



HE HAS MADE US
WORTHY TO ENTER
HIS HOLY PLACE

God is with us

Seton

CHRIST, BE OUR LIGHT.

Challenge our hearts. Heal our souls.

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December 18th, 2022 | 4th Sunday of Advent

Worship, gather with family.

For volunteer not-for-profit organizations: We pray that volunteer non-profit organizations committed to human development find people dedicated to the common good and ceaselessly seek out new paths to international cooperation.

-Pope's Prayer Intention for December 2022

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, Dec 18th

7:30AM PHANXICO XAVIE - D

9:00AM PEOPLE OF THE PARISH

11:00AM EUGENE MIKUSKA - D

Monday, Dec 19th

8:00AM LOUIS SALVATORE - D

Tuesday, Dec 20th

8:00AM ANNE MARIE SIMPSON - D

Wednesday, Dec 21st

8:00AM DUDASH & O'NEILL FAMILIES - D

6:30PM ALBERTO LEONARD - D

Thursday, Dec 22nd

8:00AM ANTHONY TALVACCHIO, JR. - D

Friday, Dec 23rd

8:00AM ANNE MARIE SIMPSON - D

Saturday, Dec 24th

CHRISTMAS EVE - NO INTENTIONS

Sunday, Dec 25th

CHRISTMAS DAY - NO INTENTIONS

Monday, Dec 26th

8:00AM PHANXICO XAVIE - D

Tuesday, Nov Dec 27th

8:00AM JOHN, MARY JANE HOLECKO & JOHN, JR. - D

Wednesday, Dec 28th

8:00AM FATHER RUSSELL RUGGIERO - D

6:30PM VERNON & LORRAINE DUNGAN - D

Thursday, Dec 29th

8:00AM ALBERTO MIGUEL SOLIS III - D

Friday, Dec 30th

8:00AM PAT LYNCH - D

Saturday, Dec 31st

8:00AM JADIS SANTIAGO - L

4:30PM PEOPLE OF THE PARISH

6:30PM DANIEL ALAS - D

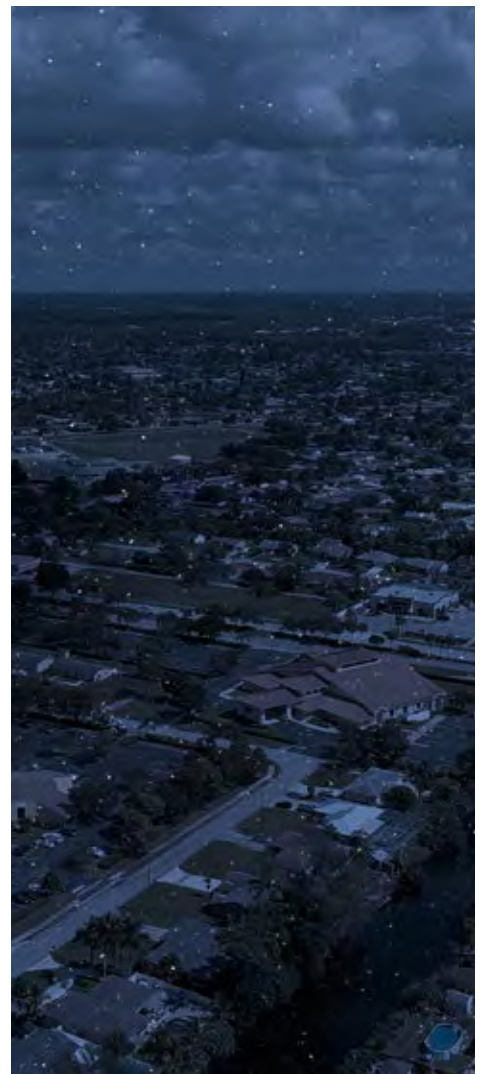
HOLIDAY OFFICE HOURS

Open Monday to Thursday
December 19-22, 9am to 4pm

Closed Friday & Monday
December 23 and 26

Open Tuesday to Thursday
December 27-29

Closed Friday & Monday
December 30 and January 2



God Is with Us

The mystery kept secret for long ages, promised through His prophets in the holy Scriptures, is today revealed (see Romans 16:25–26). This is the “Gospel of God” that Paul celebrates in today’s Epistle—the good news that “God is with us” in Jesus Christ. The sign promised to the House of David in today’s First Reading is given in today’s Gospel. In the virgin found with child, God Himself has brought to Israel a savior from David’s royal line (see Acts 13:22–23).



