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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

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Welcome to St. Elizabeth Seton!

If you would like to register,  
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Parishioners with a change of  
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Please introduce yourself to  
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(905) 895-3340

# St. Elizabeth Seton Parish

PENTECOST SUNDAY

JUNE 4, 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.



**Sacrament of  
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# Mass Intentions

**Monday June 5th**  
9am: **Valter Rossi (D)**  
Req by: Silvano Rossi

**Tuesday June 6th**  
9am: **Cachapero Family (I)**  
Req by: Sandra Poernomo

**Wednesday June 7th**  
9am: **Eufemia DiNardo (D)**  
Req by: St. Elizabeth Seton School Staff

**Thursday June 8th**  
9am: **Eufemia DiNardo (D)**  
Req by: Fran Daly

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

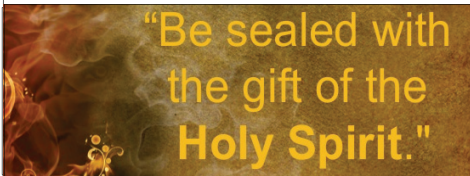


A simple cup of coffee becomes happiness when you share it with friends!

**June 4th**  
8:00 CWG  
9:30 CWG  
11:00 CWG

**June 11th**  
8:00 Hachkowski Family  
9:30 Gerencser Family  
11:00 Culligan Family

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



## Parish Giving

The weekend May 20th/21st  
Sunday Offertory \$ 6,023.25  
SES Building Fund \$ 135.00

The weekend May 27th/28th  
Sunday Offertory \$ 5,995.10  
SES Building Fund \$ 1,070.00

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

# Ruminations...

I remember the year that Secretariat won the Kentucky Derby. It was the second year that I had been recruited to cut my grandparents grass. Each week we would visit and it was my job to cut the small parcel of land, which usually took about an hour to complete. It was the first cutting of Spring, and contrary to the song, the first cut is not the deepest, it is the hardest. This year had been particularly wet and the grass was incredibly thick. It kept clogging the mower and stalling out. It was a frustrating day, and as I struggled through the front yard, I could hear the race being called through the open door and Secretariat cruising through this first leg of the Triple Crown. Anyway, at the end of the toil my grandfather had three crisp one dollar bills for my efforts. That was a huge payday back then. Then there was cutting the grass at home. Where my grandparents' lawn was flat, ours at home was sloped and framed with hills. Where my grandparents had no trees to serve as obstacles, ours was inundated with them. It took at least double the time and was infested with mosquitos. On hot summer days, it was a brutal chore. I couldn't wait for my brothers to grow old enough to help and take their turn. And the remuneration was only a two dollar bill and it wasn't even crisp. Years later dad wanted to assume the responsibility for the lawn upkeep so we pooled our money and got a riding lawn mower. After a couple of by-pass operations, it was the only way dad could do it. He loved zooming around, so much so that he extended the cutting swath to include a lower level of the property that was rarely part of our backyard engagement- again, mosquitos being a major deterrent. Well the impending transfer of the property this past week meant that we had to cut the lawn one last time. It was the first cut of this year and yes, the grass was thick and high. The riding mower had to be set for a high cut first and it took three rounds to work it down to a respectable backyard level. My nephews are certainly old enough and so they took turns on the tractor. The hills and sides required a bit more finesse and certainly the tracts under the trees that the tractor deck couldn't touch needed the push mower. It had been years since I had cut the hills. Because of road construction years ago, there is a five foot, 60 degree slope from the road to the front lawn that required brute force. So three hours later, we took a good long look at this marvellous piece of land, with trees we had planted decades ago, the hills that served as a great tobogganing chute, the field that served as soccer pitch, baseball diamond, red rover surface, javelin sector, a place of exploring grasshoppers, snakes, snapping turtles, praying mantises, butterflies and birds, groundhogs and deer, and birds of every colour and song. It was a great place to grow up, and as Ecclesiastes reminds us, there is a time to let go. Whether we like it or not, this is the time.



*Fr. Roy*

## Announcements and Events...

St. Elizabeth Seton Catholic Women's Guild

### **CLOSING DINNER**

Tuesday, June 13, 2017

Mass at 6:30 pm, dinner to follow at 7:30 pm

Cost of Admission \$ 35

Tickets will be available after all masses June 3/4 and at the parish office through the week



For Additional information please call:

Anna Brown 416 -617 -3710

Darlene Hisko 289 -380 -6217



### ST. ELIZABETH SETON CATHOLIC WOMEN'S GUILD HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION BURSARY APPLICATION

The CWG is happy, once again, to offer a **helping hand bursary** to our young people, here at St. Elizabeth Seton Parish, who will be graduating from any high school.

Applications can be picked up in the parish office.



### ST. ELIZABETH SETON KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

This Scholarship is not dependent on grades or high school involvement. It is designed to celebrate your participation in our Sunday community of worship.

Application forms can be picked up in the parish office

### WE ARE MAKING A DIFFERENCE!

It is that time of year when our parish supports the work of **Canadian Food for Children** with our **Annual Soap, Salt and Shoe Collection**

All three items, which we use every day and take for granted, are most needed, by our brothers and sisters in the world's poorest countries, to help reduce the spread of diseases and to improve the dignity of the people.

If you are able to help with a donation of iodized salt, bath soap or shoes (new or gently used, child, youth or adult/ tied together), please drop your donations off in the parish foyer from **June 17th through to June 25th.**

Thank you so very much for making a difference in the lives of poor families around the world.

**"Do small things with great love." Mother Teresa**



## Sacraments of Initiation....



### Thanks

**A Special Thank You** to all our First Communion and Confirmation Catechists.

Our parish is grateful to you ... the giving of your time and talents; helping the children and youth in their walk with Christ makes a wonderful difference in the lives of so many of God's precious ones.

### **Confirmation Masses**

Saturday June 3rd 4:30pm; Sunday June 4th 11:00am  
Saturday June 10th 4:30pm; Sunday June 11th 11:00am  
(Candidates, its very important to arrive 30 minutes early, we will meet in the room across from main office)



*"Holy Spirit you are the loving breathe of God. We believe you are always with us; in our joys and our struggles. Help us as a community of faith to share God's love with all people and to open our hearts of receive love. Help us to work together to build God's kingdom of love and mercy."*



Today is **ShareLife Sunday**  
June 4, 2017

Thank you for your generosity

### **Soup and Movie**

Tuesday, June 6th at 12:00 noon

Our Movie will be

**"The Shack"**

Please call the parish office and register.



### **Mass of Anointing**

**Thursday June 8th at 9am**  
Reception to follow in Seton Hall



### **KC's Cancer Cushion Fund 11th Annual Pub**

#### **Nite & Silent Auction**

Saturday June 10th 2017 7:30pm—1:00 am

\$35 a person

Order Tickets by email [cushionfund@gmail.com](mailto:cushionfund@gmail.com)

## 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  
Kelly Ward  
Elena Olano

Tarcisia Borg  
Dan Pivdor  
Maria DeRuiter  
Pat Kramer  
Martha Jackson  
Aida Vamvouras  
Margaret Pivdor  
Matthew Moore  
Mary Ann Ferrer  
Colleen O'Connor  
Vince Masci  
Catherine Kirk  
Dariusz Kirejczyk

Angelo Durante  
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