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

Weekday Mass Schedule:
Tuesday to Friday 10:00am
(Live-streamed)

First Friday Devotions following
10:00am Mass

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturday 3:00—3:30
Or by appointment

*Polish Mass: 5:00pm on the last
Sunday of each month except July
& August

St. Vincent de Paul Society
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New Parishioners?

Welcome to St. Elizabeth Seton!
If you would like to register
forms are available at the
church entrance or the parish office.
Envelopes may also be
acquired at the office.
Please introduce yourself to
Fr. Roselle Azares after Mass

Parish Schools

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(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

FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT
MARCH 15 2026



**"The first end I propose in our daily work
is to do the will of God; secondly, to do it in
the manner He wills it; and thirdly, to do it
because it is His will." St. Elizabeth Seton**

Pastoral Team

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

Parish Staff

Office 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

Pastoral Reference

As evidence of living one's faith the person requesting a reference must
be registered for at least 12 months and genuinely trying to attend Mass
every Sunday, as well as supporting the Church, its charities and mission
work.

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 March 17

10am: **Monika Lawrynowicz**
Req. by: Kirejczyk Family

Wednesday March 18

10am: **Paul Grossi**
Req. by: CUPE 1571

Thursday March 19

10am: **Shirley Laurin**
Req. by: Jody Hub &
Barb Martin

Friday March 20

10am: **Russell Noronha**
Req. by: Gillian Chang

7pm—Stations of the Cross

Saturday March 21

4:30pm: **Dora & Anthony
Dininio**
Req. by: Daniela Ridgley &
Family

Sunday March 22

9:00am: **Mass For The People**

11:00am: **Intentions of Jorge
Chavarria**
Req. by: Elia Rojas



March 8, 2026

Offertory \$ 6,207.36
SES Building Fund \$ 205.00

Month of February PAG (Pre-authorized Giving)

Sunday Offertory \$ 3,685.88
SES Building Fund \$ 642.00
ShareLife \$ 80.00

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

Here I am to Worship

The simple life of the formerly blind beggar became quite complicated indeed. Instead of encountering rejoicing friends and family upon receiving the miracle, he encounters confrontation. The adversity is intense; the hostility of the Pharisees is palpable.

Yet through it all, the man remains steadfast in his belief in Jesus. In fact, with each attack at his credibility and even with his parents wanting to keep a safe distance, the man's adherence to Jesus grows and grows. This is seen in the way he refers to Jesus. "The man Jesus" ... "He is a Prophet" ... "I do believe, Lord." From "man" to "prophet" to "Lord": That is the work of God shining through this unlikely apostle!

Let's look at the situations in our life that challenge our faith. Could we, like this man, turn the tables and make it a faith-growing opportunity? Like him, could we be better witnesses to Jesus?

Faith not only grows through adversity. It can sometimes make a giant leap. Nowhere else in the New Testament, before the Resurrection, do we encounter Jesus being "worshiped." The man once blind now is gifted with dazzling light: Jesus is Lord, Jesus is God! That gift is so great, so amazing, that there is no looking back.

The man has been tossed out of the synagogue which, according to the Jewish culture of the time, was the moral equivalent of a death sentence; cut off from the people, he was a non-person. Yet there are no regrets. The vision of spiritual truth, the astounding realization of who Jesus is, more than repays any sacrifice.

Lord Jesus, I long to please you with my life. Help me to recognize when you are trying to do God's works through me. Often, I am slow to see any positive value in passing adversity. But I know, with your help, I can be a witness to you. Like the man you cured of his blindness, I cry out to you, "I do believe, Lord!"

Grace and Peace,
Fr. RCRA

Announcements and Events

Sacrament of First Eucharist

Parents continue to read and discuss the First Eucharist workbook together with your child. Sunday Eucharist is a privileged encounter with Jesus, please ensure your little ones are attending Sunday Mass with their Parish family. First Communion Masses are April 11/ 12, 18/ 19 and April 25. These will be joy filled days in the life of our Parish community. We are continuing our prayers for all the children.



Sacrament of Confirmation

Looking ahead to the ceramic Cross Workshops in March and the beginning of our small group meetings. Be sure to have these dates on your calendars. These are exciting times in the life of our young Confirmation candidates. Our young people are growing in their ability to reflect on the meaning of God's Word. Continue making your best effort in completing the Sunday Reflection forms each week.

Thank you to all the parishioners who give selflessly of their time to support our First Communion and Confirmation Ministries. You are beautiful gift to the families of our parish!

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

March 15 9:00 Kyle Vickers Oren Vickers Jesse Vickers	March 22 9:00 Magdalena Schiegel Ella Schiegel 11:00 John Bloye Wilma Bloye
11:00 Mike Culligan Nicole Culligan	



Pie Sales

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March 21 & 22, 2026

Pies and baked goods may only be purchased AFTER each Mass on March 21st & 22nd.

There will be NO SALES BEFORE any Masses.

Proceeds to support our ongoing commitment to St. Vincent de Paul.

\$10 PER "PIE"

Easter Flowers

As we near Easter and the adornment of our sanctuary we welcome donations towards the cost of Easter flowers.

Your generosity will be greatly appreciated. Please use the envelopes provided at the back of the church.



ShareLife 2026 Campaign March 22, April 26, May 31

2026 marks 50 years of your faith in action. In 1976, Archbishop Philip Pocock made a courageous moment-of-conscience decision, choosing to stand firmly for life, dignity, and Gospel values. That decision gave birth to ShareLife and to a mission that has been carried forward, year after year, through the dedication of parish communities. Fifty years later, our parish communities are living the same Gospel in very real and practical ways.

LENTEN DAY OF CONFESSION

Tuesday, March 17, 2026 — 7:00pm

St. John Chrysostom

Fr. Roselle will be hearing confessions with the Priests at St. John Chrysostom.



MARIAN TRIDUUM OF THE ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD

Come and join us in honouring the Blessed Virgin Mary for her Fiat Friday, March 20, Tuesday March 24 and Wednesday March 25 following the 10am Mass

"Be it done to me according to your word" Luke 1:38

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 Merwyn Correa Leo Cadia Vaz Orsola Accardi Aria Crang Andy Waldherr Michelle Canale Pearl Clarke Laura Rostron Albina Barber Gladys Carvajac Francesco Pileggi Maureen McCormack	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 Alessandra Bustamante Natasha Franzoni Paul Grittani	Theresa Wharton Tammy Elkie Lisa Stokl Jeanette Barbosa Daniel Juresic Bernal Gutierrez Theresa Graham Jason Fonceca Christopher Wiker Johana Gutierrez Milena Easton Bryan Bausch Peyton Bausch Karen Heaslip Tessa Stone Tom Dube Amy Watts Liliana Mejia Annett Esguerra Mary Franzoni Lilia Castro
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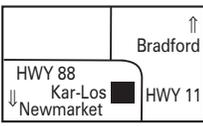


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