



ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

LAKE RIDGE, VA

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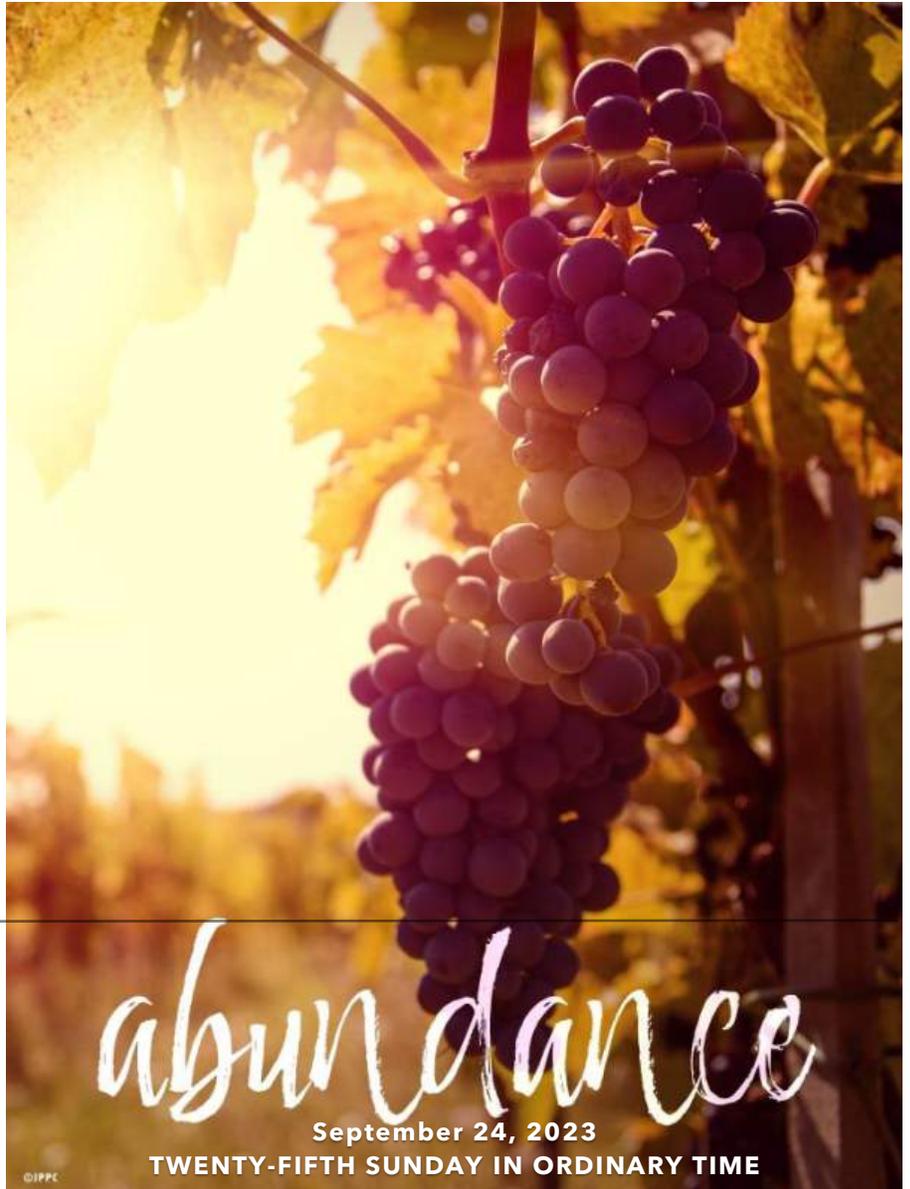
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MASS SCHEDULE:

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 12:00pm - 2:00pm

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:

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/upcomingfunerals.

BLESSINGS:

Sacramental Blessings: Every first Saturday of the month after the 9:00am Mass, a priest will bless Sacramentals near the Baptismal Font.

