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JULY 23, 2023 ~ SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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MASS TIMES, INTENTIONS & READINGS

Monday, July 24 ~ Memorial of Sharbel Makhluf, Priest

Ex 14:5-18; Ex 15:1bc-2, 3-4, 5-6; Mt 12:38-42

6:30 am † Steve Diem

Tuesday, July 25 ~ Feast of Saint James, Apostle

2 Cor 4:7-15; Ps 126:1bc-2ab, 2cd-3, 4-5, 6; Mt 20:20-28

8:00 am † Lillian Goetz

Eucharistic Exposition after 8:00 am Mass until 6:00 pm and following the 6:00 pm Mass

until 8:30 pm

6:00 pm † Ronald Hochstetler

Wednesday, July 26 ~ Memorial of Saints Joachim and Anne, Parents of the Blessed Virgin

Mary

Ex 16:1-5, 9-15; Ps 78:18-19, 23-24, 25-26, 27-28; Mt 13:1-9;

6:30 am Josh Dominco - Special Intention

8:00 am MLS - Special Intention

Thursday, July 27

Ex 19:1-2, 9-11, 16-20b; Dan 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56; Mt 13:10-17

8:00 am
† Deceased Members of the William Yohler Family

6:00 pm Max Hite - Birthday

Friday, July 28

Ex 20:1-17; Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11; Mt 13:18-23

6:30 am † Alan & Evelyn Wandell

8:00 am † Theresa Deverell

Saturday, July 29 ~ Memorial of Saints Martha, Mary and Lazarus

Ex 24:3-8; Ps 50:1b-2, 5-6, 14-15; Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42

8:00 am † Ronald Eugene Hochstetler

Eucharistic Exposition and Confessions following the 8: 00 am Mass until 9:30 am

4:30 pm Magdalen Ratti - Birthday

Sunday, July 30 ~ Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

1 Kgs 3:5, 7-12; Ps 119:57, 72, 76-77, 127-128, 129-130; Rom 8:28-30; Mt 13:44-52 or

Mt 13:44-46

8:00 am † Christina Landrigan

11:30 am Pro Populo

5:30 pm † Richard Underwood

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No matter the vocation; there is always a honeymoon stage. Even if it lasts for a moment, there is always great rejoicing from the life we are called. Whether we are called to marriage, priesthood, religious life, or another consecrated life, once we respond to that call and make the firm commitment, the Lord fills us with peace and joy.

For every vocation begins with a tiny desire placed on our hearts by the Lord. Ultimately, we were made for holiness and our vocation is the particular way of holiness for us. The Lord delights in our discovery of that tiny desire and slowly it grows over time, until we begin to make our arrangements to prepare to accept this vocation. For married couples, that would be your engagement, for a priest it would be his time in seminary, for a religious entering the community – the yes to cultivate and tend to our mysterious desire.

Over those months and years, the desire has grown into an anticipation of our life freely chosen. On the day when we made our promises, the Lord fulfills that desire with great peace and joy. Ahh, thus begins the honeymoon stage. For with our vocation, there comes so many new experiences, and because of their novelty we experience these responsibilities with an enthusiasm that bolsters our acceptance of our vocation.

I, too, am experiencing a great joy in my vocation as a priest in his honeymoon stage. All the new things I can do and get to do for you and your family. The masses to celebrate, the confessions to hear, the sick to anoint, and the families to share a meal with – its all a part of God's plan to bless and bolster my priesthood. Truly, I have found St. Elizabeth's parish as my new family and place to call home.

The great grace given from our honeymoon stage, however long or short, was not just for that moment. The grace of God is given in an experience, a moment, but cannot be exhausted by that moment. For what we receive is an unlimited outpouring for us who can only receive in limited ways. It was given to strengthen our difficult days ahead or perhaps when we experience a vocational crisis.

Perhaps, it is time to reflect upon your honeymoon stage. This week, my goal for you is to take a few minutes in prayer to meditate and reflect on that experience. Try to remember the senses you felt, place yourself back in those moments and relish the goodness of the Lord. Then, ask yourself these questions: How did you come to accept your vocation? What were the blessings and joys of those beginning moments? How have you continued to deepen your call? How have you gone astray or have begun to let things slip from your faithfulness to your vocation? Lord, what am I to do from here?

May God continue the good work in you and bring it to fulfillment!

