

CATHOLIC FEST

The Diamond, Richmond, VA - October 11, 2025, 10am-9pm

Join Bishop Knestout and the entire diocese at a one-day festival in Richmond. The day will be full of music, food, fun, fellowship and faith and celebrating the Mass as the Diocese of Richmond. Visit our website to learn more: <https://catholicfest.richmonddiocese.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.

ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (OCIA)

The Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA) 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 program at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish, please contact the parish office at 804-932-4125 to be put in touch with our OCIA Coordinator.

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. We have many visitors who worship with us but whose needs are often unknown. Registration forms are located at both Church entrances, on our parish website at <https://seascatholicchurch.org/>, under the “Our Parish” tab, or you can contact the parish office at 804-932-4125 and we will be happy to assist you.

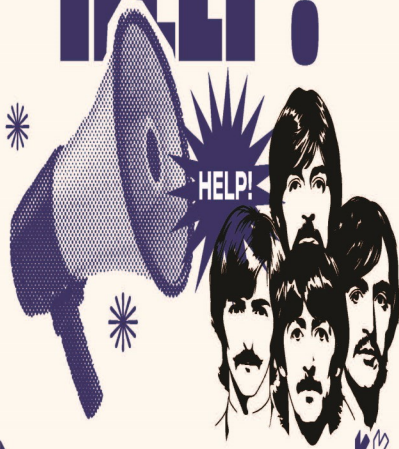
OFFICE OF VOCATIONS

“My grace is sufficient for you.” Considering a calling to the priesthood or consecrated life? God’s grace is all you need. 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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SEAS RELIGIOUS EDUCATION
NEEDS
HELP!
I NEED SOMEBODY,



* * *
FACILITAORS & CATECHISTS NEEDED
TRAINING, MATERIALS AND PLANS PROVIDED -
YOU SUPPLY YOUR ENTHUSIASTIC LOVE OF GOD!
COME EXPERIENCE THE JOY OF SHARING
YOUR FAITH!

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Secretary's Hours: M-F 9:00 AM-2:30 PM

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE:

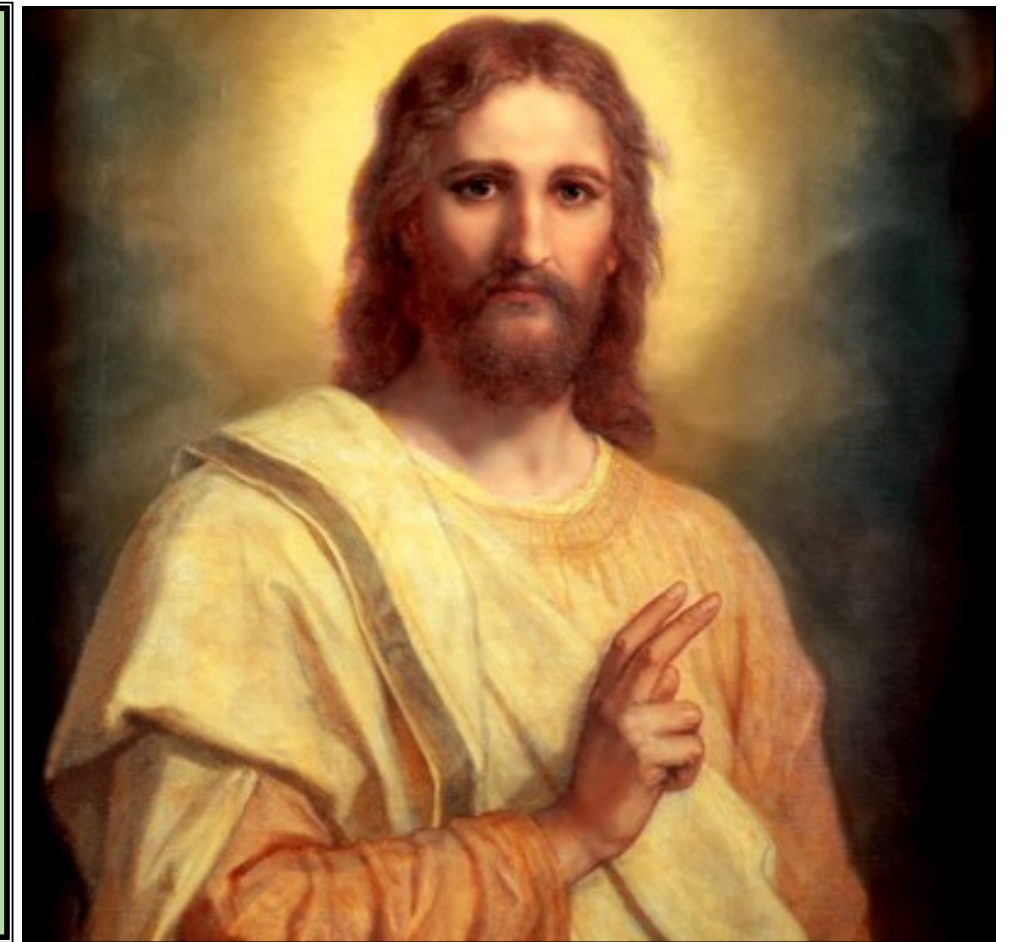
Saturday Vigil: 5:30 PM; Sunday: 8:30 AM & 11:00 AM

