

**HE WILL  
BAPTIZE  
YOU  
WITH**

**THE  
HOLY SPIRIT  
AND FIRE**

**January 12, 2025 - SAINT ELIZABETH ANN SETON CATHOLIC CHURCH**

# MASS TIMES, INTENTIONS, READINGS & ADORATION

# STAFF

## Monday, January 13

*Heb 1:1-6; Ps 97:1 and 2b, 6 and 7c, 9; Mk 1:14-20*

6:30 am † Mary Ann Riebenack

8:15 am † Jim Farkas

## Tuesday, January 14

*Heb 2:5-12; Ps 8:2ab and 5, 6, 7, 8-9; Mk 1:21-28*

8:15 am † Adele Zambrano

6:30 pm Vincent & Mary O'Connor -Special Intention

## Wednesday, January 15

*Heb 2:14-18; Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9; Mk 1:29-39*

6:30 am † Norma Sluyter

8:15 am Mike DiScala (Birthday)

## Thursday, January 16

*Heb 3:7-14; Ps 95:6-7c, 8-9, 10-11; Mk 1:40-45*

8:15 am † Josephine Trotta

6:00 pm † Ralph Meyer

## Friday, January 17 -Memorial of Saint Anthony, Abbot

*Heb 4:1-5, 11; Ps 78:3 and 4bc, 6c-7, 8; Mk 2:1-12*

6:30 am † Ron Harber - Birthday

8:15 am † Mary Ann Riebenack

## Saturday, January 18

*Heb 4:12-16; Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15; Mk 2:13-17*

8:00 am † Polly Hagedorn

4:30 pm † Louis Sobasky

## Sunday, January 19 - Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

*Is 62:1-5; Ps 96:1-2, 2-3, 7-8, 9-10; 1 Cor 12:4-11; Jn 2:1-11*

8:00 am † Marge Abromowski

9:45 am Pro Populo

11:30 am † Susan Hood

5:30 pm † Duane Meyer

**MORNING PRAYER IS PRAYED AT 7:45 A.M. EVERY SATURDAY BEFORE MASS, COME AND JOIN THE UNIVERSAL CHURCH IN PRAYER AND LEARN THE BEAUTY OF THE LITANY OF THE HOURS - PRAYER FOR EACH DAY OF OUR LIVES**

Saint Vincent de Paul:

For Assistance with Food or Utilities

Please call 260-399-9092

Confessions:

After most weekday Masses and

Saturday, after the 8:00 am Mass

Adoration:

Every Tuesday after the 8:15 am Mass until the 6:00 pm

Mass and after the 6:00 pm Mass until 8:30 pm.

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## 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







A few committed volunteers are still needed for a special steering committee for 2025! This past August marked 250 years since the birthday of our patroness, and this upcoming September will mark 50 years since her canonization. Elizabeth Ann Seton was declared a saint on September 14th, 1975 by Pope Paul VI (also now a Saint!).

To mark this "golden anniversary" of our saint, we wish to spend the year of 2025 celebrating our great patroness. As a parish staff, we have had a couple brainstorming sessions to think about what is possible. Honestly, the possibilities seem endless for how to honor our patroness and unite in praising God for her life of heroic virtue. Our first celebration was the Christmas concert and soup supper for St. Elizabeth Ann Seton's feast day, January 4<sup>th</sup>. That was a joy and a great way to start the year. In order to organize further special events and other ideas, we want to create a special steering committee for these efforts. This would require a lot of time up front in the planning, logistics, and collaborating with various parish groups, hopefully finishing the majority of the planning before March ends. After that time, it would mostly be coordinating the implementation of whatever the group comes up with for the parish community.

If you are someone who:

- 1) can help plan and collaborate,
- 2) has the time to devote to this for the next year, especially in the winter months,
- 3) and a passion for the parish and our patroness, St. Elizabeth Ann Seton,

then please let the parish office know you want to be a part of the steering committee. We have a few people who have expressed interest already. But we will need a few more to really allow this team to excel. Many hands make light work, and we expect it would be a lot more effective with some others to help coordinate the special events and initiatives this team will dream up.

We hope to have an introductory meeting in a couple weeks. Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton, pray for us!