Son of David according to the flesh, Jesus is the Son of God, born of the Spirit. He will be anointed with the Spirit (see Acts 10:38), and by the power of Spirit will be raised from the dead and established at God’s right hand in the heavens (see Acts 2:33–34; Ephesians 1:20–21). He is the “King of Glory” we sing of in today’s Psalm. The earth in its fullness has been given to Him. And as God swore long ago to David, His Kingdom will have no end (see Psalm 89:4–5).

In Jesus Christ we have a new creation. Like the creation of the world, it is a work of the Spirit, a blessing from the Lord (see Genesis 1:2). In Him, we are saved from our sins, are called now “the beloved of God.” All nations now are called to belong to Jesus Christ, to enter into the House of David and kingdom of God, the Church. Together, through the obedience of faith, we have been made a new race—a royal people that seeks for the face of the God of Jacob.

He has made our hearts clean;
He has made us worthy to enter
His holy place, to stand in His
presence and serve Him. In
the Eucharist, the everlasting
covenant is renewed, the
Advent promise of virgin with
child—God with us—continues
until the end of the age (see
Matthew 28:20; Ezekiel 37:24–
28). *Reflection by Scott Hahn*

The Word this Sunday

Isaiah 7:10–14

Psalm 24:1–6

Romans 1:1–7

Matthew 1:18–24

“The Lord has put it on our hearts
to be thankful. I am thankful for
our parish community that wants
to serve others.”

REV CASEY JONES, PASTOR

MASS SCHEDULE

Daily Liturgy (Mon-Sat) 8am

Winter Schedule

Saturday Vigil 4:30pm

Saturday Spanish Mass 6:30pm

Sunday 7:30am, 9am and 11am

Reconciliation

Saturdays after the 8:00 am Mass
and 3:00 pm in English

5:30 pm in Spanish

Tuesdays from 6:00-6:45 pm



UNITED IN
Christ

UNITED IN CHRIST!

Thank you to all parishioners who have completed and submitted your Commitment Card. For those parishioners who have not yet had the opportunity to submit their card, you can find extra cards, envelopes and brochure in the Narthex of the church. We invite all faithful parishioners to complete a card as our parish goal is 100% participation! You may return your card by:

- mailing it to the church (5260 28th Ave SW, Naples, FL 34116).
- or bringing it to Mass next Sunday and put in the offertory basket.
- or go online to our parish website at www.stelizabethseton.org and complete an electronic Commitment Card.

Please, for our budgeting purposes, all cards need to be returned to the parish by Sunday, January 15.

As a friendly reminder, electronic giving is an easy, safe and secure way to support St. Elizabeth Seton Church. To set-up a recurring weekly or monthly gift or to make a one-time donation directly from your bank account or credit card, please visit our website and follow the instructions. We are grateful for your support!



Christmas Mass Times

Saturday, December 24: Christmas Eve Vigil Masses
5pm in English & 7pm in Spanish
11:59pm Midnight Mass in English

Sunday, December 25: Christmas Day
7:30am, 9am, 11am, All in English



GIVE ONLINE?

Let the parish know if you no longer need offertory envelopes mailed to you.

You can save our parish the expense of sending these envelopes if you are giving online instead. Please just call the parish office (455-3900) or email to cancel envelopes (info@stelizabethseton.org) Thank you!

