

# St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church

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So those who had been sent off and found everything just as He had told them. And as they were untying the colt, its owners said to them, "Why are you untying this colt?" They answered, "The Master has need of it."

So they brought it to Jesus, threw their cloaks over the colt, and helped Jesus to mount. As He rode along, the people were spreading their cloaks on the road; and now as He was approaching the slope of the Mount of Olives, the whole multitude of his disciples began to praise God aloud with joy for all the mighty deeds they had seen. They proclaimed:

"Blessed is the king who comes in the name of the Lord.

Peace in heaven and glory in the highest."

Some of the Pharisees in the crowd said to Him, "Teacher, rebuke your disciples."

He said in reply,

"I tell you, if they keep silent, the stones will cry out!"

Luke 19: 34-40

**PALM SUNDAY OF THE  
PASSION OF THE LORD  
APRIL 14, 2019**

## PRIESTS

Very Rev. Fr. Brian D.M.J. Grady, TOC, VF- Pastor  
Rev. Fr. Colin Easton - Parochial Vicar

## DEACONS

Mr. Kenneth Giacone  
Dr. Richard Marcantonio

## SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 4:00 PM  
Sunday: 8:00, 9:30, and 11:15 AM

## WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Monday thru Saturday: 8:45 AM

## SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Tuesday: 6:00-6:45 PM  
Saturday: 9:15-10:00 AM  
3:00-3:45 PM  
(or by appointment)

## RECITATION OF THE ROSARY

Monday thru Saturday: 8:15 AM (in the Chapel)

## RECITATION OF THE DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET

Monday thru Saturday: 9:15 AM (in the Chapel)

## EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Monday thru Friday: 8:00 AM - 7:00 PM  
Saturday: 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM  
Sunday: 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM

## LITURGY OF THE HOURS

Tuesday: 8:00 AM (in the church)  
Thursday: 6:45 PM (in the church)

## BLESSING OF MARRIAGE ANNIVERSARIES

2nd Weekend of the Month at all Masses

## BLESSING OF EXPECTANT MOTHERS

4th Weekend of the Month at all Masses

## WEEKLY BLESSING OF RELIGIOUS ARTICLES

Please drop off any articles to be blessed at the Parish  
Office on Tuesdays during office hours.  
Blessed articles will be available for pickup the  
following Wednesday morning.

**PARISH SCHEDULE AND MASS INTENTIONS  
FOR THE WEEK AHEAD**

**SUNDAY, APRIL 14– PALM SUNDAY OF THE  
PASSION OF THE LORD**

8:00 AM Mass (The People of St. EAS)  
9:00 AM Adoration until 12 Noon  
9:30 AM Mass (Deacon Blood ~ Adam & Mary Hibberts  
& Family)  
God Is! Team Recap Meeting  
10:30 AM RCIA  
11:15 AM Mass (Gregg Squiers & Family ~ †Brandon  
Goss)

**MONDAY, APRIL 15– MONDAY OF HOLY WEEK**

8:00 AM Adoration until 7PM  
8:15 AM Rosary  
8:45 AM Mass (†Holy Souls in Purgatory)  
9:15 AM Divine Mercy Chaplet  
6:00 PM St. Vincent de Paul Society Meeting  
7:00 PM That Man is You  
Maranatha Charismatic Group

**TUESDAY, APRIL 16– TUESDAY OF HOLY WEEK**

8:00 AM Adoration until 7PM  
Liturgy of the Hours- Morning Prayer  
8:15 AM Rosary  
8:45 AM Mass (†Ron Modrich ~ The Ross Family)  
9:15 AM Divine Mercy Chaplet  
9:30 AM Marian Movement of Priests' Cenacle  
1:00 PM Holy Hour of Reparation  
6:00 PM Confessions

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17– WEDNESDAY OF HOLY WEEK**

**\*OFFICE CLOSSES AT NOON FOR HOLY WEEK\***

8:00 AM Adoration until 7PM  
8:15 AM Rosary  
8:45 AM Mass (†Beverly McCall ~ †Grant Richmond)  
9:15 AM Divine Mercy Chaplet  
9:30 AM Rosary Makers  
Carmelite Spirituality Group  
4:30 PM Holy Thursday Practice  
7:00 PM Choir Practice  
Kreul Light of the World Group