# MINISTER SCHEDULES FOR JANUARY 18 & 19 SUB REQUEST\*\*\*

<b>SATURDAY</b> <b>4:30 PM</b>	<b>LECTOR</b> John Mullen Todd Kleinrichert	<b>EMHC</b> Elaine Pontillo Mark Clay Keith Hood Carol Savieo	<b>SERVERS</b> Logan Kleber Josh Hampton Luke Burkhart Sammie Spoltman	<b>USHERS</b> Michael Siffer Sam Speciale	<b>WELCOME</b> Inez Skillman
<b>SUNDAY</b> <b>8:00 AM</b>	Chris Welling Rick Nill	Chie Valcarcel Carmen Reed Carolyn Adgalanis Julie Nill	Dominic Breckler Andrew Langford Thomas Landrigan Paul Loeffler	Eddie Stroncsek *** Doug Stroncsek ***	Linda Landrigan
<b>9:45 AM</b>	Karen DiScala Mike DiScala	Michele Eckert Stan Liponoga Ashley Meehan Jason Close	Lee Liponoga Eleanor Liponoga Solina Sorg Thomas Sorg	David Knoth Mike O'Keefe	Janeen Close
<b>11:30 AM</b>	Ron Orman Jenny Andorfer	Jack Dunifon Jim Drohan	Luke Westrick Sydney Knoth Owen Vincent Lila Shanks	Steve Wells NOT FILLED	Michael & Nancy Stevens
<b>5:30 PM</b>	Frank Metelues Tyler Adgalanis	Jerome Ticatic Kelley Doyle Cathie Bledsoe Noah Paxton ***	Templars 1 Templars 2 Templars 3 Templars 4	Mary Barritt	Elizabeth Feola

THERE WILL BE INCENSE AT THE 5:30PM MASS ON JANUARY 19

## Local Artist Exhibition

Calling all local artist to join us for the Art Exhibition Festival 2025. Artists will feature religious themed exhibits. Appetizers and Spirits will be available during this event

Date

**Feb.22,2025**  
**6:30 pm**

Location

**2304 Lower**  
**Huntington Rd**

**Space Fee /Reserve**  
**By Feb 1, 2025**

**35.00**

**Contact Us**

📞 260-747-9139

secretary@sttheresefw.org



### SVdP Food Pantry Cupboard Corner

Items currently needed:  
*Toilet paper, paper towels, paper napkins, cleaning/ disinfectant wipes*

When you're out shopping this week, please include a few of the needed items in your cart. Bring them to Church next week and drop off in the donation cart. Thank you for helping keep our pantry stocked.

### SVdP Conference Meeting

Everyone is welcome to attend our upcoming Conference meeting, Monday January 13<sup>th</sup> at 7:00pm in the Parish Hall. Come and learn about all the different ways we help in our parish and assist those in need right here in the St Elizabeth Ann Seton neighborhoods. Can't attend the meeting but want to join? Contact Angie at [SVdP@seasfw.org](mailto:SVdP@seasfw.org) for more information.

# SAINT ELIZABETH ANN SETON CATHOLIC SCHOOL

## A WORD FROM OUR PRINCIPAL

Greetings and Happy New Year! It's hard to believe that last week we began the 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter of our school year. This quarter begins with a lot of great activities! Be sure to mark your calendars for HASA's January Dine to Donate event at Guadalupe's on Illinois Road on Wednesday, January 22<sup>nd</sup>. Everyone is welcome! Additionally, at the end of the month we will begin celebrating Catholic Schools Week! We plan to kick things off at the Sunday January 25<sup>th</sup> 9:45 a.m. Mass and a week celebrating our school and faith will follow. Details to come! Have a great week! Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton, PRAY FOR US!

Miss Widner

## SCHOOL CALENDAR

January 13-17-ILEARN Checkpoint Assessment grades 3-8  
January 17-Srs. of St. Francis of Perpetual Adoration visit  
January 18-8<sup>th</sup> Grade Confirmation Retreat (if you don't attend on 1/25)  
January 22-NO SCHOOL for 4-year-old Preschool ONLY  
January 22-4-year-old Preschool Parent Conferences  
January 22-HASA's Dine to Donate at Guadalupe's  
January 24-Early Dismissal at 1:30 p.m.  
January 25-8<sup>th</sup> Grade Confirmation Retreat (if you did on attend on 1/18)  
January 26-CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK KICK OFF MASS – 9:45 a.m.  
January 26-First Communion Mtg. - 12:45 or 4:00 p.m. (choose one to attend)  
January 27-First Communion Mtg. 6:00 p.m. (choose one to attend)  
January 31-HASA's Wine Night to benefit SNL



## Photo

This Advent season Mrs. Bowman and Mrs. Yarde encouraged their 5th grade students to reflect on ways they can serve those who are less fortunate. The class decided to support the parish SVdP food pantry. Each day students brought in food items for the pantry! On the last day of school before Christmas break, students gathered all the food they had collected and delivered it to the SVdP food pantry in the basement of the church! GOOD JOB, PIONEERS!







# Fidelis & Fraternus

Tuesdays from 6:30 – 8:30



6<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> graders

This week's focus:

## Do you worship God?

*"Give to the Lord the glory due his name." Psalm 96:8*



Join us in 2025 for a  
**Sisterhood or Brotherhood rooted in Christ**

Experience the joy of a Catholic sisterhood in **Fidelis** or brotherhood in **Fraternus**.

