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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

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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

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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

Thirtieth Sunday of Ordinary Time

October 25, 2020



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 October 26th

10am: **Pierina Carcillo (D)**

Req: Marian Pawliszko

Tuesday October 27th

10am: **Joan O'Dowd (D)**

Req: The O'Dowd Family

Wednesday October 28th

10am: **John Robinson (I)**

Req: Hall Family

Thursday October 29th

10am: **Duncan Drummond (D)**

Req: Wilma & John Bloye

****Please know that Fr. Roy
will continue to pray for
these intentions****

**Parish Office office hours
remain Monday, Tuesday
and Wednesday from 9am
to Noon for
APPOINTMENTS ONLY.**

**We can always be reached
through the parish email at
st.elizabethseton@rogers.com**

Stay safe and Stay well

St. Vincent de Paul

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Newmarket conference:

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p/donate.html](https://sjcses.blogspot.com/p/donate.html)

Tax receipts for one-time
donations will be emailed
immediately.

Parish Giving

Sunday October 18th

Sunday Offertory \$3,974.25

SES Building Fund \$ 725.00

Month of September PAG

(Pre-authorized Giving)

Sunday Offertory \$3,182.00

SES Building Fund \$ 272.00

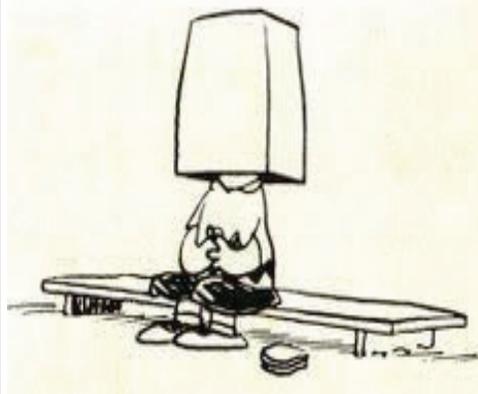
ShareLife \$ 240.00

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SUPPORT DURING THESE UNPRECI-
DENTED TIMES. STAY WELL AND
STAY SAFE. GOD BLESS.**

Ruminations

I'm not really one of those jump into Christmas mode early. I must confess that I am one of the early birds when the new Hallmark Peanuts decorations go on display in mid-July but that is because they have trained us well, that if we wait for a more seasonable time, it is already too late. In fact, I was a little slow off the mark this year and didn't show up until the end of July and I picked up the last Charlie Brown ornament. That was too close so I have already set a reminder on my phone for next July. I do keep my eyes open for various things to contribute to our Christmas display or nativity scenes, but these are more stumble upon treasures rather than deliberate shopping ventures. I was at Lee Valley for an item, a battery operated motion activated light for the top of the stairs because it is so dark now in the mornings and I have this fear of tumbling down the stairs trying to find the light switch. It works great by the way. They did have a bag for carrying spent Christmas trees out of the house and after years of dealing with the Christmas trees in the Church, and dragging them 100 feet out the doors, and then having to deal with needles and carpets, I thought this would be a perfect solution to make life easier. Although it is something that is used at Christmas, I don't really consider that Christmas shopping. I also saw something that I think my nephew will really like so I picked it up. Usually for my nieces and nephews they would rather have a gift card to the Mall or cash. They are not too fond of my choices of other things – obviously they do not have good taste. With regard to decorations though, we have chatted about putting the nativity sets out early. Because of Covid restrictions that will likely be with us long after Christmas, our normal beautiful Nativity display will be limited to the Hall which isn't being used anyway, we can spread them out so it is easier and safer to have families and people come to see them. But how to display them? That is the question. We could just plop them on tables but we don't generally roll like that. We have been experimenting and pondering and searching for inspiration. But it is hard, because as a liturgist, it just goes against the grain about doing it before Christmas. I have never displayed them early and have spoken snidely to schools that put them out. So every time we discuss it, a shudder runs down my spine. Advent is a season of waiting and anticipation, and here I am considering putting them out early. I look in the mirror and just shake my head. But I think of a greater good, it will allow children and families to have an outing and a fun activity. So if you see me walking aimlessly, hitting my head with the heel of my hand mumbling to myself that I killed

Christmas, don't worry, or wearing a paper bag over my head because I am too ashamed to face my liturgical friends, just give me a wide birth and let the liturgical season unfold as it has for centuries. Sixty-two days and counting.