**THURSDAY, APRIL 18– HOLY THURSDAY**

**\*OFFICE CLOSED\***

7:30 PM Mass of the Lord's Supper (Vicky Serio ~  
†Richard Balfour)

**FRIDAY, APRIL 19– GOOD FRIDAY**

**\*OFFICE CLOSED\***

9:30 AM Good Friday Practice  
12:00 PM Veneration of the Cross  
7:00 PM Seven Last Words of Jesus

**SATURDAY, APRIL 20– HOLY SATURDAY**

10:00 AM Blessing of the Baskets  
10:30 AM Easter Vigil Practice  
7:30 PM Easter Vigil Mass (†Ashlyn Kiwala ~  
The Patterson & Japsen Families)

**READINGS FOR MASS  
FOR THE WEEK OF APRIL 7, 2019**

**SUNDAY:** LK 19:28-40 / PHIL 2:6-11/ LK 22:14—23:56

**MONDAY:** IS 42:1-7/ JN 12:1-11

**TUESDAY:** IS 49:1-6/ JN 13:21-33, 36-38

**WEDNESDAY:** IS 50:4-9A/ MT 26:14-25

**THURSDAY:** EX 12:1-8, 11-14/ 1 COR 11:23-26/ JN 13:1-15

**FRIDAY:** IS 52:13-53:12/ HEB 4:14-16; 5:7-9/JN 18:1-19:42

**SATURDAY:** GN 1:1—2:2/ GN 22:1-18/ EX 14:15—15:1/ IS 54:5-14  
IS 55:1-11/ BAR 3:9-15, 32C4:4/ EZ 36:16-17A, 18-28  
ROM 6:3-11/ LK 24:1-12

**SUNDAY:** ACTS 10:34A, 37-43/ COL 3:1-4/ JN 20:1-9

*Please keep the sick, the needs of our parish community,  
and the Church in your daily prayers.*

God told Moses to have each family take a one-year-old, male, unblemished lamb; slaughter the lamb; and paint the door posts and lintel of every house where they would eat its roasted flesh with unleavened bread and bitter herbs. That night, the Angel of Death would “passover” the homes protected by the blood, but take the lives of the first born children unprotected by the blood of the lamb. Because of that blood sacrifice, Pharaoh let the people go: they went from slavery to freedom, from a land of sin to the Promised land, and from death to new life.







## FROM THE DESK OF THE PASTOR

Today we begin Holy Week and enter into the sacred mysteries of Our Lord's Passion, Death, and Resurrection.

In anticipation of Divine Mercy Sunday, the Novena to the Divine Mercy begins on Good Friday. During this Solemn Novena leading to Divine Mercy Sunday, the Chaplet of Divine Mercy should be offered each day for the day's intentions. In the bulletin this week, you will find the Novena in its entirety.

Jesus had asked that the Feast of the Divine Mercy be preceded by a Novena to the Divine Mercy which would begin on Good Friday. He gave St. Faustina specific intentions to pray for on each day of the Novena, saving for the last day the most difficult intention of all -- *the lukewarm and indifferent* of whom He said:

*"These souls cause Me more suffering than any others; it was from such souls that My soul felt the most revulsion in the Garden of Olives. It was on their account that I said: 'My Father, if it is possible, let this cup pass Me by.' The last hope of Salvation for them is to flee to My Mercy."*

In her diary, St. Faustina wrote that Jesus told her: *"On each day of the Novena you will bring to My heart a different group of souls and you will immerse them in this ocean of My mercy ... On each day you will beg My Father, on the strength of My passion, for the graces for these souls."*

The different souls prayed for on each day of the Novena are: All mankind, especially sinners, the souls of priests and religious, all devout and faithful souls, those who do not believe in Jesus and those who do not yet know Him, the souls of separated brethren, the meek and humble souls and the souls of children, the souls who especially venerate and glorify Jesus' mercy, the souls who are detained in Purgatory, the souls who have become lukewarm.

I hope that you will consider praying this Novena which *begins this Friday, April 19th*. Check next week's bulletin for information on Divine Mercy Sunday which is April 28th.

Prayers for a most blessed Holy Week!

