



ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

LAKE RIDGE, VA

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SETON SPOTLIGHT

TODAY!

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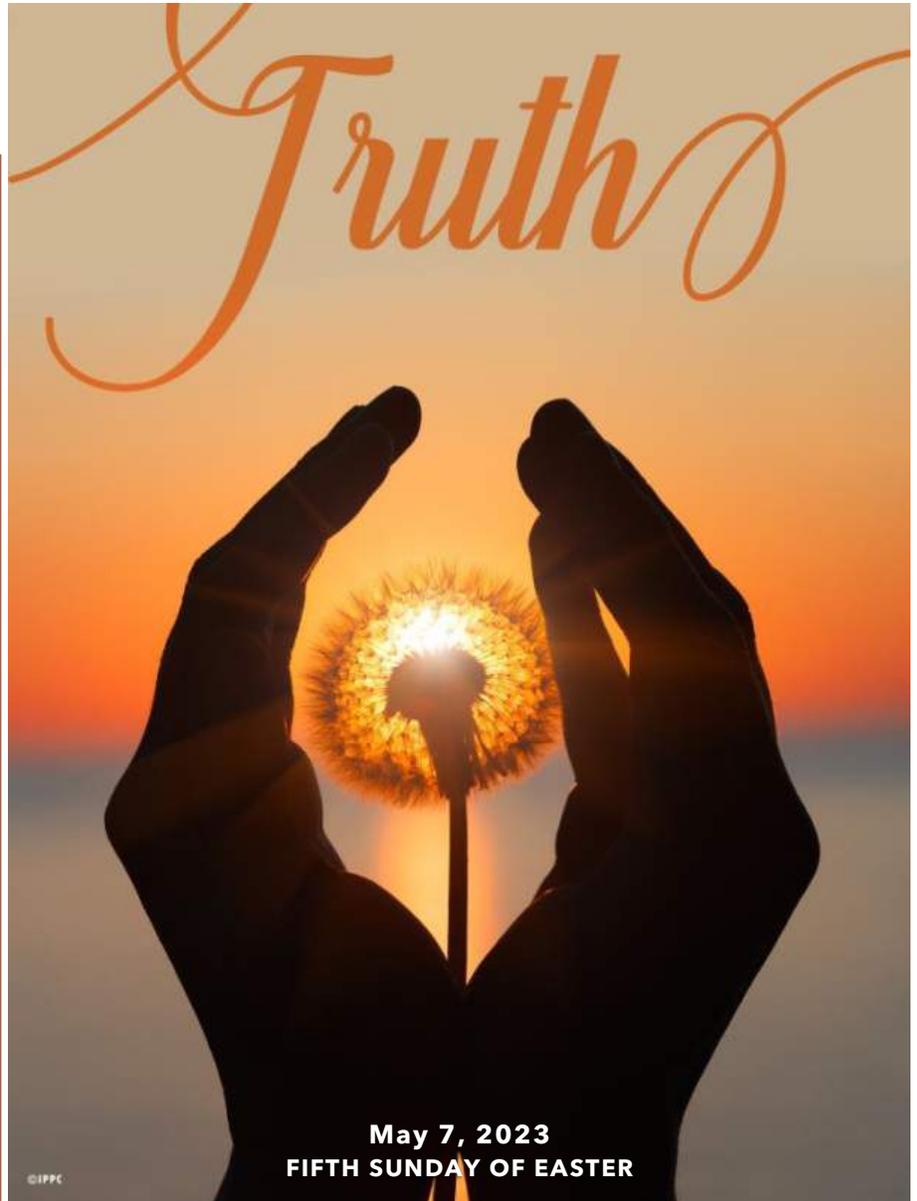
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MASS SCHEDULE:

Daily: Monday - Saturday: 9:00am
(Rosary at 8:25am)

Saturday Vigil: 5:00pm

Sunday: 7:30am, 9:00am, 10:45am,
12:30pm

First Friday Evening Mass: 7:00pm
(7:30pm during Lent)

MOTHER SETON FOOD PANTRY

Thursday 12:30pm - 2:30pm

CONFESSION SCHEDULE:

Monday: 7:00pm – 7:45pm

Friday: 9:30am – 10:00am

Saturday: 3:30pm – 4:30pm

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:

Tues/Thurs All Day Adoration:
9:30am - 8:30pm

Tuesdays Children's Adoration
4:00pm - 5:00pm

First Friday All Night Adoration:
7:30pm - 8:30am (Sat.)

