17955 Leslie Street Newmarket, Ontario L3Y 9A4 PH: 905-853-5009 FAX: 905-853-9391

EMAIL: st.elizabethseton@rogers.com

Website: stelizabethsetonne.archtoronto.org

Mass Times:

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 Servicesof York Region:905-770-7040Catholic Cemeteries:905-889-7467St. John's Cemetery905-889-7467

905-898-4137 ext. 207

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-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time September 29, 2024

# THE WHOSOEVERS

MARK 9:38-50

Pastoral Team Fr. Roy Roberts, Pastor Deacon Marian Pawliszko Deacon Stephen Pitre

Parish Staff Parish Administrator ~ Ann Lynch Sacramental Coordinator Baptisms, First Communions & Confirmations ~ Jennifer McAvoy Rectory Administrator—Nancy Rojas

> Regular Office Hours Monday to Thursday 9am to 4pm Friday 9am to 1pm



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

"Cheerfulness prepares a glorious mind for all the noblest acts."

St. Elizabeth Seton

#### **Mass Intentions**

**Monday September 30th** 10am: Hugh & Jean Curry Req. by: Family

**Tuesday October 1st** 10am: Fr. Pat Curry Req. by: Family

Wednesday October 2nd 10am: Rosemary Curry & Family Req. by: Family

Thursday October 3rd 10am Josie Tolfo Req. by: Staff from Good Shepherd



207 - 1

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

October 6th 9:00 CWG

- 11:00 KNIGHTS
- October 13th
- Michael Andrews 9:00 Sheri Andrews Mug Zweerman Katie Zweerman
- 11:00 Maggie West Maureen Delaney Kathe Dagher
  - Join us after each mass for coffee and fellowship.



St. Vincent de Paul You can donate online to the Newmarket conference at:

https://sjcses.blogspot.com/p/ donate.html

Fiving

9.30 02.00 5.00

<i>c</i> .	0
September 15, 20	024
Offertory	\$5,195.75
SES Building	\$1,040.00
Ŭ	

Month of September	PAG
(Pre-authorized Giving)	
Sunday Offertory	\$4,15
SES Building Fund	\$ 40
ShareLife	\$ 30

Parish

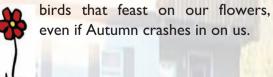
Alcoholic Anonymous meet every Saturday at 8pm in the Knights of Columbus room.

#### **Ruminations** ....

Autumn arrived Sunday at 8:44 am. It is supposed to be the autumnal equinox, that day when we have equal night and day. Because of the roundness of the earth, it doesn't quite work out that way. We affectionately refer to it as Fall, obviously connected to the falling of the leaves. I guess that only holds true to places with more than just a perpetual green season, and with deciduous trees. And it likely doesn't make much sense above the tree line. I'm thinking though, that perhaps it should be called more than Fall, something more like 'Crash', because that's how it seemed to arrive this year. One day was summer and the next day, autumn came crushing in. The gardens are giving detailed signs of the end of the season. The flowers are fading and looking very tired. We stopped fertilizing a couple of weeks ago and it shows. Some of the spent flowers look bone dry on their stems and I went out to cut them down, but on that morning, with my gloves, leaf bag, and Fiskars in hand, as I was approaching the garden, there was a flutter of birds perched upon the flowers feasting on the seeds. I still have not identified what kind of finches they were. I had never seen their type before and it was exciting to be providing food for them, that after the garden blooms had exhausted their summer glory, in their waning days they took on a whole new sense of beauty. Now they are a bit of an eye sore in the middle of the garden but for a couple of mornings now, the finches have been paying us a visit, and so I haven't had the heart to dispose of them. So if you pass by the gardens and think that I haven't had time to begin the autumn garden clean up, that is not the case. Despite the fact that I have lamented the presence of nature in my garden, the earwigs, Japanese beetles, snails, slugs, voles and groundhog, this little expression of Mother Nature is so welcome and edifying. It has given new meaning and purpose to the tasks of tending the garden every day. The time will come soon enough when all the plants will need to be cut back to prevent any diseases extending into the next season. It is amazing how many bags of leaves and stems that these little garden areas produce, the genius of creation. So as our autumn comes crashing in on us, and the days darken, and the sweaters start to come out, it does cause us to be thankful for the glorious summer blossoms, the long warm days, the fresh produce, and the relaxed attitudes of summer. And so as it is

Fr. Roy

something we do every week, but in particular in a few weeks, we will gather together as a nation to thank God for the bounty and the beauty, of course the little



#### Announcements and Events...



## **Bible Study**

Once again or Bible Study is commencing a new segment. We will be exploring the book by Stephen Binz called "The Resurrection & the Life." We meet Thursday evenings starting at 7:00 pm. Please join us.

