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**Sixth Sunday In Ordinary Time February 14<sup>th</sup>, 2021**

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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 and Adoration of the Eucharist

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:

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

First Fridays: 7:30 a.m. –12 noon.

## Our Offering to God

Stewardship: The collection for the weekend was **\$3,901.65**. Polish

Assistance **\$568.00**. Thank you for supporting the work of your parish.

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## 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.

## End of Year Donations /Remebering Us In Your Will

If you wish to make an end-of-year donation to St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish, please keep in mind that we must receive it by December 31<sup>st</sup> so that you can claim it as a charitable donation on your 2020 income tax return. **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.**

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## Sixth Sunday In Ordinary Time



❖ **Rosary for Peace** Thur Feb 18<sup>th</sup>-5:30-6 p.m. followed by Mtg.

❖ **Office Closed Feb 15<sup>th</sup> for President Day**

### Second Collection Next Week Black & Indian Mission

The Black and Indian Mission is comprised of three distinct but inter-related organizations, each with its own purpose and history, but all seeking to fulfill the one Mission to the Missions! Founded by the Catholic bishops of the United States, each organization cooperates with local diocesan communities to spread the Good News of Jesus Christ and respond to real and pressing needs on the ground.

**Lent begins on As Wenesday Feb 17<sup>th</sup>,2021**

**Ash Wenesday Masses will be at 7 a.m., 12**

**noon and 7 p.m.** during which ashes will be distributed. Remember that Ash Wednesday is a day of fasting and abstinence. The entire period of lent pf about 40 days is a aspecial season for penitence, abstinence, prayer, charity and good deeds.

**STATIONS  
OF THE  
CROSS**



**will be on Fridays**

**at 4 p.m.** throughtout the period of Lent. Let us make it a wonderful moment with the Lord to rewew our lives. And take about 20 – 30 minutes. There will be a sheet to follow the Stations with. You may keep it and bring back each week so that you can follow the Stations with.



**Lent Minimum Lenten Requirements**

**Days of Abstinence (No meat) –Ash Wednesday and all Fridays of Lent including Good Friday.**

Applies to all who have reached their 14<sup>th</sup> birthday.

**Days of Fast** One full meal and perhaps two minimal meals (**all without meat**) for **Ash Wednesday and Good Friday.** This is for all who have reached their 18<sup>th</sup> birthday and are not yet 60 years old.

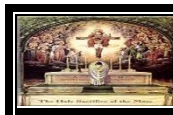
**Self-denial** – is encouraged voluntarily. Acts might include daily Mass, spiritual study, Lenten devotions, the Rosary, deeds of kindness etc.



**Celebrate the Sacrament of**

**Reconciliation** This Lent we encourage you to celebrate the Gift of Reconciliation with one of several special opportunities for confessions. You may choose to stay for confession after the **11 a.m. Mass also at 2 p.m. on Sundays of Lent.** In addition, once a month on the day before the First Friday, a confessor is available in the church at 4 p.m. Of course we are always there for confessions on Saturday at 4 p.m.

## St. Elizabeth Ann. Seton



**(Vigil) Saturday, February 13<sup>th</sup>, 2021- Weekday**

**5:00 p.m.** Marcia Mackowiak by Frederick Mackowiak & Family

**Sunday February 14<sup>th</sup>, 2021- Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**8:00 a.m.** Catharine Wuerstle by Jim Wuerstle