## Holy Week Schedule

*Mass of the Lord's Supper*  
Thursday, April 18th at 7:30PM

*Veneration of the Cross*  
Friday, April 19th at NOON

*Easter Basket Blessing*  
Saturday, April 20th at 10:00AM

*Easter Vigil*  
Saturday, April 21st at 7:30PM

*Easter Sunday*  
Sunday, April 22nd at 7:30AM, 9:15AM & 11:00AM

(No Morning Masses April 18, 19, 20)

## HELP CHRISTIANS IN THE HOLY LAND



**THERE ARE ONLY 175,000 CHRISTIANS LIVING IN THE HOLY LAND, WHICH MAKES THEM ONLY 2% OF THE POPULATION. WE NEED TO HELP OUR BRETHREN REMAIN IN THE HOLY LAND AS A CHRISTIAN PRESENCE. PLEASE GIVE GENEROUSLY TO THIS ANNUAL COLLECTION ON GOOD FRIDAY.**

**PONTIFICAL GOOD FRIDAY COLLECTION**

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## THE CHAPLET OF DIVINE MERCY NOVENA

Opening Prayers - Using a normal Rosary, make the *Sign of the Cross* on the first large bead.

On the first small bead, recite the *Our Father*.

On the second small bead, recite the *Hail Mary*.

On the third small bead, recite the *Apostles' Creed*.

For Each Decade - On the large beads, recite:

*Eternal Father, I offer You the Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity of Your dearly beloved Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, In atonement for our sins and those of the whole world.*

On the ten small beads, recite:

*For the sake of Your sorrowful passion, have mercy on us and on the whole world.*

Concluding Prayer - After five decades, recite three times:

*Holy God, Holy Mighty One, Holy Immortal One, have mercy on us and on the whole world.*

### FIRST DAY

*"Today bring to Me all mankind, especially all sinners, and immerse them in the ocean of My mercy. In this way you will console Me in the bitter grief into which the loss of souls plunges Me."*

Most Merciful Jesus, whose very nature it is to have compassion on us and to forgive us, do not look upon our sins but upon our trust which we place in Your infinite goodness. Receive us all into the abode of Your Most Compassionate Heart, and never let us escape from It. We beg this of You by Your love which unites You to the Father and the Holy Spirit. Eternal Father, turn Your merciful gaze upon all mankind and especially upon poor sinners, all enfolded in the Most Compassionate Heart of Jesus. For the sake of His sorrowful Passion show us Your mercy, that we may praise the omnipotence of Your mercy forever and ever. Amen.

### SECOND DAY

*"Today bring to Me the Souls of Priests and Religious, and immerse them in My unfathomable mercy. It was they who gave me strength to endure My bitter Passion. Through them as through channels My mercy flows out upon mankind."*

Most Merciful Jesus, from whom comes all that is good, increase Your grace in men and women consecrated to Your service, that they may perform worthy works of mercy; and that all who see them may glorify the Father of Mercy who is in heaven. Eternal Father, turn Your merciful gaze upon the company of chosen ones in Your vineyard -- upon the souls of priests and religious; and endow them with the strength of Your blessing. For the love of the Heart of Your Son in which they are enfolded, impart to them Your power and light, that they may be able to guide others in the way of salvation and with one voice sing praise to Your boundless mercy for ages without end. Amen.

### THIRD DAY

*"Today bring to Me all Devout and Faithful Souls, and immerse them in the ocean of My mercy. These souls brought me consolation on the Way of the Cross. They were a drop of consolation in the midst of an ocean of bitterness."*

Most Merciful Jesus, from the treasury of Your mercy, You impart Your graces in great abundance to each and all. Receive us into the abode of Your Most Compassionate Heart and never let us escape from It. We beg this grace of You by that most wondrous love for the heavenly Father with which Your Heart burns so fiercely. Eternal Father, turn Your merciful gaze upon faithful souls, as upon the inheritance of Your Son. For the sake of His sorrowful Passion, grant them Your blessing and surround them with Your constant protection. Thus may they never fail in love or lose the treasure of the holy faith, but rather, with all the hosts of Angels and Saints, may they glorify Your boundless mercy for endless ages. Amen.

