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Mass Times

Weekend Mass Schedule:

Saturday: 4:30pm

Sunday: 8:00am, 9:30am & 11:00am

*Polish Mass: 5:00pm on the last Sunday
of each month.

Weekday Mass Schedule:

Monday to Thursday: 9:00am

St. Vincent de Paul Society:

905-898-4264

Website: sjcses.blogspot.com

Catholic Community Services

of York Region: 905-770-7040

Catholic Cemeteries: 905-889-7467

St. John's Cemetery

905-898-4137 ext. 226

New Parishioner?

Welcome to St. Elizabeth Seton!

If you would like to register,
forms are available at the
church entrance or the parish office.

Parishioners with a change of
address, please inform the
Parish office.

Envelopes may also be
acquired at the office.

Please introduce yourself to
Fr. Roy Roberts after Mass!



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905-895-0303

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905-853-0340

Our Lady of Good Counsel

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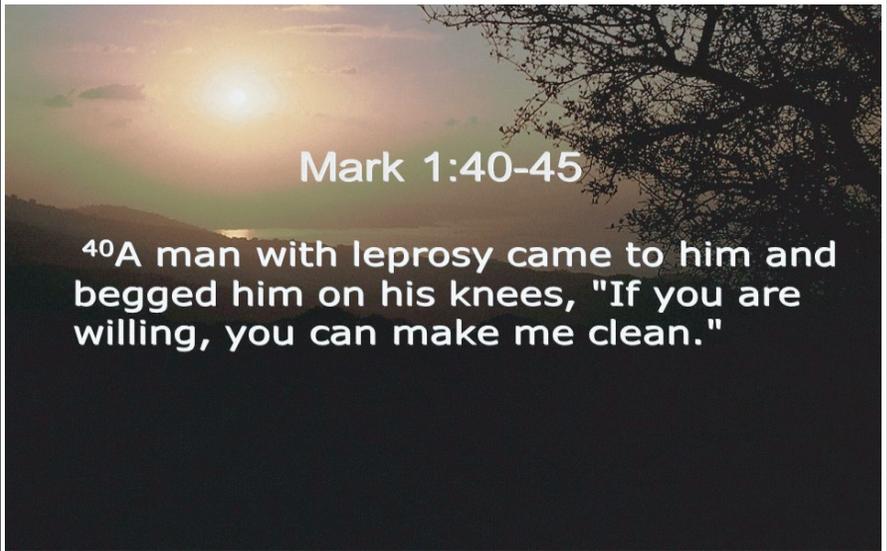
Sacred Heart High School

905-895-3340

St. Elizabeth Seton Parish

Sixth Sunday of Ordinary Time

February 14, 2021



Mark 1:40-45

40A man with leprosy came to him and
begged him on his knees, "If you are
willing, you can make me clean."



Pastoral Team

Fr. Roy Roberts, Pastor

Deacon Marian Pawlisko

Deacon Stephen Pitre

Parish Staff

Parish Administrator ~ Ann Lynch

Sacramental Coordinator - Grades 2 & 7 ~ Jennifer McAvoy

Rectory Administrator—Nancy Rojas

Regular Office Hours

Mon. 9:00am—4:00pm

Tues., Wed., and Thurs. 9:00am—8:00pm ~ Fri., 9am—1pm

Sat. 2:00pm—6:00pm Sun. 8:00am—1:00pm



Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday ~ 3:00 - 3:30 pm

Or By Appointment

Sacrament of Baptism or Marriage: Please contact the office.

For those interested in the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults & Children
of Catechetical age please contact Fr. Roy Roberts

Mass Intentions

Monday, February 15th

10am: **Marilyn Bagley (D)**

Requested by: Marg & John McDonald

Tuesday, February 16th

10am: **Gerry Bayes(D)**

Requested by: Valerie & Ross Price

Wednesday, February 17th

10am: **Special Intentions**

Requested by:

Thursday, February 18th

10am: **Special Intentions**

Requested by:

Still in Lockdown

The Parish Office is closed and the Staff are working remotely from home. To contact us, please email us at st.elizabethseton@rogers.com

Offering Envelopes

The parish offering envelopes are available for pick up. Please call or email the parish office make arrangements for pick up. Unfortunately we are not able to mail out the envelope boxes out.



Parish Giving

February 3rd to February 9th

Sunday Offertory \$2,960.00

SES Building Fund \$ 960.00

Month of January PAG

(Pre-authorized Giving)