NEW PARISHIONERS:

Welcome to Seton Lake Ridge! Please complete a registration card found in the church narthex or by stopping by the parish office. Please remember to notify us if you move, or of any changes to your contact information.

RETURNING CATHOLICS:

Everyone is invited to rediscover the gift of our faith and the unique role that each of us has in this family of God. *Welcome home!*

RCIA:

If you are interested in becoming Catholic or learning more about the faith, please contact the parish office.

BAPTISMS:

Occur most Sunday afternoons. Please contact the parish office to set a date and to register for the required Baptism workshop.

PASTORAL CARE of the SICK:

Please notify us of parishioners who are hospitalized or homebound. **Holy Communion** and the **Sacraments of Penance** and **Anointing of the Sick** are arranged by the parish office. In a danger-of-death situation, call the parish emergency line, 571-455-0402.

MATRIMONY:

Congratulations on your engagement! Registered parishioners wishing to be married here, or elsewhere, are asked to contact one of the parish clergy at least six months in advance of their intended wedding date to begin the Pre-Cana preparation process.

HOLY ORDERS & CONSECRATED LIFE:

Seeking information about the priesthood, diaconate, or consecrated religious life? If so, please contact one of the parish clergy or the diocesan Office of Vocations, 703-841-2514.

FUNERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS:

You can find Parish Funeral Information on our website: www.setonlakeridge.org/liturgy/funerals/upcoming-funerals. Also on myParishApp, under the "In Memoriam" button.

BLESSINGS:

First Saturday of the month: After the 9:00am Mass, a priest will bless Sacramentals near the Baptismal Font.

Third Saturday of the month: After the 9:00am Mass, a priest will bless your vehicles. Please park near Seton Hall for this blessing.

Note: Previously blessed items are not to be blessed again.

BULLETIN SUBMISSIONS:

Must be received, by email, **Monday, two weeks** before the Sunday publication date. Send to:

bulletin@setonlakeridge.org.

Note: Due to space limitations, submissions may not be guaranteed a place

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FROM OUR DEACON



“Do not let your hearts be troubled.” These are the words spoken by Jesus to His disciples in today’s Gospel reading. Jesus tells each of them that there is a place prepared for them and that He will come back and take them to Himself. Jesus meant those words not only for His disciples, but for us as well. These words are indeed very beautiful and consoling but for many people experiencing trouble today, they may seem like just wishful thinking.

In the midst of pain and difficulty, it seems almost impossible to NOT let our hearts be troubled. That is because in our flawed human condition, we tend to focus on what we don’t have instead of what we do have. And even despite all of the many blessings we may enjoy, there are those among us with genuine pain or fear or anxiety. You, or someone close to you, may be experiencing financial difficulty, turmoil in an important relationship, or even a serious health crisis. So when we hear the words “Do not let your hearts be troubled” we find it difficult to comply. The most frustrating part is when we are left with the feeling that no possible good can come from whatever trouble or pain we are having. If we ever feel this way, a practical consideration is to “offer it up.” That means praying for God to take this suffering and uniting to His suffering. By doing this, you may be lessening the temporal punishment you may have incurred from sins already confessed. You can also offer your pain for a soul in Purgatory – an act of great mercy.

Many believe that by following Jesus, we will be protected from bad things happening. But Jesus did not say we wouldn’t have difficulties in life. In fact, Jesus told His disciples before his crucifixion that trouble was to come. He told them about His crucifixion and death and how they would betray Him. The more He spoke of the prophecies and what was to come, the more unsettled they became. Yet, He did not leave them (or us) without hope. In the face of trouble and what looked to be the end – it was instead the way to a new beginning for His kingdom and all of mankind. Jesus then went on to teach them how He was sending an advocate in the form of the Holy Spirit.

The disciples knew there would be dark days ahead, just like present Christians worldwide but Jesus’ encouragement to not let our hearts be troubled still applies today. He reminds us that peace comes from keeping our eyes on Him in the middle of pain and adversity. In all circumstances, He tells us we can keep from feeling troubled by keeping our eyes on Him and His word, which provides peace, hope, justice, love, and mercy. He also invites us to pray and pray often. Our problems will not go away. Fear will still be there and worry will still show up unannounced like an unwanted house guest. But so does God. And for that reason, we should let our hearts not be troubled.

