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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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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

Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 8, 2019



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

Seton Hall Banquet Facilities ...

A great location for Weddings, Anniversaries, Business Meetings and other occasions.

For more information on bookings

call 905-853-5009 or

email st.elizabethseton@rogers.com

Mass Intentions

Monday September 9th

9am: **Leslie McDonald (I)**
Req: Irene Mercer

Tuesday September 10th

9am: **Maria Gonzales (D)**
Req: Isabel Persi

Wednesday September 11th

9am: **Bruce Firth (I)**
Req: Susan & Mario Perek

Thursday September 12th

9am: **Stefano Antonacci (D)**
Req: Family

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



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

September 15 th

8:00 Teskey Family
9:30 Porporino Family
11:00 Wilcox & Erentzen Families

September 22nd

8:00 Hachkowski Family
9:30 Mike Speckert/Zena/Reem
11:00 Culligan Family

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



**“ALONE WE CAN
DO SO LITTLE;
TOGETHER WE
CAN DO SO MUCH.”**

- Helen Keller

Parish Giving

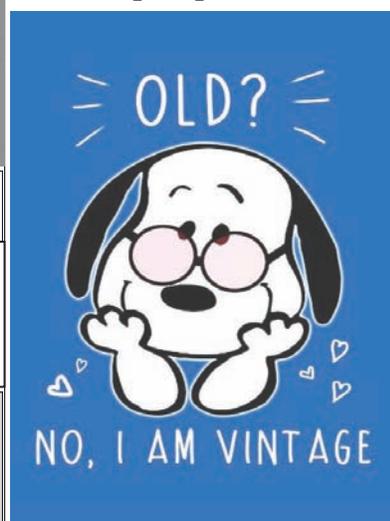
August 24th/25th

Sunday Offertory \$5,518.10
SES Building Fund \$ 335.00

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

Ruminations

This week marks an unbelievable, terrifying anniversary. Forty years ago this week I entered my first year of university which also means that it has been forty-five years since I entered High School. It is still so vivid a memory and although it doesn't seem quite like yesterday, it certainly doesn't seem like forty years. Looking back those four years were likely the most important and influential in my life and it had very little to do with what happened in the classroom. The whole university experience was such a marvelous education. On the radio last week there were several reports about Sudbury and the four decades of planting trees and 'greening up' the barren rocks of slag heaps and rock. Sudbury has become an international success story. I remember that program in its infancy. I remember the first time I saw the slag being dumped at night. The orange-yellow flowing oozing molten waste seemed volcanic. That experience didn't last too long as the Inco Mines began closing down. Even the iconic smoke stack became inactive much to the joy of the towns downwind. On cold winter days when the wind was blowing in the right direction, you could smell Espanola where they had a pulp and paper mill. It was not pleasant. Back then there were no personal computers, in fact our computer course required us to sit in a room filled with punch card machines, feed them into a reader and march up to the third floor to get our printout which we had to search through all the other printouts from the continuous feed dot matrix computer paper. Any library work meant that we had to search through the card stacks to find the books then hunt them down by their Dewey Decimal identification from the bookshelves. No one had cell phones or email accounts or bank cards. The metric system officially replaced the imperial system (though I still talk miles and pounds, feet and inches). Phone calls were made from the payphone on the second floor and were usually collect to home. The Montreal Expos were finally becoming contenders and since I lived in a French residence, fall was focused on baseball. The Quebec referendum was pending and the campus was divided. One of my classmates actually worked for the Expos. There were more Quebec Nordiques hockey jerseys than Montreal Canadien jerseys. The Berlin Wall was still up and the Soviet Union was still in existence. The cold war was alive and there were plans to create a real Star Wars defensive strategy to deter the other super power the USSR. New Wave music was mercifully



replacing disco music and Bob and Doug McKenzie were forging unique national identity eh! The Crazy Canucks were a force to be reckoned with in the ski world and Terry Fox started his Marathon of Hope. So much has happened in the intervening 40 years and we forget how things used to be. One thing that hasn't changed though, we are still waiting for the Toronto Maple Leafs to win the Stanley Cup. *Fr.*

Roy

Announcements and Events...

