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## Mass Intentions Apr. 21st - 27th

### Monday

*Acts 2:14, 22-33; Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11; Mt 28:8-15*

6:30 am † Fr. James Seculoff  
8:15 am Benjamin Stoffel - Birthday

### Tuesday

*Acts 2:36-41; Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20 and 22; Jn 20:11-18*

8:15 am † Robert L. Harber  
6:00 pm † Frank Rozman

### Wednesday

*Acts 3:1-10; Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9; Ps 118:24; Lk 24:13-35*

6:30 am † Janet Enrietto  
8:15 am Taylor Westby - Birthday

### Thursday

*Acts 3:11-26; Ps 8:2ab and 5, 6-7, 8-9; Lk 24:35-48*

8:15 am † William "Bill" Gillig  
6:00 pm † Judy Mick

### Friday

*Acts 4:1-12; Ps 118:1-2 and 4, 22-24, 25-27a; Jn 21:1-14*

6:30 am † Bill Gephart  
8:15 am † William Gillig

### Saturday

*Acts 4:13-21; Ps 118:1 and 14-15ab, 16-18, 19-21; Mk 16:9-15*

8:00 am Beckman Family - Living  
4:30 pm † Living & Deceased family of Oswald and Leona Miller

### Sunday - Sunday of Divine Mercy

*Acts 5:12-16; Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24; Rev 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19; Jn 20:19-31*

8:00 am Ed & Patricia Bauner Bailey Family  
For Living & Deceased Members  
9:45 am † Jim Farkas  
11:30 am Pro Populo  
5:30 pm Jack Cahill - Special Intention

### Morning Prayer:

Every Saturday morning at 7:45 am. Come and join the universal church in prayer and learn the beauty of the Litany of the Hours.

### Confession Times:

After most weekday Masses & Saturday, After the 8:00 am Mass

### Eucharistic Adoration:

Tuesday after the 8:15 am Mass until the 6:00 pm Mass and after the 6:00 pm Mass until 8:30 pm

### Saint Vincent de Paul:

For Assistance with Food or Utilities, please call 260-399-9092



## FR. TERRY'S COLUMN

APRIL 20, 2025 • EASTER SUNDAY

**“The Faith is not a survival... It has not survived; it has returned again and again in this western world of rapid change and institutions perpetually perishing.”**

**- G.K. Chesterton, The Everlasting Man**

These words here are important. The author refers to the fact of Jesus truly dying and truly returning to life. Think for a moment about that last phrase, "institutions perpetually perishing," and relate it to the last 2000 years of history. Consider even a few of those institutions: how they came to be, how they thrived or at least survived, and how they eventually fell into the mist of memory.

Now consider the Bride of Christ, the Church, and all those who have faith in the Resurrection. The faith of the believers can't be quelled in its entirety because the Church is not a man-made institution. While it is full of bumbling humans who make mistakes and sin a lot, it is also grounded solidly on the faith of the Cross and the hope for Heaven. This is the same reason St. Paul tells us not to be conformed to this world, as is written in the blue banner of our Church. Even back then, He understood the frenzied, revolving patterns in society. He knew that the world would never stand still, but its members can stand firm in the Lord.

While we might be a part of a world that will eventually pass away, we can be confident in faith. Cling close to Jesus, so as not to be caught up in those things that perish. Instead, follow in faith the one who gives us eternal life. And join in the company of the saints, so beautifully depicted now in our sanctuary's "heavenly realms," who have died to this world and have returned to life in the Resurrection of Jesus, the King of Kings and conqueror of death and sin. Happy Easter!



**PARISH ACTIVITIES CALENDAR****Monday, April 21****Easter Monday-Parish Office Closed**

9:00 am Golden Anniversary Interviews  
 9:00 am Mary, Martha, Lazarus Prayer Gr.  
 10:00 am Library Staff  
 6:00 pm RCIA/OCIA  
 7:00 pm Pro-Life Meeting

Youth Room  
 Fr. Solanus  
 Library  
 Mother Teresa  
 Fr. Solanus

**Tuesday, April 22**

6:30 pm Fraternus  
 6:30 pm Fidelis  
 6:30 pm Small Faith

Café  
 Youth Room  
 Mother Seton

**Wednesday, April 23**

6:00 am Men's Group  
 1:00 pm Reach More Training  
 6:30 pm Small Faith - Meehan  
 6:30 pm Little Flowers Girls Club  
 6:30 pm Kingdom Builders 9

