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**Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year B – August 22, 2021**

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## Rectory Office Hours

**Monday, Wednesday, Thursday: 9a.m. – 1:30 p.m.**

**Tuesday: 9:00 a.m.–2:30 p.m.**

**(Closed Friday, Saturday & Sunday)**

## Parish Holy Masses,

Vigil of Sunday – 5:00 p.m.

Sunday – 8:00 a.m.; 10:00 a.m.; Mass in Spanish – 11:30 p.m.

Weekdays – 7:00 a.m.

Holy Days – As announced in bulletin.

## Adoration Of The Blessed Sacrament

Weekdays: 6:30 a.m. to 7:00 a.m. (Before Mass).

Tuesday: 7:30 a.m. – 12 noon (After Mass).

First Friday of the Month: 7:30 a.m. – 12 noon (After Mass).

## Stewardship: Weekly Collection

The collection for last weekend, 8/15/2021 \$2,136.33

Holy Day Collection for Assumption \$536.00.

Thank you for supporting the work of your parish.

## Sacraments: Registration & Classes

Those desiring Adult Baptism, First Penance, First Holy Communion or Confirmation should come to the Office especially on Mondays to register and then participate in Catechism Classes.

**For Infant Baptism Preparation Program:** Both parents are asked to attend the baptism preparation class prior to the celebration of the sacrament. The ideal time to attend is during the pregnancy. Please call for an appointment.

**Religious Education Classes:** Sundays at 9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. in the Parish Meeting Room.

En Española, Domingos a las 12.30 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.

**Children Baptism** - Celebrated First Sunday of every month at 12:00 p. m. after 11 a.m. Mass.

## Marriages

Wedding arrangements should be made at least six months prior to the desired date. Call Rectory for an appointment.

## Sick Calls

Any time, day or night. Call the Rectory as soon as possible.

## Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)

Every Saturday at 4 p.m.; Thursday before First Friday 4 p.m.; Or by appointment at any other suitable time.

## Letters of Recommendation

A prospective godparent or sponsor needs some evidence that he/she is an active, contributing member of the parish and leads a life in harmony with the Catholic Faith. We can only give such testimony to those who are actually parish member.

## Remembering Us In Your Will

If you wish to make an end-of-year donation to St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish, please keep in mind that we must receive it by December 31<sup>st</sup> so that you can claim it as a charitable donation on your annual income tax return.

**You may also want to remember your parish and cemetery in your will.** By so doing the Church's prayer will be of benefit to your soul. For legal purposes, our title is "**St Elizabeth Ann Seton Roman Catholic Church Society of Dunkirk, New York.**"

## Registration & Welcoming of New Parishioners

Please call the Rectory for an appointment.

## Young Adults

Upon reaching their 19<sup>th</sup> birthday should assume their own identity by registering with the parish.



