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Weekend Mass Schedule:
Saturday 4:30pm
Sunday 9:00 (Live-streamed)
& 11:00**

**Weekday Mass Schedule:
Tuesday to Friday 10:00am
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10:00am Mass**

***Polish Mass: 5:00pm on the last
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Welcome to St. Elizabeth Seton!
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forms are available at the
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acquired at the office.

Parishioners with a change of address,
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Parish office.

Please introduce yourself to
Fr. Roselle Azares after Mass

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St. Elizabeth Seton

THE 29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME OCTOBER 19, 2025



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

St. Elizabeth Seton

Pastoral Team

**Fr. Roselle Azares, Pastor
Deacon Marian Pawliszko
Deacon Stephen Pitre**

Parish Staff

**Parish Administrator ~ Katie Goulbourne
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** for Adult &
Children of Catechetical age please contact the parish office.

Mass Intentions

Tuesday October 21

10am: **Christopher & Guy
Poppe**

Req. by: Lucy Cutting

Wednesday October 22

St. John Paul II, Pope

10am: **Frank Pinto**

Req. by: Joyce D'Mello

Thursday October 23

10am: **Arturo Bedana**

Req. by: CUPE 1571

Friday October 24

10am: **Francisco Godinho**

Req. by: Cutting Family

Saturday October 25

4:30pm: **John Murphy**

Req. by: MacKenzie Family

Sunday October 26

9:00am: **Joan D'Owd**

Req. by: Family

11:00am: **Mass for the People**

Walk the Talk

In Jesus' day, judges traveled from town to town, holding court in tents. The judges set their own agenda, so that the only way someone could have his case heard at court was to bribe one of the assistants to have it brought to the attention of a judge. This widow had much to overcome - being poor, being a woman without a husband - she did not have very high social standing in Ancient Israel. It would have been so easy for her to become disheartened and to give up, but she persevered and persisted until she achieved justice. On our journey, we are faced with the same dilemma: How do we keep praying and keep the faith and not lose heart?

Jesus asks us in the parable today: "Will he not grant justice to his chosen ones who cry to him day and night?" When most Christians hear these words, they might immediately think of their own needs and wants, of the desire to have their prayers answered. But sometimes our prayer life can be self-centered, not going beyond our own needs, wants, desires and outlook on life.

As we reflect upon this Sunday's Gospel, the first step is to move the focus out from our selfishness to the prayers and needs of others. When hearing this Gospel, instead of asking ourselves, "Why doesn't God answer my prayers?", perhaps we can ask: "Whose lives cry out for God's justice? Whose lives does God want me to reach out to touch, to help God answer their prayers?" So, we might ask ourselves: Are we praying for families in a society where the family seems to be devalued? Are we praying for our youth who have so many temptations in our society, who are lured away from the faith by the values of the world?

The prophets of Ancient Israel spoke about compassion for the outcasts in their society - the 'anawim' - the widow, the orphan, and the foreigner. And Jesus himself reached out in his ministry to the poor and the oppressed, to the sinner and the forgotten.

At the end of Gospel, Jesus asks: "When the Son of Man comes, will He find faith on earth?" If we look at our own prayer life, how would we answer that question? In our prayer life and in our actions, we must be conveyers of God's love and mercy to those who cry out for justice like the widow in the parable. We must be willing to collaborate with Christ in furthering God's Kingdom here on earth. Collaborating in that way is a constant and life-long task.

Perseverance and persistence in our prayer life is essential. A good point of reflection for us this week: Do the words in our prayer correspond to our actions and the way we live?

Grace and Peace,
Fr. RCRA

Parish Giving

October 12th

Offertory	\$ 5,327.45
SES Building	\$ 440.00
ShareLife YTD	\$19,834.00

Month of September PAG

(Pre-authorized Giving)

Sunday Offertory	\$ 3506.44
SES Building Fund	\$ 592.00
ShareLife	\$ 80.00

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

Announcements and Events...