Mother Teresa  
 Mother Teresa  
 Parish Hall  
 Youth Room  
 Fr. Solanus

**Thursday, April 24**

6:30 pm Reach More Training  
 7:00 pm Kingdom Builders  
 7:30 pm Scout Meeting

Mother Teresa  
 Church  
 Youth Room

**Friday, April 25**

2:00 Knights of Columbus Softball Mtg.  
 6:00 pm Grieving w/Great Hope  
 6:30 pm Small Faith

Fr. Solanus  
 Library  
 Parish Hall

**Saturday, April 26**

**Fraternus Excursion to Camp Lakewood**  
**First Communion at all Masses**  
 7:45 am Morning Prayer  
 8:00 am Mass  
 8:45 am Eucharistic Adoration  
 4:30 pm Mass

**Off-Site**  
**Church**  
 Church  
 Church  
 Church  
 Church

**Sunday, April 27**

**Fraternus Excursion to Camp Lakewood**  
**First Communion at all Masses**  
 8:00 am Mass  
 9:45 am Mass-CLOW  
 11:30 am Mass  
 12:30 pm Baptisms  
 4:00 pm Grade 7 Youth Formation  
 5:30 pm Mass  
 6:45 pm Men's Welcome Meeting

**Off-Site**  
**Church**  
 Church  
 Church  
 Church  
 All Classrooms  
 Church  
 Mother Teresa

**Youth Formation****Grade 7****No Class: Blessed Easter to all!**

Stay tuned:

Registration for the 2025-26 Youth Formation year  
 begins May 1

**Children's Liturgy of the Word****Join us during the 9:45 am Mass**

All Children ages 4-6 are invited to participate in this ministry. Children are called up before the readings and dismissed together to have their own Liturgy of the Word with a reading of the Gospel and related songs and activities. Any questions contact Sarah Bishop and Mike Rost  
[seaschildre sliturgy@gmail.com](mailto:seaschildre sliturgy@gmail.com)

**SPONSOR OF THE WEEK****State Farm-Pat Bryan**
**SAINT ELIZABETH ANN SETON  
 CATHOLIC CHURCH  
 BAPTISMS**
***Elliah Benedict Abdalla***

