospective godparent or sponsor needs some evidence that he/she is an active, contributing member of the parish and leads a life in harmony with the Catholic Faith. We can only give such testimony to those who are actually parish members.

New Year Donations /Remembering Us In Your Will

If you wish to make a new year donation to St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish or **you may also want to remember your parish and cemetery in your will.**

By so doing the Church's prayer will be of benefit to your soul. For legal purposes, our title is "**St Elizabeth Ann Seton Roman Catholic Church Society of Dunkirk, New York.**"

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (CONFESSION):

Every Saturday at 4 p.m.; Thursday before First

Friday 4 p.m.; en Española, Domingo's a las 2 p.m.

A Face Mask covering your nose and Mouth is required.

REGISTRATION & WELCOMING OF NEW PARISHIONERS Please call the Rectory for an appointment



Installation Of Bishop Michael W. Fisher

At this special time in the Diocese of Buffalo's history, please join us in welcoming Bishop Michael W. Fisher as the 15th bishop of Buffalo. Bishop Fisher will be installed Jan. 15th at St. Joseph Cathedral. Your welcome message will be seen on a dedicated Bishop Fisher page on the Western New York Catholic website.

Well done!

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Job Well Done Christmas Basket Project

To all who sort, carry, organize, wrap and even deliver gifts when necessary. We are especially grateful to long time project organizers, including Carol Smith and Peter Notaro. Thank You to all who made a donation, large or small. Your gifts have helped to bring a sign of God's love in Christ to many.



Thank you to all who helped decorate the church for Christmas. Margaret, Steve, Justin, Mary and Kayla. All who donated to the Christmas flowers. I ask God to bless you all abundantly today and in the New Year. Sincerely **Jim Palmatier**.

Thinking about Separation or Divorce?

Is your marriage or that of a relative or friend heading for divorce? Retrouvaille is designed to help troubled marriages regain their health. The program is highly successful in saving hurting marriages. For details or to register call (716) 474-9371 or visit www.HelpOurMarriage.org. The next weekend is **February 26-28, 2021**. All calls are confidential and pre-registration is required. Space is limited.

Advertising in SEAS Bulletin

A new advertising year will begin soon. If you wish your business to appear weekly in the bulletin, please contact the parish office soon. Your ad will reach about 450 households and is well spent. The fee for a single ad is \$250 per year; a double ad is \$500. We prefer a business card or layout indicating how you wish the ad to appear. Please note that the DEADLINE for new ads is Feb. 17th, 2021 for printing in the bulletin beginning Feb. 24th, 2021 letters and forms with details will be mailed to you for your convenience.



Masses for The Week:

Sunday January 10th, 2021- Baptism Of The Lord

(Vigil) 5:00 p.m. Joey Wdowiasz by wife Jean

5:00 p.m. Emily Banach by Audrey Szwejbka

8:00 a.m. Andrew "Andy" Dzikuch by David & Suzanne Nicosia

11:00 a.m. Arlene Griswold by Pat Kibbe

2:30 p.m.-Spanish Parishioners of SEAS

Monday January 11th, 2021 –Weekday- First Week In Ordinary Time

7:00 a.m. Theresa Waterman by the Family

Tuesday January 12th, 2021-Weekday- Canada St. Marguerite Bourgeoys

7:00 a.m. Theresa Waterman by the family

1:40 p.m. NCCS-Parishioners of Seas

Wednesday, January 13th, 2021- Weekday- St. Hilary, Bishop & Doctor of the Church

7:00 a.m. Maxine Anson by Estate

Thursday, January 14th, 2021- Weekday

7:00 a.m. All Souls

Friday, January 15th, 2021- Weekday

7:00 a.m. Mark Maslakowski by Cindy

Maslakowski

Saturday, January 16th, 2021- Weekday

7 00 a.m.-Theresa Waterman Len & Dorothy Schrantz.

Sunday January 17th, 2021- Second Sunday In Ordinary Time

(Vigil) 5:00 p.m. Joe & Anne Gambarelli by Robert, Michele, Jose, & Rosa

8:00 a.m. Scott Stoye by Frank & Michele

Valone

11:00 a.m. Frank Gawronski Sr.by his children

2:30 p.m.-Spanish Parishioners of SEAS

Readings for the Week of January 10th, 2021

Sun Is 55:1-11 / Jn 5:1-9 / Mk 1:7-11

Mon Heb 1:1-6 / Mk 1:14-20
 Tue Heb 2:5-12 / Mk 1:21-28
 Wed Heb 2:14-18 / Mk 1:29-39
 Thru Heb 3:7-14 / Mk 1:40-45
 Fri Heb 4:1-5,11 / Mk 2:1-12
 Sat Heb 4:12-16 Mk 2:13-17
 Sun 1Sm 3:3b-10,19 / 1 Cor 6:13c-15a,17-20/ Jn 1:35-42

Gospel – Mark 1:7-11

This is what John the Baptist proclaimed: “One mightier than I am coming after me. I am not worthy to stoop and loosen the thongs of his sandals. I have baptized you with water; he will baptize you with the Holy Spirit.”⁹ It happened in those days that Jesus came from Nazareth of Galilee and was baptized in the Jordan by John. On coming up out of the water he saw the heavens being torn open and the Spirit, like a dove, descending upon him. And a voice came from the heavens, “You are my beloved Son; with you I am well pleased.”

Baptism of the Lord Vocations

Christ gave us a gift of Baptism, through which we each have a vocation in the Church. Pray for those who are discerning a call to live their Baptismal commitment as religious brothers, sisters, deacons or priests. If God is calling you to a church vocation, contact Fr. Dave Baker at 716-847-5535 or visit buffalovaocations.org

Jesus didn't explain why he felt he needed John to baptize him, but the act revealed who Jesus was and what his mission would be. Although Christians have shed blood over how to do and understand baptism, the important thing to remember is that baptism marks our individual entry into the communal mission of the church to spread Christ's good news.

Intention for evangelization

Human fraternity: May the Lord give us the grace to live in full fellowship with our brothers and sisters of other religions, praying for one another.



John Banach, Janet Bonasera, Mary Ann Corsoro, Sue Dietzen, Vincent Filutze, Joe & Jose, Michele Gambarelli, Keith & Kevin Jones, Rev John Mack, Frederick Mackowiak Jr., Mike McCarty, Jack Pencek, Joel Rivera, Lenny Schrantz and Jack Van Dervort. Call with a new name or email: to st.elizannseton@netsync.net Listings are normally for Three weeks only.



Memorials

Brian Helmbrecht by Susan Larivey
 Raymond Schrantz by Susan Larivey



Prayer during a Pandemic

Loving God, Holy ONE
 YOUR DESIRE IS FOR OUR WHOLENESS AND WELL-BEING We hold in tenderness and prayer the collective suffering of our world at this time. We grieve precious lives lost and vulnerable lives threatened. We ache for ourselves and our neighbors, standing before an uncertain future. We pray: my love, not fear, go viral. Inspire our leaders to discern and choose wisely, aligned with the common good... Help us to practice social distancing and reveal to us and creative ways to come together in spirit and in solidarity. Call us to profound trust in your faithful presence, you, the God who does not abandon, YOU, The Holy One.
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 Breathing Among us,
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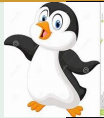
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