2ND COLLECTION

2nd collection for this weekend will be for Retirement Fund for Religious

2ND ANNUAL DRIVE THRU NATIVITY

Seton's 2nd Annual Drive Thru Nativity is on December 18 & 19, Sunday & Monday evenings, from 6:30 to 8pm.

- Come and see our beautiful church with Christmas Lights.
- See & hear the wondrous Christmas story, in English or Spanish.
- Great for young and young at heart!

Life is shared moments.

Monday, Dec 19th

12-3pm Silent Prayer (C)
7pm Prayer Group (CC)

Tuesday, Dec 20th

8:30am Mother's Bible Class (SL)
1-7pm Silent Prayer (C)
6pm Confessions (C)
7pm Adoration w/ Praise & Worship (C)

Wednesday, Dec 21st

12-3pm Silent Prayer (C)
6:30pm Spanish Mass (C)

Thursday, Dec 22nd

8am Mass (C)
8:30am Bible Class (CC)
12-3pm Silent Prayer (C)

Friday, Dec 23rd Office Closed

12-3pm Silent Prayer (C)

Saturday, Dec 24th Christmas Eve

8:30am Confessions (C)
3pm Confessions (C)
4:30pm Vigil Mass (C)

Monday, Dec 26th

OFFICE CLOSED
7pm Prayer Group (CC)

Tuesday, Dec 27th

8:30am Mother's Bible Class (SL)
1-7pm Silent Prayer (C)
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7pm Adoration w/ Praise & Worship (C)

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Friday, Dec 30th

OFFICE CLOSED

Saturday, Dec 31st

8:30am Confessions (C)
3pm Confessions (C)
4:30 pm Vigil Mass (C)

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FIND ALL OUR CONTACT INFO AT WWW.STELIZABETHSETON.ORG/CONTACT/

PRAY THE ROSARY

The rosary is prayed in English in the Church at 7:30AM, prior to Daily Mass. The rosary is prayed every Saturday in Spanish at 5:45PM, prior to the Vigil Mass in Spanish. The Chaplet of Divine Mercy is prayed every Tuesday and Friday in English at 7:45AM, prior to the Daily Mass.

DO YOU NEED SACRAMENTS?

We are a people of Word (Sacred Scriptures) and Sacraments. Interested? Please contact the Faith Formation office at 239-455-3900, ext. 303, Mondays-Thursdays from 9am-4pm.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The Knights of Columbus of SES Council 4357 welcome all new parishioners that have settled here from other areas. We would like to invite all KofC members and all Catholic men at St. Elizabeth Seton to our Open Council Meetings the second Monday of every month at 6:30pm at our Council Hall located three minutes from the church, at 3020 62nd St. SW, Naples, FL. You can also reach us by email: Knights1314@yahoo.com.

OFFERTORY | Week 12/3 & 12/4 - 2022

Offertory: \$20,343
Eng. 968 & Sp. 680

Catholic Faith Appeal 2022

Goal	\$224,000
Pledged	\$248,700
Collected	\$244,318

CFA envelopes are available at all entrances to the church, or Give Online! <https://dioceseofvenice.org/ways-to-give/cfa/>

Thank you for making the goal so early this year!

LOCATION CODES

Church (C)
Children's Chapel (CC)
Faith Formation (FF)
Golden Gate Pkwy (GGP)
Juan Diego Rm (JD)
Office (O)
Parish Center (PC)
Parking Lot (PL)
School Cafeteria (SC)
St. Luis Room (SL)
School (S)
School Gym (SG)
St. Joseph's Room (SJ)

Unidos en Cristo

MISA DIARIA LUNES A SÁBADO 8AM (ING)
MIÉRCOLES 6:30 PM (ESP)
SABADO 4:30PM (ING) & 6:30PM (ESP)
DOMINGO 7:30AM, 9AM & 11AM (ING)

GRACIAS

Gracias por celebrar el Domingo de Compromiso con nosotros este fin de semana. Su compromiso con nuestra parroquia a través del programa Unidos en Cristo continuará dando vida a nuestra comunidad. Si no fue posible completar su Tarjeta de Compromiso en la Misa, puede visitar el sitio web de nuestra parroquia en www.stelizabethseton.org y completar una Tarjeta de Compromiso electrónica o puede enviar su tarjeta por correo a la iglesia. ¡Gracias por su generosidad y apoyo a la Iglesia St. Elizabeth Seton!