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

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time July 6, 2025

O God, who in
the abasement of
your Son have raised
up a fallen world,
fill your faithful with
holy joy, for on
those you have
rescued from slavery
to sin you bestow
eternal gladness.

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.



Christ's Image
Heinrich Hofmann, 1894

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, July 5—Vigil
5:00 PM—Confessions
5:30 PM—Mass: Special Intention

Sunday, July 6—14th Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:30 AM—Mass: People of the Parish
11:00 AM—Mass: Special Intention

Monday, July 7—Weekday

Tuesday, July 8—Weekday

Wednesday, July 9—St. Augustine Zhao Rong and Companions, Martyrs
12:00 PM—Mass: Special Intention
6:30 PM—Eucharistic Adoration

Thursday, July 10—Weekday
*Secretary’s Office Closed


Friday, July 11—St. Benedict, Abbot

Saturday, July 12—Vigil
5:00 PM—Confessions
5:30 PM—Mass: Special Intention

Sunday, July 13—15th Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:30 AM—Mass: †Maryann Dombroski and †Joseph John Dombroski
11:00 AM—Mass: People of the Parish

***July 9—Wednesday Mass is scheduled at 12:00 PM; Eucharistic Adoration is scheduled 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 homebound of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish, our local community and the Diocese of Richmond.

PRAYER FOR THE SICK:
Lord Jesus, who went about doing good and healing all, we ask you to bless our 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 forever and ever. Amen.

And those who have died are remembered in a special way, especially: Patricia Ellyson, Christopher Gentry, Kathy Largo, Kathleen Kelley, Pope Francis, Catherine Tureski, Elizabeth “Betty” Pool, Joseph J. Gordineer, William Acampora, Peter Livingston, Donna Livingston, Everly Livingston and Alydia Livingston.

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!

IN-PERSON VIRTUS TRAINING AT SEAS!

Need to complete your Safe Environment training for the Diocese? SEAS Parish will be hosting training on July 20th from 12:00 PM to 3:00 PM. This in-person event will complete all requirements for compliance and enable you to begin volunteering with youth of all ages at SEAS! Register through our diocesan website at: <https://richmonddiocese.org/registering-for-an-upcoming-virtus-training-program/>. Navigate to the bottom of the page and click “Start Registration.” This will take you to the *Virtus* page, select “Richmond, VA (Diocese),” and then start registration. Please contact Rebecca Edicola for more details: reled@seascatholicchurch.org; 804-932-3388.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

Seeking adult, VIRTUS trained individuals to be present in the Rel. Ed. building during classes for the 2025-26 school year. Classes are held from 9:30-10:30am three weekends per month. Multiple volunteers can be rotated to keep your monthly commitment low. Hall monitors will ensure proper protocols for the safe environment requirements of our diocese and are an easy way to support the Rel. Ed. program. An upcoming VIRTUS training is detailed above. Please email Rebecca Edicola for further details: reled@seascatholicchurch.org.

