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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 (5/1/2022) \$3,612.02. 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 May 8, 2022 Fourth Sunday of Easter [4]

5:00p.m.: Marie Aniszewski (Birth) by Husband Edmund & Children

Sunday, May 8, 2022 Fourth Sunday of Easter [4]

8:00a.m.: Sam Corsoro by Wife MaryAnn

10:00a.m.: Flor Cosme by Daughter Wilma

11:30a.m.: **Spanish Mass:** Parishioners of SEAS

Monday, May 9, 2022 Easter Weekday [4]

7:00a.m.: Larry Haase Sr by Marti Webster & David Patterson Family

Tuesday, May 10, 2022 St Damien de Veuster, Priest (OPT) [4]

7:00a.m.: Maxine Anson by Estate

Wednesday, May 11, 2022 Easter Weekday [4]

7:00a.m.: Special Intention Mass for Healing for Allan Hayes by Donna Lukan

Thursday, May 12, 2022 Sts Nereus and Achilleus, Martyrs; St Pancras, Martyr (OPT) [4]

7:00pm: Ed VanDenVouver (Birthday) by Wife & Family

Friday, May 13, 2022 Our Lady of Fatima (OPT) [4]

7:00a.m.: Christopher Haase by Grandma Wilma

Saturday, May 14, 2022 St Matthias, Apostle (Feast) [4]

7:00a.m.: James Balzer by Joe Larivey

Vigil of Sunday May 15, 2022 Fifth Sunday of Easter [5]

5:00p.m.: Betty Tarnowski by Marti Webster & David Patterson Family

Sunday, May 16, 2022 Fifth Sunday of Easter [5]

8:00 a.m.: Molly Ganey by Ron & Susan Hall

10:00 a.m.: Betty Tarnowski by Chris & Mary Yarber

11:30 a.m.: **Spanish Mass:** Parishioners of SEAS

A VOCATION VIEW

On Good Shepherd Sunday we celebrate the World Day of Prayer for Vocations. Let's pray together for an increase in *all* vocations: marriage, priesthood, diaconate, religious life -- especially in our diocese. May Jesus raise up new shepherds in our midst. If you are one of them, contact Fr. Dave Baker at 716-847-5535 or visit buffalovocations.org.



Second Collection

There will be a 2nd collection the weekend of May 15th. It is for the Church in Latin America & Church in Africa.



Memorials

Turk Murphy by Beth & Jim Gibbons

Turk Murphy by Alexis Ginley

Nancy Guido by Nancy Renckens

Betty Tarnowski by Joe & Marie Skubis

Betty Tarnowski by Alan & Toby Coder

Lawrence Haase by David & Suzanne Nicosia



PRAYERS FOR THE SICK:

Janet Bonasera, Scott Collins, Sue Dietzen, Joe & Jose Gambarelli, Keith & Kevin, Desiree Jones, John Maternowski, Rev John Mack, Frederick Mackowiak Jr., Mike McCarty, Marsha Miller, 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



Pope's Monthly Prayer Intentions For May

For faith-filled young people

We pray for all young people, called to live life to the fullest; may they see in Mary's life the way to listen, the depth of discernment, the courage that faith generates, and the dedication to service.



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

Sun May 15-Chicken BBQ-11:00am-3pm in the school gym

Thurs May 19-Rosary at 5:30pm

Thurs May 26-Ascension-rectory office closed

Mon May 30-Memorial Day-rectory office closed

Wed June 1-SEAS at the Movies at 6:30pm

Sun June 5-Pentecost Sunday

Thurs June 16-Rosary at 5:30pm

Sun June 19-Fathers Day



A Message from Bishop Fisher

Now is the time to get involved in the world-wide Synod called by Pope Francis.

Our effort, Listening in Love and Hope, aspires to reach and listen to the many and varied voices within the Church. I urge you to engage with us, and to perhaps invite someone who may feel disenfranchised, so that we can hear how you feel about the Church and what we wish it to be going forward.

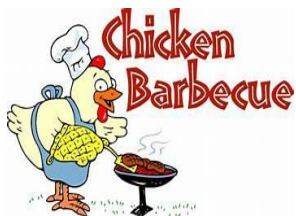
Please seek out an upcoming Synodal Listening Session on the Diocesan website during May to get involved. The Synodal journey for our Diocese will continue with listening sessions in our Parish Families during the summer and fall.

Yours sincerely in Christ,
Bishop Michael W. Fisher
Bishop of Buffalo



Dunkirk Knights of Columbus Council 929, on the corner of Third and Lynx Street in Dunkirk, is having Spaghetti Dinner on Wednesday, May

11, 2022 from 4:00pm-7:00pm. "All you can eat" Spaghetti. Homemade Desserts are also available for an extra charge. The cost of the Spaghetti Dinner is \$8.50 for Adults and \$4.50 for children under 12.



Chicken BBQ Tickets Available

Chicken BBQ tickets will be sold after all masses. The price is \$12 for adults. The chicken bbq will be Sunday May 15th from 11:00am-3:00pm. The dinner menu is: ½ chicken, mashed potatoes and gravy, corn, bread & butter and homemade desserts. Tickets will be sold at the door.

HOPE Day is Coming!

Catholic Charities' one-day 'above and beyond' fundraising effort is Wednesday, May 11. Last year donors contributed nearly 4317,228 in 24 hours and this year we are aiming for another successful one-day giving blitz. Be sure to follow our Facebook and Instagram pages for more details on how you can make a contribution or help spread the word this Wednesday and to track our progress on HOPE Day. If you need help, please visit www.ccwny.org/services or call 716-218-1419 or the office in your area.

We Still Have COVID Test Kits Available In The Rectory

Diocese of Buffalo participates in Pope Francis call for world-wide Synod

The Co-Leaders of the Synod, Deacon Don Weigel and Carrie Frank are excited to announce Synod sessions to be held during the Month of May. In addition, we will continue our Synodal journey with sessions in each Parish Family during the Summer and Fall. Those interested can register for one of the following Diocesan-wide sessions:

Listening session to hear the voices of...	Location	Date
Anyone (Downtown)	Catholic Health, 144 Genesee St.	May 14, 10:30 AM
Anyone (Virtual)	Zoom	May 16, 7PM
Women	UB Newman Center	May 16, 7PM
Young Adults	St. Benedicts	May 17, 7PM
Anyone (Southtowns)	Immaculate Conception	May 19, 6:30 PM
Anyone (North)	The St. Leo Church Parish Center of St. Vincent de Paul Parish, Niagara Falls	May 23 rd , 6:30 PM
Young Adults (South)	St John Paul II Parish Community Room 2052 Lakeview Rd, Lake View, NY	May 24 th , 7:30-9 PM
Anyone (Downtown)	Catholic Health, 144 Genesee St.	May 24 th , 5:30 PM
Anyone (Northtowns)	UB Newman Center	May 31, 7 PM

Registration is requested and capacity is limited at each session to accommodate a synodal experience.

Go to <https://www.buffalodiocese.org/synod/> to register and for the latest list of open sessions.

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 \$17,068.25 from 8 donors. 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.

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