SERVICIO DE PENITENCIA DE ADVIENTO BILINGÜE

Padre Ryan Rooney de la Diócesis de Springfield, MA. Martes, 13 de diciembre, 18:30PM. Tendremos muchos sacerdotes disponibles para la Confesión, hablando inglés y español.

MISAS DE NOCHEBUENA

Misas de Nochebuena, sábado 24 de diciembre, 5 pm en inglés, 7 pm en español, Misa de medianoche a las 11:59 pm en inglés. Día de Navidad, domingo 25 de diciembre, 7:30 am, 9 am y 11 am, todo en inglés.

Lun, 19 de diciembre

7pm Hombres de Emaús (PC)
7pm Clase de Costura (SJ)

Mar, 20 de diciembre

1-7pm Oración en Silencio (C)
6pm Confesiones (C)
7-8pm Adoración Eucarística (C)

Miér, 21 de diciembre

12-3pm Oración en Silencio (C)
6:30pm Misa (C)

Jue, 22 de diciembre

12-3pm Oración en Silencio (C)

Vier, 23 de diciembre

OFICINA CERRADA
12-3pm Oración en Silencio (C)

Sáb, 24 de diciembre

5:30pm Confesiones (C)
6:30pm Misa (C)

Lun, 26 de diciembre

OFICINA CERRADA
7pm Hombres de Emaús (PC)
7pm Clase de Costura (SJ)

Mar, 27 de diciembre

1-7pm Oración en Silencio (C)
6pm Confesiones (C)
7pm Adoración Eucarística (C)

Miér, 28 de diciembre

12-3pm Oración en Silencio (C)
6:30pm Misa (C)

Jue, 29 de diciembre

12-3pm Oración en Silencio (C)

Vier, 30 de diciembre

OFICINA CERRADA

Sáb, 31 de diciembre

6:30pm Misa (C)
7:30pm Confesiones (C)

CODIGOS DE LOS EDIFICIOS

Iglesia (C)
Formación de Fe (FF)
Gimnasio (SG)
Capilla de Niños (CC)
Juan Diego Room (JD)
Centro Parroquial (PC)
Estacionamiento (PL)
San Jose (SJ)
San Luis Room (SL)
Oficina (O)
Escuela (S)
Golden Gate Pkwy (GGP)

“El Señor ha puesto en nuestros corazones el ser agradecidos. Estoy agradecido por nuestra comunidad parroquial que quiere servir a los demás.”

REV CASEY JONES, PASTOR

LECCIONES DE INGLÉS

Vamos a Inaugurar clases de inglés! Los Caballeros de Colón de St. Elizabeth Seton ofrecen clases de inglés empezando Octubre 6 2022 todos los Martes y Jueves. Por favor contactar a Jorge Lopez @ 239-404-2547 para más información. La registracion esta ahora abierta..



LLAMADOS A SERVIR

Donde puedas invertir tus dones, hazlo y ganarás un tesoro en el Cielo. Si quieres estar más cerca de Dios, aquí tienes los diferentes ministerios donde puedes invertir tus talentos, tus dones y tu tiempo.