Car Blessings: Every Ember Day Saturday after the 9:00am Mass, a priest will bless your vehicles. Please park near Seton Hall for this blessing. *(See Ember Days below)*

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 are not guaranteed a place.*

EMBER DAYS:

Here at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church, we celebrate Ember Days as part of Living Liturgically in our parish. Ember Days are celebrated four times a year, following the seasons: Winter, Spring, Summer, Fall. Each season consists of three days of celebration: Reflection, Mass/ Adoration/Confession, and Stewardship. More information will always be provided on pg.5 of the bulletin as we near our Ember Days each season.

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FROM OUR DEACON



In today's Gospel, Jesus tells the parable of the laborers in the vineyard. In the story, the laborers who worked all day are clearly angry that the workers who just showed up near the end of the day got the same amount as them. Their reasoning sounds fair. After all, the person who works for one hour should not get the same as someone who worked all day. I would be thinking the same thing. When Jesus is confronted by the workers who feel cheated, He asks:

Did you not agree with me for the usual daily wage?

Take what is yours and go.

What if I wish to give this last one the same as you?

Or am I not free to do as I wish with my own money?

This situation seemed a very familiar to me when I read it. When I was 17 years old, I had a part-time job working in a gas station. My boss, the owner of the gas station, was a rather rough character, but also very smart and very direct. One Friday night, he had to leave for a few hours but said he would be back at midnight, by which time I was to make sure the station was cleaned and organized so that when we closed up, the station would be ready for the next crew to open up in the morning. My co-worker that night was another kid about my age who I'll call Junior. That night was pretty busy, but Junior wasn't much help. He was new to the job and needed more training than I could provide at the time. There were lots of customers which didn't leave much time to get the place squared away before we closed.

Predictably, when the boss showed up at midnight and the station wasn't ready for closing, he began to yell at me because the work wasn't done. I proceeded to sputter on about how I had been doing most of the work and should be paid more as a result because I had to do Junior's job in addition to my own. It wasn't fair for Junior to get anything, I complained. As I continued with this line of reasoning, my boss cut me off quickly - "I didn't tell Junior to make sure it got done. I told you to make sure it got done. I expect more from you." I tried to tell him about what Junior should have been doing and why I should be paid more that night and he said sharply "don't worry about what I pay Junior. That's none of your business. He'll do what he needs to do. You just worry about what you need to do."

Although this story may sound totally unrelated and my boss was certainly not very Christ-like in this circumstance, I couldn't help but think of my boss when I read the reaction of the landowner in this parable. I thought it was a good reminder that Jesus, like my boss at the gas station, wants us to remain focused on what He expects from each of us, not of what He expects of others because when each of us stands before the judgement seat of Christ, Jesus will not ask us to account for anyone else but ourselves. At that moment, I'm certain we will be more interested in receiving His mercy than what we truly deserve.

WEEKLY REFLECTION

Honored by the Father

"Whoever serves me, the Father will honor," Jesus says (Jn 12:26). You may consider it normal that you are to honor the Father; but that the Father will honor you...how is that possible?

We often hear that pride is our greatest sin. And it is true that when we, in our conceit, think we can accomplish anything without God, we end up in many other sins. But in a way we could also say that our greatest failure is our lack of self-respect. Most of us suffer more from self-hate than from pride (both of which are two sides of the same coin: not relying on God.)

Each human being is of infinite value, and God wants us to realize that. To be created and recreated by God every moment is incredible. We are of such importance that each second we are an object of God's interest. That God becomes human and wants to die for us on a cross makes it even more obvious how important we are in God's eyes. And the fact that God counts us as coworkers in the work of salvation gives us an incredible dignity.

We should always perceive this value as we stand before God even with empty hands, for God can do something great with the little and insignificant you have.

To be honored by human beings can easily lead to self-aggrandizement. But that the honor the Father gives fills us with the truth and humility.

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MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, September 24th

5:00 p.m. † Charlene Pastura
Vigil

7:30 a.m. † Jennifer Waters

9:00 a.m. † Dee Kraynak

10:45 a.m. For the People of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton

12:30 p.m. † Diomedes Ducuara Veru

Monday, September 25th

9:00 a.m. † Justiniani Eseller

Tuesday, September 26th

9:00 a.m. † Andrew Bogusky Sr.

