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> Mass Times During The Pandemic:

Weekend Mass Schedule: Saturday: 4:30pm Sunday: 9:00am & 11:00am All will be lived streamed.

Weekday Mass Schedule: Monday to Thursday: 10:00am All Masses are live-streamed

***Polish Mass:** 5:00pm on the last Sunday of each month except July & August

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

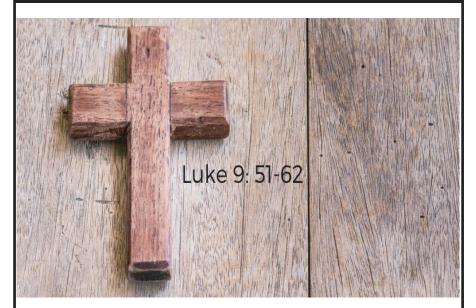
New Parishioner? Welcome to St. Elizabeth Seton! If you would like to register, forms are available at the church entrance or the parish office. Parishioners with a change of address, please inform the Parish office. Envelopes may also be acquired at the office. Please introduce yourself to Fr. Roy Roberts after Mass!

> Parish Schools Good Shepherd School 905-895-0303 St. Elizabeth Seton School 905-853-0340 Our Lady of Good Counsel 905-478-4242 Sacred Heart High School 905-895-3340

St. Elizabeth Seton Parish

Thirteenth Sunday or Ordinary Time

June 26, 2022



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 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, June 27th 10am: Special Intentions Req. by:

Tuesday, June 28th 10am: Gary Gannage Req. by: Chris & Caroline Gannage

Wednesday, June 29th 10am: James McCann Req. by: Knights of Columbus

Thursday, June 30th 10am: Mary Catherine Holtham Req. by:



Your Cancelled Stamps are Valuable

Your cancelled stamps can make a difference. Christmas cards may soon be arriving! Please donate your stamps in the box located in the foyer of the church or by dropping them by the parish office. The money raised from the sale of the postage stamps goes to the Canadian Food for Children Mission Fund.

St. Vincent de Paul

You can donate online to the Newmarket conference: <u>https://sicses.blogspot.com/</u> <u>p/donate.html</u> Tax receipts for one-time donations will be emailed immediately.

Offering Envelopes

We still have lots envelopes that have not been picked up yet. If you have not yet picked up your box of envelopes, please call the Parish Office and we will be happy to help make arrangements to do so or see Fr. Roy after mass. Sorry but we cannot mail them out



June 19th Offertory \$CoVid SES Building \$ Interruptus

Month of May PAG(Pre-authorized Giving)Sunday Offertory\$4,372.00SES Building Fund\$ 322.00ShareLife\$ 465.00

Ruminations

They say that if March comes in like a lion, it goes out like a lamb. I have been searching for a similar saying concerning summer. Let's just say it has come in as a bit of a maelstrom. This past week has been the beginning of Graduation Week. This is the week that our Parish Hall and church are rife with excited grade 8 students, proud parents of grade 8 students, and relieved and exhausted teachers of grade 8 students. Because our facilities work so well this type of event, and of course, we only ask the schools for a donation rather than our regular fee, our hall is in use almost every night for a week and a half. Coordinating the comings and goings of schools, and parents' decorating committees, and set ups and take downs, it is a job unto itself. Well guess which office staff contracted Covid, and not just the symptomatic kind, but the hard to breath, achy, loss of taste kind. The office was closed for the week. Then the new ventilation hood for the kitchen was delayed by a couple of days because the company was the victim of a rash of catalytic convertor thefts in Barrie. In the meantime, the new appliances for the kitchen were scheduled to arrive, timed so they would be out of the way while the new ventilation and fire suppression system were being installed. Thev happened to arrive a day early which even if they were on time, they were still going to be early. So as I was eating supper I reached for some ice cubes from the freezer, and they were just a puddle of water. The fridge wasn't working. Luckily the diagnostic panel indicated that it needed a new air filter. With Youtube beside me I figured out how to open the panel. I discovered that no one had installed the air filter when we purchased it three years ago. Do you know how hard it is to get a refrigerator repairman on a quick call? Meanwhile all the freezer contents and the fridge food stuffs all had to be discarded. The house keeper must have been on the phone for six hours trying to negotiate people to come. Finally a fellow came two days later and said that it would be smarter to buy a new one, that the repairs would be over \$1,000. Finally she got hold of the manufacturers, L.G. There must be a problem with the appliance because they have this deal of buying a warranty for a set cost which will over the cost of the repairs. They cannot come though until next week. That will be 8 days without a refrigerator. My coke Zero is all warm now. As that was going on, and phone calls going back and forth, and helping schools set up, it was almost mom's birthday and I had to sneak up and see her. Every time I looked to go, another issue cropped up, so late in the afternoon I just left everything and went to see her. When I got back and collected the mail, there was an important letter from the Ministry of the Attorney General - I have been called to Jury Duty. I have been on the jury panel before and was called to the selection room. Once they found out I was a seminarian, I was dismissed. This will be the fourth time I have been called to duty, and to be honest, I think it is exciting. Unfortunately it doesn't quite work with my schedule. In fact,

