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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:

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Parish office.

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Please introduce yourself to  
Fr. Roy Roberts after Mass!



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# St. Elizabeth Seton Parish

FIFTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

FEBRUARY 5, 2017



#### Pastoral Team

Fr. Roy Roberts, Pastor  
Deacon Marian Pawliszko  
Deacon Stephen Pitre

#### Parish Staff

Parish Administrator ~ Ann Lynch  
Sacramental Coordinator - Grades 2 & 7 ~ Jennifer McAvoy  
Parish Custodian—Stanley Skorka  
Rectorry Administrator—Nancy Rojas

#### Regular Office Hours

Mon. 9:00 am—4:00 pm  
Tues. Wed., and Thurs. 9:00 am—8:00 pm ~ Fri., 9:00 am—1:00 pm  
Sat. 2:00 pm—6:00 pm Sun. 8:00 am—1:00 pm

#### Sacrament of Baptism or Marriage:

Please contact the office.  
One year notice for  
Sacrament of Marriage.



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## Mass Intentions

## Ruminations...

**Monday February 6th**  
9am: **Therese Pottie (D)**  
Req by: Pottie Family

**Tuesday February 7th**  
9am: **Glenda Crocco (D)**  
Req by: Parco Family

**Wednesday February 8th**  
9am: **Geoff Coulson (D)**  
Req by: Schwan Family

**Thursday February 9th**  
9am: **Tim Brosnahan (D)**  
Red by: Maureen Brosnahan

***Sunday Masses are for  
ALL GOD'S PEOPLE***



A simple cup of coffee becomes happiness when you share it with friends!

### February 5th

8:00 CWG  
9:30 CWG  
11:00 CWG

### February 12th

8:00 Theresa Klose and Patricia Stuart  
9:30 Gerencser Family  
11:00 CulliganFamily

**Join us after each mass for coffee and fellowship.**



**St. Elizabeth Seton Tax Receipts** will be available for pick up in the foyer from **February 4th to February 26th. Please be sure to pick up your receipt.**

## Parish Giving

The weekend of Jan. 28/29  
Sunday Offertory \$6,772.65  
SES Building Fund \$ 412.10

Alcoholic Anonymous meet every Saturday at 8pm Knights of Columbus room.

So the dust hasn't quite settled yet from mom's move into the big house. It is still quite an adjustment, more so for us than for mom. Mercifully she is not quite aware of everything that is happening. The next project that is underway is selling the family home. This is about as traumatic as the move was. After over a half century in that building, the accumulation of memories and stuff seems almost insurmountable. Every shelf, every closet, every room is somehow ghosted with our story. It is hard with the realtor and the stager who come in indifferent to that history. The decision to scrape off wall paper, or tear down a cabinet, or paint a wall, is not without a mini death. As we were rummaging through the house, interestingly enough we came across many books about memory loss and dementia. Although mom never talked about it, it certainly seems like she knew where she was heading. We have been trying to sort out many of the legacy items, not that there were a lot. There is the old buffet that belonged to my grandparents that was a wedding gift back in the 1920's. There are the two postcards of my grandfather's store at Lake Wilcox in the 1940's that my brother had blown up into pictures. There is mom's set of Country Rose dishes that was amassed as Christmas gifts over a number of years. And probably the biggest item is the huge Christmas cactus that dates back into the 1940's as well. It has been divided into smaller pieces for each of us who want part of it. Surveying the backyard is filled with nostalgia. There is the stand of birch trees that we planted in honour of mom and dad's 25<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary, and the evergreens planted over 50 years ago as little sprouts that now tower over the backyard, one of which served as first base in its younger years. There is the peony garden which are from the farm homestead extending back over a hundred years. Of course there is the door jamb which was the measuring stick of the growth of the grandchildren, with marks and tape dating back to the mid 1990's charting the growth of each of the grandkids, an annual Christmas day tradition and highlight. It is hard to imagine new people coming in without any sense of the sacredness of these holy remnants, but as I am learning, that too is part of the transition. Sometimes the words of Sheldon from Big Bang Theory ring true, that his spot situates him in the



universe, and it is safe place that reminds him that he exists. That's as good a definition of home as any. The problem is that people are coming in to purchase a house, which is easy enough, but we are not selling a house, we are leaving a home.

*Fr. Roy*



## Announcements and Events...



Our next Soup and Movie will be on **Tuesday February 7th**. Our movie will be *"Adams Rib"* Please register with the parish office.



### Ministry of Presence Mass with the Sacrament of the Sick

followed by a light continental  
breakfast

**Wednesday February 8th at 9 a.m.**

All are welcome



### CANADIAN BLOOD SERVICES

Blood Donor Clinic  
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**Monday February 13th - 1:30 to 7:30**



### Knights of Columbus

FREE Family Day Skate  
February 20, 2017 2:30 to 4:30pm  
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Come skate and have a hot chocolate on us.  
All are welcome.



*Ash Wednesday*  
*Wednesday March 1st.*  
*Mass at 9am and 7pm*



**Lenten Fish Fry**  
**Friday, March 3rd**  
**5:00 pm - 8:00 pm**



**Food Box**  
The Newmarket Food Pantry is always in need. If you can please place non-perishable food items in our food box located in the foyer.

## Sacraments of Initiation....



### **Breaking Open the Word!**

Our young candidates are becoming more insightful as they reflect on the Sunday gospel and homily and how it relates to their lives. Hats off to... **Tyler R., Jessica M., Lucas S., Katie N., Nicholas S., Ava C., Alistair S.,** An expectation of our Confirmation program is that all sixty candidates should be completing the reflection forms each Sunday. *Becoming people of reflection is an important part of your journey.*

### Confirmation

**Parents & Candidate Meeting**  
**Monday, February 6th at 7pm- 9pm**

This is a VERY IMPORTANT meeting for both parents & candidates to attend !

Meet your group leaders and the youth in your small groups, find out about the Spring Retreat, Confirmation mass, dates and time and so much more...) See you there!



### First Communion

Parents , please return your sign- up sheets for the Adult Faith Formation Session 2, the Retreat and the First Communion Mass. Check the display case in the church foyer over the coming weeks for your dates and times & mark your calendars. All the children preparing for their First Communion should be filling in their reflection forms each Sunday and bringing them to the parish office. *They are enjoying seeing their friends!*

### SUNDAY MASS DRIVERS NEEDED

We need a number of drivers for our Gbevito family from Africa so they can attend 9:30 Mass every Sunday. Car seats and booster seats are provided. Your involvement would be once every 6 weeks. Please help us include the Gbevito family in our weekly liturgical celebrations. Please contact Christine Charnock at [ccharnock@rogers.com](mailto:ccharnock@rogers.com) or call the parish office.



### Let us pray for the sick...

Michael Whelgan  
Mavis Solomon  
Pam James  
Maria Perek  
Olive Hutton  
Alana Brown-Wallace  
Janet Brockway  
Wally Pottie  
Greg Quattrin  
Carlos Abreu  
Jack Sampano

Tarcisia Borg  
Dan Pividor  
Maria DeRuiter  
Frank Argiro  
Pat Kramer  
Marion Jensen  
Martha Jackson  
Aida Vamvouras  
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Conrad Dutschek  
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