Sunday Offertory \$3,902.00

SES Building Fund \$ 282.00

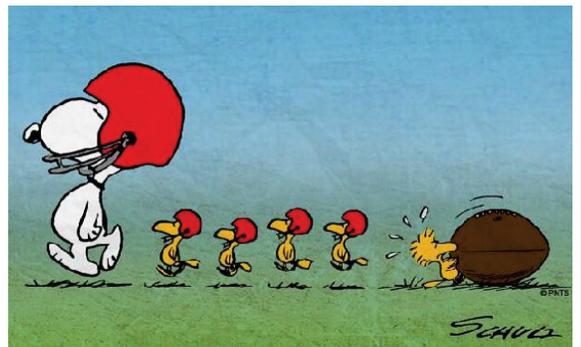
ShareLife \$ 340.00

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Ruminations

I really am totally indifferent to the sport of football. It is a tad embarrassing considering that my undergraduate degree is Sports Administration. Studies have shown that in a typical football game slated for sixty minutes, there is only about ten minutes of actual play. Three hours of screen time for ten minutes of action. I have no favorite player or team though I must confess I think of the Buffalo Bills as the Montreal Canadians of the NFL, more to irk some friends as opposed to any affection or disaffection as the case may be. That being said, I have been attending a Superbowl party for over a decade and a half. I don't think I have ever really watched the game. I go for two reasons, the food and the company and not necessarily in that order. Several of us look at this annual festivity as a chance to get reconnected and it is the best part of the evening. The hard core fans have their eyes glued to the screen with cheers and jeers all at the same time as the opposing fans root for the various actions. If it gets too loud, we just move further away and closer to the food – not a bad trade off. It goes without saying that the party streak ended this year. The annual host did call me to see if I would be watching the game. I said no, as there was something important that I wanted to watch. He asked what it was so I had to confess that it would be anything but. Ended up being Border Patrol. But to mark the occasion and celebrate the weekend, I promised that I would be making a 'Superbowl' dip for nachos. He sent me the traditional one from his party menu and I agreed to make it. When I saw the recipe I knew that it would need to be adapted. It was called "Mom's 7 Layer Dip". I started by eliminating the base of black beans. There was just no way that was going to happen. Now it was 6 Layers. It was supposed to be topped by black olives. Whether it was black or green or red, I was down to 5 Layers. The recipe also called for cilantro. I had never used it or knowingly ate it, but courageously I picked some up. It looked like parsley so I was fine. As I was preparing the cilantro though, it smelled unappealing, but I had no desire to go buy parsley so I chopped it up. I thought that bacon pieces might add a delicious touch. In the fridge I also had some beef that was leftover taco mix so I added that to the concoction. I must say that it tasted great so I took a picture of the bowl of dip and sent it to the host. He admitted it looked great. Now I was back up to 7 Layers but my alterations which were a definite improvement in my humble opinion, now needs to be called 'Roy's 7 Layer Gourmet Dip' or maybe I'll call it the 'Superbowl Super Bowl', and there is no need to like football to savour the dip.

Fr. Roy



Announcements and Events...

Sacramental Corner.....

Ash Wednesday

We will live stream two Ash Wednesday celebrations; one at 10 am and one at 7 pm. After each celebration we will offer those who would like to receive ashes to come to the entrance of the church. It will look a bit different than usual. The ashes will be sprinkled on the top of the head. There will be no physical contact so we cannot minister them on forehead. The sprinkling of the ashes is the more ancient custom. So from 10:30 am until 11:30 am and from 7:30 pm until 8:30 pm if you would like to receive ashes, feel free to come to the church. We will be maintaining all Covid protocols so masks and social distancing are the order of the day.



Ash Wednesday is also an universal day of Fasting and Abstinence. What that means is that everyone over the age of 14 is bound to abstain from eating meat on Wednesday, and those between the ages of 18 and 59 are bound to fast. Fasting means I full meal and two smaller (penitential) meals.

Lent Events

Stations of the Cross

Live streamed Fridays in Lent starting at 7:00 pm.



Monday Morning Prayer

On Mondays during Lent we will live stream Morning Prayer starting at 9:00 am. Morning prayer, part of the Divine Office or Liturgy of the Hours is part of the Official Prayer of the Church. It is the equivalent of Vespers or Evening Prayer. Join us. It lasts about 10 - 15 minutes and we will provide everything you will need in next week's bulletin.

2020 Tax Receipts

The tax Receipts will be mailed out the week of February 15th. Thank you to those who came to pick them up.



Still Collecting Christmas Cards

Once again we are collecting old Christmas cards to help make gift tags for the Gift Wrapping Stations at the Mall. All the profits go to support Community Living Newmarket. They have already begun to make the tags for next year's gifts. You can leave our used cards in our parish mailbox or call the Parish Office to make an appointment to drop them off.



Soul Food Live for Lent

On Tuesdays during Lent we will host Soul Food, various topics leading us to Easter. Starting at 11 am until 11:30, we hope to try to be interactive. Even though there is a 15 second delay, questions can be posted and we will do our best to answer the questions that come in. The first presentation will be on Tuesday, February 23 and the topic will be the History and Spirituality of Lent. If you cant join us at 11 am, the presentation will be accessible on the Facebook Page.



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Warren Pettifer
Mary Ann Ferrer
Larry Yarush
Alain Geraris
Betty Loft
Bruce Firth
Massimo Marcone
Rosa Santos
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Peter Aristotle
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Kathleen Todesco
Joshua Perek
Julia Purdham
Donna Stea-Cutting
Maria De La O -Mejia
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Irene Zbyszynski
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Adam Wood
Mayling Meuses
Frances Leggo
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