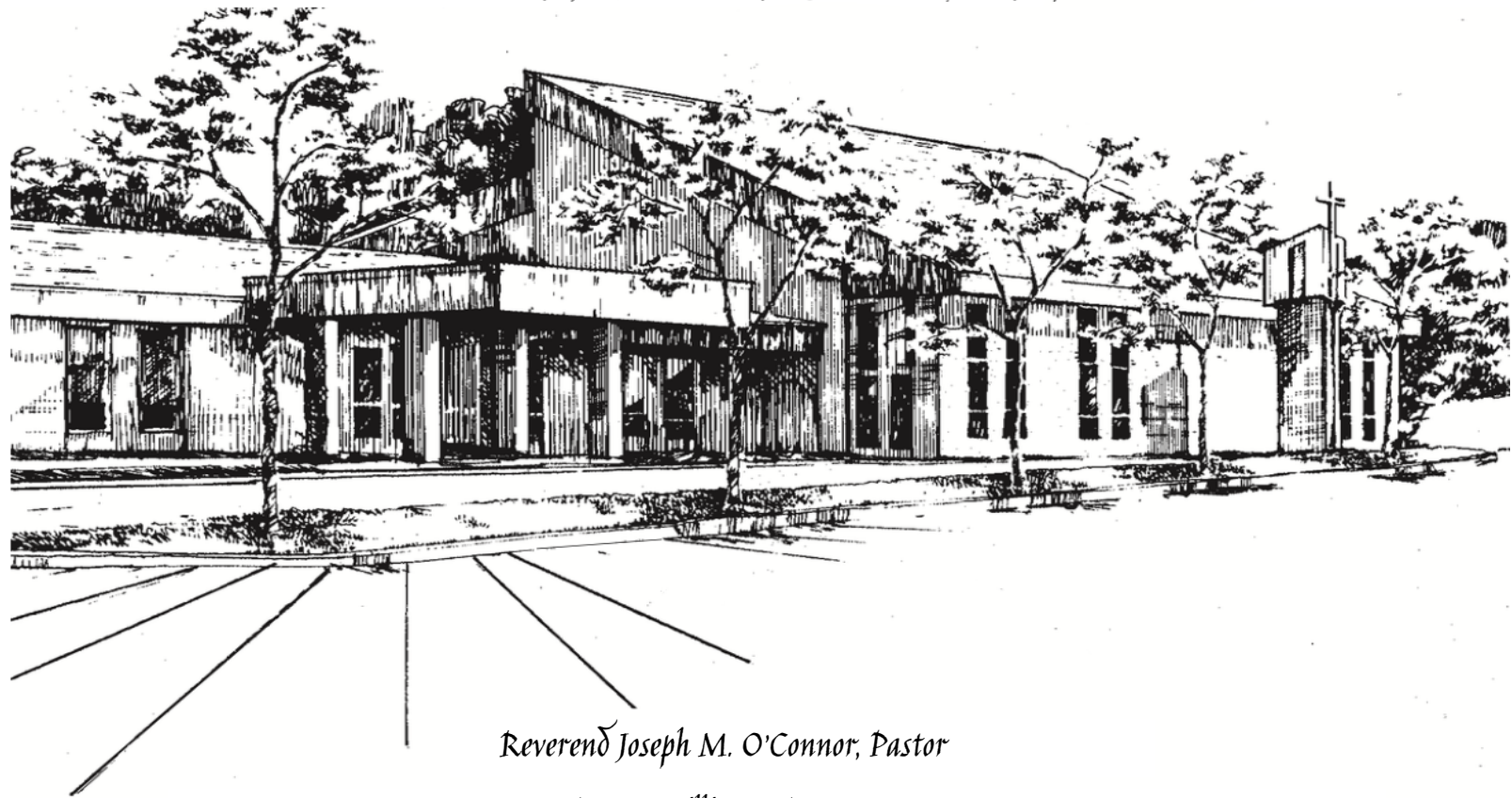


St.
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Church

May 21, 2023

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*Live simply
that others may
simply live*



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Parish Mission Statement The Catholic community of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, united in the love of God, comes together to worship the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, to provide for the spiritual growth of each member, to minister to one another's needs, to be servants and neighbors to all, to strengthen and share faith, to experience the richness of Jesus Christ. The Catholic community of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, aware of its call to be the good news, accomplishes its mission through worship, education, service, and personal example.

