

### PRAYER FOR SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

*My Jesus, I believe that you are truly present in the Most Blessed Sacrament. I love You above all things and I desire to possess You within my soul. Since I am unable at this moment to receive You Sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as being already there, and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.*

### NUN RUN FOOD DONATIONS

Items donated for the monthly Nun Run help support two communities of women religious, the Poor Clare Nuns and the Little Sisters of St. Francis. Each has a different but vital role in the Church.

The Poor Clares are vegetarian but eat fish twice a week. They can use canned veggies, fruit, rice, flour, salt, canned tuna and salmon as well as toothpaste, paper products and soap.

The Little Sisters of St. Francis appreciate canned foods, gelatin desserts, puddings and soups as well as paper towels, toilet paper, laundry detergent, bleach, disinfectant wipes and non-latex gloves for providing personal hygiene to the mentally and physically handicapped residents. They can also always use towels and wash cloths for bathing the residents.

On the first weekend of each month, there is a collection for both communities. **Next date: Sunday, August 1.**

### OFFICE OF VOCATIONS

**“Do not work for food that perishes, but for food that endures for eternal life.”** Are you being chosen to help feed and give life to the people of God as a priest? Please contact Father Brian Capuano, Vicar for Vocations, Catholic Diocese of Richmond (804) 359-5661, [vocations@richmonddiocese.org](mailto:vocations@richmonddiocese.org) or Father J. Scott Duarte at (804) 557-3962, [sduarte@richmonddiocese.org](mailto:sduarte@richmonddiocese.org).

*Send us  
Shepherds*

### Year of St. Joseph Prayer

*To you, O blessed Joseph, do we come in our afflictions, and having implored the help of your most holy Spouse, we confidently invoke your patronage also.*

*Through that charity which bound you to the Immaculate Virgin Mother of God and through the paternal love with which you embraced the Child Jesus, we humbly beg you graciously to regard the inheritance which Jesus Christ has purchased by his Blood, and with your power and strength to aid us in our necessities.*

*O most watchful guardian of the Holy Family, defend the chosen children of Jesus Christ; O most loving father, ward off from us every contagion of error and corrupting influence; O our most mighty protector, be kind to us and from heaven assist us in our struggle with the power of darkness.*

*As once you rescued the Child Jesus from deadly peril, so now protect God's Holy Church from the snares of the enemy and from all adversity; shield, too, each one of us by your constant protection, so that, supported by your example and your aid, we may be able to live piously, to die in holiness, and to obtain eternal happiness in heaven. Amen.*



## ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Office Hours: M-F 9:00 AM-2:30 PM

### WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday Vigil: 5:30 PM; Sunday: 8:30 AM & 11:00 AM

The Sacrament of Reconciliation is offered Saturdays at 5:00 PM and by appointment.

## Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time August 1, 2021

**D**raw near to your servants, O Lord, and answer their prayers with unceasing kindness, that, for those who glory in you as their Creator and guide, you may restore what you have created and keep safe what you have restored.

Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.  
Amen.



The Sermon on the Mount, Sebastiano Ricci, 1659-1734

### Parish Staff

|                              |   |              |
|------------------------------|---|--------------|
| Pastor:                      | Rev. J. Scott Duarte, J.C.D.  | 804-557-3962 |
| Secretary & Bulletin Editor: | Rose Reed<br><a href="mailto:seassecretary@verizon.net">seassecretary@verizon.net</a> | 804-932-4125 |
| Parish Council Members:      | Greg Davis, Matt Luther, JoAnne Rial, Ginger Mary and Michelle Boyer                  |              |
| Finance Council Members:     | Greg Barlage, Harold Wayne, Irma Gregory and Paul Tran                                |              |
| Sacristan Emerita:           | Irma Gregory  | 804-932-8298 |
| Sacristan Assistants:        | Mary Brooks & Iris Davis  |              |
| Parish Organist (Saturday):  | Amos Goldie<br><a href="mailto:amosgold@gmail.com">amosgold@gmail.com</a>             | 804-932-4125 |

### On the mission of the Church...

**“The parish is the presence of the Church in a given territory, an environment for hearing God’s word, for growth in the Christian life, for dialogue, proclamation, charitable outreach, worship and celebration. In all its activities the parish encourages and trains its members to be evangelisers.**

**It is a community of communities, a sanctuary where the thirsty come to drink in the midst of their journey, and a centre of constant missionary outreach... to make them environments of living communion and participation, and to make them completely mission-oriented.”**  
From Pope Francis’ *Evangelii Gaudium*

## Parish Schedule

**Saturday, July 31—Vigil**  
5:00 PM—Confessions  
5:30 PM—Mass: K of C, living & deceased (livestreamed)

**Sunday, Aug. 1—Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
8:30 AM—Mass: People of the Parish  
11:00 AM—Mass: †Michael Edicola