### FOURTH DAY

*"Today bring to Me those who do not believe in God and those who do not know Me, I was thinking also of them during My bitter Passion, and their future zeal comforted My Heart. Immerse them in the ocean of My mercy."*

Most compassionate Jesus, You are the Light of the whole world. Receive into the abode of Your Most Compassionate Heart the souls of those who do not believe in God and of those who as yet do not know You. Let the rays of Your grace enlighten them that they, too, together with us, may extol Your wonderful mercy; and do not let them escape from the abode which is Your Most Compassionate Heart. Eternal Father, turn Your merciful gaze upon the souls of those who do not believe in You, and of those who as yet do not know You, but who are enclosed in the Most Compassionate Heart of Jesus. Draw them to the light of the Gospel. These souls do not know what great happiness it is to love You. Grant that they, too, may extol the generosity of Your mercy for endless ages. Amen.

### FIFTH DAY

*"Today bring to Me the Souls of those who have separated themselves from My Church, and immerse them in the ocean of My mercy. During My bitter Passion they tore at My Body and Heart, that is, My Church. As they return to unity with the Church My wounds heal and in this way they alleviate My Passion."*

Most Merciful Jesus, Goodness Itself, You do not refuse light to those who seek it of You. Receive into the abode of Your Most Compassionate Heart the souls of those who have separated themselves from Your Church. Draw them by Your light into the unity of the Church, and do not let

them escape from the abode of Your Most Compassionate Heart; but bring it about that they, too, come to glorify the generosity of Your mercy. Eternal Father, turn Your merciful gaze upon the souls of those who have separated themselves from Your Son's Church, who have squandered Your blessings and misused Your graces by obstinately persisting in their errors. Do not look upon their errors, but upon the love of Your own Son and upon His bitter Passion, which He underwent for their sake, since they, too, are enclosed in His Most Compassionate Heart. Bring it about that they also may glorify Your great mercy for endless ages. Amen.

#### SIXTH DAY

*"Today bring to Me the Meek and Humble Souls and the Souls of Little Children, and immerse them in My mercy. These souls most closely resemble My Heart. They strengthened Me during My bitter agony. I saw them as earthly Angels, who will keep vigil at My altars. I pour out upon them whole torrents of grace. I favor humble souls with My confidence."*

Most Merciful Jesus, You yourself have said, "Learn from Me for I am meek and humble of heart." Receive into the abode of Your Most Compassionate Heart all meek and humble souls and the souls of little children. These souls send all heaven into ecstasy and they are the heavenly Father's favorites. They are a sweet-smelling bouquet before the throne of God; God Himself takes delight in their fragrance. These souls have a permanent abode in Your Most Compassionate Heart, O Jesus, and they unceasingly sing out a hymn of love and mercy. Eternal Father, turn Your merciful gaze upon meek souls, upon humble souls, and upon little children who are enfolded in the abode which is the Most Compassionate Heart of Jesus. These souls bear the closest resemblance to Your Son. Their fragrance rises from the earth and reaches Your very throne. Father of mercy and of all goodness, I beg You by the love You bear these souls and by the delight You take in them: Bless the whole world, that all souls together may sing out the praises of Your mercy for endless ages. Amen.

#### SEVENTH DAY

*"Today bring to Me the Souls who especially venerate and glorify My Mercy, and immerse them in My mercy. These souls sorrowed most over my Passion and entered most deeply into My spirit. They are living images of My Compassionate Heart. These souls will shine with a special brightness in the next life. Not one of them will go into the fire of hell. I shall particularly defend each one of them at the hour of death."*

Most Merciful Jesus, whose Heart is Love Itself, receive into the abode of Your Most Compassionate Heart the souls of those who particularly extol and venerate the greatness of Your mercy. These souls are mighty with the very power of God Himself. In the midst of all afflictions and adversities they go forward, confident of Your mercy; and united to You, O Jesus, they carry all mankind on their shoulders. These souls will not be judged severely, but Your mercy will embrace them as they depart from this life. Eternal Father, turn Your merciful gaze upon the souls who glorify and venerate Your greatest attribute, that of Your fathomless mercy, and who are enclosed in the Most Compassionate Heart of Jesus. These souls are a living Gospel; their hands are full of deeds of mercy, and their hearts, overflowing with joy, sing a canticle of mercy to You, O Most High! I beg You O God: Show them Your mercy according to the hope and trust they have placed in You. Let there be accomplished in them the promise of Jesus, who said to them that during their life, but especially at the hour of death, the souls who will venerate this fathomless mercy of His, He, Himself, will defend as His glory. Amen.