St. Elizabeth Seton CWG Christmas Bazaar **Saturday, November 8th - 9 am to 2 pm**

The Bazaar is fast approaching! In preparation for this, there will be a pre-sale of tickets for the hourly turkey draws that will take place at the Bazaar on the weekend of November 1st/2nd.

In addition, we will be handing out empty pie plates, with a request that they be returned the day before the Bazaar (or early on the day of) filled with a favourite recipe, be it sweet or savoury, for the Bake Table. We are truly grateful to our Parish family in helping to make the Bake Table so successful each year - we couldn't do it without your generous support!

Please note that we will also be accepting gently used items for the Country Store (please, no large items) in the afternoon of Friday, November 7th from 2 pm to 8 pm.

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

October 19th
9:00 Steve Karabatos
Maggie Porporiho
Maureen Hawkins

11:00 Nina Gianotti
Audrey Wilcox
Eve Erentzen

October 26th
9:00 Magdalena Schiegel
Ella Schiegel
Maureen Delaney

11:00 Mike Culligan
Nicole Culligan

Coffee Sunday Volunteers Needed

We are in need of servers to help with coffee Sunday following the 9am and 11am Masses. If you or your family are able to assist please

Progressive Euchre Cancelled

Unfortunately, due to low ticket sales the progressive euchre evening planned for October 18th has been cancelled

CANDIES FOR KIDS COLLECTION

It's that time of year when the little ones are getting excited for Halloween night.

Our parish will be having their Annual Candies for Kids Collection the two weekends following Halloween. (Nov 1- Nov 8)

This is a good time for the children to show extra kindness by sharing their treats with those children who have very little. All the donated candies go to Canadian Food for Children and their missionary work around the world.

Boxes will be located in the Church foyer for your donations. (Please bag up the treats; all goodies (chips, chocolate, gum and hard candies are appreciated)



Annual Fall Clothing / Textile Drive

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**Christmas Program are in full
organization mode. Plans are well underway
and we are planning to reach even more of the
needy this year. The Christmas Program
launches next weekend for St. John's. Watch out
for the many ways we'll make it easy for you to
help make this year's campaign a huge success.**



First Communion Parent Meeting

If you are a parent of a child registered for
First Holy Communion this year and you
missed the October 16th meeting please
contact the parish office.

Let us pray for the sick...

Alana Brown-Wallace
Betty Loft
Kathleen Todesco
Joshua Perek
Donna Stea-Cutting
Andy Dube
Matteo Savella
Jackson Rowan
Carmen Baldacchino
Mervin Correa
Leo Cadia Vaz
Orsola Accardi
Aria Crang
Andy Waldherr
Michelle Canale
Pearl Clarke
Laura Rostron
Albina Barber
Gladys Carvajac

Paul Jennas
Rose Marie Scott
Wanda Tolazzi
Sean Coen
Ana Aparicio
Jake Tallon
Trice Hawkins
Carole Carter
Lawrence Cooper
Candice Cusinan
Cheryl Tuck
Stephen Murphy
Sarah Kraft
Marian Kulmatytskyi
Dianne Rousseau Weaver
Gladys Anderson
Shaun O'Reilly
Diane McTamney
Patricia Routhier

Theresa Wharton
Tammy Elkie
Lisa Stokl
Jeanette Barbosa
Daniel Juresic
Bernal Gutierrez
Theresa Graham
Jason Fonceca
Christopher Wikier
Johana Gutierrez
Milena Easton
Bryan Bausch
Peyton Bausch
Karen Heaslip
Kelly Hawker
Tessa Stone
Tom Dube
Amy Watts
Nora Rhineland
Paul Pinnington



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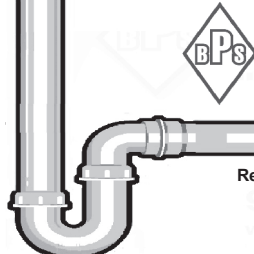
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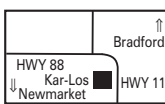
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