Sacramental Corner.....



Join us September 21st/22nd
after all Masses for
Food and Fellowship



Our next Soup and a Movie will be
Tuesday September 10th

Soup at noon, Movie at 12:15.
Our Movie will be "**Entertaining An-
gels, the Story of Dorothy Day**"
Please RSVP to the parish office.



Little Rock Bible Study

Our Little Rock Bible study starts again on
Thursday September 19th at 7pm. They
will be covering "Psalms for all Seasons"
If you are interesting in joining you can contact
Wilma Bloye at 905-895-3715



CWG NEWS

All Ladies of the Parish are invited to attend
the next General meeting of the CWG, to be
held on Tuesday, September 10th,
commencing with The Celebration of the Eucharist
at 7 p.m. We will gather in Seton Hall after mass for
fellowship and refreshments prior to the meeting.

We hope to see you there as we begin our first
General meeting following the summer break. The
CWG is always proud to welcome all ladies within
our Parish as we look forward to our upcoming
annual events for the 2019/2020 session.

Liturgy 101

The Roman Missal indicates that the faithful stand
together as a sign of unity with one another as the
Body of Christ during the communion rite. While
everyone processes to the altar, the vision of the
Church is that we remain standing. This posture is a
manifestation of the oneness in which we have
participated by the act of communion. It goes on to
offer the invitation, "if appropriate, during the
period of sacred silence after communion' they may
sit. This means that the place for private prayer or
devotion is this small period before the final prayer.
Any other time diminishes the sign of our unity. If
able, please remain standing during the communion
rite until everyone has come to the table.



FIRST COMMUNION & CONFIRMATION REGISTRATION



Our parish family is looking forward to
seeing the many children, youth and their
parents, as we begin another year of
sacramental preparation. Every year we
are blessed by the enthusiasm and
energetic smiles of our young candidates
and the encouragement from all their
parents.

The Registration period is for the four weekends in the
month of September. **Registration Forms will be available
for pick up in the Parish office following any of the
Sunday masses ending the Sept. 28/Sept. 29 weekend .**

A copy of your child's **Baptismal certificate** must be
attached to the Registration form when you return the
completed form to the Parish office on Sunday.
Children in Grade 2 and Grade 7 are typically at the age to
prepare for their sacraments. If your child missed their
prep last year you may register this year.

It is very important to keep informed about all our program
information, meetings etc. The Parish Sunday bulletin is
our way of communicating with you and keeping you in-
formed. **There will be an important Parent Information
Meeting for First Communion Parents ONLY on
Wednesday October 2nd from 7 to 8:30pm and for
Confirmation Candidates and Parents on Wednesday
October 9th from 7 to 8:30pm. All parents will need to
attend!**

*Sunday is the Lord's day. It is and has always been a
"reasonable expectation" of the Church for all Catholic
people to share in the celebration of the Holy Mass every
Sunday. If Sunday Mass has not been apart of your weekly
routine, now is the time to make it the best part of your
Sunday.*

Baptisms



If you are seeking the sacrament of Baptism for
yourself or your child please speak with Fr. Roy
after Saturday or Sunday Mass

Let us pray for the sick...

Olive Hutton
Alana Brown-Wallace
Janet Brockway
Wally Pottie
Greg Quattrin
Mary Mead
Tarcisia Borg
Wincenty Stoch
Warren Pettifer
Rafael Duque
Mary Ann Ferrer
Vince Masci
Larry Yarush
Alain Gerai
Betty Loft
Susan Perek

Rosa Santos
Evelyn Walsh
Merwyn Correa
Slawomir Demianczuk
Sebastiao P. Henriques
Elvira Rojas
Molly Nabuurs
Audrey McDonnell
Peter Aristotle
Bob Leggo
Albina Barber
Mary MacDonald
Kathleen Todesco
Joshua Perek
Julia Purdham
Donna Stea-Cutting

Jennifer Ma
Zeny Jose
Irene Zbyszynski
Edward LaPenta
J. Legari
Gustavo Jimenez
Diana Lopez
Adam Wood
Mayling Meuses
Frances Leggo
Lindsay Veltman
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