

### OFFICE OF VOCATIONS

“I myself shall give you wisdom in speaking.” Are you considering a call to proclaim the gospel as a priest? Please contact the Vocations Office, 804-359-5661; [vocations@richmonddiocese.org](mailto:vocations@richmonddiocese.org) or Father J. Scott Duarte, 804-557-3962; [sduarte@richmonddiocese.org](mailto:sduarte@richmonddiocese.org).

### CARDINAL NEWMAN ACADEMY CHRISTMAS CRAFT FAIR

Cardinal Newman Academy Christmas Craft Fair at Church of the Epiphany, 11000 Smoketree Drive, North Chesterfield on Saturday, Dec. 2, 2023, from 9:00 AM-3:00 PM.

There will be several local Catholic artisans with both religious and non-religious items for sale. For info or vendor application, contact [cnacraftfair@gmail.com](mailto:cnacraftfair@gmail.com).

Come and get your Christmas shopping done while supporting local artisans! We hope you can make it out and bring the whole family. Concessions will be available for purchase and there will be several items being raffled off. Items available include: saint dolls, rosaries, jewelry, canned jam, baked goods, wood crafts, Christmas ornaments and decor and much more!

### AROUND TOWN...

#### EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Mary’s Choice RVA is a non-profit maternity home in Richmond that addresses the needs of pregnant and parenting women in crisis by transforming their lives through the healing touch of Christ. The part-time position is responsible for developing and implementing engagement, fundraising and retention strategies to grow revenue with current and prospective donors. For consideration and more information, please send resume to [director@maryschoicerva.org](mailto:director@maryschoicerva.org).

### K OF C/PARISH ROSARY GUILD MONTHLY ROSARY

K of C Council 14034 in support of our pastor will have monthly Recitation of the Rosary before each Mass the first weekend of each month except for the months of the Blessed Virgin Mary in October and May where the Recitation of the Rosary will be before each Mass each weekend. Volunteers are still needed. The K of C will provide training and support. The Rosary will start 25 minutes before each Mass. A sign-up sheet is posted in the Commons Area.

Questions? Please contact Brother Knight J.J. Gothreau at 804-310-1262; [jjgothreaujr@netscape.net](mailto:jjgothreaujr@netscape.net).

### 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 804-932-4125 to be put in touch with our RCIA Coordinator.

### DIOCESAN EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

The Catholic Diocese of Richmond posts employment opportunities from parishes, schools, campus ministries and other agencies across the diocese on it’s Human Resources page. Visit <https://richmonddiocese.org/office/office-of-human-resources/> for the full list or to apply for a position.

HAPPY VETERAN’S DAY  
Saturday, November 11, 2023



## 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.

## 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time November 12, 2023

**Almighty and merciful God, graciously keep from us all adversity, so that, unhindered in mind and body alike, we may pursue in freedom of heart the things that are yours.**

**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.**



Sermon on the Mount, Carl Heinrich Bloch, 1834-1890

### Parish Staff

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|---|---|--------------|
| <b>Pastor:</b>                          | Rev. J. Scott Duarte, J.C.D.  | 804-557-3962 |
| <b>Secretary &amp; Bulletin Editor:</b> | Rose Reed<br><a href="mailto:secretary@seascatholicchurch.org">secretary@seascatholicchurch.org</a>       | 804-932-4125 |
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| <b>Pastoral Council Members:</b>        | Matt Luther, Ginger Mary and Michelle Boyer   |              |
| <b>Finance Council Members:</b>         | Greg Barlage, Harold Wayne and Paul Tran  |              |
| <b>Sacristan:</b>                       | Mary Brooks   | 804-932-4125 |
| <b>Parish Musicians:</b>                | Elisabeth Satterley and Michael Horvath   | 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, Nov. 11—Vigil**

5:00 PM—Confessions  
5:30 PM—Mass: †All Souls

**Sunday, Nov. 12—32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time**

8:30 AM—Mass: People of the Parish  
11:00 AM—Mass: †Deceased K of C Members

**Monday, Nov. 13—St. Frances Xavier Cabrini**

**Tuesday, Nov. 14—Weekday**

**Wednesday, Nov. 15—St. Albert the Great**

**\*Office Closed**  
11:00 AM—Mass: †All Souls  
6:30 PM—Eucharistic Adoration

**Thursday, Nov. 16—St. Margaret of Scotland; St. Gertrude**

**\*Office Closed**  
7:30 PM—K of C Mtg.

**Friday, Nov. 17—St. Elizabeth of Hungary**

**Saturday, Nov. 18—Vigil**

5:00 PM—Confessions  
5:30 PM—Mass: †All Souls

**Sunday, Nov. 19—33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time**

8:30 AM—Mass: †All Souls  
9:30 AM—Rel. Ed. Thanksgiving Basket Program  
11:00 AM—Mass: People of the Parish

**\*Wednesday: Daily Mass is at 11:00 AM and Eucharistic Adoration is at 6:30 PM.**

## SEAS Parish Prayer List



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

**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.*

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

**Edward J. Gillikin, Sr., Dr. George Gray, Joseph Yates, Joseph J. Marques, Joseph Frank Stacklin, Natalie Pastore Johnson, Anthony Iacovone, Alice R. Iacovone, Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI, 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 continued generosity!**

### LADIES' GROUP

**Wednesdays during Advent, Beginning Dec. 6th, at 5:30 PM (Time Change)**

The Ladies' Group is re-starting for the month of December! We will meet in the Rel. Ed. Building from 5:30-6:30 PM every Wednesday during Advent, with Adoration afterward in the Church.