# Interested in Becoming an Altar Server???

If you have celebrated your first communion and are interested in helping serve Mass, we are looking for you.All you

need to do is pick up a form at the back of the Church, fill it out, and we will get your ready to be an important part of our



Community celebration.



#### BETSY'S BOUTIQUE Craft Day

Maureen Delaney has organized a weekly **Craft Day** at her place for ideas and

suggestions for Betsy's Boutique who will be selling items at the annual Christmas bazaar. The **Craft Day** has been scheduled for **Tuesday's in 1:30pm**. If you are interested in attending please contact Maureen directly at (905) 853-2911or at maureen.delaney@rogers.com for more information and directions to her place. She welcomes all parishioners who are available to help Betsy's Boutique

### Looking for High School Community Service Hours??!!

There are lots of opportunities to get some hours in the fun and enriching setting. The CWG Christmas Bazaar, the Fish Fries, Games nights, and other social functions are always looking for some keen high school students. If you are interested on being on our list, please fill out a form available in the Parish Office.



#### It's that Time of the Year Registrations for First Communion

# & Confirmation

For those young people who are in at least Grade 2 are eligible to register for First Communion next Easter Season. Those young people in at least Grade 7 are eligible to enroll in preparations to celebrate

Confirmation around Pentecost next Spring. Registration forms will be available starting the weekend of September 1st. <u>The last date</u> for registration is Sunday, September 29th

#### after the 11:00 am Mass.

The registration form must be accompanied by a

Catholic baptism certificate. Children in the Public School or who are home schooled will need to participate in Sacramental

Preparation. Registration is for children who worship with us each week. If you belong to another parish, check with them for their requirements. The Sacraments are celebrated in the parish where you worship/belong,

not in the parish where the school is located. Children who are not baptized or were baptised in a non-Catholic denomination must see either Jennifer

or Fr. Roy before submitting the registration forms.



There is an important Information meeting for First Communion Parents on Tuesday, October 1st at 7:00 pm.



A Parents' & Candidates' Meeting for Confirmation is on Wednesday, October 2 at 7:00 pm.

Deadlines are firm!

Paul Jennas

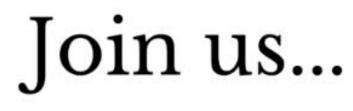
#### Let us pray for the sick...

Alana Brown-Wallace Betty Loft Kathleen Todesco Joshua Perek Donna Stea-Cutting Andy Dube Elizabeth Ryan Matteo Savella Jackson Rowan Carmen Baldacchino Mervin Correa Leo Cadia Vaz Orsola Accardi Aria Crang Andy Waldherr Michelle Canale Pearl Clarke Randy Read

Rose Marie Scott Wanda Tolazzi Sean Coen Ana Aparicio Jake Tallon Victor Dumas Trice Hawkins Carole Carter Lawrence Cooper Candice Cusinan Cheryl Tuck Stephen Murphy Sarah Kraft Marian Kulmatytskyi Dianne Rousseau Weaver **Gladys** Anderson

Laura Rostron Albina Barber Theresa Wharton Zeny Jose Tammy Elkie Marcus D'Mello Lisa Stokl Jeanette Barbosa Daniel Juresic Bernal Gutierrez Theresa Graham lason Fonceca Christopher Wiker Omar Lopez Johana Gutierrez Connie Power Emma Sherrer







# Saturday, October 26, 2024







Need a refresher on how to play the game? Watch this YouTube video: https://youtu.be/GUPr8U3iXA8?si=pWJatjg1p-ggl7E-

Location:

Cash Prizes

Fellowship

Cost:

Play begins: 7:30pm sharp Seton Hall \$25 per person (age 18 +)

Tickets will be sold after all Masses on: >>> October 5-6 >>> October 12-13 >>> October 19-20

Cash or Cheque made out EXACTLY to: Knights of Columbus Council #10586

All proceeds will go toward installing Accessible Door Opener(s) in the church.







