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## HOLY MASSES

Saturday Vigil – 5:00 p.m.

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

Daily – 7:00 a.m.

Holy Days – As announced in bulletin

## RECTORY OFFICE HOURS

Monday 11 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Tuesday, Thursday & Friday: 9 a.m. -5 p.m.

(Closed Wednesday, Saturday & Sunday)

## 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.

## 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.

## ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Tuesday 7:30 A.M. – 12:00 P.M. (concludes with Evening Prayer)

First Fridays 7:30 A.M. – 12:00 P.M. (concludes with Evening Prayer and Benediction of Blessed Sacrament)

## YOUNG ADULTS

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

## LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION

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.

## REGISTRATION OF NEW PARISHIONERS

Please call the Rectory for an appointment.

## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (CONFESSION)

Every Saturday at 4 pm; Thursday before First Friday 4 pm

**Source for Parish Information**

On the parish website you can easily access a wealth of useful information including ministry schedules, parish history, the latest bulletin or a Holy Day Schedule. Go to [www.seasdunkirkny.org](http://www.seasdunkirkny.org). Albert is also live streaming the Sunday 8 a.m. Mass on Facebook and Zoom.



**A head trip**

We might scratch our heads at what Jesus says in the first part of our passage. When Jesus says, "I thank you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth, because you have hidden these things from the wise and the intelligent and have revealed them to infants," we don't know what Jesus might mean. If we start with the first part of that verse, we might feel the need to ask Jesus some questions.

We might ask Jesus about the wisdom tradition from the Hebrew Bible. At the heart of wisdom theology stands Proverbs 9:10, "The fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom, and the knowledge of the Holy One is insight." According to the sage of Proverbs, a worshipful attitude toward God enables one to begin the process of acquiring wisdom. The verse links a worshipful attitude toward God with wisdom. In Proverbs, personified wisdom says, "My fruit is better than gold, even fine gold, and my yield than choice silver."<sup>1</sup> The Bible praises wisdom. Observing God's creation



**(Vigil) Saturday, July 4<sup>th</sup>, 2020-  
Weekday-Independence Day-First Saturday**  
5:00 p.m. Ryan Gawronski by Mon. Dad, Julie, Lori  
His aunts & uncles

**Sunday, July 5<sup>th</sup>, 2020- The Fourteenth Sunday In  
Ordinary Time**  
8:00 a.m. Decaen Moses Cruz & Belén Cruz  
11:00 a.m. Louis & Marian Conti by the Conti Family  
2:30 p.m. Parishioners of SEAS

**Monday, July 6<sup>th</sup>, 2020 –Weekday-St. Maria Goretti,  
Virgin and Martyr**  
7:00 a.m. Robert Klemann by Leo & Sandy Bain

**Tuesday, July 7<sup>th</sup>, 2020-Weekday**  
7:00 a.m. Charolett Murphy by estate

**Wednesday, July 8<sup>th</sup>, 2020-Weekday**  
7:00 a.m. Joan Catalano by Leo & Sandy Bain

**Thursday, July 9<sup>th</sup>, 2020- Weekday- St. Augustine  
Zhao Rong, Priest and Companions, Martyr**  
7:00 a.m. \_Samuel Corsoro by his wife Mary Ann

**Friday, July 10<sup>th</sup>, 2020- Weekday**  
7:00 a.m. Maureen Catalano by Mary Ann Corsoro

**Saturday, July 11<sup>th</sup>, 2020- St. Benedict, Abbot**  
7:00 a.m. John Pazderski by Frederick Mackowiak

**(Vigil) Saturday, July 11<sup>th</sup>, 2020- St. Benedict, Abbot**  
5:00 p.m. Joseph Jasinski by the Family

**Sunday, July 12<sup>th</sup>, 2020- The Fifteenth Sunday In  
Ordinary Time**  
8:00 a.m. Eugene Rugani by Ellen Luczkowiak  
11:00 a.m. Joey Wdowiasz by Adele Felt  
2:30 p.m. Parishioners of SEAS



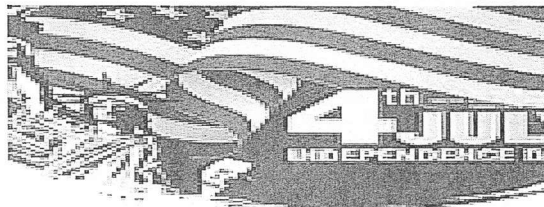
**Our Prayer List**

John Banach, Janet Bonasera,  
Nicholas Botticello, Arlene Briggs, Mary Ann Corsoro,  
Sue Dietzen, Jeremy Dolce, Andy Dziejuch, Becky  
Eckstrom, Vincent Filutze, James Gibbons Jr., Jackson  
Henderson, Arlene Kuhn, Sue Larivey, Lenny Schrantz,  
and Jack Van Dermot. Call with a new name or email: to  
[st.elizannseton@netsync.net](mailto:st.elizannseton@netsync.net) Listings are normally for  
Three weeks only.

