

# ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON CHURCH

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Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year B – September 19, 2021

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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.

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 (09/12/21) \$2,909.30. Thank you for supporting the work of your parish.

E-mail address: st.elizannseton@netsync.net

#### **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.

#### Remebering Us In Your Will

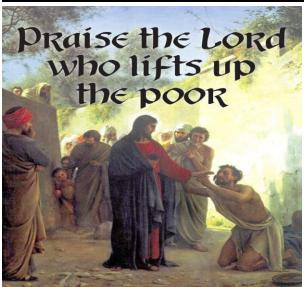
If you wish to make a good will donation to St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish, please do so that you can claim it as a charitable donation on your annual income tax return. You may also want to remember your parish and cemetery in your will. By so doing the Church's prayer will be of benefit to your soul. 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.



Mk 9:30-37 Gospel

Jesus and his disciples left from there and began a journey through Galilee, but he did not wish anyone to know about it. He was teaching his disciples and telling them, "The Son of Man is to be handed over to men and they will kill him, and three days after his death the Son of Man will rise."

But they did not understand the saying, and they were afraid to question him. They came to Capernaum and, once inside the house, he began to ask them, "What were you arguing about on the way?" But they remained silent. They had been discussing among themselves on way who the greatest. the was Then he sat down, called the Twelve, and said to "If anvone wishes to be he shall be the last of all and the servant of all." Taking a child, he placed it in the their midst, and putting his arms around it, he said to them, "Whoever receives one child such as this in my name, receives me: and whoever receives me. receives not me but the One who sent me."

## Readings for the Week of Sept 19–Sept 26, 2021

Sun: Wis 2:12, 17-20; Jas 3:16-4:3; Mk 9:30-37.

Mon: Ezr 1:1-6; Lk 8:16-18.

Tue: Eph 4:1-7, 11-17; Mt 9:9-13.

Wed: Ezr 9:5-9; Lk 9:1-6. Thu: Hg 1:1-8; Lk 9:7-9. Fri: Hg 2:1-9; Lk 9:18-22.

Sat: Zec 2:5-9, 14-15a; Lk 9:43b-45.

Sun: Nm 11:25-29; Jas 5:1-6; Mk 9:38-43, 45, 47-48.



Vigil of Sunday September 19, 2021 [25].

5:00 p.m.: John Banach by Tim & Cheryl Alessi Sunday, September 19, 2021, Ordinary Time [25].

8:00 a.m.: Doris Laspada by David & Suzanne Nicosia

10:00 a.m.: Jody Wdowiasz by Mom & Family 11:30 a.m.: Spanish: Parishioners of SEAS

Monday September 20, 2021, St Andrew Kim Tae-

gon, Priest & Paul Chong Ha-sang,, and Companions, Martyrs (OBL) [25].

7:00 a.m.: Judy Foley by Linda & Phil Nosek

Tuesday September 21, 2021 St Matthew, Apostle & Evangelist (Feast) [25].

7:00 a.m.: Louis Barone Family by MaryAnn Corsoro Wednesday, September 22, 2021 Ordinary Time [25].

7:00 a.m.: All Souls by Ray Echevarria

Thursday, September 23, 2021 St Pius of Pietelcina, Priest (OBL) [25].

7:00 a.m.: Judy Foley by Rita & Family

Friday, September 24, 2021 Ordinary Time [25].

7:00 a.m.: Fr Walter Werbicki by Jacob Jung Family Saturday, September 25, 2021 Ordinary Time [25].

7:00 a.m.: Vicki Patterson by Mom

Vigil of Sunday September 26, 2021 Ordinary Time [26].

**5:00 p.m.:** Edward Mackowiak by Frederick Mackowiak

Sunday, September 26, 2021 Ordinary Time [26].

8:00 a.m.: Patricia Frey by Beth & Jim Gibbons 10:00 a.m.: Molly Dascenzo by Dascenzo Family 11:30 a.m.-Spanish: Parishioners of SEAS



Judy Foley by Cheryl & Jim Sheedy Judy Foley by Norm & MaryAnn Begier Fr Dennis Mende by Marie Kuchel Ruiz Frances Wdowiasz by Leo & Sandy Bain

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK: Janet Bonasera, Scott Collins, Sue Dietzen, Vincent Filutze, Joe & Jose Gambarelli, Keith & Kevin Jones, Rev John Mack, Frederick Mackowiak Jr., Mike McCarty, Jack Pencek, Jerry Reilly, Joel Rivera, Lenny Schrantz, Jessica Sinclair, Jack Van Dervort and Mollie Watkins. Call with a new name or email: to

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Amid these challenging times with parish revenue declining since covid closures many capital repairs were forced to be put on hold. In the midst of this decline a fellow parishioner is offering to donate to the \$10,000—his yearly required parish minimum IRA distribution. How wonderful if this amount could be matched in full or in part by similar donations! So is the challenge: Can you help us reach \$50,000 for capital repairs? We already have an anonymous donation of \$10,000, if others can contribute any amount to achieve the balance of \$40,000 for the following capital repairs:

- 1. Sealing and striping of the parking lots and driveway.
- 2. The fixing of the sidewalk pavement in front of the church.
- 3. The heating system.
- 4. Church lighting.



Our Parish will be having a chicken bbq on Sunday Oct. 10 from11:30am-3pm. Tickets are now on sale. You can purchase them from a committee member or at the rectory. Also will be sold after the 5pm, 8am and 10am masses. The cost is \$12 for adults and \$8 for children. The meal includes ½ bbq chicken, mashed potatoes and gravy, vegetable, bread and butter, dessert and beverage. Children's meal includes ¼ chicken with all the fixings.



SEAS Faith Formation begins this Sunday, September 19, 2021. 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 4<sup>th</sup> street gym entrance only. Masks are required to attend. Registration is still being accepted.



## **Maintenance Help Needed**

The Parish is accepting applications for a **part-time maintenance position**, maximum 30 hours per week. We require 2 years' experience in maintenance and repairs, plus janitorial, snow, cleaning, etc. Employment applications are available on the office door. Applications should be submitted to the parish office as soon as possible.



# Thank you from the Adult Ed/Faith Formation Committee

Thank you to everyone that donated baskets, made food, help set up, stayed and helped take everything down, those that attended, bought raffle tickets and pins, 50/50 tickets, every one of you made our 46<sup>th</sup> anniversary/heritage dinner a big success. We are looking forward to doing it all over again next year.

## **Vocation Blurb**

"You ask but do not receive, because you ask wrongly," explains St. James in today's 2nd reading. There is a right way and a wrong way to pray. Who will guide us in the spiritual life? We need the voice of a church minister. Could Jesus be calling you to lay ministry, religious life, or the priesthood? Contact Fr. Dave Baker at 716-847-5535 to start the conversation or visit buffalovocations.org.

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