Scripture Readings

July 5 Saturday of the 13th Week in Ordinary Time
Gn 27:1-5,15-29/Ps 135:1b-6/Jn 10:27/Mt 9:14-17

July 6 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Is 66:10-14c/Ps 66:1-7,16,20/Gal 6:14-18/Col 3:15a,16a/Lk 10:1-12,17-20

July 7 Monday of the 14th Week in Ordinary Time
Gn 28:10-22a/Ps 91:1-4,14-15ab/2 Tm 1:10/Mt 9:18-26

July 8 Tuesday of the 14th Week in Ordinary Time
Gn 32:23-33/Ps 17:1b-3,6-7ab,8b-15/Jn 10:14/Mt 9:32-38

July 9 Wednesday of the 14th Week in Ordinary Time
Gn 41:55-57;42:5-7a,17-24a/Ps 33:2-3/Mk 1:15/Mt 10:1-7

July 10 Thursday of the 14th Week in Ordinary Time
Gn 44:18-21,23b-29;45:1-5/Ps 105:16-21/Mk 1:15/Mt 10:7-15

July 11 Memorial of St. Benedict
Gn 46:1-7,28-30/Ps 37:3-4,18-19,27-28/Jn 16:13a;14:26d/Mt 10:16-23

July 12 Saturday of the 14th Week in Ordinary Time
Gn 49:29-32;50:15-26a/Ps 105:1-4,6-7/1 Pt 4:14/Mt 10:24-33

July 13 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Dt 30:10-14/Ps 69:14,17,30-31/Col 1:15-20/Jn 6:63c,68c/Lk 10:25-37

2025-26 RELIGIOUS ED

REGISTRATION IS OPEN!

Classes Resume
Sunday, 9/7/2025

CLASSES ARE HELD THREE TIMES PER MONTH

9:30-10:30AM

Sacrament Prep requires separate registration. Contact
Rebecca Edicola
reled@seascatholicchurch.org

EPIC MIDDLE SCHOOL RALLY

EPIC is a one-day summer middle school rally for all rising 6th-8th graders that focuses on living epically like the saints! Every middle school youth will find something they love, whether it’s jumping on an inflatable, serving with the Rise Against Hunger project, or spending a quiet moment in front of Jesus in Eucharistic Adoration. It is high-energy experience that is sure to elevate your middle schooler’s zeal for their Catholic faith and community. Registration is open—don’t wait to sign up for this *EPIC* day!

Contact Rebecca Edicola to register, reled@seascatholicchurch.org.

EPIC is Saturday, August 9, 2025 at St. Joseph’s Villa in Richmond.



SACRISTAN/ LITURGY COORDINATOR POSITION

The parish is seeking a dedicated sacristan/liturgy coordinator to oversee our liturgy volunteers and altar guild.

Duties include: soliciting volunteers and scheduling of Mass coordinators/teams who set-up and clean-up for each Mass, funerals, weddings, etc., scheduling lectors, altar servers, ushers, coordinating laundering of parish linens, surplices, cassocks and vestments, ordering liturgy supplies and tending the altar as well as overseeing decorating the Church throughout the year for various liturgical seasons.

Qualifications include: a practicing Catholic in good standing with a high attention to detail who demonstrates calm under pressure, able to communicate and collaborate with personnel, displays high level of professionalism and confidentiality, with a working knowledge of Catholic worship and liturgies.

Please send inquiries to the parish secretary’s office at: secretary@seascatholicchurch.org or see Father Scott after Mass for further details.



NEED SACRAMENTS?

IF YOUR CHILD IS MISSING FIRST HOLY COMMUNION, FIRST PENANCE, OR CONFIRMATION, PLEASE CONTACT REBECCA EDICOLA
reled@seascatholicchurch.org



Schedule:

K of C Council 14034 meets the first and third Thursday of the month at 7:00 PM. The in-person meetings are in the SEAS 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.

Save the Date—On September 8, 2025, the council will hold its 2nd Annual Golf Tournament at the Brickshire Golf Club to raise funds to support its charitable programs and the parish. Stay tuned for more details to come!

Prayer Requests: Please remember in prayer: the Tureski family, the Dupuis family, the Cashin family, Father Scott Duarte and all our military, law enforcement, first responders and their families.

Membership: To learn more about the K of C at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish and all we do, please contact GK Mark Dupuis at: 804-201-5925; dupuis99@aol.com. To learn more about the Knights of Columbus in Virginia, visit our website: kofc.org/joinus.

NUN RUN FOOD DONATIONS

On the first weekend of each month, there is a collection for food and non-perishable items for our two communities of sisters, the cloistered, vegetarian Poor Clares in Barhamsville and the Little Sisters of St. Francis in western New Kent who reach out in service to the poor and marginalized in society. The collection box is located in the Commons Area of the Church for the July 5/6 collection.

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.