

### 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 care for. They can also 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: July 2/3.**

### OFFICE OF VOCATIONS

“Serve one another through love.” Does a life of prayer and service as a priest attract you? Please contact the Vocations Office, (804) 359-5661 to speak with Fr. Brian Capuano or email [vocations@richmonddiocese.org](mailto:vocations@richmonddiocese.org) or contact Fr. J. Scott Duarte, (804) 557-3962, [sduarte@richmonddiocese.org](mailto:sduarte@richmonddiocese.org).



### IRA QUALIFIED CHARITABLE DISTRIBUTION

A Gift Anyone Can Make: Want to support your parish but think you cannot afford to give? There are ways to give today while still preserving your retirement assets. If you are 72 or over, a gift of a Qualified Charitable Distribution from your IRA directly to the parish helps the parish and provides you with tax benefits. 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 Maggie at: [mkeen@richmonddiocese.org](mailto:mkeen@richmonddiocese.org).

### Parish Staff

<b>Pastor:</b>	Rev. J. Scott Duarte, J.C.D.	804-557-3962
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<b>Parish Organist (Saturday):</b>	Position Open	
<b>Parish Organist (Sunday):</b>	Position Open	

### RCIA

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is a process of study and prayer for adults who wish to join the Catholic Church, were baptized Catholic but never received the Sacraments of Penance, Eucharist, or Confirmation, are interested in exploring the Faith but are unsure of joining, or practicing Catholics who wish to learn a bit more about their Faith. For more information about our program at SEAS Parish, please contact the parish office at 932-4125.

### POOR CLARE NUNS

Your Poor Clare Sisters are here on Mt. St. Francis praising God and interceding for His suffering people. We sincerely thank the members of Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish for your generosity. We pray daily for the needs of your parish and for your pastor, Fr. Scott Duarte.

If you would like to entrust your special needs and intentions to our prayers, please feel free to contact us, using the following information:

Regular mail: Bethlehem Monastery of Poor Clares, 5500 Holly Fork Road, Barhamsville, Virginia 23011.

Phone: 757-566-1684; Email: [mtstfrancis@gmail.com](mailto:mtstfrancis@gmail.com).

To learn more about us, visit our website at: <https://www.poor-clares.org/>.



## 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.

## Thirteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time June 26, 2022

**O God, who through the grace of adoption chose us to be children of light, grant, we pray, that we may not be wrapped in the darkness of error but always be seen to stand in the bright light of truth.**

**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.**



Maestà (detail of back crowning panel)  
Duccio di Buoninsegna, 1308-11

### 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*

## Parish Schedule

### Saturday, June 25—Vigil

5:00 PM—Confessions  
5:30 PM—Mass: †Rafael Maldonado

### Sunday, June 26—Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30 AM—Mass: Karl Stine  
11:00 AM—Mass: People of the Parish

### Monday, June 27—St. Cyril of Alexandria

\*Office Closed

### Tuesday, June 28—St. Irenaeus

\*Office Closed

### Wednesday, June 29—Sts. Peter & Paul

\*Office Closed  
11:00 AM—Mass: Special Intention

### Thursday, June 30—First Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church

### Friday, July 1—St. Junipero Serra

### Saturday, July 2—Vigil

5:00 PM—Confessions  
5:30 PM—Mass: †Gertrude Gentry

### Sunday, July 3—Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30 AM—Mass: †Mr. & Mrs. C. Whitney Abell  
11:00 AM—Mass: People of the Parish

**\*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, the Catholic Diocese of Richmond and the suffering and displaced in the Ukraine.**

“And the prayer offered in faith will make the sick person well.”

James 5:15

*Give them the strength in body, courage in spirit, and patience in pain.*

*Let them recover their health, so that, restored to the Christian community, they may joyfully praise your name, for you live and reign for ever and ever.  
Amen.*

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

**Also, we join our prayers along with the community in Uvalde, Texas for those who have died or are injured and their families.**

## 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 parish office during office hours, M-F 9:00am-2:30pm.

**Thank you for your generosity and support!**

### UPCOMING OFFICE CLOSINGS

The parish office will be closed on the following upcoming dates: June 27-29 and July 4.

### OFFICE COPIER

Due to needed maintenance repairs on the parish color copier which is eleven years old, the office is unable at this time to print color copies, bulletins, etc. We are relying on our older black and white copier and desktop copier. If parts have not been discontinued and can be shipped next week, a repair may be possible to the color copier. If not, the parish will be looking into replacing the current machine. Thank you.

### SEAS LENDING LIBRARY

SEAS Lending Library is available for use in the Commons Area of the Church. Pick up some reading material for the summer! If you would like to borrow items, there is a sign-out sheet to borrow items for up to two weeks.