May God Bless and keep safe in his care our Service Men and Women whose lives are in danger every day. They heroically serve to defend and maintain freedom around the world as well as at home. Our prayer for them reflects our great admiration and love for them. May God bless them, watch over them, and protect them always.

Diocesan Prayer for Vocations "God, my Father, you created me with a specific purpose for my life; this is my vocation. By following your plan, I will be happy on earth, earn the reward of heaven, and help others to do the same. Please help me to hear, understand, and follow your call with my whole heart, especially when it seems most difficult. Saint Joseph, patron of the Universal Church, pray for me to know and accept God's will for my life. Amen."

Anna Asks: "Why is the Bishop the only one to do Confirmations in a Diocese?" The Catechism instructs, "Bishops are the successors of the apostles. They have received the fullness of the sacrament of Holy Orders. The administration of this sacrament by them demonstrates clearly that its effect is to unite those who receive it more closely to the Church, her apostolic origins, and her mission of bearing witness to Christ." (CCC, 1313). In the early Church, bishops were the only ones who celebrated Sacraments, but as the Church grew, bishops allowed priests to celebrate various Sacraments. This practice made practical sense, but it takes away from the visible reminder of the unity of the Church. Most Bishops, then, retain the practice of celebrating Confirmations throughout their Diocese. The bishop usually spends a lot of time administering Confirmation. This is a great pastoral responsibility of the bishop, as it allows him to visit the parishes in his diocese. Nevertheless, there are instances that would allow for a priest to administer the sacrament of Confirmation. For instance, pastors, by the nature of their office, have the faculty to administer Confirmation on non-Catholics who come into the Church on the Easter Vigil, and he can obtain that faculty in other circumstances with the permission of the bishop.

A Memorial Mass for Fr. Dan Mulhauser, S.J. A beautiful funeral Mass was celebrated at LeMoyné last Saturday for Father Dan. His family informed us that he requested a memorial Mass to be celebrated at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church. What a great testimony to the love he felt for our parish! There is a tradition in the Catholic Church of remembering a loved one at Mass about thirty days after their passing. As a parish family, we would like to do that for Fr. Mulhauser. We will hold the "Month's Mind Mass" at 7:00 pm on Thursday, June 15th. Please join us!

Invitation to Adoration "And behold, I am with you always, until the end of the age"- Matthew 28:20. Consider spending time with Jesus during Eucharistic Adoration, offered at St EAS on Tuesdays from 6 to 8 pm and Fridays from 7 to 9 am.

Baccalaureate Mass Saint Elizabeth would like to congratulate and celebrate the academic accomplishment of our 2023 graduates. June 18th at the 9 am Mass, we invite any graduating senior to join us in cap and gown for Mass and receive a special blessing from Father O'Connor. Please let us know if you will be attending through the online form (scan code) or by calling the parish office.



Father O'Connor will be on retreat this week! Please keep him in prayer and welcome Bishop Cunningham and Fr. Fritzen, who will be celebrating daily Masses. On Friday at 6:45 am, Joe Ryan will lead Morning Prayer and begin Adoration.

Save the Date – June 18th Birthday Celebration Bishop Cunningham is turning 80 on June 18th and we are hosting him! He will celebrate the 11:00 am Mass and we will have cookies and punch to celebrate afterwards in the Seton Center.

Liturgical Ministry Fair Weekend Our parish has a long tradition of very generous volunteers in all aspects of parish life. We are looking to fire that back up. After all Masses this weekend, we will have tables set up in the Gathering Space with information and the opportunity to sign up to assist during Mass as Altar Servers, Lectors, and Eucharistic Ministers.