**11:00 a.m.** Jamie Sullivan by Jim Palmatier

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

**Monday February 15<sup>th</sup>, 2021 Weekday**

**7:00 am.** –Virginia Sobecki by Suzanne

Karalus

**Tuesday February 16<sup>th</sup>, 2021-Weekday**

**7:00 a.m.** Midge Catalano by Mary Ann Corsoro



**Wednesday, February 17<sup>th</sup>, 2021-**

**Ash Wednesday**

**7:00 a.m.** Fr. Dennis Riter by Alice Britt Mekus

**12 Moon Alberto Catalano** by Jim Palmatier

**Thursday, February 18<sup>th</sup>, 2021- Thursday after Ash Wednesday**

**7:00 a.m.** Mary L, Haase by Banach, Haase

Woelfle Families

**Friday, February 19<sup>th</sup>, 2021- Friday after Ash Wednesday**

**7:00 a.m.** Audrey Lee Lagano by Cynthia

Maslakowski

**4: 00 p.m. Stations of the Cross**

**Saturday, February 20<sup>th</sup>, 2021- Saturday after Ash Wednesday**

**7 00 a.m.** John Britt by his wife Alice

**(Vigil) Saturday, February 20<sup>th</sup>, 2021- Saturday after Ash Wednesday**

**5:00 p.m.** Jim Wuerstle by Janet Kubasik

**Sunday Feb 21<sup>st</sup>, 2021- First Sunday of Lent**

**8:00 a.m.** Stella Buijinicki by Saranne Karalus

**11:00 a.m.** Edward Bremer by Len & Dorothy

Schrantz

**2:30 p.m.-Spanish** Parishioners of Seas



**PRAY**

**FOR THE SICK** John Banach, Janet Bonasera, Scot Collins, Sue Dietzen, Vincent Filutze, Joe & Jose, Gambarelli, James Gibbons Sr., Keith & Kevin Jones, Julia Lewetzki. 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](mailto:st.elizannseton@netsync.net) Listings are normally for Three weeks only

## Readings for the Week of February 14<sup>th</sup>, 2021

Sun Lv 13:1-2,44-46 / 1 Cor 10:31-11:1 / Mk 1:40-45

Mon Gn 4:1-15,25 / Mk 8:11-13

Tue Gn 6:5-8;7:1-5,10 / Mk 8:14-21

Wed JI 2:12-18/2 / Cor 5:20-6:2 / Mt 6:1-6,16- 18

Thu Dt 30:15-20 / Lk 9:22-25

Fri Is 58:9a / Mt 9:14-15

Sat Is 58:9b-14 / Lk 5:27-32

Sun Gn 9:8-15 / Pt 3:18-22 / Mk 1:12-15

### Gospel:

A leper came to Jesus and kneeling down begged him and said, "If you wish, you can make me clean. "Moved with pity, he stretched out his hand, touched him, and said to him, "I do will it. Be made clean." The leprosy left him immediately, and he was made clean. Then, warning him sternly, he dismissed him at once. He said to him, "See that you tell no one anything, but go, show yourself to the priest and offer for your cleansing what Moses prescribed; that will be proof for them. "The man went away and began to publicize the whole matter. He spread the report abroad so that it was impossible for Jesus to enter a town openly. He remained outside in deserted places, and people kept coming to him from everywhere.

### **Pope Benedict's Encyclical "God is Love"**

Pope Benedict XVI says the following words in his encyclical letter "God is Love": "In sacramental communion I become one with the Lord, like all the other communicants. As Saint Paul says, "Because there is one bread, we who are many are one body, for we all partake of the one bread" (1 Cor 10:17). Union with Christ is also union with all those to whom he gives himself. I cannot possess Christ just for myself; I can belong to him only in union with all those who have become, or who will become, his own. ... Love of God and love of neighbor are now truly united: God incarnate draws us all to himself. ... Here the usual contraposition between worship and ethics simply falls apart. "Worship" itself, Eucharistic communion, includes the reality both of being loved and of loving others in turn. A Eucharist which does not pass over into the concrete practice of love is intrinsically fragmented" (n. 14). These words remind us of our calling to love all our neighbors, born and unborn.



**Memorials**



"May the Lord Smile on You and be Gracious to You"

### **Congratulation to Olivia Cole the Winner of the 2021 Natalie Mattimore Lewis Kindness Count Award**

The Parish of Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton, Dunkirk, heartily congratulates **Olivia Cole, the Daughter of Garrett & Eric Boner**, our illustrious parishioner who was specially elected to participate as a distinguished altar server at Installation Mass of our New Bishop Michael Fisher and for being the proud winner of the 2021 Natalie Mattimore Lewis Kindness Count Award. Thank you Olivia for keeping the flame of Faith burning as it is characteristic of your renowned family going back to your great-grandmothers, for representing our Parish well and may God richly bless you always

### **When you are lonely, we are hope.**

What we do with the 24 hours in a day can effect countless hours and days ahead. Our volunteers at Catholic Charities know this to be true. Through our programs, volunteers have the opportunity to serve the community through our multiple food pantries, lend a friendly ear through Friendly Phones and the Telephone Assurance Program, and much more. Help continue to move hands and hearts through Catholic Charities and the Fund for the Faith by giving to **Appeal 2021**. Call our Helpline at 716-218-1419 if you need assistance or want to donate, or visit [www.ccwny.org/donation](http://www.ccwny.org/donation) today. Catholic Charities of Buffalo is **HOPE for all seasons**.

### **February Month for Violence against Women**

We pray for women who are victims of violence, that they may be protected by society and have their suffering considered and healed

### **Advertising SEAS Bulletin Reminder**

The fee for a single ad is \$250 per year; a double ad is \$500... Please note that the DEADLINE for new ads is Feb. 17<sup>th</sup>, 2021 for printing in the bulletin beginning Feb. 24<sup>th</sup>, 2021. We do have one extra space available,



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