More info at: [Fidelis@seasfw.org](mailto:Fidelis@seasfw.org) or [Fraternus@seasfw.org](mailto:Fraternus@seasfw.org)

## BAPTISMAL PREP CLASS

If you are a new parent or having a child baptized for the first time at St. Elizabeth, please contact Raeann Mullen to register for a required baptismal prep class via email [rmullen@seasfw.org](mailto:rmullen@seasfw.org) or call the Parish office 260.432.0268 x104.

It is recommended that parents attend the class before the birth of your child so that there will be no delay in setting a date for the baptism once the baby is born.

The next baptismal prep class is scheduled **January 12, @ 12:45 pm** in the Mother Teresa room.



PLEASE JOIN US FOR

### St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish FAMILY ADORATION HOUR

MONDAY, JANUARY 20TH

6:30 PM

AFTERWARDS, ENJOY FELLOWSHIP AND  
A TREAT IN THE PARISH HALL

The *Ecce* Young Adult Choir is auditioning singers for the spring choir season! We are an acapella choir of Catholic young adults from all across Northeast Indiana and Northwest Ohio, dedicated to evangelization through the beauty of sacred music. Interested singers must be practicing Catholics 18-33 years old and proficient in reading music. Please email Jessica Schuster, Director, before February 2nd for more information and to schedule an audition:

[jessica.schuster.155@gmail.com](mailto:jessica.schuster.155@gmail.com).

## PARISH ACTIVITIES CALENDAR

### Monday, January 13

9:00 am Ephphatha Prayer Sb Committee  
9:00 am Mary Martha Lazarus Prayer Group  
10:00 am Library Staff  
6:00 pm Gr. 7&8 Youth Formation  
6:00 pm RCIA/OCIA  
6:30 pm Sacred Heart Ind. Session  
6:30 pm Ephphatha Meeting  
6:30 pm Ephphatha Prayer Team  
7:00 pm Pro-Life Meeting  
7:00 pm SVPD Meeting

Mother Teresa  
Fr. Solanus  
Library  
All Classrooms  
Mother Teresa  
Music Room  
Youth Room  
St. Cecilia  
Fr. Solanus  
Parish Hall

### Tuesday, January 14

6:30 pm Fraternus  
6:30 pm Fidelis

Café  
Youth Room

### Wednesday, January 15

6:00 am Men's Group  
6:00 pm Sacred Heart Prayer Ministry-Private  
6:30 pm Women's Welcome Meeting  
6:30 pm School Board Meeting  
7:00 pm Adult Choir

Mother Teresa  
Library  
Mother Teresa  
Media Center  
Church

### Thursday, January 16

10:00 am Bible Study  
7:00 pm Bible Study  
7:30 pm Scout Meeting

Mother Teresa  
Mother Teresa  
Youth Room

### Friday, January 17

9:00 am Sisters of St. Francis  
1:00 pm K of C Softball Committee  
1:30 pm HASA Meeting

School  
Fr. Solanus  
Library

### Saturday, January 18

8:00 am Mass  
8:30 am Confirmation Retreat  
9:30 am Saint Augustine Men's Group  
4:30 pm Mass

Church  
Parish Hall  
Fr. Solanus  
Church

### Sunday, January 19

8:00 am Mass  
9:45 am Mass-Children's Liturgy of the Word  
11:30 am Mass  
12:30 pm Baptisms  
4:00 pm Grades 7 & 8 Youth Formation  
5:00 pm Fraternus HAWC  
5:30 pm Mass

Church  
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All Classrooms  
Youth Room  
Church



*St. Dymphna's Refuge  
Mental Health Peer Support Group  
Meeting January 20, 2025,  
7:00pm Church Gathering Space  
St. Therese Catholic Church*





*Ladies!*  
Join us in January for  
Kingdom Builders

*Sometimes we can experience an overabundance of food, screens, events, and stuff over the holidays. Our souls are longing for a refreshing reset of grace and order. Ladies ~ join us in January for a royal reset and rest in the Divine.*

Thursday January 23rd @ 7pm  
St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish

 *Kingdom Builders*  
www.BuildingThroughHim.com




## GAME NIGHT

New to our parish and want to learn more about what we have to offer? Long-time parishioner seeking new friends and acquaintances? All are invited for an evening of board games! A variety of games will be available for casual and more experienced board gamers alike. Come alone or bring the whole family, all ages are welcome!