Our Daily bREAD Are you struggling to understand why the world has moved away from the Catholic Church? Have you ever been nervous in today's culture about knowing how to talk about your faith with others? In *From Christendom to Apostolic Mission* by the University of Mary, we learn where we came from as a Church when Christianity was the dominating influence in the world and how we are now in a changing cultural shift. We discover that, as a Church and individuals, we need to adapt our views and "respond to this cultural change to help people know, love and follow Jesus and his Gospel." For the month of May, Pope Francis' special intention is for us to pray that we, the Church, "rediscover our mission to evangelize each day and use our gifts to help others in need." Come encounter Christ in our many resources to help equip you to find peace, comfort and joy in our duty as Catholics to spread the word of God to others.

Invitation to Adoration Special Eucharistic First Friday Devotion in our B'ville PCA - the parishes of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, St. Mary's of the Assumption, and St. Augustine's are offering adoration on a rotating schedule every First Friday. The first Friday of every month is marked by a special devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. St. EAS will be hosting on Friday, June 2nd, from 6 to 10 pm. *"Do you realize that Jesus is there in the tabernacle expressly for you- for you alone? He burns with the desire to come into your heart"* - St. Therese of Lisieux

Memorial Day 9:00am Mass at the Cemetery Our Lady of Peace Cemetery on Route 57 has invited us to hold Memorial Day Mass at their chapel. As we honor, remember, and pray for those who gave their life defending our country, we will celebrate the Eucharist by which we receive the life-giving Body and Blood of Our Lord Jesus Christ.

Join the Sisters of St Francis' on May 24th from 6 to 8 pm at Daniella's Fresh Seafood & Pasta House (within the NYS State Fairgrounds) for a fun-filled evening featuring delicious foods, wines, silent auction and warm sister appreciation. All proceeds benefit the retirement needs and care of Sisters of St. Francis. Tickets are \$75.00 per person. To order yours, visit www.sosf.org or call 315-380-0150 or purchase at the door.

Faith Formation Registration is now open for the 2023-2024 school year. Register by June 30th for Faith Formation classes, and you will save \$10 per child (by not incurring the late fee!). This also helps us with our book order for the fall. Please use the following link to register: <https://stelizabethville.breezechms.com/form/FF23-24>

Totus Tuus Summer Program This summer, Totus Tuus will be July 9-14th. Totus Tuus is a summer Catholic youth program dedicated to sharing the Gospel and promoting the Catholic faith through evangelization, discipleship, Christian witness, and Eucharistic worship. Totus Tuus combines solid teaching in the Catholic faith with fun activities to create a joyful and engaging program. Additionally, the week includes daily Mass, opportunities for Confession, and Adoration. The last day of the program is finished with water games and other exciting activities!

Day Program for grades 1-6: <https://totustus-2023-stelizabethannseton-dayprogram.eventbrite.com>

Evening Program for grades 7-12: <https://totustus-2023-stelizabethannseton-eveningprogram.eventbrite.com>

The Word of God and Mother Seton *"Think often of your happiness. God destines you a share in His Beatitude."* - CW IIIa, 526. Christ came into this world to *give eternal life* to everyone who believes in Him. This is our true happiness, to share in His love. *We rejoice exultantly even though we are insulted for the Name of Christ.* Our destiny, however, is not of this world. Those who know and love Christ will share in the blessed reality of Heaven. So, we must think often of our happiness, our destiny not only in this life, but also the next.

Vocation Perspective – *"But whoever is made to suffer as a Christian should not be ashamed but glorify God because of the name."* There are many who may torment or reject us because of the great name we bear, but we who are called Christians ought not to respond as the world responds to Him who called us. Rather, let us go out and share the joy of what we have witnessed. Call Father Jason Hage at 315-470-1468 or email: vocations@syrdio.org.

A Prayer Chain is in place at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton. Serving on the Prayer Chain is a way to serve God and to bring blessings to others in need of the prayers of others. If prayers for self or for others are desired, or to receive notice of needed prayers, please call the Parish Office at 315-652-4300 and your info will be forwarded to Angie Peterson.