## Scripture Readings

### Sat., June 25 Memorial of the Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Lam 2:2,10-14,18-19/Ps 74:1b-2,3-7/Lk 2:19/Lk 2:41-51

### Sunday, June 26 Thirteenth Sunday in Ord. Time

1 Kgs 19:16b,19-21/Ps 16:1-2,5,7-11/Gal 5:1,13-18/  
1 Sm 3:9,Jn 6:68c/Lk 9:51-62

### Mon., June 27 Mon. of the Thirteenth Week in Ord. Time

Am 2:6-10,13-16/Ps 50:16bc-23/Ps 95:8/Mt 8:18-22

### Tues., June 28 Memorial of St. Irenaeus

Am 3:1-8;4:11-12/Ps 5:4b-6a,6b-8/Ps 130:5/Mt 8:23-27

### Wed., June 29 Solemnity of Sts. Peter & Paul, Apostles

Acts 12:1-11/Ps 34:2-9/2 Tm 4:6-8,17-18/Mt 16:18/  
Mt 16:13-19

### Thurs., June 30 Thurs. of the Thirteenth Wk. in Ord. Time

Am 7:10-17/Ps 19:8-11/2 Cor 5:19/Mt 9:1-8

### Friday, July 1 Fri. of the Thirteenth Week in Ord. Time

Am 8:4-6,9-12/Ps 119:2,10,20,30/Mt 11:28/Mt 9:9-13

### Sat., July 2 Sat. of the Thirteenth Week in Ord. Time

Am 9:11-15/Ps 85:9ab&10-14/Jn 10:27/Mt 9:14-17

## 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.

### AUDIO/VISUAL/LIVESTREAM VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The parish livestreams the 5:30 PM Vigil Mass on our Facebook page and volunteers are needed to help out. The time commitment would be about a half hour before the Mass starts to get set up and an hour for during the Mass. Once the camera connection is made, few adjustments would need to be made. If you attend the 5:30 PM Vigil Mass and are able to assist, please contact the parish office at 932-4125.

### JOINING THE PARISH

We invite all who worship with us to become formal members of Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton (SEAS) Parish by registering as parishioners. This enables our ministries and staff to better plan in order to meet the needs of the growing community.

Registration forms are located at both Church entrances, on our parish website at <https://seascatholicchurch.org/>, or you can email and/or call the parish office at 804-932-4125 and we will be happy to assist you.

### 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.*

## COORDINATOR AND VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR MINISTRY TO THE SICK

A coordinator and additional volunteers are needed for our Ministry to the Sick. Many of our elderly are becoming homebound and there is an increasing need for volunteers to take them communion. If you are a SEAS Catholic in good standing, attend SEAS Parish regularly and are able to volunteer, please contact the parish office at 932-4125.

### THANK YOU

Many thanks to all those who helped out with preparing for the deanery visit and luncheon this past Wednesday. We greatly appreciate everyone pitching in to make things neat and organized and all the special extra efforts with flowers, landscaping clean-up, etc. Special thanks to the Brooks, Thomsons, Harshbargers, Waynes and Boyer families for assisting with so many things behind the scenes. You have our heartfelt gratitude!

### VIRTUS TRAINING

*Virtus* is the brand name for the safe environment program used by the Catholic Diocese of Richmond. It is required that all youth-related volunteers over the age of 18 take this approximately 3-hour course. The available session days and times can be accessed through the [Virtus.org](http://Virtus.org) website by following the “First-time Registrant” prompts.

The Catholic Diocese of Richmond is committed to ensuring that diocesan institutions and ministries provide a safe and nurturing environment for children, young people and vulnerable individuals.

If you have already taken the *Virtus* course and are having trouble accessing your account, please contact the parish office so we can assist you.

If you are behind in reading the monthly emailed information bulletins, summertime is a great time to get caught up.



**Schedule:** K of C Council 14034 meets on the first Thursday of the month at 7:30 PM. This is a virtual meeting. The second meeting is on the third Saturday of the month at 6:30 PM in the SEAS Social Hall. A dinner at a local restaurant for members, wives and parishioners will be held after the meeting.

**Congratulations:** Please congratulate Edward Gillikin, Sr. for being selected the June Knight of the Month. Also please congratulate James Ginter III and family for being selected the June Family of the Month. *We are very grateful for all you do for our council and SEAS Parish!*

**Thanks for a Successful Year:** Thanks to all K of C members and parishioners who helped to make our council very successful this past fraternal year. Also, congratulations and good luck to the newly elected council officers for a successful year in 2022-2023!

**Prayer Request:** Please remember in prayer: the Barrie Deis family, 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 Council at SEAS Parish and all we do, 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 our website: [kofc.org/joinus](http://kofc.org/joinus).

## 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 the Richmond 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.