

KROGER COMMUNITY REWARDS PROGRAM

As a reminder, SEAS Parish is enrolled in Kroger Community Rewards. You can help support SEAS New Church Fund by shopping at Kroger and using your Kroger Plus Card.

- To enroll your Plus Card, go to www.krogercommunityrewards.com.
- Click on “Create An Account.”
- Enter your email address and create a password, agreeing to terms and conditions.
- Enter your card number and our church name, “St. Elizabeth Ann Seton” or our account number, CF801.

Questions? Please contact the parish office at 932-4125.

OFFICE OF VOCATIONS

Solemnity of Christ the King ~ November 21, 2021

“I was hungry and you gave me to eat, I was thirsty and you gave me to drink.”

Is Christ calling you to serve Him in others as a sister, brother, deacon or priest? Please contact the Vocations Office to speak with Father Brian Capuano: (804) 359-5661; vocations@richmonddiocese.org, or Rev. J. Scott Duarte at (804) 557-3962, sduarte@richmonddiocese.org.

UNVEILED: A PRE-CANA PROGRAM

\$170/couple—various times & locations

Unveiled is the Diocese of Richmond’s marriage preparation program designed for engaged couples preparing to be married in the Catholic Church. Each session is facilitated by a married couple who will help the engaged couples attending explore the core topics of communication and intimacy, theology of marriage and spirituality of marriage. Questions and requests for registration information can be sent to marriageprep@richmonddiocese.org.

FOR YOUR CONSIDERATION: GIVE BACK THROUGH YOUR IRA

During this time of giving, a distribution from your IRA is a great way to give back to the Church! Did you know: if you are 72 or older, you can make your Required Minimum Distribution (RMD) from your IRA straight to our parish.

Giving through your IRA is EASY! To learn how you can make an impact through your IRA right now, contact your financial advisor or Maggie Keenan at the Catholic Community Foundation, (804) 622-5221; email to: mkeenan@richmonddiocese.org.

Please make your gift as soon as possible so you can ensure it is received by December 31st, 2021!

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:

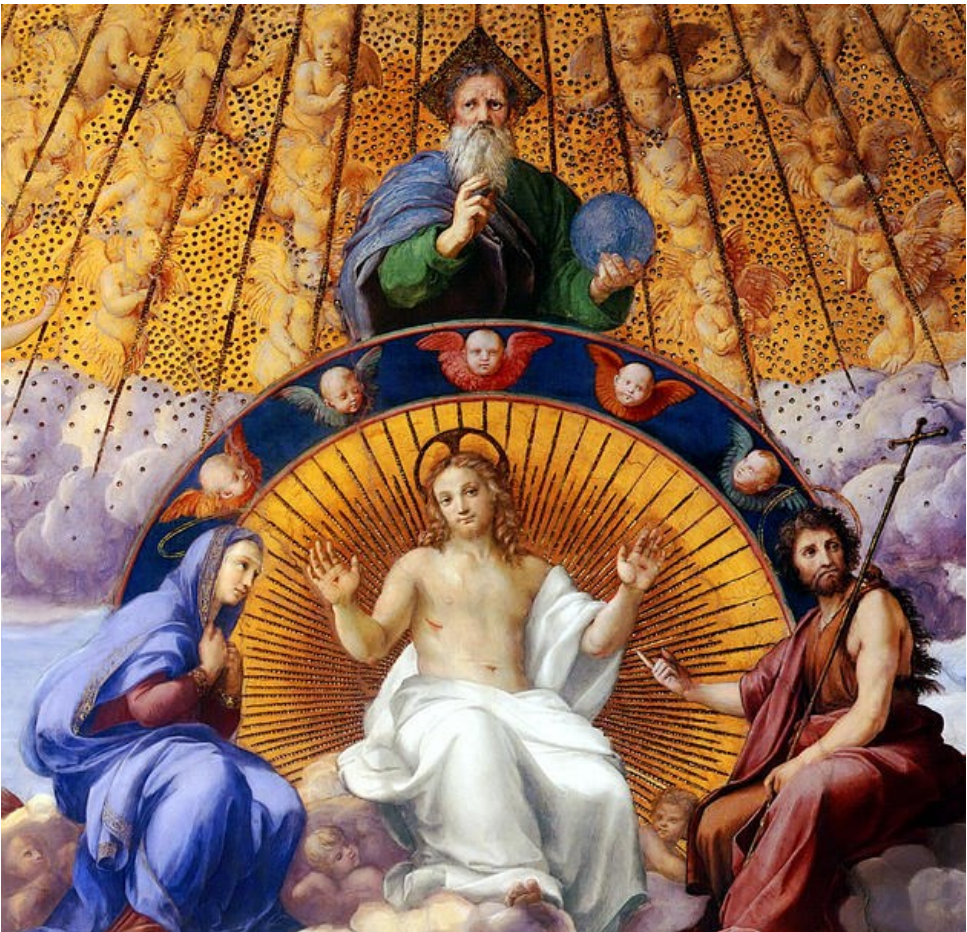
Saturday Vigil: 5:30 PM; Sunday: 8:30 AM & 11:00 AM

