

### CONGRATULATIONS GRADUATES!

Congratulations to all our 2023 graduates and their families as they celebrate this momentous occasion. Please keep all our graduates in your thoughts and prayers as they make their plans for the future.

Two of our families shared additional details which we wanted to pass along:

**Evan Barlage**, son of parishioners Gregory and Christine of Barlage, graduated May 13, 2023 from Virginia Tech in Blacksburg with a Bachelor of Science degree in Chemical Engineering with a Chemistry Minor.

**Evan Ginter**, son of parishioners James and Alyssa Ginter, and grandson of parishioners Lamar and Patricia Althoff, graduated Regent University in Virginia Beach with a B.A. degree in English. He was president of the Newman Club, a member of the Thomistic Institute and part of the English Honors Society.

*St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish is very proud of all our graduates and wish them great success on their future endeavors!!*



### OFFICE OF VOCATIONS

“I no longer live, but Christ lives in me.” Is Christ inviting you to let Him live in you through single-hearted service as a priest, deacon or in the consecrated life? Please contact the Vocations Office, (804) 359-5661; email to: [vocations@richmonddiocese.org](mailto:vocations@richmonddiocese.org) or contact Father J. Scott Duarte, (804) 557-3962; email: [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: [mkeenan@richmonddiocese.org](mailto:mkeenan@richmonddiocese.org).

### Parish Staff

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### RCIA

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is a process of study and prayer for those who have never been baptized, were baptized in another Christian denomination and would like to become Catholic, or were baptized Catholic, but never received the Sacraments of Holy Eucharist or Confirmation. For more information about our programs at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish, please contact the parish office at 932-4125 to be put in touch with our RCIA Coordinator.

### 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.

## Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time June 18, 2023

**O** God, strength of those who hope in you, graciously hear our pleas, and, since without you mortal frailty can do nothing, grant us always the help of your grace, that in following your commands we may please you by our resolve and our deeds. 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 Good Shepherd  
Philippe de Champaigne, 17th Century

### 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 17—Vigil

5:00 PM—Confessions  
5:30 PM—Mass: Special Intention

### Sunday, June 18—Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30 AM—Mass: †Natalie Pastore Johnson  
11:00 AM—Mass: People of the Parish

### Monday, June 19—Weekday

### Tuesday, June 20—Weekday

### Wednesday, June 21—St. Aloysius

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

### Thursday, June 22—St. Paulinus of Nola; Sts. John Fisher and Thomas More, Martyrs

**\*Office Closed**

### Friday, June 23—Weekday

**\*Office Closed**

### Saturday, June 24—Vigil

5:00 PM—Confessions  
5:30 PM—Mass: †Joseph Frank Stacklin

### Sunday, June 25—Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30 AM—Mass: People of the Parish  
11:00 AM—Mass: Patrick Anthony Everard

**\*Daily Mass this week is on Wednesday at 11 AM.**

## SEAS Parish Prayer List



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

### PRAYER FOR THE SICK:

*Lord Jesus, who went about doing good and healing all, we ask you to bless your friends who are sick.*

*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.*

James 5:15

*And those who have died are remembered in a special way, especially:*

**Joseph Frank Stacklin, Natalie Pastore Johnson, Anthony Iacovone, Alice R. Iacovone, Paulette Perkinson, Caroline Joseph, Walter Burchanowski, Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI, Maryjane Fuller, Gertrude Langford, Mabel Rhymes Hart and Irma Gregory.**

## 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!**

### OFFICE CLOSING DATES & INFO

The parish office will be closed in June while the secretary is on vacation from June 21-June 30, 2023 and also closed on July 4, 2023 for Independence Day.

The bulletin for June 21-30 will be a two week bulletin and printed on Tuesday, June 20. Any announcements for this bulletin will need to reach the office by 12 noon on June 20 to be included by printing time.

For any emergencies that require the presence of a priest while the parish office is closed, please call the rectory phone line at 804-557-3962.

### PETITIONS FOR OUR LADY OF FATIMA

Ruth and John Huber will be going to Fatima. If you have petitions for Our Lady, they will take them to Fatima for you. Please put them in a sealed envelope and place them in the marked container in the back of the church. The deadline is June 18th.