Child of  
 Benedict & Monica Abdulla

***Owen Thomas Luth***

Child of  
 Derek & Taylor Luth

***Charlotte Kay Luth***

Child of  
 Derek & Taylor Luth

***Theodore Mason Casaburo***

Child of  
 Thomas & Masie Casaburo

***Wyndham Patrick Nierman***

Child of  
 Robert & Morgan Nierman

**YOU ARE A CHILD OF GOD AND YOU ARE WON-  
 DERFULLY MADE, DEEPLY LOVED AND  
 PRECIOUS IN HIS SIGHT**

Ministry Schedule for April 26 & 27 **Sub Request \*\*\***

| Saturday                   | Lectors                                | EMHC   | Servers   | Ushers                                  | Welcome         |
|----------------------------|--|--|---|---|-----------------|
| <b>4:30 pm</b>             | Andrew Hufford<br>Tom Jurczak          | Julie Bender<br>Nichole Moore<br>Mary Clay<br>Robert Jones<br>Debby Williams<br>Carol Savieo<br>Duane Hougendobler<br>Will Hougendobler<br>Elaine Pontillo                                     | Emma King<br>Sammie Spoltman<br>Josie Patton<br><b>Luke Burkhart***</b> | <b>Michael Siffer***</b><br>Bryan Smith | James Zollinger |
| <b>Sunday<br/>8:00 am</b>  | Tyler Adgalanis<br>Maryella Hierholzer | Rick Nill<br>Julie Nill<br>Carolyn Adgalanis<br>Stan Liponoga<br>Cherly Hartholl<br>Catherine Hill<br>Arlis LaMaster<br>Rich Burton<br>Megan Burton  | Thomas Landrigan<br>James Breckler<br>Lee Liponoga<br>Eleanor Liponoga  | Tim Homier<br>Steve Conte               | Marilee Just-Ta |
| <b>Sunday<br/>9:45 am</b>  | Marissa Windell<br>Doree bush          | Susan Rost<br>Janeen Close<br><b>Kathryn Bloomfield***</b><br>David T. Jones<br>Jessica Lommatzsch<br>Joanne Leja<br>Mel Shade<br>Tom Quigley<br>Beth Quigley<br>Judy Farkas                   | Evelyn Wedler<br>Cora Windmiller<br>Veronica Garcia<br>Julian Garcia    | Jason Close<br>Bob Hoppe                | Mike Rost       |
| <b>Sunday<br/>11:30 am</b> | Armie Aves<br>Kay Cozad                | Cathie Bledsoe<br>Jennifer Vincent<br>Barbara Kaminskis<br>Nicole Knoth<br>Katharine Barondeau<br>David Tyndall<br>Angie Proffitt<br>Mary Kay Pequignot<br><b>Jack Dunifon***</b><br>Ann Cozad | Eli Becker<br>Xavier Becker<br>Genevieve Flood<br>Sydney Knoth          | Earbie Bledsoe<br><b>Jim Drohan***</b>  | Angie Brown     |
| <b>Sunday<br/>5:30 pm</b>  | Frank Metelues<br>Jonathan Feola       | Jerome Tiatric<br>Mary Barritt<br>Kelley Doyle<br>Melissa Dempsey<br>Amy Biesiada<br><b>NOT FILLED</b><br><b>NOT FILLED</b><br><b>NOT FILLED</b><br><b>NOT FILLED</b><br><b>NOT FILLED</b>     | Sofia Przybylski<br>Emalee Bennett<br>Brayden Bennett<br>Harrison Webb  | <b>NOT FILLED</b><br><b>NOT FILLED</b>  | Andrea Ash      |

