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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:

905-898-4264

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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
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Envelopes may also be
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Please introduce yourself to
Fr. Roy Roberts after Mass!



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St. Elizabeth Seton School 905-853-0340

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905-478-4242

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905-895-3340

St. Elizabeth Seton Parish

Trinity Sunday

June 16, 2019



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

Parish Staff

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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

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Mass Intentions

Monday June 17th

9am: Fr. Frank Abbass (D)

McKenzie Family Req:

Tuesday June 18th

Rita Shrubsole (D) 9am: John & Wilma Bloye Req:

Wednesday June 19th

9am: Thanksgiving (I)

Req:

Thursday June 20th

Mavis Solomon (D) oam: Req: Tom & Josie Deehan

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June 16th

8:00 **Teskey Family Hickey Family** 9:30 11:00 Audrey Wilcox & Eve **Erentzen Families**

June 23rd

8:00 Hachkowski Family Porporino Family 9:30

11:00 Betty Loft & Family

Join us after each mass for coffee and fellowship.







June 8th/9th

Sunday Offertory \$5,185.20 SES Building Fund \$ 1,991.25

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

Ruminations

Not being much of a history buff, I think my parents were surprised when I signed up for grade 11 World Politics. I have even less interest in politics than history, but this course always had a field trip to New York City. As the bus rolled into the Big Apple I remember marvelling as a subway train went by. I was mesmerized by the graffiti, the artistry and creativity. I think if you looked hard enough and long enough, a deep message began to emerge, that the artist was inviting me into a different way of seeing my reality. I've since learned that is precisely the role of art. to provoke or to challenge or to invite. Of all the many wonderful aspects of that trip, the main thing that has remained with me is the impression left by the graffiti artists. A few months ago, at the beginning of Lent, two banners were placed in the Worship Space. Nothing has been said about them or alluded to them. They were there to somehow invite people to reflect, or muse, or to coin a phrase, ruminate. Whether we realize it or not, even as our guest speaker Dr. Massimo Faggioli made mention of, the Church is in a period of revolution. The Second Vatican Council has unleashed a new energy into the Church inviting it to grow into a deeper expression of who it is called to be. We are invited to encounter a new and larger God; we are invited to discover a deeper sense of what it means to be human; we are invited to realize the true manifestation of what it means to be Church. It is all about growth - growth of spirit- growth of faith- growth of personhood. The status quo signals stagnation and death. As Dr. Faggioli made reference to, part of this spiritual revolution is being held back by lack of courage to move forward. The longing for a nostalgic vision of the Church that can be no more undermines the very Spirit that has been set free. So each of us must ask and answer the question of "What does my faith call me to be and do?" "What does it mean to accept our baptism as a great commissioning to live the kingdom of God?" "Is Church something we do or is Church who we are?" These are fundamental questions that the Church is struggling with. Someone asked me if they were "parish enough". That is a question that we can only answer for ourselves, but the collective fruit helps us see the answer. The surest thing though is that the Church is moving forward in becoming what it was meant to be. It is no longer something to be consumed but rather something that needs to be lived. So the question that we must grapple with each week until Christ returns is, "Are we parish enough?" So New York was okay. I never would describe it as a



highlight, and I have no desire to re-visit it. I was glad I went but in all honesty, I wish I had taken something other than World Politics. It was not the most exciting place to celebrate my 17th birthday. Fr. Roy

Announcements and Events...



Drivers Needed for 9:30 Mass

We continue to support driving the Gbevito family to the 9:30 Mass even after 3 years. This Sunday celebration means a lot to them. We have a shortage of drivers. The family lives at Yonge and London road. Mama has the car seats needed. We need two drivers each week. Even if you can help every other month your help would be greatly appreciated. Please call Teresa West at 905-806-7560.



During the summer months, July and August, you can register you child for elementary school at the York Catholic District School Board, 320 Bloomington Rd., W., Aurora,

Monday to Thursday July 4th to August 25th, 8:30am to 4:30pm. For detailed information regarding admissions criteria and the documents required for registration call 905-713-1211 or visit www.ycdsb.ca.



<u>Unreturned Library Books</u>

If you have overdue library books at home please return them to the library as soon as possible.

Thank you.

Annual Soap, Salt and Shoe Collection

It is that time of year when our parish supports the work of *Canadian Food for Children*

All three items, which we use every day and take for granted, are most needed by our brothers and sisters in the world's poorest countries. Your donations help to reduce the spread of diseases and improve the dignity of the people. If you are able to help with a donation of iodized salt, bath soap or shoes (new or **gently** used, children, youth or adult tied together), please drop your donations off in the parish foyer from

June 22nd through to June 30th

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"Do small things with great love." Mother Teresa







Feed the Hungry

Dear **gentlemen**, your parish St. Vincent de Paul Society needs your help!

Please consider volunteering for 2 or 3 hours, on a Wednesday evening, every three weeks.

For your safety and for client comfort family home visits are done by pair of male/female Vincentians.

Please pray on it and contact us at 905-898-4264. Peter will return your call.

Sacramental Corner......



Together we are One in the Holy Spirit!

Let us congratulate the youth of our parish who "God has Confirmed" this Easter season. The

Confirmation liturgies were especially memorable for the youth, their families and friends, and for the parish community.

We pray the youth will experience the love of God throughout their lives...in the many people they will encounter, and in the joys and struggles of life...God is always with you.

May your hearts be enlivened with the marvelous gifts of the Holy spirit!!



ATTENTION

Parents of grade 1 and grade 6 age children

Keep an eye on the bulletin throughout the summer for important information & meeting dates regarding our parish's First Communion and Confirmation Programs.

Our Registration process begins in September.

If your child missed celebrating First Communion or Confirmation (in grade 2 and 7), you are invited to register this year.

If you have any questions please contact Jennifer McAvoy at jennifermcavoy @rogers.com



Newmarket Food Pantry

The following items are those <u>most needed</u> by the Newmarket Food Pantry;

- juice boxes
- peanut butter and jam
- canned stew, chili and soups
- nutritious lunch snacks
- toiletry items
- baby formula, food and diapers
- junior size baby food (fruit)
- cat & dog food

These items can be dropped in our **Food Box** located in the foyer or for more information go to www.newmarketfoodpantry.ca

Let us pray for the sick...

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