#### EIGHTH DAY

*"Today bring to Me the Souls who are in the prison of Purgatory, and immerse them in the abyss of My mercy. Let the torrents of My Blood cool down their scorching flames. All these souls are greatly loved by Me. They are making retribution to My justice. It is in your power to bring them relief. Draw all the indulgences from the treasury of My Church and offer them on their behalf. Oh, if you only knew the torments they suffer, you would continually offer for them the alms of the spirit and pay off their debt to My justice."* Most Merciful Jesus, You Yourself have said that You desire mercy; so I bring into the abode of Your Most Compassionate Heart the souls in Purgatory, souls who are very dear to You, and yet, who must make retribution to Your justice. May the streams of Blood and Water which gushed forth from Your Heart put out the flames of Purgatory, that there, too, the power of Your mercy may be celebrated. Eternal Father, turn Your merciful gaze upon the souls suffering in Purgatory, who are enfolded in the Most Compassionate Heart of Jesus. I beg You, by the sorrowful Passion of Jesus Your Son, and by all the bitterness with which His most sacred Soul was flooded: Manifest Your mercy to the souls who are under Your just scrutiny. Look upon them in no other way but only through the Wounds of Jesus, Your dearly beloved Son; for we firmly believe that there is no limit to Your goodness and compassion. Amen.

#### NINTH DAY

*"Today bring to Me the Souls who have become lukewarm, and immerse them in the abyss of My mercy. These souls wound My Heart most painfully. My soul suffered the most dreadful loathing in the Garden of Olives because of lukewarm souls. They were the reason I cried out: 'Father, take this cup away from Me, if it be Your will.' For them, the last hope of salvation is to run to My mercy."*

Most compassionate Jesus, You are Compassion Itself. I bring lukewarm souls into the abode of Your Most Compassionate Heart. In this fire of Your pure love, let these tepid souls who, like corpses, filled You with such deep loathing, be once again set aflame. O Most Compassionate Jesus, exercise the omnipotence of Your mercy and draw them into the very ardor of Your love, and bestow upon them the gift of holy love, for nothing is beyond Your power. Eternal Father, turn Your merciful gaze upon lukewarm souls who are nonetheless enfolded in the Most Compassionate Heart of Jesus. Father of Mercy, I beg You by the bitter Passion of Your Son and by His three-hour agony on the Cross: Let them, too, glorify the abyss of Your mercy. Amen.



## THIS IS MY HOME— RESERVED PARKING FOR OUR PARISH FAMILY OF THE MONTH

As a way to express our gratitude and to say 'thank you' to those who support our parish home, we will have a monthly drawing for a prime parking spot! If you are one of the many who help support our parish financially, you will have a chance to win a reserved parking spot in the front row of the parking lot for a month. Every family that actively gives to our parish will automatically be entered into the drawing and one recipient will be drawn. Our reserved parking space will be enjoyed by **Ariel and Lisa Rosado** for the month of April.

*Thank you for your continued generosity to our parish home!*

## PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK:

Pete Aceto, Shari Anchor, Mike Baietto, Ron Bitz, Susan Bourn, Kay Bruess, Dolores Buss, Tim Cannon, Marcia Cassin, Fortuna Calez, Jonathan Christensen, Becky Corcoran, Carla Decker, Jessica Diaz, Mary Diaz, Jessica Duffy, Michael Dunay, Mia Durand, Lily Elder, Eleanor Erbes, Sandy Ferrell, Jill Fisher, Barry Galina, Bernadette Gates, Bruce Gielow, Colleen Gleason, Michalene Gordon, Marilyn Gustafson, Roy Hecker, Clifford Hill, Marlene Hill, Gabe. Hintz, Tracy Holcomb, Leo Jerman, Mary Ann Johnson, Carolyn Joos, Ashley Kelly, Madelynne Kersting, Kara Kolmar, Len Korn, Trish Koval, Amberley Kowalski, Sylvia Laux, Michelle Lee, Blanche Lichon, Bea LoBianco, Don Luna, Dave Marsh, Bob McCormick, David Mead, Eugene Melone, Thomas Melone, Carol Miller, Laura Miller, Bonnie Moriarty, Stephen Morrison, Sherry Muehlbert, Evelyn Moss, Michael O'Donnell, Ted Ougheltree, Nicole Orfanos, Regina Oroni, Felie Onishi, Carol Pratz, Tim Reidy, Carolyn Regini, Laura Salata, Judy Schroeder, Victor Schuett, Marianne Schulze, Mary Skipper, Richard Sloan, Linda Slatter, Lawrence Smith, Phil Stasenka, Caliope Sudzina, Kristen Thomas, Scott Tober, Regina Trasga, Carl Vainisi, Lawrence Vanderleest, Jessica Van Horn, Daniel Wilczak, Beverly Wasilk, Cora Paige Wasilk, John Gordon Wasilk, John Patrick Wasilk, Bart Wysz, Jim Wolfe & Judy Zelz