**There will be Incense at the  
4:30 pm Mass on Saturday May 3rd**

# EASTER FLOWERS

Steve & Marci Rittmanic

Raul G. Navarrete

Alicia Navarrete

Carol Rittmanic

Mr. & Mrs. Mark Jarmus

Richard Jarmus

Jean Jarmus

Julia Borkowski

Thaddeus Borkowski

Mr. & Mrs. Michael Merkler

The Hoffman Family

The Merkler Family

Diane & Steven Thomas

Chaput Family

Hren Family

Thomas Family

Virginia Hite

Kenneth & Margaret Freiburger

Wilmer & Frieola Diehm

Ignatius & Monica Freiburger

Ms. Marilyn Taylor

Andrew

Luella & Shirley Luthman

Mr. & Mrs. Dale Vandegriff

Pfeifer-Vandegriff Families

Mr. & Mrs. George Clevenger

Phil Wolpert

Gayle & Vi Bauserman

Julie Keller & Scot Schouweiler

Jeanne Schouweiler

Marilyn Smith

Mr. Gerald Paulausky

Mrs. Helen Thiele

Lawrence Thiele

Mrs. Marsha Loney

Dennis Loney

Mr. & Mrs. Paul Everett

Deceased Members of Ruszkowski Family

Deceased Members of the Everett Family

Mr. & Mrs. Philip J. Velez

William F. Eckert

Mr. & Mrs. Jesse Velez

Mr. & Mrs. Michael Durnell

Durnell-Sorg Families

Larry & Ellen Till

Till/Harvey Family

Ruth Sovine

Sovine & Jones Families

Brian & Tiffany O'Keefe

William O'Keefe

Mr. & Mrs. Roberto Melendez

Janet Kreinbrink

Victoria Cordova

Amaya

Alfred & Ada Alvarez and Family

Mr. & Mrs. Ronald D Dunn Jr

Ron & Carol Dunn

Mr. & Mrs. Tom Scofield

Owen Scofield

Ted Scofield

Mr. James Devlin

Ellen Devlin

Mr. & Mrs. Michael & Samantha Verslype

Adam Sermersheim

Jerry Sermersheim

Mrs. Patty Sermersheim

Mrs. Diane Ciesielski

Ciesielski Family

Lewinski Family

Richard & Barbara Burton

James G. Burton

Gloria Carpenter

Mr. & Mrs. Ronald Zielinski

John & Victoria Zielinski

Bill & Edna Traigis

Mrs. Carol Conte

Stippich & Conte Families

David & Kimberly Walenga

Walter Zawadski

Gilbert Weden

Mike Woehner

Pat & Butch Woehner

Eddie & Aggie Woehner

Hub & Dona Sherman

Scott Sherman

Marilyn Sherman Steckbeck

Thomas & Rebecca Jurczak

Theodore, Frances & Teddy Jurczak

Julia Zimmer

Katherine & John Szalankiewicz

Lucy & Vincent Szalankiewicz

Mary & Stephen Jurczak

Teresa Slenk & Dolores Waligora

James & Julia Ferwerda

Ron Chapin

Micael & Kathy McCullough

McCullough & Woods Families

Mark & Ruth Clay

Jacob Clay

Mrs. Rebecca Onulak

Michael Onulak

Kathleen Denice

Nick Denice

Mrs. Jacqueline Downey

Eric Downey

Mr. & Mrs. Gerhard Jaeckle

Mr. & Mrs. Chester Baran

Mr. & Mrs. Michael Stockman

Mr. Ron Glotzbach & Family

Mr. Steve Spoltman & Family

Mrs. Carol Specht



# EASTER FLOWERS

Ms. Rose Ann Scranton

Lowell Scranton

Isabella Scranton

Marie Scranton

Barry & Erin Sporrer

Sharon Sporrer

Deceased Members of Niezer Family

Deceased Members of Sporrer Family

Louise Hoffman

Larry Hoffman

Hoffman Family

Wilder Family

Mrs. Carol Brockmeyer

Sterling & Betty Reber

Donald Reber