WEEKLY REFLECTION

Everyone’s Common Norm

There is a common norm for all human beings, no matter to what period, culture, religion, or social class they belong. This norm is love. Love is the most profound characteristic of being human. In the act of creation, God breathed his own Spirit into us, and this Spirit is love personified.

Does this mean that it doesn't matter whether you are a Christian or not, whether you belong to the Church or not? No, on the contrary, it matters a great deal. To the one who, during his or her life, has met Jesus, discovered and realized that he is sent from God to show us the way to the Father, it is necessary to live in imitation of him, with faith and confidence in him. Even then, however, love is the bond that brings perfection (Col 3:14).

It is love that gives meaning to everything Jesus said. Baptism is a matter of letting oneself be grafted onto him who is love itself. To be a member of the Church as a matter of wanting to belong to the human community which, with Christ as its head, will establish the reign of love.

The only task Jesus had on earth was to reveal the Father’s love and, in his way, teach and help us all to love one another. The whole of Christ’s message can be summarized in these words: “This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you” (Jn 15:12)

The criterion on the last day will be love. Only the one who loves can take over the reign which has been repaired since the beginning of the world (Mt 25:34). It I love – and love alone – that gives meaning to everything. Without love, humankind is nothing.

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MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, May 8th

9:00 a.m. Susan Starcher

Tuesday, May 9th

9:00 a.m. † Herbert and Clydie Greene

Wednesday, May 10th

9:00 a.m. † Ed Warzywak

Thursday, May 11th

9:00 a.m. † John Onuschak

Friday, May 12th

9:00 a.m. † Emelina Camp

Saturday, May 13th

9:00 a.m. Eileen Soto

5:00 p.m. † Kevin Raymond

Sunday, May 14th

7:30 a.m. † Richard Malfa

9:00 a.m. † Robert Patterson

10:45 a.m. † Maurice Cheumani

12:30 p.m. For the people of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton

READINGS OF THE WEEK

Monday: Acts 14:5-18; Ps 115:1-2, 3-4, 15-16; Jn \ 14:21-26

Tuesday: Acts 14:19-28; Ps 145:10-11, 12-13ab, 21; Jn 14:27-31a

Wednesday: St. John of Avila (Optional Memorial)
Acts 15:1-6; Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5; Jn 15:1-8

Thursday: Acts 15:7-21; Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 10; Jn 15:9-11

Friday: Sts. Nereus and Achilleus (Opt. Memorial)
Acts 15:22-31; Ps 57:8-9, 10, 12; Jn 15:12-17

Saturday: Our Lady of Fatima
Acts 16:1-10; Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 5; Jn 15:18-21

Sunday: Sixth Sunday of Easter
Acts 8:5-8, 14-17; Ps 66:1-3, 4-5, 6-7, 16, 20;
1 Pt 3:15-18; Jn 14:15-21

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

The sick of our parish family: Larry Wreckerly, Janet Hatch, Edward Okereke, Rev. Philip S. Majka, Corry Speight, Ed Mihelic

The deceased of our parish family: Oscar Amaya, Donna Lascher, Joseph Kopcza, Jr.

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN 2021

Our Capital Campaign redemption period continues. Please be sure to write "CC21" in the memo line on your check and drop in Sunday Collection basket, give in to the Parish Office or mail c/o

Seton Lake Ridge.

If you would like more information about the

projects and how you can help financially, please see the display in the narthex, on our website or contact our Parish Business Manager, Mary Gildersleeve,

m.gildersleeve@setonlakeridge.org.

It's not too late to make a pledge, buy a brick or make an additional gift toward these projects!



*Dear God, we place our worries in your hands.
We place our sick under your care and humbly ask that you restore your servants to health again. Above all, grant us the grace to acknowledge your will and know that whatever you do, you do for the love of us.
Amen*

SUNDAY OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS

Due to the printing schedule, April 2023 collections will not be reported until May 14.

Thank you to all who support our parish operations and the many ministries and evangelization efforts we have going. We couldn't do any of this without your support – through prayer, participation and financial assistance. We couldn't have the lights on ... toilet paper in the restrooms ... or missals in the pews without your weekly support. THANK YOU!