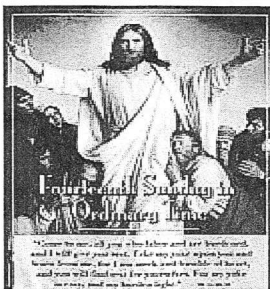


**Memorials**

**Robert M. Klemann** by James & Cheryl Sheedy  
**Robert M. Klemann** by Linda Wingfield  
**Joan Catalano** by Ron & Susan Hall  
**Lindsey Anderson** By Ron & Susan Hall  
**Robert M. Klemann** by Frank & Michele Valone



**Happy 4th July**  
**PLEASE STAY SAFE, WEAR YOUR MASK WHEN  
OUT IN CROWDS. ENJOY OUR INDEPENDENCE  
DAY SAFELY**



*Come to me,  
all you who labor  
and are burdened,  
and I will give you rest.*  
Matthew 11

Matthew 11:28 Come to me, all you who labor are burdened, and I will give you rest.

**Readings for the Week of July 5<sup>th</sup>, 2020**

Sun Zec 9:9-10 /Rom 8:9,11-13 / Mt 11:25-30  
 Mon Hos 2:16,17b-18,21-22 / Matthew 9:18-26  
 Tue Hos 8:4-7,11-13 / Matthew 9:32-38  
 Wed Hos 10:1-3,7-8,12/ Matthew 10:1-7  
 Thru Hos 11:1-4,8e-9 / Matthew 10:7-15  
 Fri Hos 14:2-10 / Matthew 10:16-23  
 Sat Is 6:1-8 / Matthew 10:24-33  
 Sun Is 55:10-11 /Rom 8:18-23 / Mt 13:1-23 or 13:1-9

**Our Offering to God**

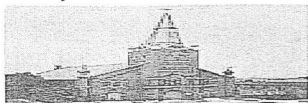
Stewardship: The collection for the weekend was \$4918.47. Month of June on-line \$986.00. Thank you for supporting the work of your parish.



*Thank you*

**Thank You from Fr. Walter**

A heartfelt Thank you to all of you for the good wishes & prayers I received as I celebrated 63 years of priesthood. I ask God how he could ever bless me more than the many blessings I have received in my 26 years at SEAS God Bless you all Love Fr. Walter Werbicki



**A face mask covering your nose and Mouth is required**

**Weekday Masses: Mon. – Sat. 7:00 a.m.**

**Adoration of Blessed Sacrament:**

- **Tuesdays:** 7:30 a.m. -12 noon.
- **First Fridays:** 7:30 a.m. –12 noon.
- **Confession Saturday:** 4:00 – 4:30pm
- **Weekend Masses**
- **Saturday:** 5:00 p.m.
- **Sunday:** 8:00 a.m.11:00 a.m.
- **Spanish:** 2:30 p.m.

**Coming Events**

- ❖ **Rosary for Peace July 16<sup>th</sup> 5:30-6 p.m.**
- ❖ **Liturgy Meeting July 16<sup>th</sup> 6:15 p.m. RM**
- ❖ **Parish Picnic Sunday Aug 19<sup>th</sup> detail to follow**

**Special Collection This Weekend**

The Peter's Pence Collection, to be taken this weekend unites us in solidarity with the Holy Father and his works of charity toward those who are suffering around the world. Pope Francis reminds us that true power lies not in amassing possessions and resources for ourselves, but in giving. Please do your best to make a thoughtful donation this weekend. Thank You



**Announcement from the Diocese**

The Diocesan official is please to appoint Fr. Peter Santandreu the additional duties only as Minister to the Spanish Apostolate at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish. Appointment effective July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2020 and is a term of three years.

**Parish in need of Help**

Anyone interested in Helping by Serving for Masses please call the Parish office or drop by. We are looking for People who are interested in being a Eucharist Ministers, Lector, Server, or Usher. Call 366-1750 or E-mail [St.elizannseton@net](mailto:St.elizannseton@net) [www.seasdunkirkny.org](http://www.seasdunkirkny.org)



**Congratulations to SEAS 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Graduate's**

Christian Arnold, Joe Asker, Noel Benjamin, Brady Greenough, Camden Marx, Robert Strang IV, Rylee Streseler, & Victoria Tate

**Our Limited Minds, Our Weary Souls**

*Even though Jesus teaches us that we can never fully understand God, we can use our intellects to gain a deeper perspective on what God reveals. All people, despite education or sophistication, can find rest for their souls in Jesus.*

Reading this passage from Matthew feels a little like holding the leashes of two dogs, each straining in a different direction. One dog pulls us in the direction of our thinking, our intellect. That's what the first part of the passage is about. Jesus teaches us about wisdom and intellect in vv. 25-27. The second dog pulls us toward our feelings. Jesus teaches about feeling weary in vv. 28-30. We need to guide these two dogs to go in the same direction in order to get our lives together.



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