

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL 14034 NEWS

Congratulations to all newly elected Council Officers for the next fraternal year. The current list of elected Council Officers is below as of Thursday, June 6, 2024. The following positions are still open for volunteers for the next fraternal year: Advocate and Outside Guard. The Lecturer is appointed by the Grand Knight and there currently is a candidate seeking to be the Lecturer.

Grand Knight: Mr. Mark C. Dupuis

Deputy Grand Knight: Dr. Paul M. Severance, PhD

Financial Secretary: SK Kevin W. Almeida, PGK, PFN

Chancellor: SK John M. Donohoe

Treasurer: SK Jeffrey R. Gargiulo, FDD, PGK, PFN

Advocate: Mr. Brandon D. Harshbarger

Warden: SK Kenneth F. Tureski

Inside Guard: SK Richard T. Mervicker

One Year Trustee: Mr. Anthony J. Cassano, PGK

Two Year Trustee: SK John M. Leyo, PGK

Three Year Trustee: Mr. Talon W. Almeida, PGK

Chaplain: Rev. J. Scott Duarte, JCD, KHS

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.

THANK YOU VIRGINIA WALSH!

A BIG SEAS thank you to Mrs. Virginia Walsh for all her help and her special creative touch in setting up and assisting with the Deanery visit and luncheon on Wednesday, June 12th. Virginia's appetizers, salad and desserts added just the right magnificence to the simple pasta luncheon and we are truly grateful for her!

OFFICE OF VOCATIONS

"When the crop permits, the harvest has come."

Are you being called by the Lord of the Harvest to proclaim His kingdom as a priest or religious brother or sister? Talk to your priest or reach out to the Office of Vocations at (804) 359-5661 or email: vocations@richmonddiocese.org.

Parish Staff

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Parish Musicians:	Elisabeth Satterley and Michael Horvath	804-932-4125

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.

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

HAPPY FATHER'S DAY!

Happy Father's Day to all our fathers for their hard work day in and out and for inspiring us with their love and dedication. May you all receive God's abundant blessings on your special day!

Happy Father's Day!



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WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE:

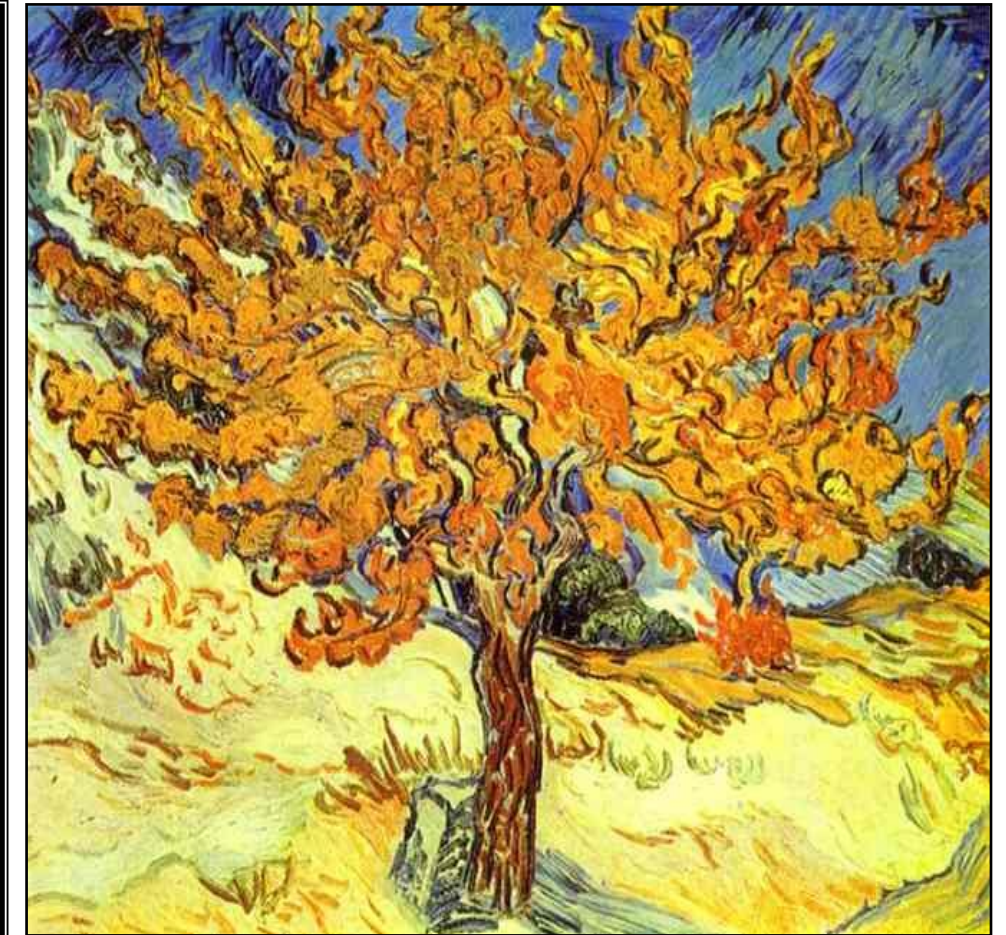
Saturday Vigil: 5:30 PM; Sunday: 8:30 AM & 11:00 AM