Coordinador General de la Comunidad Hispana
Fr. Carlos Encinas
239-455-3900 ext. 207

Ministros Extraordinarios de la Eucaristía
Trinidad Loyola 239-961-6574
Eba Loyola 239-961-6573

Ministerio de Música de Emaús
Francisco Castillo 239-601-6358

Ministerio de Ujieres
Miguel Martínez 239-821-5891

Ministerio del Rosario
Vicente Saavedra 239 777-7537
Norma Flores 239-784-3081

Ministerio del Grupo de Oración
Ruben Rivera & Reina Fuentes
239-776-2149

Ministerio de Emaús Hombres
Hermenegildo Saldaña 239-778-6837
Primiano Loyda 239-738-2903

Ministerio de Emaús Mujeres
Carmen Garnelo 239-692-4735
Leonila Torres 239-601-4684

Ministerio de Lectores
Hilda Macias 239-877-3640

Clases de Costura
Nancy Pineda 239-580-8466

Ministerio de Parejas
Jaime Jarquin 239-572-2259
Lourdes Aguilar 239-601-6046

ST JOHN NEUMANN CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL
INVITES YOU
TO THE
Celtic Ball
SIX O'CLOCK PM
SATURDAY, JANUARY 28, 2023

PLEASE JOIN US
FOR A
PALM BEACH
CHIC CELEBRATION
ON OUR BEAUTIFUL CAMPUS
CASUAL COCKTAIL ATTIRE

TICKETS:
\$250/PERSON
TABLE OF TEN: \$2,250
TABLE OF EIGHT: \$1,800

ST. JOHN NEUMANN CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL
3000 53RD ST SW, NAPLES, FLORIDA 341116
www.sjnceltics.org/celticball

Anuncios

FIESTA PARROQUIAL DE NUEVO AÑO

¡Dale la bienvenida al 2023 con familia, amigos, música y comida! Fiesta para la familia de 6-8pm con Ball Drop/ Caída de pelota a las 8pm. Luego, la banda Smoke & Shine comienza a las 8 pm con comida y bebidas para adultos y La Caída de pelota de nuevo año será a la media noche. \$20 por persona. 12 años y menores entran Gratis. Los boletos estarán a la venta después de las Misas durante el Adviento.

NACIMIENTO EN VIVO

Nacimiento en vivo desde su auto será el domingo y lunes, 18 y 19 de diciembre, de 6:30pm a 8:00 pm. ¡Se necesitan actores y directores de tráfico! Ayúdenos a hacer de este, un evento fabuloso para toda la comunidad de Golden Gate, envíe un correo electrónico a Beverly a baviles@stelizabethseton.org

EL ÁRBOL DE ADVIENTO DE SAN VICENTE DE PAÚL

El Árbol de Adviento de San Vicente de Paúl estará en el Nártex de la Iglesia. Si puede, tome una etiqueta y ayude a una familia a tener una Navidad maravillosa. Las tarjetas de regalo se deben devolver a una caja que estará en la Iglesia .

DONATIONS & INTENTIONS

All donors will receive recognition in subsequent bulletin and a prayer & blessing will be said in their name.

Altar Flowers	\$100
Hosts & Wine	\$25
Tabernacle/Sanctuary Candles	\$50
Recommended donation for a Mass Intention	\$10

OUR PARISH DIRECTORY

CONTACT INFO

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Fr. Carlos Encinas Parochial Vicar

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Faith Formation Assistant Claudia Herrera x303

CHURCH LOCATION

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Mailing Address & Office Location

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Office Hours: Mon-Fri | 9am - 4pm

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Phone: (239) 455-3900

Prayer Line: (239) 455-3900 x301

SES School Information

www.saintelizabethseton.com

Principal Maria Niebuhr

Phone: (239) 455-2262

ST ELIZABETH SETON'S PARISH

NEW YEAR

Party Night

DECEMBER 31
AT THE PARISH HALL

TICKETS \$20 - KIDS 12 & UNDER FREE

FEATURING THE SMOKE & SHINE BAND

WELCOME 2023 WITH FAMILY, FRIENDS, MUSIC AND FOOD! CHILDREN & FAMILY PARTY 6-8PM WITH BALL DROP AT 8PM. THEN THE BAND SMOKE & SHINE BEGINS AT 8PM WITH FOOD & ADULT DRINKS AND NEW YEAR'S BALL DROP AT MIDNIGHT. . .