PRINCIPAL: LOIS WIDNER 260-432-4001



Greetings! The school office will continue our summer office hours of 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m., M-F, through July 28th. Beginning Monday, July 31st, we will start our normal school year office hours of 7:15 a.m.-4:15 p.m., M-F. Please note that for the 2023-24 school year, our start and dismissal times have changed slightly. Be sure to check out the details below! Our maintenance team is on the "home stretch," as they continue to paint, clean, and prepare the building for a new school year! See you soon! Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton, pray for us. Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton, pray for us! Miss Widner

CALENDAR

July 31-Verification Day-Gym

August 1-New Family Orientation-6:00 p.m.-Gym

August 1-Kindergarten Orientation- Parents Only-7:30 p.m.-Classrooms

August 1-8th Grade Parent Meeting-7:30 p.m.-Cafeteria

August 9-First Day of School for K-8 Students

August 14-PreK 4 Meet the Teacher-9-11:30am and 12-2pm

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August 15-PreK 3 Meet the Teacher-9-11:30 a.m.

August 16-PreK 4-First Day of School

August 16-BTS Night Middle School-6:00 p.m.

August 17-PreK 3- First Day of School

August 17-BTS Night Grades K-5-6:00 p.m.

NEW SCHOOL HOURS FOR THE 2023-24 SCHOOL YEAR

Doors open at 7:15 a.m.

Breakfast is from 7:15-7:40 a.m.

Students go to their classrooms beginning at 7:50 a.m.

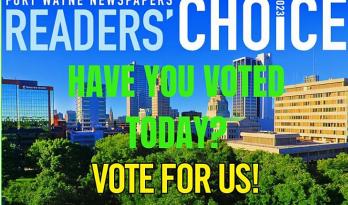
School begins promptly at 8:00 a.m. with prayer and pledge

Dismissal bell is at 2:50 p.m.

EXCITING NEWS! VOTE FOR SEASCS!

We've been nominated in two categories in the Fort Wayne Newspapers 2023 Readers' Choice contest!! Be sure to vote for SEASCS in the categories of BEST PRIVATE SCHOOL and BEST ELEMENTARY SCHOOL! Voting begins on July 8th and runs through July 30th. You can cast a vote EVERYDAY! Our diocese has also been nominated in the category of BEST SCHOOL DISTRICT. https://www.fortwayne.com/readerschoice/#//





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	4:30 pm Mass	8:00 am Mass	9:45 am Mass	11:30 am Mass	5:30 pm Mass
Lector	Keith Hood Victor (Vic) Wald	Rick Nill Anthony Gray	Randy Warner Steve Bush	Armie Aves Jenny Andorfer	Kelley Doyle Troy Cozad
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Usher	Von Bultemeyer Michael Siffer	Rich Burton Chris Landrigan	David Knoth Jacob Gibson	Steve Wells Bob Hoppe	Mary Barritt
Welcome Center	Becky Speciale	Mike Densel	Tracy Allen	Inez Skillman	Elizabeth Feola



Baptisms are typically celebrated at 12:30 pm on the 2nd, 3rd and 4th Sundays of the month. Please contact Raeann Mullen in the parish office at 432-0268 to schedule a baptism.

BAPTISMS

Family Adoration Hour

WEDNESDAY, JULY 26TH 6:30 - 7:30PM

Join us for Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton's Family Adoration Hour.

Bring the entire family to rest together in the true presence of Jesus Christ.

End the evening with fellowship and refreshments!

MATRIMONY

Engaged couples wishing to marry at St. Elizabeth should contact Raeann Mullen at 432-0268, before reserving a wedding date. Weddings typically take place at the Catholic parish where the bride or groom has been registered for some time and are attending Mass regularly. Marriage preparation classes take about six months to complete, and it is never too early to begin the preparation program.

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"Everywhere I go, people tell me I'm different. They want to know what has changed my life. I tell them Welcome did it."











REGISTRATION FOR YOUTH

Formation (RE) classes for grades 1-8 now open
don't miss the deadline for early registration

Fee per family increases to after July 31

www.seasfw.org/23-24-youthformation-registration

Scan here to register



Paper registration packets available in the Gathering Area

Catechists needed for once a month meetings for grades 1-6 and weekly meetings for grades 7-

8. Please consider this rewarding ministry!

Discounted registration fee if a family member is a catechist.