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

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe November 21, 2021

Almighty
ever-living God,
whose will is to
restore all things in
your beloved Son,
the King of the
universe, grant,
we pray, that the
whole creation,
set free from slavery,
may render your
majesty service and
ceaselessly proclaim
your praise.

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



“La Disputa” - Stanze di Raffaello, Apostolic Palace, Vatican
Raphael (detail from fresco), 1510-11

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*

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Parish Schedule
Saturday, Nov. 20—Vigil 5:00 PM—Confessions 5:30 PM—Mass: †Holy Souls (livestreamed)
Sun., Nov. 21—Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe 8:30 AM—Mass: Hermenigiudo Mendoza 9:30 AM—Rel. Ed. Class/Thanksgiving Baskets 11:00 AM—Mass: People of the Parish
Monday, Nov. 22—St. Cecilia
Tuesday, Nov. 23—St. Clement I; St. Columban; Blessed Miguel Agustín Pro
Wednesday, Nov. 24—St. Andrew Dũng-Lạc and Companions, Martyrs
Thursday, Nov. 25—St. Catherine of Alexandria *Office Closed - Happy Thanksgiving
Friday, Nov. 26—Weekday *Office Closed - Happy Thanksgiving
Saturday, Nov. 27—Vigil 5:00 PM—Confessions 5:30 PM—Mass: †Holy Souls (livestreamed)
Sun., Nov. 28—First Sunday of Advent 8:30 AM—Mass: Missionaries 11:00 AM—Mass: People of the Parish



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

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.

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; 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!

ADVENT PENANCE SERVICE

During Advent the faithful are urged to take a greater and more fruitful share in the Advent liturgy by celebrating the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

Please join us on Wednesday, Dec. 1st at 7:00 PM for an Advent Penance Service with three confessors available. Joining Father Scott will be Father Jay Wagner and Father Nick Redmond from our Deanery.

OFFICE CLOSING
 The parish office will be closed for the Thanksgiving holiday this Thursday and Friday, November 25/26.

Scripture Readings
Sat., Nov. 20 Sat. of the Thirty-third Wk in Ord. Time 1 Mc 6:1-13/Ps 9:2-3,4&6/2 Tm 1:10/Lk 20:27-40 Sunday, Nov. 21 The Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe Dn 7:13-14/Ps 93:1,1-2,5/Rv 1:5-8/Mk 11:9,10/Jn 18:33b-37 Mon., Nov. 22 Memorial of St. Cecilia Dn 1:1-6,8-20/Dn 3:52,56/Mt 24:42a,44/Lk 21:1-4 Tues., Nov. 23 Tues. of the Thirty-fourth Wk in Ord. Time Dn 2:31-45/Dn 3:57-61/Rv 2:10c/Lk 21:5-11 Wed., Nov. 24 Memorial of St. Andrew Dũng-Lạc and Companions, Martyrs Dn 5:1-6,13-14,16-17/Dn 3:62-67/Rv 2:10c/Lk 21:12-19 Thurs., Nov. 25 Thurs. of the Thirty-fourth Wk in Ord. Time Dn 6:12-28/Dn 3:68-74/Lk 21:28/Lk 21:20-28 Friday, Nov. 26 Fri. of the Thirty-fourth Wk in Ord. Time Dn 7:2-14/Dn 3:75-81/Lk 21:28/Lk 21:29-33 Sat., Nov. 27 Sat. of the Thirty-fourth Wk in Ord. Time Dn 7:15-27/Dn 3:82-87/Lk 21:36/Lk 21:34-36 Sunday, Nov. 28 The First Sunday of Advent Jer 33:14-16/Ps 25:4-5,8-10,14/1 Thes 3:12—4:2/Ps 85:8/Lk 21:25-28,34-36

Parish News

LIVESTREAMED MASSES
 Due to COVID-19, Mass and Holy Days of Obligation are 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.

BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE
 Did someone you love pass away this past year? Would you like for them to be remembered during Mass? Place the person’s name in the Book of Remembrance, which will be located on the altar, to the left of the votive stand, beginning next week and throughout the month of November.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED AT THE 8:30 AM MASS
 In order to continue to schedule the 8:30 AM Mass, volunteers are needed to coordinate: arrive at approximately 8:00 AM to open up and set up the altar, station volunteers as ushers, lectors, etc. Training will be provided. Please contact the parish office if you are able to volunteer for this ministry.

PRIVATE PRAYER
 The Church is open this week during office hours 9am-3pm for private prayer or adoration. We will be closed on Thursday and Friday for Thanksgiving. As always, any changes to the office hours are made available on the parish phone line at 932-4125 or on the parish website calendar at <https://seascatholicchurch.org>.

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.

SUNDAY ACCOMPANIST POSITION

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish seeks an enthusiastic individual to accompany on piano or organ our two Sunday Masses and various Holy Days.

Applicant should possess a strong knowledge and appreciation of Roman Catholic liturgy and a thorough knowledge of the principles related to service playing. The ability to work with various ages and musical abilities is also preferred.

Compensation will be commensurate with experience as per the Catholic Diocese of Richmond guidelines.

Interested candidates please send a resume with references to seassec-retary@verizon.net; P.O. Box 648, Quinton, VA 23141.

BUILDING & GROUNDS
At the Church this week...
 The organ pedal was fixed again and the organ tuned in anticipation for a future repair visit to revoice the organ’s pipes, install a pedal keyboard light and passage board inside the pipe cabinet. The repair company also took measurements in order to replace the pedal board at the future visit.

In the Religious Education building, Gene Griffin and John Leyo were kind enough to fix the doorbell and our hard-working maintenance champion repaired some trim work, fixed the back emergency door, which had been sticking at the threshold and blew leaves and debris from the roof and added sealant around the loose seams to prevent leaks when it rains.

Still Needed...
 A volunteer with a high-powered blower to come by during the week to blow leaves from around the Church, Social Hall doors and bathroom entrances. If you are able to help out, please contact the parish office at 932-4125.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
 IN SERVICE TO ONE. IN SERVICE TO ALL.

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.

Raffle Tickets Thank You: Thanks to all the parishioners and K of C members who purchased raffle tickets to help raise funds for KOVAR and Special Olympics. The winners are: Ginger Mary-Grand Prize; Runner Up Prizes- Sabrina Jordan, Patty Jo Dupuis, John Ashott, Philip Worrell.

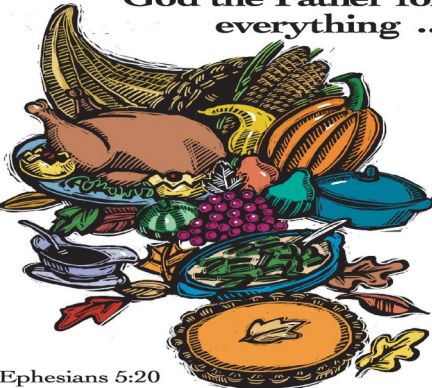
Keep Christ In Christmas Cards: Religious cards are now on sale from 11/20-12/5/2021. Please contact Kevin Almeida at 804-803-9725 to purchase your cards.

Welcome: Please welcome our newest member, C. John Mitchell who joined our Council on 11/12/2021 at the Unified Ceremony. Please say hello to John and welcome him to our Council.

Prayer Request: Please remember in prayer: the Gillikin 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 K of C at SEAS Parish and all we do to help our pastor, parish and community, please contact GK Jeffrey Gargiulo at: jrgarg55@yahoo.com. To learn more about the K of C in Virginia, visit kofc.org/joinus.

Always giving thanks to God the Father for everything ...



Ephesians 5:20

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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.