Barbara Reber

Nathan & Megan Deig

Nathan Trappazano

Leo Wallace

Bill & Sally Freil

Alice & Tom Zentofer

Renee Deig

Mr. & Mrs. Dana Hoopingarner

Samuel & Angelina Ventruella

Richar & Eunice Hoopingarner

Eve & James Sauve

The Colasanti Family

Mary & Joe Sage

Mrs. Janice Gillig

Deceased Members of Gillig &

Hartman Families

Mrs. Marilee Just-Ta

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Noetzel

Monica Noetzel

Rebecca Heltz

Maureen Nygard

James Noetzel

Frank & Margie Kinn

Nick A. Meyer

Mary Meyer

Frank Kinn

Dorothy Kinn

John & Kathleen Mrugala

Herbert & Corrine Scheiber

Jeannine Kalkbrenner

Stefan & Irene Mrugala

Walter & Margaret Barchanski

Mr. & Mrs. Stephen McArdle

Don & Erna Murray

Jim Murray

John & Clara McArdle

Jennifer Allmandinger

Allmandinger Families

Carmen Cawoode

Mrs. Mary Lou Oberley

Mark Oberley

Robert Harber & Family

Mr. & Mrs. Robert Smeltzley

Martha Anderson

Richard L Anderson

Richard E Anderson

Michael L Anderson

Dan & Wendy Flotow

Katie & Larry Farmer

Alan & Jette Siebold

Paul, Lucy & Eugene Siebold

Deceased Wilber & Holmes Families

Thomas & Ashley Meehan

Mary Ehinger

Richard Everhart

Living Members of Thomas Meehan & Family

Mr. & Mrs. Kerry Crossland

George Crossland

Patricia Crossland

Bill Jehling

Joe Via

Thomas & Margaret Kalinowski

Rosemary Kaad

Barrett Kaad

Marilu Arinelt

Barbara Madson

Peone & Stanley Kalinowski

Timothy & Jamie Fagan

Bill & Eileen Fagan

Jack & Jan Davis

Mr. & Mrs. Louis & Maureen Mespell

Gene & Joan Mount

Kathy Clem

Nellie Cooper

Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Hanlon

Hanlon & Piasecki Families

Mary Flynn

Ellen Devlin

Mr. Nicholas Wusterbarth

Julie Fitzgerald, Loving Mother

Mr. & Mrs. Robert Hoppe

Mrs. Laura Kline

Mr. & Mrs. Gordon Pleus

Mr. & Mrs. Wesley Keisler

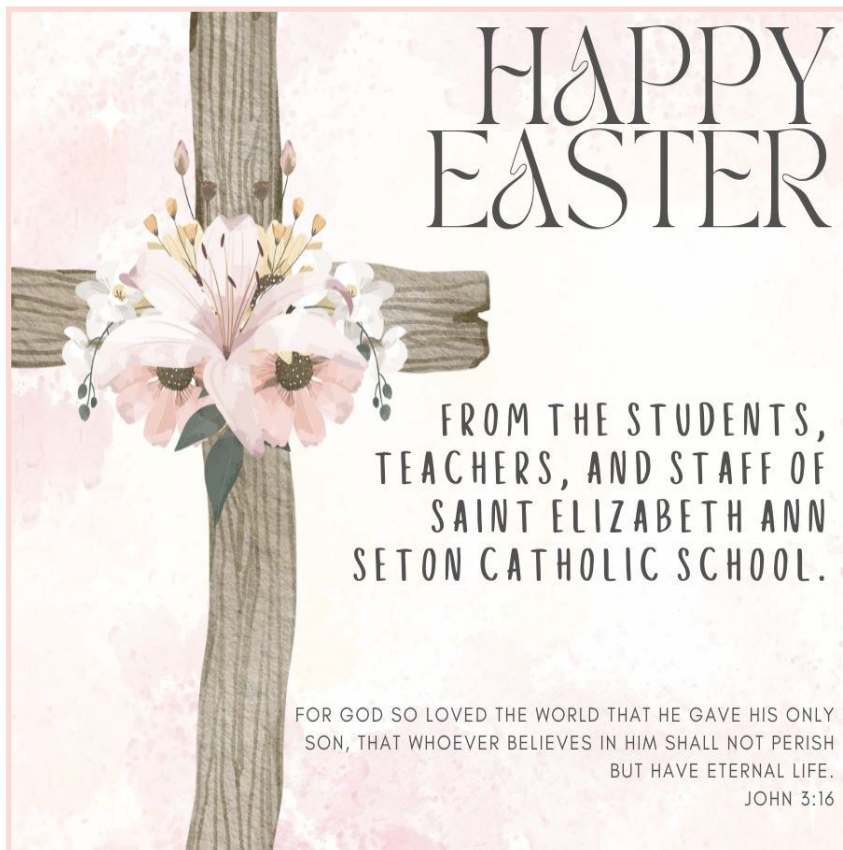
Mr. & Mrs. Lawrence & Karen Festa

Marshall Phillips & Laura Przybyla

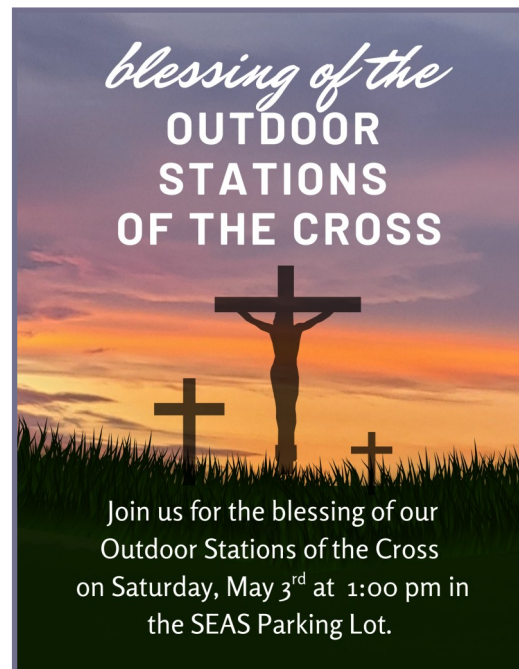
Sharon Dennis

Mr. & Mrs. David Kuntz

Arthur & Carol Theisman



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| <b>SUNDAY: April 7, 2025</b> |              |
| Adult & Loose Collections:   | \$ 15,315.64 |
| Online & Mailed Collections: | \$ 29,338.00 |
| Total:                       | \$ 44,653.64 |
| Children's Collections:      | 53.08        |
| Thank you                    |              |



### 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 **May 4, @ 12:45 pm** in the Mother Teresa room.

*Ladies!*  
Join us in April for  
Kingdom Builders

He Loves Me, He Loves Me Not ~ Sometimes we may feel that we need to earn God's love. The perpetual cycle of "doing, doing, doing" in our hectic lives can be exhausting. Ladies, we invite you to a Gathering in April, where you can take a moment to simply rest and receive His love.