If you haven't recently, please review your contributions to the operations of our parish and, if possible, increase your weekly offertory.



PARISH EVENTS



THE LIVING ROSARY

Hosted by our Knights of Columbus

TODAY, May 7 | 2:00pm | Parish Grounds

Join us as we pray the Rosary together as a community! Each person that participates in the Living Rosary will be assigned a bead and lead the prayer associated with their position.

CATHOLIC POLITICAL THOUGHT 101

TODAY, May 7 | 1:45pm | Trinity 1

Catholic Political Thought 101 is an informative video series that looks at individuals that have made a significant impact to our faith to include our responsibilities in the Political realm. Join us on Sunday, 7 May at 1:45 pm in Trinity 1 room to learn more about who Tertullian is.



AMERICAN HERITAGE GIRLS: SPRING BAKE SALE

May 13 and 14 | After All Masses

Our new American Heritage Girls' Troop is hosting a spring bake sale during Mother's Day weekend after all Masses. Please be sure to purchase a sweet treat for mom and support our very first fundraiser!

INTERFAITH PANEL: GOD'S REVELATION

May 21 | 3:00pm—4:30pm | Fellowship Hall

On Sunday, May 21, we will be joined by **Janet Price** of *The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints*, **Rabbi Lizz Goldstein** of Congregation Ner Shalom, **Imam Shamshad A. Nasir** of Masrour Mosque, and **Deacon Rob Warner** of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton to discuss the different religious perspectives and beliefs on how God is revealed to us here on Earth.

Join us to learn more!



SUMMER EMBER DAYS

BLESSINGS AND SACRAMENTALS

Wednesday, May 31 | 7:00pm | MC

On Wednesday, May 31, join Fr. Dort in the Main Church for his talk on Blessings and Sacramentals. This is a great opportunity to dive deeper in your faith and to learn more!

MASS, ADORATION, AND CONFESSION

Friday, June 2 | Chapel/Main Church

Brown Scapular Enrollment
6:30pm

First Friday Mass
7:00pm

Adoration, Confession, Praise and Worship Music
7:30pm



FARM SERVICE: CROP PLANTING

Saturday, June 3 | **LIMITED SPACE!**

Parishioners of all ages, join us for our Summer Ember Day of Service! This year we will be travelling to JK Community Farm in Purcellville, VA to help plant crops. This is a terrific activity for families or if you are looking for service hours!

Please scan the QR code to learn more or to register! You can also visit setonlakeridge.org/liturgical-living.

Schedule:

7:15am – Depart Seton Lake Ridge
8:45am – Arrive at Farm
9:00am – Begin Crop Planting
NOON – Sack Lunch
2:00pm – Return to Seton Lake Ridge



FAMILY FAITH FORMATION (K-8)

Sheri Suess, Director | s.suess@setonlakeridge.org | ext 130

FAMILY FAITH FORMATION CLOSING MASS

May 14 | 9:00am | Main Church

This is our last week of classes! Please join us for the Family Faith Formation Closing Mass next Sunday, May 14th at 9:00am.

**Sacred Vessels
and Vestments
of our Catholic
Faith**

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church
Family Faith Formation 2022-2023

FAMILY CHALLENGE

Play a matching game with our End-of-the-Year gift of Sacred Vessels and Vestments cards.

These will be distributed after all classes this week. If your child misses class, please call our office to get your family set.



THIS WEEK'S CLUE...

A vessel with a crescent-shaped clip for holding the Blessed Sacrament in an upright position when placed in the monstrance.

FIRST COMMUNION

Congratulations to all those who received their First Holy Communion on Saturday, May 6, 2023!

Noah Acree	Aiden Gonzales Batres	Alina Schutter
Julian Agosto	Audrey Graham	Evan Sgro
Orion Arvizu	Luke Graybeal	Chiara Sherk
Isabelle Beck	Lourdes Guerra	Kelsey Steiner
Matthew Bello	John Jarabak	Yves Sterlin
Marcus Bogusky	Chris Khoury	Sofia Steward
Izabel Brier	Eli King	Cora Sudberry
Sebastian Caravantes	Ava Lakhani	Aaron Thomas
Mia Cespedes	Ayden Landers	Renzo Villanueva
Marshall Collins	Andrea Lemeh	John Benjamin
Patrick Craine	Arian Lovo	Wakefield
Margaret Curiel	Adriana Menjivar	Nathaniel Yeo
Natalie Davis	Mattew Menjivar	
Callan Devlin	Camila Montano	
Gianna Dunois	Catherine Nolan	
Chidubem Emebo	Luke Paras	
Adonis Flores	Gregory Pittman	
Angelo Flores	Gabriella Mae Ramiro	
Madison Flowers	Jacob Rose	