there are two weddings that week, both on weekdays and not on the weekend. Funerals pop up unexpectedly, like just now I got an email asking for my availability. So I guess I have to go to the Court House and plead my cause, though shutting down weekday masses for three weeks (the possible duration of the duty panel), but the last two times I was summoned, they excused me. Maybe summer will go out as a mellow lamb, and a heck of a lot cooler.



Fr. Roy

Announcements and Events...

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OF 60

We are pleased to announce that our SSVP conference will participate in the National program called North of 60 Project, an innovative approach to support remote

communities north of the 60th parallel. The food needs of Sanirajak (formerly Hall Beach), Nunavut will be identified; funds collected will be used exclusively to purchase food items they request and shipped to them in sea containers. Donation envelopes will be availa-

ble at the back of the church next week".

Hall Kitchen Exciting Up-Date

So all the new appliances are here. The new ventilation hood is hanging awaiting the installation of the fire suppression system, and it all looks great and brand spanking new. I hope and I think that by the end of this week (June 30), it should be up and running.

Now it time to look at the carpet. Once everything is ready in the kitchen, the call will go out for the new carpet tiles. It is all so exciting.

Farewell Fr. Frank

Fr. Frank McDevitt is leaving Our Lady of Grace Parish in Aurora. He has been re-assigned to Our Lady of Perpetual Help in Toronto. Fr. Frank was the senior clergy around here, having provided 38 years of service as a priest. Along with that wisdom of experience, Fr. Frank was well respected for his exuding intelligence and profound pastoral approach. He will be missed.

Fr. John Bertao will become pastor at Our Lady of Grace at the end of June. Fr. John has been ordained for 22 years. Welcome to the north.

We would also like to say farewell to Fr. Michael Hughes from St. Mark's in Stouffville. I was in the seminary with him and we wish him well in his new

assignment at St. Gertrude's in Oshawa. We would like to welcome back to our area, a priest who spent five years at Our Lady of Grace, Fr. Tad Walczyk arriving from 12 years at Holy Spirit in Barrie. Many may be quite familiar with Fr. Tad. Don't let him goad you into a table tennis game. He has a mean serve and a wicked spike. Welcome Fr. Tad.

Ukrainian Relief Fund:

In addition to praying for the situation, parishioners can contribute to the Ukrainian Relief Fund, which the Archdiocese has established to help suffering Ukrainians.

Parishioner are able to contribute online by going to: www.archtoronto.org/en/contact-us/donations/ donate-pages/donate-to-humanitarian-relief/

Newmarket Food Pantry

The following items are those most needed by the

Newmarket Food Pantry;

- juice boxes peanut butter and jam
- canned stew, chili and soups
- nutritious lunch snacks
- toiletry items
- baby formula, food and diapers
- junior size baby food (fruit)
- cat & dog food

These items can be dropped in our **Food Box** located in the foyer or for more information go to www.newmarketfoodpantry.ca

As we approach Graduation week in our Parish, a big hearty congratulations go out to all our Grade Eight graduates now heading off to Secondary School, and

an even bigger congratulations to our High School Graduates who are heading into a very important next phase of their lives. Remember to thank God as you move forward and remember to take God with you.



Good Luck & God's speed.

Knights of Columbus Annual Golf Tournament

Keep a Saturday morning open in September for the Annual Knights of Columbus Golf Tournament. Saturday, September 17, 2022 at Cardinal Golf Course. Please see the Website for more details..



Let us pray for the sick...

Alana Brown-Wallace Betty Loft Bruce Firth Kyle Elkie Kathleen Todesco Joshua Perek Donna Stea-Cutting Andy Dube Elizabeth Ryan John O'Rourke Matteo Savella Gerber Aparicio E. Turnbull Mat Hatzimalis Paul Jennas Rose Marie Scott Wanda Tolazzi Sean Coen Cathy Murphy Chad Buckley Corey Price Ana Apareció J. Gole Thomas Lauber Anna Zaryczanska Jake Tallon Carmen Baldacchino Wanda Tolazzi