**SATURDAY, JAN. 11, 5:30 PM**  
**PARISH HALL**

Sponsored by the New Parishioner  
Outreach Group

Greenlawn Funeral Home



## Fraternus HAWC Schedule 2024-2025

*H*onest - *A*ccountable - *W*illing - *C*haste

Date	Time	Topic / Event	Location
10/6	5:00 PM	HAWC Introduction / Bowling with my brothers	Precious Blood Bowling Alley
10/20	5:00 PM	The kind of people He invites	St. Elizabeth's Youth Room
11/3	5:00 PM	The Invitation	St. Elizabeth's Youth Room
11/17	5:00 PM	The Cost	St. Elizabeth's Youth Room
12/1	5:00 PM	You Are Not Alone	St. Elizabeth's Youth Room
12/15	5:00 PM	Created and Claimed: Made Good	St. Elizabeth's Youth Room
1/5	5:00 PM	Created and Claimed: Made for More	St. Elizabeth's Youth Room
1/19	5:00 PM	Created and Claimed: Made for Communion	St. Elizabeth's Youth Room
2/2	5:00 PM	Created and Claimed: Made for Glory	St. Elizabeth's Youth Room
2/16	5:00 PM	** Special Guest ** - TBD - Vocation Day	St. Elizabeth's Youth Room
3/2	5:00 PM	Never Alone: Belonging	St. Elizabeth's Youth Room
3/16	5:00 PM	Never Alone: Guided	St. Elizabeth's Youth Room
4/6	5:00 PM	Never Alone: Empowered	St. Elizabeth's Youth Room
4/20	5:00 PM	Never Alone: Alive	St. Elizabeth's Youth Room
5/4	5:00 PM	Never Alone: Prayer for the release of the Holy Spirit	St. Elizabeth's Youth Room
5/18	5:00 PM	HAWC End of Year Olympics!	St. Elizabeth's Youth Room





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### Top 10 reasons to sign up for the Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton Marriage Encounter Experience:

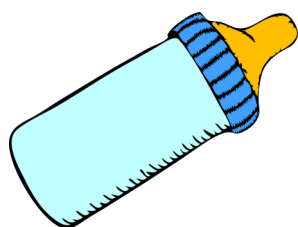
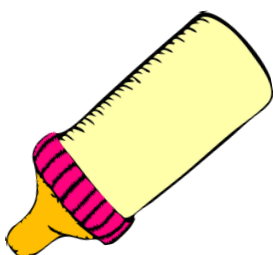
- You love your spouse and want to make sure they know it.
- You would like to experience the passion you had after you were first married.
- You have had some life changes. (Having a child, becoming empty nesters, having grandchildren, recently had job change or moved... just to name a few)
- You would like a couple days away from the “to do” lists and busy-train of life to just focus on your spouse.
- You would like to meet other couples who highly value the marriage sacrament.
- You would like to be fed and have snacks all day.
- You would like to be better understood by your spouse.
- You have a good marriage, but you want to make it better.
- You come up with a million excuses not to attend, but something (Holy Spirit?) says you should!
- You would like to invite Christ to be more a part of your marriage.

We are inviting EVERY married couple and religious to attend, but there is limited capacity for this one scheduled for February 8-9th here at St Elizabeth Ann Seton. The experience will begin at 8am on Saturday and end after mass by 4pm on Sunday. You will go home in the evenings and sleep in the comfort of your own bed. Each day there are a series of talks presented by 3 couples and a priest. You will learn about tools you can use to continue to enrich your sacrament. It will be an experience filled with romance and spiritual connection. This is an experience for you and your spouse, not group sharing.

Register at [wwme-ni.org](http://wwme-ni.org) (click apply now under find an experience), sign up on the application sheet at the welcome center, or contact parishioners Rick & Julie Nill at 260-255-9264 or email [Julie\\_nill@comcast.com](mailto:Julie_nill@comcast.com). You will be contacted with details. There is a \$75 application fee, but donor funds are available to any parishioner who needs them. Just make the note PARISH FUNDS on your application. Don't let another day go by without making your marriage a priority. If you wait until you have the time, you will never experience it...TAKE the time, you deserve it!

### “The Christ Child Society of Fort Wayne’s Baby Bottle fundraiser begins this weekend!

Please take a bottle and fill it with spare change. No contribution is too small. If desired, checks can be made payable to: Christ Child Society of Fort Wayne, P.O. Box12708, Fort Wayne, IN 46864. Your generosity will go a long way in helping this philanthropic, all volunteer organization, whose mission is to meet the needs of children and their families in our community. Please return your



bottle to the parish on the weekend of February 8 and 9 or February 15 and 16. To learn more about the Christ Child Society of Fort Wayne, please visit:

[www.christchildsocietyfw.org](http://www.christchildsocietyfw.org)

Please remember to drop off your Aluminum cans in the Knights of Columbus shed located in the corner of the Homestead parking lot.



## The Baptism of the Lord

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