**Monday, Aug. 2—St. Eusebius of Vercelli; St. Peter Julian Eymard**

**Tuesday, Aug. 3—Weekday**

**Wednesday, Aug. 4—St. John Vianney**  
11:00 AM—Mass: Special Intention

**Thursday, Aug. 5—The Dedication of the Basilica of St. Mary Major**

**Friday, Aug. 6—The Transfiguration of the Lord**

**Saturday, Aug. 7—Vigil**  
5:00 PM—Confessions  
5:30 PM—Mass: In Gratitude to the K of C (livestreamed)

**Sunday, Aug. 8—Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
8:30 AM—Mass: People of the Parish  
11:00 AM—Mass: †Mathew Bazzichi

**\*\*Daily Mass is on Wednesday at 11:00 AM.**

## SEAS Parish Prayer List



Please hold in prayer this week all the sick, suffering and home-bound of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish and the Catholic Diocese of Richmond.

“And the prayer offered in faith will make the sick person well.”  
James 5:15

Those who have died are remembered in a special way, especially those who passed away due to complications of COVID-19.

**For an end to the pandemic:**

Let us pray, dearly beloved, for a swift end to the coronavirus pandemic that afflicts our world, that our God and Father, will heal the sick, strengthen those that care for them, and help us all to persevere in faith.

Almighty and merciful God, source of all life, health and healing, look with compassion on our world, brought low by disease; protect us in the midst of the grave challenges that assail us and in your fatherly providence, grant recovery to the stricken, strength to those who care for them, and success to those working to eradicate this scourge.

Through Christ Our Lord. Amen.

## Parish Contributions

If you are a registered SEAS parishioner and would like contribution information, please contact the parish office at 804-932-4125.

**Donation options:** Sign-up for E-giving on the parish website at [seascatholicchurch.org](http://seascatholicchurch.org); mail your contributions to our mailing address: PO Box 648, Quinton, VA 23141; drop off contributions at Mass or to the office during office hours, M-F 9am-2:30pm.

Thank you for your generosity and support!

### K OF C #14034 INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

Congratulations to the new Knights of Columbus officers for 2021-2022 who will be installed this Saturday, July 31, 2021 after the 5:30 PM Mass in the SEAS Social Hall. We wish you much success for the upcoming year!

### THANK YOU

A generous donation was made last week to the New Church Fund in honor of Mike & Donna Thomson and in honor of Rose Reed in recognition of their work on behalf of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish. We would like to thank our parish family for their generosity and support of the New Church Fund.

## Scripture Readings

**Saturday, July 31 Memorial of St. Ignatius of Loyola**  
Lv 25:1,8-17/Ps 67:2-3,5,7-8/Mt 5:10/Mt 14:1-12

**Sunday, August 1 Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
Ex 16:2-4,12-15/Ps 78:3-4,23-25,54/Eph 4:17,20-24/Mt 4:4b/Jn 6:24-35

**Mon., Aug. 2 Mon. of the Eighteenth Wk. in Ord. Time**  
Nm 11:4b-15/Ps 81:12-17/Mt 4:4/Mt 14:13-21

**Tues., Aug. 3 Tues. of the Eighteenth Wk. in Ord. Time**  
Nm 12:1-13/Ps 51:3-6ab,6cd-7,12-13/Jn 1:49b/Mt 14:22-36

**Wed., Aug. 4 Memorial of St. John Vianney**  
Nm 13:1-2,25—14:1,26a-29a,34-35/Ps 106:6-7ab,13-14/Lk 7:16/Mt 15:21-28

**Thurs., Aug. 5 Thurs. of the Eighteenth Wk. in Ord. Time**  
Nm 20:1-13/Ps 95:1-2,6-9/Mt 16:18/Mt 16:13-23

**Friday, Aug. 6 Feast of the Transfiguration of the Lord**  
Dn 7:9-10,13-14/Ps 97:1-2,5-6,9/2 Pt 1:16-19/Mt 17:5c/Mk 9:2-10

**Saturday, Aug. 7 Sat. of the Eighteenth Wk. in Ord. Time**  
Dt 6:4-13/Ps 18:2-3a,3bc-4,47&51/2 Tm 1:10/Mt 17:14-20

**Sunday, August 8 Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
1 Kgs 19:4-8/Ps 34:2-9/Eph 4:30—5:2/Jn 6:51/Jn 6:41-51

## Parish News

**Per the Governor of Virginia’s Executive Order 79 (effective May 28, 2021), public health restrictions have ended in the Commonwealth, apart from the continued guidance on mask wearing.**

**Masks—Fully Vaccinated:** Effective May 15, 2021, fully vaccinated people no longer need to wear a mask in any setting. In addition, fully vaccinated people do not need to supply proof of vaccination; parishes should not ask to see or check vaccination cards.

