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Fourth Sunday of Lent, Year C – March 27, 2022

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Rectory Office Hours:

Monday, Wednesday & Thursday: 9:00 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.

Tuesday: 9:00 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.,

(Office Closed: Friday, Saturday & Sunday).

Parish Holy Masses,

Vigil of Sunday – 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: 8:00 a.m.; 10:00 a.m.; & Mass in Spanish – 11:30 a.m.

Weekdays – 7:00 a.m. (Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Rosary and Benediction at 6:30 AM)

Holy Days – As announced in bulletin.

Adoration Of The Blessed Sacrament

Weekdays: 6:30 a.m. to 7:00 a.m. (Before Mass).

Tuesday: 7:30 a.m. – 12 noon (After Mass).

First Friday of the Month: 7:30 a.m. – 12 noon (After Mass).

Stewardship: Weekly Collection (3/20/2022). \$3,354.98.

Thank you for supporting the work of your parish..

Sacraments:

The following guidelines apply to those requesting Letters of Recommendation or for those wishing to receive the sacraments:

For Infant 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 9:00 a.m. (after 8:00 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.

Sacrament of Reconciliation (CONFESSION):

Every **Saturday at 4 p.m.**

Or on request at any other suitable time.

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.

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults):

Anyone interested in becoming Catholic and/or learn more about the faith should contact the parish office.

Remembering Us In Your Will

If you wish to make a good will donation to St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish, please do so that you can claim it as a charitable donation on your annual 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."**

Registration & Welcoming of New Parishioners:

Please call the Rectory for an appointment.

Young Adults

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



Vigil of Sunday March 27, 2022 Fourth Sunday of Lent [4]

5:00 p.m.: Gretchen VanDenVouver by Ann & Brian Murphy

Sunday, March 27, 2022 Fourth Sunday of Lent [4]

8:00 a.m.: Joe Kolasa by John & Theresa Randazzo

10:00 a.m.: Mary & Joseph Culmo by Daughter JoAnne

11:30 a.m.: **Spanish:** Mass for the People of SEAS

Monday, March 28, 2022 Lenten Weekday [4]

7:00 a.m.: Fr Gregory Paul, C.P. by Andrea & Tom Gestwicki

Tuesday, March 29, 2022 Lenten Weekday [4]

7:00 a.m.: John & Edna Stroehlein by Daughter Margie

Wednesday, March 30, 2022 Lenten Weekday [4]

7:00 a.m.: All Souls by Parishioners of SEAS

Thursday, March 31, 2022 Lenten Weekday [4]

7:00 am: Richard Anson by Estate

Friday, April 1, 2022 Lenten Weekday [4]

7:00 a.m.: Joseph G. Kolasa by Leo & Sandy Bain & Darleen Calarco

Saturday, April 2, 2022 Lenten Weekday [4]

7:00 a.m.: Delores Schrantz (Birth) by Family

Vigil of Sunday April 3, 2022 Fifth Sunday of Lent [5]

5:00 p.m.: Ray Graziotto by Wife Barb

Sunday, April 3, 2022 Fifth Sunday of Lent [5]

8:00 a.m.: Gawlowicz Family by Norm & MaryAnn Begier

10:00 a.m.: Frances Wdowiasz by Adele Felt

11:30 a.m.-Spanish: Mass for the People of SEAS

Reminder: We have daily rosary at 6:30 am. Monday-Saturday.



Memorials

Frances Cole by Nancy Renckens

Vincent Filutze by David & Suzanne Nicosia

Betty Tarnowski by Gernatt Asphalt Products

Vincent Filutze by Ed & Kathy Kolodziej

Vincent Filutze by Jim & Beth Gibbons

Fran Cole by Jim & Beth Gibbons

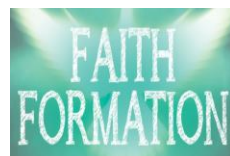
Vincent Filutze by Albert Vandette

Vincent Filutze by Lake Shore Savings Bank



PRAYERS FOR THE SICK:

Janet Bonasera, Scott Collins, Sue Dietzen, Joe & Jose Gambarelli, Keith & Kevin, Desiree Jones, Rev John Mack, Frederick Mackowiak Jr., Mike McCarty, Peter Notaro, Jerry Reilly, Joel Rivera, Lenny Schrantz, Jessica Sinclair, Daisy Torres, Jack Van Dervort and Mollie Watkins. Call with a new name or email: to st.elizannseton@netsync.net



SEAS Faith Formation continues this Sunday, March 27, 2022. Classes are held at NCCS from 8:30-9:45. Drop off and pick up

will be in the NCCS gym. All students will enter from the **4th street gym entrance only.**

Families seeking sacraments for their children are asked to contact Natalie Hoebener to receive sacrament preparation information via email seasred@outlook.com or call the parish office to leave a message.

Saturday, March 12 at 3:00pm-Parent meeting for sacramental prep in the parish meeting room.

Holy Saturday-First Reconciliation For Candidates.

Easter Vigil, April 16 at 8:30pm-RCIA Candidates will receive their sacraments.

Easter Sunday at 10am (Bilingual Mass)-First Communion for Candidates.

First Reconciliation and First Communion Preparation Schedule-

in person gatherings in the parish meeting room at the times indicated:

Saturday, March 26-1st Eucharist 3pm-4pm

Sunday, March 27-1st Reconciliation-12:30pm-1:30pm

Saturday April 2-1st Eucharist-3pm-4pm

Sunday, April 3-1st Reconciliation-12:30pm-1:30pm



We invite your whole family to our next session of Faith in the Family Sunday, April 3rd. Hear a great message, reflect on a unique aspect of our faith, and enjoy a Sunday morning together.

Families will:

- Reflect on the Good News (Gospel) of Jesus' Paschal Mystery
- Make their Living-the-Easter-Season Family Plan

DMI Survey Due!

The deadline for completing the DMI survey is next Monday, April 4th. A big thank you to the many parishioners who have completed the survey! If you have not, there is still time to make your voice heard. The survey can be accessed online at portal.catholicleaders.org/d/y64xy3. Paper copies are available at any Mass from any usher and may be returned to an usher or to the rectory.



St Gianna still accepting donations

St Gianna is still accepting donations of baskets or money donations for their Diocesan ProLife Banquet on April 28th.

The Dr Ronald A. Passafaro Scholarship Fund for 4 candidates from SEAS, Holy Trinity and Fredonia Parishes.

For applicants who have a strong desire for Catholic education but without the scholarship would be economically unable to attend NCCS.

A letter from the applicant's family demonstrating an economic need, i.e. indicate total household size and total income which will be matched with NY State Residency Requirement.



Chicken BBQ Meeting

There will be a Chicken BBQ meeting on Thursday, April 7 at 7pm in the rectory meeting room.



Encounter the Hearts of Jesus & Mary

7pm Sunday-Friday

Live-streamed Rosary at www.stdominicrcc.org

Alternating weeks between the Brocton Site and Westfield Site.

For the Renewal of the Universal Church

Renewal of Family Life and Renewal of the Priesthood.

Experience the Life of Jesus, seen through the eyes of Mary.



The following is a listing of the events being planned by the Adult Ed/Faith Formation Committee and liturgy Committee.

Sun April 3-Faith in the Family 8:30am-9:45am

Sun April 3- 5th Sunday of Lent-Taize Prayer at 6:30pm

Wed April 6-Soup and Scripture at 6pm

Fri April 8-Stations of the Cross at 4pm & Parish Penance Service will follow

Sun Apr 10-Palm Sunday-Taize Prayer at 6:30pm

Wed Apr 13-Soup and Scripture 6pm

Thurs Apr 14-Holy Thurs- 7pm Mass (Rectory will be closed)

Fri Apr 15-Good Friday-2pm Stations of the Cross, 3pm Good Friday Service (Rectory will be closed)