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## THIS IS MY HOME THE GIFT OF MY TREASURE

Sunday April 7

\$19,985.00

**Our 3% tithe this week will go to the Lay Carmelite Office & The National Shrine of St. Therese of Liseux**— which provides spiritual enrichment & education as well as a place of pilgrimage for Catholics from around the country.

**Amount Owed (Parish Debt) Mortgage: \$529,207.00**  
(Full mortgage payment was due 10/30/2018).  
Original mortgage amount \$1,837,559. (2003)

## ONLINE GIVING

Parishioners have the option of making their regular parish offerings securely and hassle free! It's so easy and convenient to have your Sunday, Holy Day and other church donations automatically transferred from your checking account or your debit/credit card. You can enroll via our website: [www.elizabethannseton.org](http://www.elizabethannseton.org). Click "ONLINE GIVING" on the right side of our Home Page, and follow the prompts for quick and secure automatic transfers. For more information, please contact Patti at (815)459-3033x227 or [pscronce@elizabethannseton.org](mailto:pscronce@elizabethannseton.org)



*Respect Life  
Spiritual  
Adoption*

**7 MONTHS**



By this week, our babies weigh 2 1/4 pounds (about the size of a large eggplant) and measure 14.8 inches from the top of his head to his heels. He can blink his eyes, which now sport lashes. With his eyesight developing, he may be able to see the light that filters in through the womb! He's also developing billions of neurons in his brain and adding more body fat in preparation for life in the outside world.

**Father God, You see us, know us, and desire to be known by us. You gave us the incredible gift of your Son, Jesus, and His death offered on our behalf. Please open the hearts of the mothers of our spiritually adopted babies, so that they can know You, choose You, and choose LIFE for our precious babies. Guard them against the Evil One as our babies' due date draws near.**

**You are God, and can do all things.**

**Jesus, we trust in You.**

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THE CATHOLIC FAITH.  
ON DEMAND.

**OUR FORMED PICK OF THE WEEK**

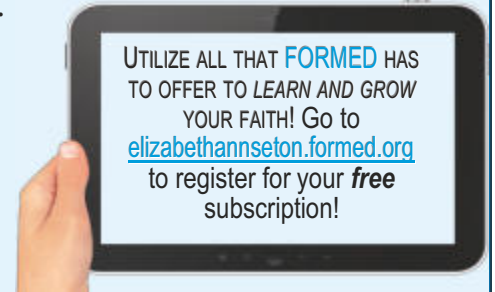


## HOLY WEEK IN ROME

See how Holy Week is commemorated in Rome. Hear from theologians, professors, art historians, and Vatican officials about Jesus' last days on earth and how those moments have been relived throughout the centuries in Church ceremony and art.

From the washing of the feet to the walk to Calvary, Pope Benedict XVI takes us step-by-step through these symbolic events as played out in the Eternal City.

Run Time: 30 minutes



## Easter Flowers

Help us adorn the Sanctuary with flowers for the Easter Season. Your loved ones and intentions will be remembered throughout the Easter Season.

We ask that you bring *potted* flowers (rather than those freshly cut in a vase) as they are easier to maintain and will last longer. If you prefer to make a monetary donation, it will be used for flowers to adorn the sanctuary throughout the year. Please fill out the lower portion of this page and put it in your donated flower pot(s). If it is a monetary donation, put your intentions with your donation in an labeled envelope and drop it in the collection basket or at the parish office.

Please drop off your potted flowers on Good Friday, April 19th,  
or on Holy Saturday *morning* (April 20th).

May God bless you for your generosity!



