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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.

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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
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Please introduce yourself to
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#### **Parish Schools**

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# St. Elizabeth Seton Parish

Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 15, 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

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## Mass Intentions

**Monday September 16th** 9am: Jack McAteer (D)

Jan & Terry Caffery Rea:

Tuesday September 17th Michael Casey (D)

Req: **Kiely Family** 

Wednesday September 18th

Vince Lorefia (I) 9am: Req: Rose Marie Slott

Thursday September 19th 9am: Ivana Fortini & Rusty

Morin (I)

Rose Marie Scott Req:

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#### September 22nd

8:00 Hachkowski Family

Mike Speckert/Zena/Reem 9:30

Culligan Family 11:00

#### September 29th

8:00 Sherrer Family

9:30 Sagar/Heim Family

11:00 Wilcox & Erentzen Families

Join us after each mass for coffee and fellowship.







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September 7th/8th

Sunday Offertory \$6,223.85 SES Building Fund \$ 800.00

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

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

The day of my sixteenth birthday, mom arranged for me to go to Aurora where the transportation office was so that I could take the drivers' test to get my learner's permit. It meant missing the first class at school, and being the avid student (I never missed a day in grade nine except for two days at the beginning of June for my grandmother's funeral - I was miffed that she couldn't have waited a few weeks so I could have had perfect attendance). I was determined to complete it and get back to school for period 2 with Miss Sinclair's English class. I aced the test and with great exuberance signed into school explaining to the attendance secretary what had happened and then proudly strutted into the classroom and handed Miss Sinclair my admit slip. The truth is I had been driving sporadically since grade nine. Whether coming back from a hockey game or being picked up from school, on occasion dad would pull over to the side of the road and told me to drive. Now we always stopped before home to switch positions. Dad didn't want mom to know because, well, you know how moms are. It was our little secret. Being able to drive was not just a rite of passage, it was the only way to get out of the Landing. There were no bus services back them. Since then, I have only had one speeding ticket which happened when I was going 52 km/hr in a recently reduced zone to 40 km. The police were out catching lots of people. It is one of those things that when you have travelled a road so often, familiarity prevents you from seeing the new speed limit. It was the first week of the change and I'm sure that if I wasn't a young punk but rather the codger that I am now, I would have been let off with a warning. My dad was a truck driver and was extremely vigilant about safety. The only bad habit he handed on was an aversion to seatbelts. Dad refused to wear them, not because of any stubbornness but because a colleague of his had been trapped in a burning truck and was unable to unfasten his seatbelt eventually died as a result of the accident. I consider myand self a good and safe driver though I hate backing into parking spaces and I pray that I never have to parallel park. I parallel parked for my driver's test and have never done so again. All this came flooding back this week as my youngest and favorite nephew was studying for his driver's test. He is the last of that generation to make this big step into maturity. Now some of his siblings had



multiple attempts at passing their tests so we gently reminded him that it is a repeatable event. anxiously went off for the challenge. About half an hour later I received a text that he had passed with flying colours. So fair warning, there is another Roberts out on the roads. I hope he learns safety well, because at my age, I will soon be looking for someone to chauffeur me around.

Fr. Roy

## **Announcements and Events...**



Our Knights of Columbus would like you to Join us September 21st/22nd after all Masses for Food and Fellowship

#### **Church Bulletin Advertising**

Weekly

Liturgical Publications will be setting Bulletin up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in

October 2019 and supports the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. Call Liturgical Publications at 1-800-268-2637. Thank you.

### **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**



Maureen Delaney has organized upcoming Craft Night at her place for ideas and suggestions for Betsy's Boutique who will be selling items at the annual Christmas bazaar. The Craft Night has been scheduled

for Tuesday, September 17th at 7pm. If you are interested in attending the **Craft Night** or have any ideas, please contact Maureen directly at (905) 853-2911 for more information and directions to her place. She welcomes all parishioners who are availabe to help Betsy's Boutique

## **Soul Food**

One of the clear revelations from the Parish Survey was the desire for what we call Adult Faith Formation. One of the movements in the Church is providing opportunities for exploring our faith as adults. We are resurrecting a series on a monthly basis called Soul Food - exploring topics of faith and liturgy. Our first evening will be on Wednesday, September 18 starting at 7:00 pm. The topic to start will be the "Eucharist Prayer - the Heart of the Mass." Please join us.



#### Sacramental Corner......



#### FIRST COMMUNION & CONFIRMATION REGISTRATION

Registration has begun!!

The registration forms will be available for pick up in the Parish Office following any of our Sunday Masses, until the weekend of September 28th/29th. A copy of your child's **Baptismal Certificate** must be attached to the Registration form when you return it to the parish office. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact Jennifer McAvoy at jennifermcavoy@rogers.com or at through the parish office.

Mark your calendars for the **First Communion Parent Information Meeting** Wednesday October 2 @ 7:00-8:30pm in the parish hall (Parents ONLY must attend)

Your child **MUST** be registered prior to the meeting dates.

**Sacrament of Confirmation the Parent & Candidate Information Meeting is** Wednesday, October 9th @ 7:00-8:30pm in the parish hall (Parent and Youth MUST 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 Gerais **Betty Loft** Susan Perek

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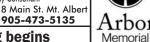


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