CONFIRMATION PRACTICE

May 9 | 7:00pm – 8:00pm | MC

Please pray for all of those preparing for the Sacrament of Confirmation this Thursday, May 11th. Confirmation practice will be Tuesday, May 9th from 7:00-8:00pm in the Main Church. One parent or sponsor must attend along with the Confirmandi.

LITURGICAL LIVING

April

Holy Spirit/Easter

DEVOTION: BLESSED
VIRGIN MARY

VIRTUE: DILIGENCE

CELEBRATING THE
SAINTS

May 3

Sts. Philip and James



May 10

St. John of Avila



LITURGICAL LIVING



The Catholic All Year at Home Compendium is now on FORMED!

“Kendra Tierney is a widowed Southern California mother of ten children from toddler to college student. Her passion is liturgical living in the home. Through her blog [Catholic All Year](#), [social media](#), and books including [The Catholic All Year Compendium: Liturgical Living for Real Life](#) and [The Catholic All Year Prayer Companion](#), where she shares how obscure Catholic traditions have shaped a strong family culture and Catholic identity.” (formed.org)



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EVANGELIZATION & ADULT FORMATION

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SETON SENTINELS WINE TASTING WITH FOOD PAIRINGS

May 13 | 6:00pm – 8:00pm | Lower Seton Hall | **SPACE IS LIMITED!**



Join the Seton Sentinels for an evening of wine tasting! You must sign up using the QR code or via the link on our website if you would like to participate in sipping a flight of wines along with food pairing.

POWER AND PURPOSE ADULT CONFERENCE

June 9 – 11, 2023 | Steubenville

We have a group attending the Power and Purpose Conference on June 9-11 at Franciscan University of Steubenville, and would love for you to join us!

Discover and Deepen Your Life in the Spirit.

Come and experience the Holy Spirit’s power and healing. Allow him to reveal the purpose of your life: to live in true freedom and joy of the Spirit. Be uplifted by the witness and fellowship of disciples like you.

Featuring John Beaulieu, Fr. Dave Pivonkia, TOR, Dcn. Ralph Poyo, and music by Dcn. Bob Rice.

2023 Theme: Faith, Hope, and Love

“So faith, hope, and love remain, these three; but the greatest of these is love.” (1 Corinthians 13:13)

Want to register or learn more?

Register at steubenvilleconferences.com/adult/ppc and **MAKE SURE** to use our Ambassador Group Code **PPC23KFISVA** while registering to ensure you get counted as part of our Seton Parish Group.

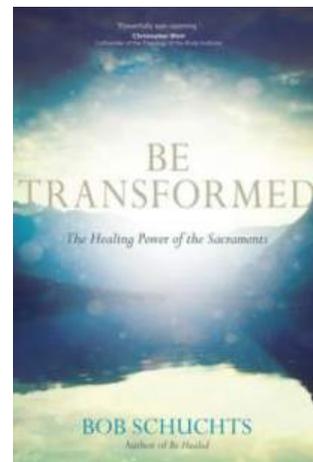


WOMENS SUMMER STUDY

Be Transformed The Healing Power of the Sacraments
by Dr. Bob Schuchts of the JP II Healing Center
Saturday Mornings Beginning May 13
Bayley’s Cellar | 9:30am – 11:00am

Whether it is the wound of past hurts, the strain in our relationships, or the stress of daily life, we all need to be comforted and made whole by Christ. We perpetuate and deepen those wounds each time we sin, but the sacraments are God’s remedy. Learn how each of the seven sacraments, paired with one of the seven deadly wounds that emanated from original sin in the Garden of Eden, can be a life-changing encounter with Christ, communicated through the power of the Holy Spirit.

To participate, please purchase your own copy of *Be Transformed* by Dr. Bob Schuchts.



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SETON LAKE RIDGE CHILDREN'S CHOIR

The music at our 10:45 Mass and May Crowning this weekend is provided by the Seton Lake Ridge Children's Choir.

