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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:**

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Website: sjcses.blogspot.com

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**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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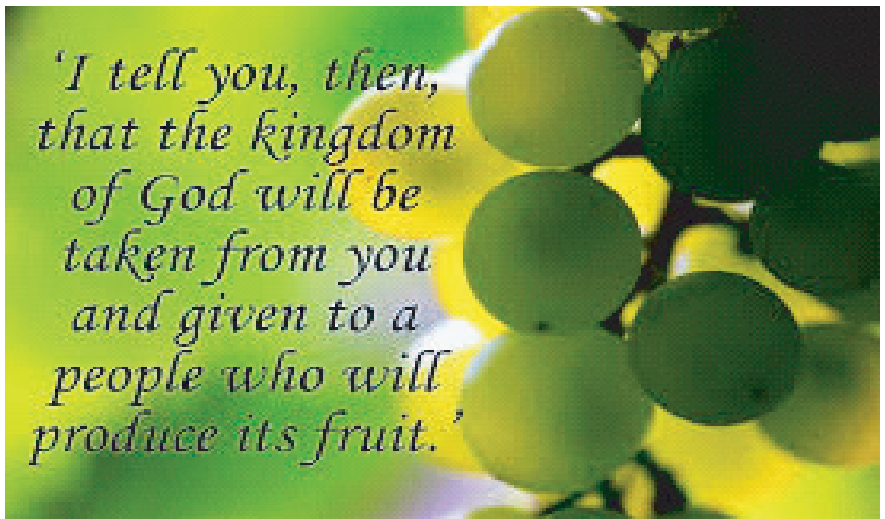
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# St. Elizabeth Seton Parish

Twenty-Seventh Sunday of Ordinary Time

October 4, 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 5th**  
10am: **Joe Fiorentino (D)**  
Req: Tina Fiorentino

**Tuesday October 6th**  
10am: **Daniel Speher (D)**  
Req: Jadranka Povlovic

**Wednesday October 7th**  
10am: **Jose Velletri (D)**  
Req: DJ Jacks

**Thursday October 8th**  
10am: **Michael Dookey (D)**  
Req: John & Wilma Bloye

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

**Starting Monday July 27th  
the Parish Office will begin  
opening on 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](mailto:st.elizabethseton@rogers.com)**

**Stay safe and Stay well**

### **St. Vincent de Paul**

You can donate online to the  
Newmarket conference:

[https://sjcses.blogspot.com/  
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Tax receipts for one-time donations  
will be emailed immediately.

## **Parish Giving**

**Sunday September 27th**  
Sunday Offertory \$3,449.10  
SES Building Fund \$ 235.00

**Month of September PAG**  
(Pre-authorized Giving)  
Sunday Offertory \$4,649.97  
SES Building Fund \$ 297.00  
ShareLife \$ 925.00