**Vigil of Sunday August 22, 2021 [21].**

**5:00 p.m.:** Mary Fijal by Husband Lenny

**Sunday, August 22, 2021, Ordinary Time [21].**

**8:00 a.m.:** Beverly Galardo by Ted & Cindy Wronski

**10:00 a.m.:** Al Tyszko by daughters Barb & Sandy

**11:30 a.m.:** **Spanish:** Parishioners of SEAS

**Monday August 23, 2021, St. Rose of Lima, Virgin (OPT) [21].**

**7:00 a.m.:** Bea Lamb by Norm & MaryAnn Begier

**Tuesday August 24, 2021 St Bartholomew, Apostle (Feast) [21].**

**7:00 a.m.:** Mary Fijal (Ann) by Husband Lenny

**Wednesday, August 25, 2021 St Louis, St Joseph Calasanz, Priest (OPT) [21].**

**7:00 a.m.:** Francis Gwen & Michael Burns by Ann Budniewski

**Thursday, August 26, 2021 Ordinary Time [21].**

**7:00 a.m.:** Scott Stoye by Vandenvouwer Family

**Friday, August 27, 2021 St Monica (OBL) [21].**

**7:00 a.m.:** Judy Lewetzki by Jim & Jane Ellman

**Saturday, August 28, 2021 St Augustine, Bishop and Doctor of the Church (OBL) [21].**

**7:00 a.m.:**

**Vigil of Sunday August 29, 2021 Ordinary Time [22].**

**5:00 p.m.:** Richard & Richard Jr & Dolores "Spikey" Haase by Banach, Haase & Woelfle Families

**Sunday, August 29, 2021 Ordinary Time [22].**

**8:00 a.m.:** Robert Klemann & Fr Walter Werbicki by KOC 929

**10:00 a.m.:** John Banach by Rita Lynch & Family

**11:30 a.m.-Spanish:** Parishioners of SEAS

**Gospel**

**Jn 6:60-69**

Many of Jesus' disciples who were listening said, "This saying is hard; who can accept it?" Since Jesus knew that his disciples were murmuring about this, he said to them, "Does this shock you? What if you were to see the Son of Man ascending to where he was before? It is the spirit that gives life, while the flesh is of no avail.

The words I have spoken to you are Spirit and life. But there are some of you who do not believe." Jesus knew from the beginning the ones who would not believe and the one who would betray him. And he said, "For this reason I have told you that no one can come to me unless it is granted him by my Father."

As a result of this, many of his disciples returned to their former way of life and no longer accompanied him.

Jesus then said to the Twelve, "Do you also want to leave?" Simon Peter answered him, "Master, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life. We have come to believe and are convinced that you are the Holy One of God."



**Memorials**



Alice Sutton by Chris Sell

**PRAYERS FOR THE SICK:** Janet Bonasera, Scott Collins, Sue Dietzen, Vincent Filutze, Joe & Jose, Gambarelli, Joshua Havilesko, Keith & Kevin Jones, Rev John Mack, Frederick Mackowiak Jr., Mike McCarty, Jack Pencek, Jerry Reilly, Joel Rivera, Lenny Schrantz, Jessica Sinclair, Irene Tarnowski, Jack Van Dervort and Mollie Watkins. Call with a new name or email: to [st.elizannseton@netsync.net](mailto:st.elizannseton@netsync.net)

SEAS 46<sup>th</sup> Anniversary DinnerReadings for the Week of August 22–August 29, 2021

Sun: Jos 24:1-2<sup>a</sup>, 15-17,18b; Eph 5:21-32 or 5:2<sup>a</sup>, 25-32; Jn 6:60-69.

Mon: 1 Thes 1 1:1-5, 8b-10; Mt 23:13-22.

Tue: Rv 21:9b-14; Jn 1:45-51.

Wed: 1 Thes 2:9-13; Mt 23:27-32.

Thu: 1 Thes 3:7-13; Mt 24:42-51.

Fri: 1 Thes 4:1-8; Mt 25: 1-13.

Sat: 1 Thes 4:9-11; Mt 25:14-30.

Sun: Dt 4:1-2, 6-8; Jas 1:17-18, 21b-22, 27; Mk 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23.



**Knights of  
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The Knights of Columbus #929 will be attending 8am mass next Sunday, August 29, for past chaplain Rev Fr Walter Werbicki.

**Vocation Blurb**

To whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life.” Do Peter’s words in today’s Gospel strike a chord with you? Do you feel like there’s nothing satisfying in this world except your faith? Maybe Jesus wants you to share that faith with others in a Church vocation. Call Fr. Dave Baker at 716-847-5535 to start the conversation or visit [buffalovocations.org](http://buffalovocations.org).

Called to *Serve*  
Liturgy Committee

There will be a Liturgy Meeting on Tuesday  
**September 7, 2021 at 7pm.**



Plans are being made for our parish’s 46<sup>th</sup> anniversary dinner. Anyone interested in donating a theme basket can call the rectory at 366-1750 to put your name on the list. More details about the dinner will be in the upcoming bulletins.

**Diocese celebrating 50<sup>th</sup>, 60<sup>th</sup> and 70<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversaries**

The Diocese of Buffalo will celebrate a special mass for couples celebrating their 50<sup>th</sup>, 60<sup>th</sup> and 70<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversaries at St. Joseph’s Cathedral on Sunday October 24, 2021 at 10:30 am. There will be a brunch after mass at St. Anthony of Padua Church Center. There is a signup form in the rectory. Any couples interested in attending, please sign up by Monday, September 27.

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