**Masks—Unvaccinated:** All present for the liturgy ages 5 and older must cover their mouth and nose with a mask when present for any Mass or liturgical celebration. Individuals who cannot wear a mask due to health reasons must speak directly with their pastor to receive an exception. Documentation of the medical need is not required.

**Music Ministry:** Choirs may resume as of May 28, 2021.

**Hymnals and Worship Aids:** Parishes may resume the use of hymnals and/or the use of worship aids.

**Lifting the General Dispensation from the Obligation to Attend Mass (NEW):** On June 2, 2021, the Bishops of the Province of Baltimore and the Archdiocese of Washington put out a statement lifting the dispensation of the Sunday and Holy Days Mass obligation in the Archdiocese of Baltimore, the Archdiocese of Washington, the Dioceses of Arlington, Richmond, Wheeling-Charleston and Wilmington that **takes effect on June 26th and June 27th, 2021.** Please read the full statement on the bulletin board in the Commons Area or on the website.

**Recorded/Livestreamed Mass:** Due to COVID-19, Mass (at SEAS each Saturday 5:30 PM Vigil Mass) is being livestreamed for use on our social media platforms and various Diocesan digital media accounts of the Catholic Diocese of Richmond and *The Catholic Virginian*. Photography and/or screenshot images may be used for *The Catholic Virginian* print edition. If you do not wish to be captured by livestreaming, please refrain from attending this Mass.

### K OF C COUNCIL 14034

This Saturday, July 31st, the 5:30 PM Vigil Mass is in honor of Knights of Columbus Council 14034, living and deceased. The K of C members who have passed away are:

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| Robert D. Rotermund     | 12/20/06 |
| John R. Metzgar         | 08/11/11 |
| James P. Taylor         | 11/23/11 |
| Frank J. Mauro          | 03/12/12 |
| Joseph L. Bowry         | 12/16/12 |
| Philip L. Brocking      | 03/25/13 |
| G. Paul McGinn          | 06/08/13 |
| Marvin E. Morris        | 10/25/13 |
| M. Conway Adams         | 07/28/14 |
| George W. Fear          | 01/21/16 |
| Charles Rich            | 04/06/16 |
| Nello M. Bazzichi       | 08/28/16 |
| Dr. Victor J. Tricarico | 12/13/18 |
| Rev. Mr. William Hunt   | 09/21/19 |
| Paul R. Mary            | 10/23/19 |
| Andrew Cason            | 06/05/21 |



### CATHOLICS COME HOME

The SEAS Catholics Come Home Ministry offers a compassionate and encouraging atmosphere for inactive Catholics to consider returning to our faith. If someone you know has been away from the faith for several years we would enjoy the opportunity to assist them in coming back. The goal of the ministry is to reach out to inactive Catholics inviting them to join us for hospitality and discussion, giving them time to consider the stirrings of their hearts.

The Catholics Come Home program is intended to help bridge the sometimes intimidating obstacles to returning. Please consider inviting neighbors, friends or family members that may benefit from our ministry to contact us. We will have an informational gathering in the near future and begin a session soon. For additional information please contact Donna Thomson at [seas.dthomson@verizon.net](mailto:seas.dthomson@verizon.net).



**Schedule:** K of C meetings have resumed on the 1st and 3rd Thursday of the month at 7:30 PM in the SEAS Social Hall.

**Installation of Officers July 31, 2021:** The Installation of Officers will take place in the SEAS Social Hall after the 5:30 PM Mass. Council members will sit together as a group during the Mass.

**Prayer Request:** Please remember in prayer: the Rogers family, the Gothreau family, the Cashin family, the Almeida family, the Cason family, and all our military, law enforcement, first responders and their families.

**Membership:** To learn more about the Knights of Columbus at SEAS Parish and all we do to help our pastor, parish and community, please contact Grand Knight, Jeffrey Gargiulo at: [jrgarg55@yahoo.com](mailto:jrgarg55@yahoo.com). To learn more about the K of C in Virginia, visit [kofc.org/joinus](http://kofc.org/joinus).

### PRIVATE PRAYER TIME

If you would like to schedule an hour of private prayer time in the Church during the week, please call the parish office at 932-4125.

### THE SOLEMNITY OF THE ASSUMPTION OF MARY Sunday, August 15, 2021

Please note the Solemnity of the Assumption of Mary replaces the Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time.

### OFFICE CLOSING

The parish office will be closed Tuesday-Thursday, Aug. 10-12.

### DIocese of Richmond OFFICE OF THE BISHOP

Bishop Knestout encourages anyone aware of sexual abuse of minors on the part of clergy or staff of our diocese to notify civil authorities, call the Attorney General’s Clergy Abuse Hotline at 1-833-454-9064, and reach out to the confidential Victim Assistance Reporting 24-Hour Number at 1-877-887-9603.