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

Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

June 16, 2024

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.



Vincent Van Gogh, 1889

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 15—Vigil

5:00 PM—Confessions
5:30 PM—Mass: †Shirley Shumaker

Sunday, June 16—11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30 AM—Mass: †Laura Ann Luckert
11:00 AM—Mass: People of the Parish

Monday, June 17—Weekday

*Office Closed

Tuesday, June 18—Weekday

6:00 AM-7:00 PM—Dual Primary Election (SEAS Hall)

Wednesday, June 19—Weekday

11:00 AM—Mass: Special Intention
5:15 PM—Youth Group (SEAS Hall)
5:30 PM—Ladies' Group (SEAS Conf. Rm.)
6:30 PM—Eucharistic Adoration

Thursday, June 20—Weekday

7:30 PM—K of C Mtg.

Friday, June 21—St. Aloysius Gonzaga

Saturday, June 22—Vigil

5:00 PM—Confessions
5:30 PM—Mass: †Dwayne Reed

Sunday, June 23—12th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30 AM—Mass: Special Intention
11:00 AM—Mass: People of the Parish

***Daily Mass is on Wednesday at 11am, with Eucharistic Adoration at 6:30 PM.**

SEAS Parish Prayer List



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

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.

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

Ernest Perry, Dwayne E. Reed, Mildred Acampora, Louise Mendez, Rev. Msgr. Thomas F. Shreve, Michael Sean Birmingham, Christina Angelique Birmingham, Rev. Russell E. Smith, Shirley Shumaker, Shirley Parker, Patricia Searles, Edward L. Edwards, Linwood Parker, and Edward J. Gillikin, Sr.

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

Thank you for your continued generosity!

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 registration days and times can be accessed through the website by following the First-time Registrant prompts at: <https://www.virtusonline.org/virtus/>. Under the menu to selection your organization, please select "Richmond Diocese, VA." There are also many video conference options in case you're unable to attend a session in person.

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 are thinking of volunteering, especially for Religious Education, now is the perfect time to take this class.

Scripture Readings

June 15 Saturday of the 10th Week in Ordinary Time

1 Kgs 19:19-21/Ps 16:1b-2a&5-10/Ps 119:36a/Mt 5:33-37

June 16 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Ez 17:22-24/Ps 92:2-3,13-16/2 Cor 5:6-10/Mk 4:26-34

