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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 Website: sjcses.blogspot.com

Catholic Community Services of York Region: 905-770-7040 Catholic Cemeteries: 905-889-7467 St. John's Cemetery 905-898-4137 ext. 226

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-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 13, 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

Seton Hall Banquet Facilities ...

A great location for Weddings, Anniversaries, Business Meetings and other occasions. For more information on bookings call 905-853-5009 or email st.elizabethseton@rogers.com

Mass Intentions

Monday October 14th 9am: Aida Vamvouras (I) Req: Vennie & Friends

Tuesday October 15th9am:Goria Robitaille (D)Req:John & Wilma Bloye

Wednesday October 16th 9am: *No Morning Mass* Req: Mass at Sacred Heart

Thursday October 17th9am:Walter Verzuu (I)Req:Carol Richard

Sunday Masses are for ALL GOD'S PEOPLE

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

October 20th 8:00 Hachkowski Family 9:30 Hickey Family 11:00 Culligan Family

October 27th 8:00 Teskey Family 9:30 Porporino Family 11:00 Wilcox & Erentzen Families

Join us after each mass for coffee and fellowship.



Soul Food

Wednesday October 16th 7:00 pm. The topic will be "Incarnation." Please join us.



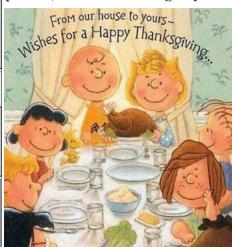
October 5th/6th Sunday Offertory \$ SES Building Fund \$

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

Ruminations

Thanksgiving was an artistic time. It was when the refrigerator was festooned with colourful pages of harvest vegetables and wheat all emerging from a cornucopia. Every household who had elementary school-aged children likely had the same pictures taped to their fridge. At our house, my efforts of staying in the lines of the requisite thanksgiving template always took pride of place while the schlock of my younger brothers' works were relegated to the side of or the bottom of the fridge. It was my parents' favorite holiday. It was the one annual celebration when we got to relax and be at home with little other concern that having a meal together. All the other events required much more preparation and the stress (albeit good stress for the most part) of travelling to be with family, and depending on what family it was dictated how much thanksgiving there was. Options on a holiday Monday were few and far between. First, television on the two channels that we got was not conducive to sitting around watching. Of course there were no play stations or gaming systems. Nothing was open to go shopping or hang around the mall mostly because there was no mall and it was early enough in the hockey season and there was a civility in sporting schedules that respected the holiday as a family day unencumbered by the demands of tournament travel. That meant it was either boredom or playing outside, raking leaves and jumping into piles. Back then the leaves were raked either for piling up and or eventually burning. There was nothing like the autumn smell of burning leaves in the big 45 gallon drums in the back yard. Curbside pickup of yard waste wasn't even in the picture. So Thanksgiving Day was spent out in the crisp fresh air. Then late in the afternoon as the daylight was waning, we would make a mad dash home from whatever part of the neighbourhood we were in. The minute we stepped into the house we could smell the delicious aroma of a turkey fresh out of the oven and the sweet smell of a cinnamon infused apple pie with apples we had picked from the orchard at my aunts' farm a few weeks back. It was a pretty standard fair. Turkey and gravy, mashed potatoes, (not garlic mashed potatoes because garlic was not trendy back then), carrots and green beans, freshlv made dinner rolls and the most despicable dish of turnip and brown sugar. It was aptly named because I always turned up my nose and just passed it around. The dinner table was always a fun place mostly started by dad. When someone asked for the buns to be passed, dad would oblige by actually passing a bun through the air.



There was always laughter and fun, and all the hostilities of four boys growing up together and bickering and fighting were left at the door, at least for one meal. Looking back at those innocent days, I think I am more thankful now than I ever was then. It was almost a perfect Norman Rockwell setting. Happy Thanksgiving. *7r. Roy*

Announcements and Events...



St. Elizabeth Seton Youth Group

We are starting a group for young people in grades 6, 7, & 8 and our first meeting will take place on

Friday October 18th from 6:30pm to 8:00pm.

PIZZA NIGHT

Please speak with Fr. Roy for more information.



Knights of Columbus Čhef's Dinner 11th Year of Great Food and Friendship \$20.00 per person

Saturday, October 26th, Doors open at 6pm, dinner at 7pm Proceeds will go toward the Newmarket and East Gwillimbury Food Banks Tickets will be sold in the fover after all masses. Good food and fun for everyone!



The CWG is having a Raffle for a beautiful queen-sized quilt. This quilt, now hung in the gathering place, was expertly pieced and amazingly quilted. Funds received from

ticket sales will go for Parish needs and to CWG charities. Tickets will be on sale after each of the Masses starting October 12 and 13. Tickets are \$2 each or 3 for \$5. The raffle draw will take place at the Christmas Bazaar.

CWG NEWS



Maureen Delaney has organized an 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, October 15th 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.

Sacramental Corner.....

FIRST COMMUNION

Please be sure to mark your calendars for the Tuesday October 29th Parents Reconciliation Catechesis Meeting @ 7-9pm. This is for parents only and there are no make up meetings. Meetings and retreats are mandatory to attend!

It was wonderful to see so many enthusiastic parents at the Parent Information Meeting on Oct 2nd. Parents were reminded that First Communion is not just a one time event. The Sacrament of Eucharist is a wonderful initiation into a way of living authentic Catholics lives. Your child's **reflections forms** are to be dropped off in the box located outside the parish office door. Children, be sure to get a sticker each Sunday to decorate your purple folders.

CONFIRMATION

Great to see all the youth and their parents at Wednesday night's meeting. We are going to enjoy a blessed year with all the candidates and their parents, too.

This will be a time to reflect on how God is touching your hearts and how are you responding to God's Word. Candidates, be sure to drop your completed 'breaking open the word' reflection forms after Sunday mass.





Celebrate Your Marriage with a Worldwide **Marriage Encounter Weekend!**

Forget life's tensions and interruptions and rekindle the closeness, intimacy, love and romance that brought you together. Recharge your relationship batteries and share your feelings, hopes and dreams with each other. There is no group sharing. Couples and a priest present during the Weekend. It is based around Catholic values but couples of all faiths are welcome.

Upcoming Weekend Date: October 25-27, 2019 Four Points by Sheraton Mississauga 2501 Argentia Road, Mississauga

For more information and application please go to www.wwme.org or contact Gerard & Marge at gerard.marge@rogers.com or 905-792-1925.

Let us pray for the sick...

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	Olive Hutton Alana Brown-Wallace Janet Brockway Wally Pottie Greg Quattrin Mary Mead Tarcisia Borg Wincenty Stoch Warren Pettifer Mary Ann Ferrer Vince Masci Larry Yarush Alain Gerais	Rosa Santos Evelyn Walsh Merwyn Correa Slawomir Demianczuk Sebastiao P. Henriques Molly Nabuurs Audrey McDonnell Peter Aristotle Bob Leggo Albina Barber Mary MacDonald Kathleen Todesco Joshua Perek	Jennifer Ma Zeny Jose Irene Zbyszyinski Edward LaPenta J. Legari Diana Lopez Adam Wood Mayling Meueses Frances Leggo Russel Scott Elizabeth Ryan Mary Perek Dave Dailey
These items can be dropped in our <u>Food Box</u> located in the foyer or for more information go to www.newmarketfoodpantry.ca	Betty Loft Susan Perek	Julia Purdham Donna Stea-Cutting	John Delorey Lindsay Veltman
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