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**Mark your calendar now  
and plan on having delicious  
Chick-fil-A dinner while supporting  
St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Youth Ministry!**

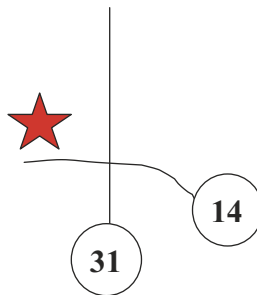


**Spirit Night  
Wednesday  
April 24th  
5-8PM**

**Mention Spirit Night  
when ordering  
and 25% of the purchase  
will be donated back to  
our Mission Team!**



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Crystal Lake  
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### ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON MARRIAGE MINISTRY

**Marriage Tip:** The peace Jesus promises us often comes through forgiving your spouse when he or she hurts you. Is there something you're finding hard to forgive? Take it to Jesus in prayer and ask for His peace.

Are you looking to put Christ in your marriage? Deepen your communication, rekindle your romance and renew your sacrament by attending the next **World Wide Marriage Encounter** weekend. The upcoming WWME Weekends are:

**APRIL 26-28 IN BROOKFIELD, WI**

**JUNE 28-30 IN ROCKFORD, IL**

**JULY 19-21 IN MADISON, WI**

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### Seven Last Words of Christ on the Cross (Siete Palabras)



**GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 19TH  
7 PM ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON**

**Reflections and Prayers  
Veneration of the Cross  
Holy Communion**

All are welcome

### VOCATIONS CORNER



Palms are a Christian symbol of VICTORY, TRIUMPH, and JOY! So on this Palm Sunday we experience great joy--just as the Jewish people did in welcoming Jesus as He rode into Jerusalem on a colt.

Palms are also a Christian symbol for martyrs. Martyrs are those who have witnessed to Jesus and all He said and did, following Him all the way to the end, even if it meant their own death. The martyrs were also victorious, triumphant, and Joyous as they are granted Eternal Life in Heaven. The victory, triumph and joy does not come without faithfulness and suffering through our own crosses.

As we receive a palm today reminding us of Jesus' triumphant entrance into Jerusalem, may we also remember that our vocation (calling in life) will also follow a road that *will* include suffering and a cross. God's plan *is* best, and He will help us learn to embrace our cross along the road. Yes, we will have to endure pain and suffering along the way, but without the cross, there is no crown of victory.

Hang in there, it will all be worth it! -Fr. John McNamara

**The Father gave  
Us His Son.**

**A Mother gave us  
her Son too.**





## THANK YOU FROM SVdP

The Vincentians want to extend a special **THANK YOU** to Norma Purn for all of her hard work and dedication organizing the St. Joseph Table each March. We also thank the parishioners who participated and shared their favorite recipes making this a wonderful event for all.

Because of the generosity of the parishioners and the efforts of Norma, SVdP received over \$700 from the event to disburse among the less fortunate in our community. We are blessed to have faithful, loving members among us. They are the hands and feet of our Lord to whom we give all the glory.

May God bless everyone who gave of their time, talent, and treasure. ❤️

## ILLINOIS RIGHT TO LIFE'S 51ST ANNUAL BANQUET



Please join us on **FRIDAY, MAY 17th** at the Carlisle in Lombard.. Cocktail hour begins at 6pm, followed by dinner and a program at 7pm.

Our **KEYNOTE SPEAKER WILL BE TREY GOWDY**, former Congressman and outspoken pro-life advocate.

This is our largest fundraiser of the year. It will determine how many

hearts and minds we can change not to mention lives we can save, as we work to restore a culture that respects and protects human life in Illinois.

**We hope you can join us!**

To purchase tickets, go to [IllinoisRightToLife.org/Banquet](http://IllinoisRightToLife.org/Banquet) or call 312.422.9300.



## PILGRIM VIRGIN STATUE OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA

Sign up to host the Pilgrim Virgin Statue of Our Lady of Fatima in your home in 2019. Invite family and friends to join in prayer to Mary for your own petitions, our church's petitions and the petitions of the world.

If interested in hosting our Lady for 13 days, please contact Rosemarie Van Horn @ 224 636-2963.

## CALL THE PARISH OFFICE TO:

- ADD A FAMILY MEMBER
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## Requirements for Baptism

In order to have your child baptized at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, the following is required:

- To be a registered member of our parish.
- Attend a Baptismal Preparation class (call the Parish Office to register for this class in advance as space is limited). Please note: you can attend the class before your child is born.
- Schedule the Baptism - the 1st and 3rd Sunday of the month following the 11:15 AM Mass (12:30 PM Baptismal Service).