Sat April 16-Easter Vigil-8:30pm Mass

Sun Apr 17-Easter Sunday 8 am Mass and 10 am Bilingual Mass

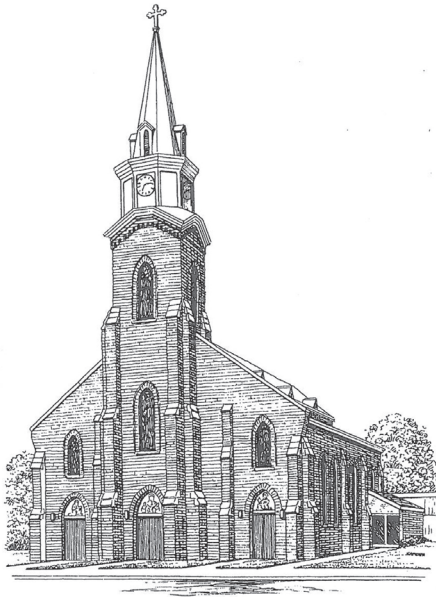
Mon Apr 18-Dyngus Day-Rectory closed

Thurs. Apr 21-Rosary at 5:30

Sun Apr 24-Faith Formation Classes 8:30am-9:45am

2022 Catholic Charities Appeal

Catholic Charities brings HOPE to people through 57 programs in 80 locations through food pantries, counseling and substance use treatment, rent and utilities help, phone call to those who are homebound, and more. The year's parish goal for St. Elizabeth Ann Seton is \$25,900. To date our parish has donated \$11,900. Thank you to those who have contributed. If you did not receive a pledge card through the mail and would like one, cards are available in the rectory office.



1428

\$177
Average
Gift

121
Donors

\$21,476
Total
Contributed

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church

Dunkirk, NY 14048

With your support in 2021, Catholic Charities impacted more than 11,127 individuals and family members in your immediate community. 7,532 of these lives were children under 18. We hope to continue making a difference for Dunkirk in Chautauqua County.

In 2021, the contributions from St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church to the Appeal helped provide many essential services to those who need it most in our community.

These services include:

- Children's Services
- Food Pantries
- Senior Services
- Ladies of Charity
- Monsignor Carr Institute
- Education and Job Readiness
- Basic/Emergency Assistance
- Immigration and Refugee Assistance
- Marriage Counseling

MANY THANKS

Rev. Paul Abhulimen and his appeal team:
Rosemary Olow, Sandra Bain, Linda Wingfield
and Dorothy Bennett for their commitment and
dedication to the 2021 Appeal.

Thank you to all who generously
contributed to the Appeal with your
financial and spiritual support!



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people of Western New York*

Fund for the Faith

The Fund for the Faith was established by Bishop John A. Duffy in 1937 because of his concern for those in need of spiritual comfort due to hardships of the Great Depression. As a result of his vision, the Fund for the Faith continues today to provide essential spiritual nourishment throughout our diocese. Proceeds from the funds are utilized to provide ministry support services that are instrumental to the vitality of our faith experience and enable us to more effectively spread the Gospel message of Christ's love. Donations to the Fund for the Faith help to keep our Catholic faith alive and flourishing in our homes, schools and communities.

Ministries and services supported by the Fund for the Faith include:

- Campus Ministry
- Catholic Education
- Communications
- Cultural Diversity
- Deaf Ministry
- Diocesan Counseling Center for Church Ministers
- Diocesan & Parish Spiritual Renew
- Formation of Priests & Deacons
- Gianna Molla Center
- Hospital Chaplaincy
- Marriage Prep
- Mother Teresa Home
- Pro-Life Office
- Vicar for Priests

Total Served: 571,000+

Number of Sites: 250+

***Total Ministries, Programs &
Services Supported: 14***

Fund for the Faith resources bring the comforting Word of God to all people - children, adults and seniors alike; to the faithful as well as those fallen away from our Catholic Faith and the disenfranchised; to our family, friends and neighbors including those who are among the least, the last and the lost. It is our hope and prayer that a successful Fund for the Faith drive will help restore and support other ministries including Catholic schools, and formation programming for youth and young families.

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