June 17 Monday of the 11th Week in Ordinary Time

1 Kgs 21:1-16/Ps 5:2-3ab,4b-6a,6b-7/Ps 119:105/Mt 5:38-42

June 18 Tuesday of the 11th Week in Ordinary Time

1 Kgs 21:17-29/Ps 51:3-4,5-6ab,11&16/Jn 13:34/Mt 5:43-48

June 19 Wednesday of the 11th Week in Ordinary Time

2 Kgs 2:1,6-14/Ps 31:20,21,24/Jn 14:23/Mt 6:1-6,16-18

June 20 Thursday of the 11th Week in Ordinary Time

Sir 48:1-14/Ps 97:1-7/Rom 8:15bc/Mt 6:7-15

June 21 Memorial of St. Aloysius Gonzaga

2 Kgs 11:1-4,9-18,20/Ps 132:11-14,17-18/Mt 5:3/Mt 6:19-23

June 22 Saturday of the 11th Week in Ordinary Time

2 Chr 24:17-25/Ps 89:4,5,29-34/2 Cor 8:9/Mt 6:24-34

June 23 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jb 38:1,8-11/Ps 107:24-26,28-31/2 Cor 5:14-17/Lk 7:16/Mk 4:35-41

Parish News

ELECTRONIC DONATIONS

As a reminder, SEAS Parish offers electronic giving as a way to automate your regular weekly offering.

Scan the QR code to go directly to our online donation page.

Thank you for your continued support and generosity!



LADIES' GROUP

Interested in joining the Ladies' Group? The Ladies' Group meets weekly on Wednesdays in the SEAS Conference Room at 5:30 PM, with Adoration following at 6:30 PM in the Sanctuary. The Book of Romans study will be five weeks from May 22-June 19. The Ladies' Group will break for the summer following the June 19th meeting and resume in August. Please contact Rebecca Edicola for any questions.

Email: Jamzmom1201@gmail.com. Nursing/lap babies welcome.

BUILDING & GROUNDS Volunteers Still Needed

Many thanks to John Bandino who has been weeding and mulching on Monday mornings at SEAS Parish beginning at 9:00 AM.

If anyone would like to join John, they are welcome to come by and assist with sprucing up our many shrubbery beds. John can be contacted at: 804-908-4296.

CONGRATULATIONS SEAS GRADUATES

Congratulations to all our high school and college graduates and their families as they celebrate this momentous occasion. We wish them much success and God's blessings on their future endeavors. The family of **Jacob Wayne** wish to share that he has graduated from New Kent High School and will be attending Va. Tech in the fall to study Mechanical Engineering. *Congratulations Again!*

YOUTH GATHERING Wednesday, June 19th

Attention middle school and high school age teens!

Adoration of Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament is available on Wednesday nights. Beginning this week, please gather at 5:15 PM in the SEAS Social Hall prior to adoration for food, activities and faith discussions with your peers. For the first gathering, bring your ideas for what you'd like to do and discuss for future weeks.

For more info, please contact Alyssa Ginter at (931) 209-6859.



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 and on our parish website or call the parish office 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.



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. Please bring your membership cards. The first meeting is the Officers/Directors Meeting and the second meeting is the Membership/Business Meeting. All members are welcome to attend both meetings.

Congratulations: Sir Knight Kenneth Tureski has been chosen as **Knight of the Year**. Kenneth is our Council Warden and is always ready to help the Council and its members. He always arrives early to set up for Council meetings and stays late to ensure everything is put away and in order. Kenneth exemplifies the principle of Charity with his time and talent.

The Family of the Year is Sir Knight Jeffrey Gargiulo, PGK, FDD, PFN/Council Treasurer and Roberta Gargiulo, Past President of the Ladies of Virginia. The Gargiulo family not only attends all Council events and programs but has led many of the Council programs throughout the years such as coordinating the Stations of the Cross during Lent and participating in Council and State Culture of Life activities such as the Polar Plunge and March for Life.

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, 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. **Membership:** To learn more about the Knights of Columbus Council at SEAS Parish and all we do, please contact Acting Membership Director Kevin Almeida at: alexandre2018@yahoo.com or call 804-803-9725.

DIocese of Richmond Office of the Bishop

The Diocese of Richmond encourages anyone aware of sexual abuse of minors on the part of clergy or staff of the Richmond Diocese to notify civil authorities, including Child Protective Services (CPS) at 1-800-552-7096 and reach out to the confidential Victim Assistance Reporting 24-Hour Number at 1-877-887-9603, or by email at: vac@richmonddiocese.org.