TICKETS ON SALE AT THE PARISH OFFICE, M-F, 9AM-4PM

PARISH MISSION SPEAKER!

Deacon Harold Burke-Sivers, The "Dynamic Deacon", is coming to Seton!

January 9 & 10, Monday & Tuesday

- Monday's talk: *Staying Awake in the Woke Culture*
- Tuesday's talk: *Catholic Families, The Model for a Culture of Love & Live*

Both talks in the Church. This is a free event!

END OF YEAR GIVING

If you are of the age that you have to take a required minimum distribution (RMD) from your IRA, did you know that you can transfer up to \$100,000 each year directly to a qualified charity like St Elizabeth Seton Parish, the Catholic Community Foundation, our parish school or other Catholic Program or Ministry? By rolling over your IRA distribution directly to a qualified charity, it qualifies as your RMD and you avoid having to include the distribution as taxable income. Prior to 2020, individuals were required to take RMDs beginning in the year in which they turned 70½. Beginning in 2020, however, the new age at which RMDs must start is 72. Despite the delay in the starting age for RMDs, individuals can still make Qualified Charitable Distributions (QCDs) from their IRAs as early as age 70½.

You can...

- Distribute up to \$100,000 in a calendar year from your IRA (regardless of the size of your RMD) directly to St Elizabeth Seton and/or other Catholic Programs or Ministries, tax free.
- If your spouse has a separate IRA, he or she can also make a QCD up to \$100,000 per year.
- Transfer your full RMD or only a portion of it.
- Decide each year if and/or how much of your RMD to use.
- Support multiple charities.

LIVE YOUR FAITH

Deep down, we believe that the whole point of our faith & Church, is to help our people get closer to Christ, overcome spiritual sickness in every form, and then in turn, help others on the Path to leading lives of love and service. Ministries are how we do this. Learn more online at stelizabethseton.org/ministry

OUTREACH MINISTRY

- Catechism
- Events Team
- Eucharistic Ministry to the Homebound
- Funeral Bereavement
- Sewing Ministry

LITURGICAL MINISTRY

- Altar Servers
- Eucharistic Ministry
- Lectors & Choir
- Music Ministry
- Sacristan Ministry
- Ushers & Greeters

Benefits of Using an IRA Charitable Rollover

Entitles you to tax benefits without requiring you to itemize your deductions.

The distribution counts towards your required minimum distribution.

The distribution is not included in the income on which your federal income taxes will be based (thus reducing your taxable income).

Because the distribution is tax free, you can increase your giving without costing you one additional penny.

Contact the Parish Office (239-455-3900) and/or the Catholic Community Foundation of Southwest Florida (941-441-1124) with questions.

BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION UPDATE!

The Traffic Shift has happened! The north side of the bridge is close and the west bound lanes of Golden Gate Parkway are going across the south side of the bridge (one lane each direction). There is no right turn out of the front parking lot onto Golden Gate Pkwy. There are signs so look for those!



Faith, academics and service!

SES School Information

www.saintelizabethseton.com

Principal Maria Niebuhr (239) 455-2262

Join us for an Open House!

Sunday, JANUARY 29, 2023 ~
10:00am-2:00pm at St. Elizabeth
Seton Catholic School

RSVP to office@seseton.org or 239-455-2262
www.SaintElizabethSeton.com

Accepting Applications for Gr. PK3 – 8
for 2023-24. You CAN afford to give
your child the best foundation in life...
scholarships/assistance available!



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- Go to: smile.amazon.com
- Sign in with your Amazon.com credentials
- Under charitable locations choose St. Elizabeth Seton Catholic School.
- Start shopping!

Donations are made to our school only if you start at smile.amazon.com, so add a bookmark for smile.amazon.com to shop here every time.

We are Grateful for you!