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DENTED TIMES. STAY WELL AND  
STAY SAFE. GOD BLESS.**

## Ruminations ....

One of my favorite things we had growing up was a set of the Audubon Nature Encyclopedia. It was a twelve volume set of the fauna from around the world. It mesmerized me for hours and hours. I think it is where I discovered that I am an animal lover way more than a pet lover. I especially loved reading about the animals from Africa, the elephants, kudus, and cheetahs, but my favorite by far has always been the giraffe. It is funny to claim to be an animal lover when I have such a loathing of the local critters, like the squirrels, groundhogs and rabbits that infest my backyard and garden, and an outright hate on for chipmunks. On those occasions when I visit the Zoo, I marvel at the creativity and beauty rampant in the vast variety and genius of the animals. It is admiration at a distance though. I have no real desire to get up and personal like petting or engaging up close. I remember my brother visiting a giraffe sanctuary in Kenya and relating how he was kissed by a giraffe. No thanks. I am more than content to see them from a distance. My first memory of pets was my grandparents' big German Shepherd named King. He was an outdoor dog with a doghouse and a huge chain. We would take him for walks, or rather, he would drag us for walks, and when my grandmother bought a new electric can opener that was mounted about her sink, it was such a treat to open up the dog food slop for King's supper. My uncle tended horses and it was fun to visit him and get to see these magnificent animals. They have such majesty about them that is until you see their teeth. Those teeth simply quash any claim to nobility that they may have. We did have a dog, a little mutt from some litter down the road. It was a small dog because dad thought it a bit cruel to have a big dog without the room to allow them to run free outside. Our dog was part terrier, part Chihuahua, and we think part rat. He was with us for over 17 years and was incredibly entertaining. It's not that I really dislike pets, (well except for cats, they just seem diabolical and occultish) I do like them so long as they belong to someone else. Big dogs scare me but sometimes smaller dogs scare me more. I was visiting a friend's house and they had this yappy little dog whom they promised wouldn't hurt a fly. As I settled in, this thing jumped up and sat on my lap and proceeded to urinate on me. That kind of sums up my relationship with pets. For me, this whole pet thing is better left as a spectator sport. I much prefer watching YouTube videos of other people's safari posts than actually going there, or reading about them in the Audubon Encyclopedia. With regards to St. Francis of Assisi, I question his appreciation of all animals, I'm sure he had his favorites



and I hope that he even had an aversion to some, but this year it is good to appreciate these animals that make our world so interesting and so it will be fun to bless them in honour of his feast day, and in thanksgiving. They say that dogs are our best friends, well if the truth be told, they are not my best friend. My best friend is undoubtedly pizza, and Snoopy!

*Fr. Roy*

## Announcements and Events...

**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 it 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](mailto: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](mailto:development@archtoronto.org).

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

### Knights of Columbus Golf Tournament



Thank you everyone who participated in our annual golf game on September 19th

What a great day we had, a little late in starting due to the frost that morning but it turned into a wonderful afternoon for golf and visiting. Here's hoping next year, we will get back to some sort of normal.

Congratulations to: **Mike Iannantuono, Tim Anstett, Paul Cappuccitti, Paul Pisani** for winning the tournament with a score of 72, they did tie another team so we had to go to a tiebreaker.

Hopeful you can join us next year.



### Knights of Columbus

#### **Live Rosary**

Sunday October 4th  
at 12.30 pm

This event will be live streamed on our FaceBook page, just like our Sunday masses.

We hope you can join us in Celebrating the Rosary.  
Thank You

## Sacramental Corner.....

### First Communion Information



We have sent out an email to the parents of our young people who are prepared to celebrate their first communion. First Communions should be starting at the masses after Thanksgiving.

### 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 in a couple of weeks, once our current candidates are organized. Please be patient and watch the bulletin.

### Confirmation Information



Just this past week we were given direction from the Bishop to begin planning for celebrating Confirmation with the group that have been on hold. Once we submit our plan and have it approved by the Bishop, we will inform you by email.

### 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.

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

Alana Brown-Wallace  
Greg Quattrin  
Tarcisia Borg  
Warren Pettifer  
Mary Ann Ferrer  
Vince Masci  
Larry Yarush  
Alain Gerai  
Betty Loft  
Bruce Firth  
Helen Bromley  
Orlando Carrera  
Massimo Marcone  
Rosa Santos  
Taylor Luck  
Judy MacDermott

Evelyn Walsh  
Merwyn Correa  
Sebastiao P. Henriques  
Molly Nabuurs  
Peter Aristotle  
Albina Barber  
Mary MacDonald  
Kathleen Todesco  
Joshua Perek  
Julia Purdham  
Donna Stea-Cutting  
Maria De La O -Mejia  
Judy Campbell  
Jennifer Ma  
Andy Dube  
Lindsay Sawyer

Zeny Jose  
Irene Zbyszynski  
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Adam Wood  
Mayling Meuses  
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Russel Scott  
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