**Thursday, April 24th @ 7PM**

Kingdom Builders  
[www.BuildingThroughHim.com](http://www.BuildingThroughHim.com)

## Best Years Club

**SAVE THE DATE**  
**Tuesday**  
**Apr 29th**  
**1 pm to 3:30 pm**

★ Welcome Age 60+  
★ Cards & Social time

*Bring a Snack  
to Share!!*

**ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON PARISH HALL**  
1 pm – 3:30 pm | Tuesday, April 29th





## Fidelis & Fraternus

Tuesdays from 6:30 – 8:30

6th - 12th graders



This week's topic:

**Find Hope in Divine Mercy**

**"Whose sins you forgive are forgiven them..." (John 20:21)**



**Join us Tuesday for games, food and a discussion about God's infinite mercy.**

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)

### ANNUAL BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENT

It remains important for our Church to protect children and young persons from the evils of abuse. The Diocese of Fort Wayne-South Bend remains committed to upholding and following its guidelines, policies and procedures that were implemented for the protections of children and young people. These can be reviewed on the diocese's website, [www.diocesefwsb.org](http://www.diocesefwsb.org), under "Youth Protection." If you have reason to believe that a minor may be a victim of child abuse or neglect, Indiana law requires that you report this to civil authorities. If you or someone you know was abused as a child or young person by an adult, you are encouraged to notify appropriate civil authorities of that abuse. In addition, if the alleged abuser is or was a priest or deacon of the Catholic Church, you are encouraged to contact Jodi Marlin, Victim Assistance Coordinator, at (260) 399-1447 or [jmarlin@diocesefwsb.org](mailto:jmarlin@diocesefwsb.org); or Rev. Mark Gurtner, Vicar General of the Diocese of Fort Wayne-South Bend, at P.O. Box 390, Fort Wayne, Indiana, 46801; at (260) 399-1447; or at [mgurtner@diocesefwsb.org](mailto:mgurtner@diocesefwsb.org). The diocese is committed to helping prevent the abuse or neglect of children and young people and to assist those who have suffered harm as a result of such abuse.

### **SVdP Food Pantry Cupboard Corner**

**Items currently needed: Laundry detergent, disinfectant wipes, multi-surface cleaner, toilet bowl cleaner, dish soap.**

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.



### **Grow It Forward**

What's better than a freshly picked, homegrown tomato, pepper, squash or bean? Sharing that nutritious deliciousness with others, especially those with food insecurity.

SEAS St Vincent de Paul Conference presents it's *Grow It Forward* fundraiser. You will be able to purchase 4" potted Big Boy Tomato, Sweet 100 Cherry Tomato, green bell pepper, or jalapeño pepper plants, or seed packets of squash, beans, and greens. Purchase for your garden or sponsor for a neighbor being assisted through our St Elizabeth Food Pantry to grow their own.

The 4" vegetable plants (\$5) and seed packets (\$2) will be available to purchase or sponsor the *Grow It Forward* weekend of May 17th & May 18th after all Masses. We will accept cash, check or credit/debit card. (Cards will incur a 3% processing fee). This will also be an opportunity to sponsor (purchase a plant for someone needing assistance to grow their own veggies) or to make a charitable donation to our *Grow It Forward* fundraiser.

Think you don't have a green thumb or haven't had success vegetable gardening? Well, mark your calendars for the **7pm May 12th SVdP meeting...**for two reasons. 1. We are hosting a Master Gardener to speak at the meeting; giving tips on growing plants, soil health, maintenance, and how to spot and correct issues throughout growing season. She will also have a Q&A to build that confidence your green thumb may want. 2. We will have a **PRESALE** of the plants and seeds. You will be able to purchase/seeds that Monday evening—5 days early of *Grow It Forward* weekend.

### **St Elizabeth's FIRST FRIDAY Volunteer Event**

SEAS St Vincent de Paul Conference is excited for our next *First Friday Volunteer Event* Friday, May 2nd. Volunteers will meet at SEAS at 9:15am(at the Parish Office), carpool/caravan to SVdP Thrift Store (1600 S Calhoun St) to volunteer resetting/organizing sales floor, processing clothing, and assisting in reorganizing the book section for approximately 2 hours (10am-12noon). Around 12:30, those interested will gather for lunch downtown(Dash-In). Feel free to participate in all *First Friday* events, or drop in when you can for what you can. *First Friday* is an open invitation to anyone that would like to give back by volunteering. Invite friends, family, and neighbors to join us. Children younger than 15 must be accompanied by an adult. If you have any questions or would like more details, please email Angie at [SVdP@seasfw.org](mailto:SVdP@seasfw.org). Looking forward to making a difference through service on Friday, May 2nd.