## Scripture Readings

### June 17 Memorial of the Immaculate Heart of Mary

2 Cor 5:14-21/Ps 103:1-4,9-12/Lk 2:19/Lk 2:41-51

### June 18 Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Ex 19:2-6a/Ps 100:1-3,5/Rom 5:6-11/Mk 1:15/Mt 9:36—10:8

### June 19 Monday of the Eleventh Week in Ordinary Time

2 Cor 6:1-10/Ps 98:1,2b,3ab,3cd-4/Ps 119:105/Mt 5:38-42

### June 20 Tuesday of the Eleventh Week in Ordinary Time

2 Cor 8:1-9/Ps 146:2,5-6ab,6c-9a/Jn 13:34/Mt 5:43-48

### June 21 Memorial of St. Aloysius Gonzaga

2 Cor 9:6-11/Ps 112:1bc-4,9/Jn 14:23/Mt 6:1-6,16-18

### June 22 Thursday of the Eleventh Week in Ordinary Time

2 Cor 11:1-11/Ps 111:1b-4,7-8/Rom 8:15bc/Mt 6:7-15

### June 23 Friday of the Eleventh Week in Ordinary Time

2 Cor 11:18,21-30/Ps 34:2-7/Mt 5:3/Mt 6:19-23

### June 24 Solemnity of the Nativity of St. John the Baptist

Is 49:1-6/Ps 139:1b-3,13-14ab,14c-15/Acts 13:22-26/Lk 1:76/Lk 1:57-66,80

### June 25 Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jer 20:10-13/Ps 69:8-10,14,17,33-35/Rom 5:12-15/Jn 15:26b,27a/Mt 10:26-33

## Parish News

### DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE

October 21, 2023

### Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception

Join Bishop Knestout and the faithful from across the Commonwealth at the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception for a pilgrimage focused on the source and summit of our faith, the Eucharist. Pilgrims will be invited to talks, tours, Eucharistic Procession, Adoration, Music, and Mass with the Bishop all surrounded by the awe-inspiring beauty of the largest Catholic Church in North America. Registration for this free event opens in late summer and transportation will be offered from each vicariate.

### 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.

### SAVE THE DATE

Father Scott celebrates his 45th anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood on Saturday, September 9th this year. There will be a special anniversary Mass at 5:30 PM on September 9th, followed by a dinner in the SEAS Social Hall.

### 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.*

## VIRGINIA DEPT. OF ED. VIRGINIA K-12 LEARNING ACCELERATION GRANT

The Virginia Department of Education has launched a \$30 million K-12 Learning Acceleration Grant to help close the gap caused by the pandemic. The amounts are \$3000.00 or \$1500.00 to help families access tutoring, educational services, summer enrichment programs, etc.

For eligibility requirements and additional details, please visit the Virginia Dept. of Education website page: <https://online.factsmtg.com/grant-aid/inst/4PWYQ/landing-page>.

### BAPTISM CONGRATULATIONS

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish would like to congratulate Penelope Rae Mardis, infant daughter of Cristina DiNapoli Mardis and Ricky Mardis, and granddaughter of Tami DiNapoli on receiving the Sacrament of Baptism this Sunday, June 18, 2023 at the 11:00 AM Mass.

### BUILDING & GROUNDS

#### Volunteers Needed for Monday...

SEAS Parish is in need of volunteers to help with breaking down the social hall this Monday for voting on Tuesday, June 20th. If you are able to help out Monday morning between 9-11 AM, please call the parish office at 932-4125.

### QUO VADIS

#### June 29-July 2: Roslyn Retreat Ctr.

An opportunity for rising 10th-12th grade men to draw close to the Lord and their brothers. Includes Mass, Adoration, Confession, and the Divine Office. Lunch and snacks provided. Each participant is required to have a recommendation from their pastor or youth minister. Youth ministers and men may contact the Office of Vocations for more information.

For registration info, visit: <https://richmondvocations.org/events/quo-vadis-young-mens-camp/>.



**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.

**Prayer Request:** Please remember in prayer: the Kulick family, the Barrie Deis family, the Gillikin family, the Gothreau family, the Cashin family, the Almeida family, the Casano family, the Gargiulo family, and all our military, law enforcement, first responders and their families.

**Thanks to the KOVAR Volunteers:** Thanks to all the Brother Knights and their families who took time out of their busy schedules to help collect funds for those with intellectual disabilities throughout Virginia. The Memorial Day collection weekend was a huge success.

**Welcome:** Please welcome Forrest Parker of our parish not only as one of our newest Catholics, but as a Knight of Columbus too!

**Membership:** To learn more about the Knights of Columbus Council at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish and all we do, please contact Membership Director James Ginter at: [James.Ginter@kofc.org](mailto:James.Ginter@kofc.org).

To learn more about the Knights of Columbus 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.