We wish to thank all the children and parents who have participated this semester and we look forward to seeing you in the Fall! Special thanks to *Emily Atwood* for doing such a wonderful job teaching the children vocal technique and repertoire - your leadership is a blessing!

YOUTH MINISTRY

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STEUBENVILLE CONFERENCE 2023

July 14 -16 | Franciscan University in Steubenville, OH

Rising 9th - graduating seniors are invited to join us from July 14-16 for the Steubenville Conference, a powerful week-end of worship, adoration, inspiring talks, and fun with hundreds of other Catholic youth from around the region. We will be joining 12 other parishes from the Diocese of Arlington at Franciscan University in Steubenville, OH. This year's conference will feature speakers such as Katie Prejean McGrady and Fr. Jonathan McElhone, TOR. Don't miss this chance to deepen your faith and make new friends! Visit setonlakeridge.org/youthministry for more!

DAMASCUS 2023 SUMMER CAMP

July 30 – August 4 | Centerburg, OH

From July 30 to August 4, we will be sponsoring a trip for rising 6th-8th grade teens to Damascus Summer Camp, an unforgettable week-long adventure in the great outdoors. At Damascus, you'll have the chance to participate in all sorts of activities, from zip-lining and canoeing to Mass and personal reflection time. You'll also hear from dynamic speakers and grow in faith alongside other young Catholics from all over the country.

Visit setonlakeridge.org/youthministry for more!



HUMAN CONCERNS

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GIVE A GIFT FOR LIFE: A MOTHER'S/FATHER'S DAY FUNDRAISER

Beginning NEXT WEEKEND, April 29 – June 18



Give a gift for life is a beautiful way to remember and honor a special mother or father! Sponsored by the Seton Lake Ridge Respect Life Committee, all donations will directly benefit the following Pro-Life Diocesan Programs:

- Gabriel Project
- Catholic Charities Adoption Program
- Project Rachel

To learn more about our parish's Respect Life Committee and how you can get involved, please visit setonlakeridge.org/respectlife

PRAYER AT THE ALEXANDRIA ABORTION CLINIC

Saturdays | 8:00am – 12:00pm | Alexandria Women's Health Clinic

The Respect Life Committee invites all parishioners to join us to pray at the Alexandria Abortion Clinic. Our presence makes a huge difference in changing the minds of those who are thinking of having an abortion.

Location: 2616 Sherwood Hall Lane, Alexandria, VA.

Transportation: Carpool Available

Please email any questions to respectlife@setonlakeridge.org

DIOCESAN AND COMMUNITY EVENTS

YOUNG ADULT RETREAT

May 12-14 | San Damiano Spiritual Life Center | Cost: \$285
Financial assistance may be available

Young adults from 20-35 are invited to join Fr. Christopher Christensen, pastor of St. Rita Catholic Church in Alexandria, for a spring retreat Friday-Sunday at San Damiano Spiritual Life Center. Learn to place your burdens at the foot of the Cross, spending time with St. Francis of Assisi, St. Clare, and Our Lady of Fatima and meditating on Poverty, Humility, and Charity. For more information contact: mark.maines@arlingtondiocese.org or call 540.868.9220.



SUNDAYS WITH THE SISTERS REJOICE TOUR 2023

For single women ages 18-50 | RSVP by the Monday before each event to vocations@arlingtondiocese.org.

Witness the joy of our religious sisters during the Sundays with the Sisters Rejoice Tour 2023! The tour will showcase the religious women of our diocese who, like Mary, rejoice in the Lord by their daily surrender. It will also feature an event at a different convent each month, bringing together sisters and lay women for prayer and community.

Upcoming Dates:

Dominican Contemplatives, St. Dominic's Monastery | May 21 | Linden
Benedictine Sisters of Virginia | June 11 | Bristow

DIOCESAN FAMILY FESTIVAL

June 10 | 4:00pm – 8:30pm | Warren County Fairgrounds

Celebrate family at our Diocesan Family Festival: Rejoicing in One God, One Family with the Most Reverend Michael F. Burbidge, Bishop of Arlington! **The festival will feature:** 4PM Vigil Mass with Bishop Burbidge; onsite food (or bring your own picnic!); games, rides, and inflatables; local Catholic vendors; **Scythian** (Celtic rock band), and more!