Join us as we discuss the O Antiphons, beginning December 6th.

Advent meetings will be informal. No supplies needed other than your Rosary and Bible! Add some tidings of comfort and joy to the season and join us. Nursing/lap babies are welcome.

Please email Rebecca Edicola at: [Jamzmom1201@gmail.com](mailto:Jamzmom1201@gmail.com) to join the mailing list. Suggested scripture readings will be sent prior to each Wednesday meeting.

## Scripture Readings

**Nov. 11 Memorial of St. Martin of Tours**

Rom 16:3-9,16,22-27/Ps 145:2-5,10-11/2 Cor 8:9/Lk 16:9-15

**Nov. 12 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Wis 6:12-16/Ps 63:2-8/1 Thes 4:13-18/Mt 24:42,44/  
Mt 25:1-13

**Nov. 13 Memorial of St. Frances Xavier Cabrini**

Wis 1:1-7/Ps 139:1b-3,4-10/Phil 2:15d,16a/Lk 17:1-6

**Nov. 14 Tuesday of the 32nd Week in Ordinary Time**

Wis 2:23—3:9/Ps 34:2-3,16-19/Jn 14:23/Lk 17:7-10

**Nov. 15 Wednesday of the 32nd Week in Ordinary Time**

Wis 6:1-11/Ps 82:3-4,6-7/1 Thes 5:18/Lk 17:11-19

**Nov. 16 Thursday of the 32nd Week in Ordinary Time**

Wis 7:22b—8:1/Ps 119:89-91,130,135/Jn 15:5/Lk 17:20-25

**Nov. 17 Memorial of St. Elizabeth of Hungary**

Wis 13:1-9/Ps 19:2-4,5ab/Lk 21:28/Lk 17:26-37

**Nov. 18 Saturday of the 32nd Week in Ordinary Time**

Wis 18:14-16;19:6-9/Ps 105:2-3,36-37,42-43/2 Thes 2:14/  
Lk 18:1-8

**Nov. 19 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Prv 31:10-13,19-20,30-31/Ps 128:1-5/1 Thes 5:1-6/Jn 15:4a,5b/Mt 25:14-30

## Parish News

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION**

**Wednesday, November 15th: 6:30-7:30 PM**

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish will be having a holy hour of Eucharistic Adoration this **Wednesday, November 15th from 6:30-7:30 PM**. All are welcome.

**CHOIR PRACTICE**

Choir practice has been scheduled for Monday, Nov. 20th and Tuesday, Nov. 28th at 7:00 PM. We will be practicing the new Mass parts. If you are interested in joining the choir or assisting with music for Advent and Christmas, please make plans to attend or speak with Beth Ann Luther or Debbie Grosser after Mass.

**REL. ED. THANKSGIVING FOOD BASKET PROGRAM**

Next Sunday, Nov. 19th, during the regular Rel. Ed. class time, beginning at 9:30 AM in the SEAS Social Hall, the children will be assembling Thanksgiving food baskets for our local families in need. This is an annual service project of our Rel. Ed. Program. Once again, our Knights of Columbus council has volunteered to deliver the baskets after class has ended. If you wish to volunteer to help out with the program or deliveries, please see Liz Miller or contact the parish office at 804-932-4125.

**THE PARISH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED THIS WEEK ON NOV. 15 & NOV. 16.**

**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.*

**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 is located on the altar, to the left of the votive stand throughout the month of November.

**MASS TIMES FOR THE SOLEMNITY OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION**

Mass for the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception, a Holy Day of Obligation, will be celebrated on **Thursday, Dec. 7th at 7:00 PM** and on **Friday, Dec. 8th at 12:00 PM.**

**BULLETIN DEADLINE FOR THANKSGIVING**

As a reminder, due to the Thanksgiving holiday on Thursday, Nov. 23rd, the bulletin will be printed that week on Wednesday, Nov. 22nd.

This Sunday, November 12th, the 11:00 AM Mass is for the repose of the souls of the deceased members of Knights of Columbus Council 14034. 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 |
| Dr. George Gray         | 10/09/23 |
| Edward Gillikin, Sr.    | 10/13/23 |



**Schedule:** K of C Council 14034 meets on the first and third Thursday of the month at 7:30 PM. The in-person meetings are in the SEAS Social Hall and please bring your membership cards. The first meeting is the Officers/Directors Meeting and the second meeting is the Membership/Business Meeting. Both meetings are open to all Brother Knights and the membership are encouraged to attend. A free light dinner will be served at 6:30 PM. Donations are gratefully accepted to defray meal costs. There will be a 50/50 drawing after every meeting.

**Prayer Request:** Please remember in prayer: Ed Gillikin, Sr., and the Gillikin family, the Harshbarger family and for the soul of Brandon Harshbarger's father who passed away this week, the Kulick family, the Deis family, the Gothreau family, the Cashin family, the Almeida family, the Cassano family, the Gargiulo family, and all our military, law enforcement, first responders and their families.

**Council/Parish Rosary Guild:** We will be having monthly Recitation of the Rosary the 1st weekend of each month and each weekend in October and May.

**Membership:** To learn more about the Knights of Columbus Council at Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish and all we do, please contact Acting Membership Director Kevin Almeida at: [alexandre2018@yahoo.com](mailto:alexandre2018@yahoo.com) or call 804-803-9725.

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.