## Sacrament of Marriage

One or both of the engaged couple should be a registered member of the parish. Wedding arrangements need to be made *at least* six months in advance. Please call the Parish Office to begin the process.

## St. Thomas The Apostle Catholic School

St. Thomas the Apostle School is a Catholic Pre-K through 8th grade elementary school serving the parish communities of St. Thomas the Apostle and St. Elizabeth Ann Seton. Every student in our Catholic school receives a strong foundation in all core subjects — Religion, Reading, English, Math, Science, and Social Studies, along with regular classes in Spanish, Computer Technology, Music, Art and Physical Education. For more information, please contact Gina Houston, principal, at (815)459-0496. [www.stthomascl.org](http://www.stthomascl.org)

## Marian Central Catholic High School

Marian Central Catholic High School is a college preparatory Catholic high school. The school shares with parents and the parishes of the McHenry Deanery in the teaching mission of the Church. It is supported by the 17 Catholic parishes in McHenry County. For more information, please call the school (815)338-4220.

## Religious Education

Religious Education (K-7) classes are held Tuesdays and Wednesdays during the school year at the church. There are three sessions: Tuesday (4:30-6:00 PM and 6:30-8:00 PM) and Wednesday (4:30-6:00 PM). A two year preparation is required before students can received their Sacraments. For more information, please call the Religious Education office.(X223)

## Youth Ministry

Youth Ministry is for grades 9-12. The Sacrament of Confirmation is received after two years preparation (8th-9th grade). Youth Ministry is a year-round program with special activities which include spiritual and social events. For more information, please call the Youth Ministry Office.(X231)

## Ministry of Care

If you or a family member is ill, homebound, or unable to get to Church for Sunday Mass and would like to have Holy Communion or a visit, please call the parish office. Your needs are very important to us.

## Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick

Please call the parish office if a loved one is seriously ill or in the hospital.

## Becoming a Catholic

If you are interested in becoming a Catholic or learning more about the Catholic faith, please call the parish office. The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA) program begins in the fall and concludes with Easter.

## Prayer Chain

If you have a loved one in need of prayers, please call the parish office or e-mail the office at [parish.office@elizabethannseton.org](mailto:parish.office@elizabethannseton.org) with your prayer request for special needs.

## Parish Information

**Telephone:** Parish Office (815) 459-3033  
FAX (815) 459-3040  
Religious Education (815) 459-3096

**Office Hours:** MONDAY THROUGH THURSDAY:  
9:15 AM to 4:00 PM  
FRIDAYS 9:15 AM- 12:00 noon  
SUNDAYS 9:00-11:00 AM

**Mailing Address:** 1023 McHenry Avenue  
Crystal Lake, IL 60014

**Parish Rectory:** Telephone: (815)788-0062  
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**Parish Web Site:** [www.elizabethannseton.org](http://www.elizabethannseton.org)

**St. Vincent dePaul Helpline:** (815)701-2737

## Parish Staff

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## New Parishioners

All adult (high school graduates and older) and new parishioners are requested to register through the parish office. Please call the parish office at (815) 459-3033 to register. Though all are welcome, mere attendance at Sunday Mass does not automatically make one a registered member of the parish. We look forward to having you as a member of our parish family!

## Moving?

If you are moving, please notify the parish office at (815) 459-3033 with any changes of address or phone number(s). This will help ensure that our parish records are accurate.

## Website

Please refer to the parish website [elizabethannseton.org](http://elizabethannseton.org) for additional information and on-line bulletins. If you would like a parish event or ministry information posted on the site, please send a detailed email to: [website@elizabethannseton.org](mailto:website@elizabethannseton.org).

## Weekly Bulletin Articles

All articles for the weekly bulletin must be submitted via email by 12:00 PM on the Wednesday *a week before the* desired publication weekend. (10 days prior to publication date). Articles should be e-mailed directly to: [parishbulletin@elizabethannseton.org](mailto:parishbulletin@elizabethannseton.org).



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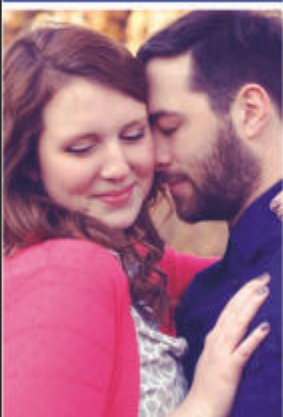
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