Register Here: arlingtondiocese.org/familyfestival/



CALLED BY CHRIST: A WEEKEND DISCERNMENT RETREAT FOR WOMEN

June 16-18 | DEADLINE to Register: June 5 | **SPACE IS LIMITED**

Could Christ be calling you to the religious life? Take a step to find out. The annual diocesan discernment retreat for single women who feel called to a religious vocation is Friday-Sunday, June 16-18. The Daughters of Holy Mary of the Heart of Jesus will lead the retreat this year. It will also include tools to aid your prayer and discernment, as well as opportunities for prayer, confession, spiritual direction, and Q&A with the sisters.

Cost is \$100 (*financial assistance is available*).

For more information or to register, contact Fr. Michael Isenberg at vocations@arlingtondiocese.org.



2 MINUTES 2 VIRTUE

Need inspiration?

Tune in to your favorite Arlington priests' weekly wisdom and soul-stirring challenge!

Text: "2m2v" to 84576 to get the weekly reflection on your phone, or visit arlingtondiocese.org/2minutes2virtue to get it via email!

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

Daily Rosary: Mon-Sat | 8:25am – 8:55am | Main Church
Daily Mass: Mon-Sat | 9:00am – 9:30am | Main Church

Sat. Vigil Mass: 5:00pm | Main Church
Sun. Masses: 7:30am, 9am, 10:45am, 12:30pm | Main Church

Monday, May 8TH

10:00am – 12:00pm	Seton Crafters	Trinity 2,3
7:00pm – 8:00pm	Al-Anon	St. Paul Room

Tuesday, May 9TH

9:30am – 8:30pm	All Day Adoration	Chapel
9:30am – 10:30am	Blue Army Devotion	Chapel
5:00pm – 6:30pm	K-8th Grade Family Faith Formation	Main Church
7:00pm – 8:00pm	Practice for Confirmation	Main Church/Chapel

Wednesday, May 10TH - St. John of Avila (Optional Memorial)

9:30am – 11:00am	Divine Mercy Cenacle	Trinity 1
9:45am – 11:30am	Wednesday Bible Study	St. Paul Room
10:00am – 11:00am	Construction Meeting	Office Conference
6:30pm – 8:30pm	Mother of Joy Intercessory Prayer	Sts. Peter and Paul Rooms
6:30pm – 8:30pm	Alpha Adult and Alpha Youth	Upper Seton Hall/Youth Center

Thursday, May 11TH -

9:30am – 8:30pm	All Day Adoration	Chapel
9:30am – 10:30am	Divine Mercy Cenacle Holy Hour	Chapel
12:30pm – 2:30pm	Mother Seton Food Pantry	Fellowship Hall
6:00pm – 7:00pm	Sponsor Meeting for Confirmation	Trinity 2,3
6:30pm – 8:00pm	Trail Life USA and American Heritage Girls	Seton Hall
7:00pm – 9:30pm	Confirmation Mass	Main Church
7:00pm – 8:30pm	Thursday Bible Study	Bayley's Cellar
9:30pm – 10:30pm	Confirmation Reception	Fellowship Hall

Friday, May 12TH - Sts. Nereus and Achilleus (Opt. Memorial)

9:45am – 11:30am	Friday Morning Faith Sharing	Bayley's Cellar
10:00am – 11:30pm	Legion of Mary	Trinity 2,3
3:00pm	Divine Mercy Chaplet	Main Church

Saturday, May 13TH - Our Lady of Fatima

8:25am	Daily Rosary	Main Church
9:00am – 11:00am	American Heritage Girls Baking for Bake Sale	Kitchen
9:30am – 11:00am	Women's Summer Study	Bayley's Cellar
1:00pm – 2:30pm	Catechist Appreciation	Trinity/Kitchen
6:00pm – 6:30pm	American Heritage Girls Bake Sale	Fellowship/Kitchen
6:00pm – 8:00pm	Seton Sentinels Wine Tasting Night	Lower Seton Hall

Sunday, May 14TH - Sixth Sunday of Easter

8:15am – 2:00pm	American Heritage Girls Bake Sale	Fellowship/Kitchen
9:00am – 10:00am	Family Faith Formation Closing Mass	Main Church
9:30am – 10:30am	Children's Choir Practice	Little Flower Room
4:15pm – 5:15pm	Adult Formation	Fellowship Hall



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