Weekly Scripture



Readings for May 21, 2023

Acts of the Apostles 1:12-14

1 Peter 4:13-16

John 17:1-11a

Readings for May 28, 2023

Acts of the Apostles 2:1-11

1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13

John 20:19-23

MASS INTENTIONS May 20, 2023 through May 28, 2023

Saturday	5:00PM	George Coddington, Jr by Salvatore & Anna Strazzeri
Sunday	7:30AM	Mary Callahan by The Callahan Family
	9:00AM	Pam Worthington by Lorraine DiBello & Tom Grier
	11:00AM	Rand Klinke by Mary Ann Klinke & Family
Monday	9:00AM	John McCarthy by Mary Anne McCarthy
Tuesday	6:45AM	For the People of the Parish
Wednesday	9:00AM	Christopher Fazio by John & Diane Wargo
Thursday	6:45AM	Karl Wentzel by Family
Friday	6:45AM	NO MASS – Morning Prayer with Joe Ryan
	9:00AM	Kathleen Carpinella by Virginia MacEntee
Next Saturday	5:00PM	Eugene Finnegan by Dick & Angie Peterson
Next Sunday	7:30AM	Jimmy Brown by Chuck Lincoln
	9:00AM	Dawn Diamond by John Diamond
	11:00AM	Logan Walsh by Robert Wheeler & Florence Ridlon

Activities in the Gym

Monday 05/22/23	7:00-9:00PM	Adult Co-ed Volleyball
Tuesday 05/23/23	7:00-9:00PM	Men's Over 30 Basketball
Wednesday 5/24/23	7:00-9:00PM	Adult Co-ed Volleyball

Meetings

Thursday 05/25/23	7:00PM	Choir Rehearsal
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Our Gifts to the Lord

Reg Collection \$ 9,378

Thank you for your generosity.

Electronic Offerings – Using online billing with your bank, you can request the bank to mail a paper check to St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church at no cost to you or the parish. This can be set up on a recurring or one-time basis. We ask that you note your envelope number on the check either as the account number or in the memo line. Often this can be set up online through the “Bill Pay” section of your bank account website.

Seton Food Pantry Hours

Tuesday & Wednesday 9am – 11am
First Tuesday of the month 6-8pm

Items needed:

Spaghetti Sauce, Canned Fruit, Coffee

Sandwich Making May 23 – Signorelli Family, K Smith Family, Smithson Family **Reminder: Sandwich Making is at 6:00PM**

Sandwich Delivery Assumption Church May 24 – S Mancini

Pantry Volunteers – May 22 – Hay Family **May 23** – J Costich, MA Wentzel, S Craver **May 24-** C&M Lynch, D Neuman

Liturgical Ministers	<u>May 27/28</u>	<u>Lectors</u>	<u>Eucharistic Ministers</u>
	5:00 PM	L Clarkson	M Smith, S Wilsey, J Bonner
	7:30AM	M Demjanenko	J Moss, J Piedmonte, F Reid
	9:00AM	J Hill	M Worth, R Bracht
	11:00AM	R Brady	MK Spaulding, R Brady

Want to be a Eucharistic Minister, Lector or Altar Server? Call Deacon Bill Dotterer at 315-652-4300 for individual training.

Parish Membership: It is important to belong to a parish and we invite all who enjoy worshipping with us to register formally as members of the parish family. Registration forms may be found on the table outside the parish office or register online

Baptisms take place at the **5:00 Mass** on the **1st Saturday** of the month, the **9:00 Mass** on the **2nd Sunday** and the **11:00 Mass** on the **3rd Sunday**. Call the office to make arrangements. Preparation class follow the 11AM Mass on the 2nd Sunday every month.

Adults interested in being Confirmed or becoming Catholic through RCIA, contact Deacon Bill at 315-652-4300.

Reconciliation: SEAS: Saturdays at 4:00 PM or contact parish office to make an appt. St Mary's/St Augustine: Tuesday evenings or Wednesday mornings. Check their website for details.

Anima Christi

(prayed by St. Elizabeth after Communion)

Soul of Christ, sanctify me.
Body of Christ, save me.
Blood of Christ, inebriate me.
Water from the side of Christ, wash me.
Passion of Christ, strengthen me.
O Good Jesus, hear me.
Within your wounds hide me.
Permit me not to be separated from you.
From the wicked foe, defend me.
At the hour of my death, call me
and bid me come to you
That with your saints I may praise you
for ever and ever. Amen.