Grade 7 &8 first class August 28/29 Grades 1-6 first meeting Sept 11/12

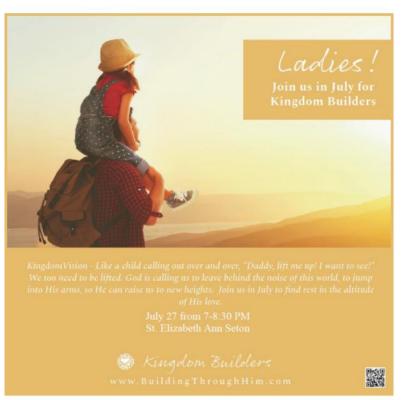
Any questions or to volunteer, contact Kim Conte in the parish office.

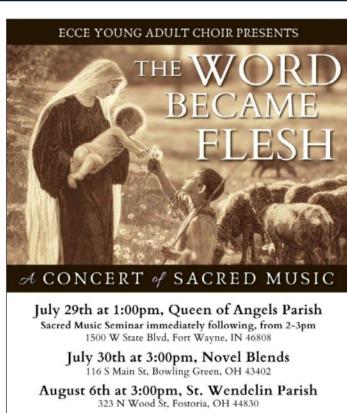




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- wipes
- bibs
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- bath tub
- bath towels
- baby shampoo
- lotion
- blankets

- crib sheets
- books
- pacifiers
- teething toys
- burp cloths
- bottles
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- onesies
- hats
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We as Catholics have a duty to bring morality into the public forum. The Indiana Catholic Conference (ICC) works to bring morality into the public forum by educating policy makers and politicians on Catholic Social Teaching and the impact it can have on proposed laws. While the ICC had some successes during the most recent Indiana General Assembly session with expanding school choice and curbing predatory lending, we need assistance. Those who stay informed on local and national issues can help the ICC help the Church. Signing up to receive information on matters of importance to the Church from the ICC is a small first step. After receiving information, you can prayerfully discern which matters you want to share with family and friends, or which matters move you to engage in some way with your local or national representatives or senators. You can sign up via email icc@archindy.org or by calling 317-236-1458.

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FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT US AT: IWITULSKI@CCFWSB.ORG

CALENDAR, CLERGY & INFO

School Gym

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Parish Hall

School Gym

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Scout Room

School Gym

School Gym

Parking Lot

Parking Lot

Church

Office

Conference Room

Church or DMEC

Library

Monday, July 24

7:00 am School Sports

9:30 am Mary, Martha Prayer Group

10:00 am Library Staff

7:00 pm Welcome Team Meeting

Tuesday, July 25

7:00 am School Sports

1:00 pm Best Years Club

Wednesday, July 26

7:00 am School Sports

8:45 am St. Paul Street Evangelization

6:30 pm Family Adoration

7:30 pm Family Adoration Fellowship

7:00 pm Boy Scouts

Thursday, July 27

7:00 am School Sports

7:00 pm Kingdom Builders

Friday, July 28

7:00 am School Sports

12:00 pm Parish Office Closes

Saturday, July 29

Catholic Charities "Stuff-A-Trunk" Weekend

7:45 am Morning Prayer in the Church or DMEC

8:00 am Mass in the Church or DMEC

8:45 am Eucharistic Adoration in the Church or DMEC

4:30 pm Mass in the Church or School Gym

Sunday, July 30

Catholic Charities "Stuff-A-Trunk" Weekend

8:00 am Mass in the Church or Gym

9:45 am Mass in the Church or Gym

11:30 am Mass in the Church or Gym

5:30 pm Mass in the Church or Gym

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Monday - Friday: 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

ANOINTING OF THE SICK:

Please call the parish office to keep us informed of the sick and homebound or

to schedule an anointing at 432-0268

SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL:

For assistance with food or utilities, please call 260-399-9092

2024 MASS INTENTIONS

Dear Parishioners,

We have reached the end of our Mass Intentions for 2023, therefore, we will be opening the first 4 months of 2024 on July 31.

Please note that we are no longer taking Mass Intentions over the phone, you will need to stop by the office or go directly to the online Mass Intention Requests located under Resources on the front page of our website, seasfw.org.

If you have any questions, please call the parish office at 432-0268. Thank you.



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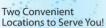
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