Fr. Roy

CWG Remembrance Vespers

****Live Streamed****

November 1, 2020

All Saints Day at 7 pm

November is the month for remembering our loved ones who have passed. Once again we will be celebrating “Remembrance Vesper” to commemorate our dearly departed. Names will be proclaimed during the Vesper’s service and a candle will be lit for each family.

If you would like to have a loved one included please do one of the following:

1. Pick up a package from the church foyer after mass. Deposit the completed form into the box provided or leave the completed form into the mailbox outside the parish office.
2. Email the parish office and provide your name and phone number and then the name of your loved ones. Please put “Remembrance Vespers” in the subject line of your email.

**Requests must be submitted by
Thursday October 29, 2020**

Donations Gratefully Accepted

COVID PROTOCOL REMINDER

When Cardinal Collins accepted the Government’s offer to open places of Worship with limited numbers of maximum 30% and with the social distancing requirements it meant our capacity is more like 17%, he laid out specific criteria or conditions.

First among them is that everyone who attends is supposed to check their temperature before they leave home to come to mass. It could be done at the entrance of the Church, but he was trusting in the cooperation of the people.

Second, he expected those considered part of the vulnerable sector with is a wide swath of people would be mindful of themselves and others and refrain from attending out of respect for a common good.

Third, he hoped that the assembling would not become an occasion for social gathering but that the people would depart in a socially distanced manner going straight to their cars so as not to invite the sharing of particulates.

So here are a few reminders:

- If you feel sick or your temperature is elevated, or you are experiencing any symptoms stay home.
- If you are sick or your health is compromised, you are not obligated to participate in Sunday Mass.
- Take your temperature before leaving home.
- Be sure to use the hand sanitizer at entrance.
- Masks are mandatory and we **must maintain 6ft. distance at all times.**

Together lets stop the spread of Covid so we can get back to being community.

St. Vincent de Paul Christmas Programs.

 The leaves are a beautiful mix of reds and yellows, there is a nip in the air and it won’t be long before the first snowflake falls. Mother Nature is getting ready for winter and St. Vincent de Paul Society volunteers are preparing for their annual Christmas Program and Giving Tree Program that will soon be launched. Stay tuned for more details in upcoming weeks.

Next year’s First Communion



Although things are still up in the air as to what first communion will look like for the Spring of 2021, we will be accepting registrations starting this week-end. **Registration Forms can be picked up in the foyer of the church.**

Next Year’s Confirmation Candidates



Because things are still in flux, how confirmation will unfold next Spring is an unknown. We will be accepting registrations sometime in the near future. Please keep an eye on the bulletin. Once we have finished with the First Communion logistics, we will start on Confirmations.

FYI In response to many requests that I have received from parishioners, here are the ways that you can continue to support our parish at this time:

- **Drop off or mail** your regular weekly offertory contribution to the parish office.
- **Visit the Archdiocese of Toronto website**, click on the blue button at the top that says **Covid 19**, then scroll down to where is says **Support Your Parish**, click on that and you will find other ways that you contribute to our parish which includes: – one-time or recurring and payment method – credit card or chequing account.
- **Also through the Archdiocese of Toronto** you can contribute to the offertory via on-line banking – similar to how you may be paying your utility bills. To do this, we need to send you your unique account number. **Please e-mail us at campaign@archtoronto.org.** In the body of the email provide us with your name, address, parish name and municipality. We will email you your account information which you can use to set up the Archdiocese of Toronto as a payee in your on-line banking. Your gift will be forwarded to your parish. You can make a one-time or recurring gift to your offertory. This is the most cost effective way to donate electronically

If you have any questions please contact the Development Office at the Archdiocese of Toronto, 416-934-3400, ext. 540 or development@archtoronto.org.

**We thank you very much for continuing to support us during this trying times.
Stay safe.**

Let us pray for the sick...

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