Wednesday, September 27th

9:00 a.m. Intentions of Ann Muench

Thursday, September 28th

9:00 a.m. Intentions of The Silver Foxes

Friday, September 29th

9:00 a.m. † Edward J. Roman

Saturday, September 30th

9:00 a.m. † Bea and Dick Lee

5:00 p.m. † Sofia Gonzales

Vigil

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN 2021

The Capital Campaign 2021 redemption period continues with almost \$500,000 remaining to reach the goal of \$4,000,000! Thanks to your generosity, great progress is being made in improvements to our Church. You may continue to make contributions to Capital Campaign via checks made out to Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church; please write "CC21" in the memo line and then drop it in the Sunday Collection basket, by the Parish Office or send it through the mail to 12807 Valleywood Dr. Woodbridge, VA 22192. You can also contribute via Faith Direct. For further information or how to extend your current pledge, please see the display in the Narthex, on the website or contact our Business Manager, Robert Yates, at r.yates@setonlakeridge.org via e-mail or 703-494-4008 ext. 136 via phone. Thank you and God bless you!

\$4 million

\$3 million

\$2 million

\$1 million

\$3,444,311
12/31/2022

READINGS OF THE WEEK

Sunday: **Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time**
Is 55:6-9; Ps 145:2-3, 8-9, 17-18; Phil 1:20c-24, 27a; Mt 20:1-16a

Monday: Ezr 1:1-6; Ps 126:1b-6; Lk 8:16-18

Tuesday: **Sts. Cosmas and Damian (Opt. Memorial)**
Ezr 6:7-8, 12b, 14-20; Ps 122:1-5; Lk 8:19-21

Wednesday: **St. Vincent de Paul (Memorial)**
Ezr 9:5-9; Tb:13:2, 3-4abefghn, 7-8; Lk 9:1-6

Thursday: **St. Wenceslaus (Opt. Memorial)**
Hg 1:1-8; Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b; Lk 9:7-9

Friday: **Sts. Michael, Raphael, and Gabriel (Feast)**
Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 or Rv 12:7-12a; Ps 138:1-5; Jn 1:47-51

Saturday: **St. Jerome (Memorial)**
Zec 2:5-9, 14-15a; Jer 31:10-12ab, 13; Lk 9:43b-45

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

The sick of our parish family: Eileen Soto, Beverly Picard, Jeanette Palmer, Frank Brutski

The deceased of our parish family: Flora Araquel, Antoni D. Rivera, Prosti Araquel O'Leary

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

COLLECTIONS FOR AUGUST 2023

Collection (<i>Average Weekly</i>)	\$ 27,448.00
Capital Improvements	\$ 4,742.00
Poor Box	\$ 1,731.08
Votives	\$ 1,971.08
Special Collections	
Missionhurst	\$ 6,128.00

Thank you to all those who support our parish!



SETON LAKE RIDGE FALL FESTIVAL

October 15 | 1:30pm – 7:00pm | Parish Grounds

On October 15, we will be having our annual parish Fall Festival and all are invited to join us! From different Food Truck Vendors and our Chili Cook-Off to various pumpkin themed activities (including pumpkin smash!) and more we will have activities for all to enjoy, so bring your family and friends!

Register for Fall Festival or Sign-Up for the Chili Cook-Off using the QR code above. You can also visit setonlakeridge.org/fallfestival

FUN FEST CARDS SALES

Sept. 30/Oct. 1, Oct. 7/8, | After Masses

Fun Fest Cards will be available for purchase after Masses on September 30, October 1, October 7/8, and on the day of Fall Festival. You will be able to use these cards for any games, activities, and select food/drink items!

Buy an Angel Card

Purchase a Fun Fest Card to be donated anonymously to someone who may have financial constraints!

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: YOUTH SOCCER CHALLENGE

Saturday, September 30 | 10:00am – 5:00pm Woodbridge Middle School

Attention Girls and Boys, ages 9-14! The Knights of Columbus sponsored Youth Soccer Challenge, will be held September 30, 2023, from 10 am to 5 pm, at the Woodbridge Middle School. Sign-ups will be after all Masses on September 16/17 and 23/24. Contact Joe Pevarnik at 703-608-2050 or email at joepevarnik@gmail.com



SILVER FOXES SWEET SHOPPE

Calling all Seton Lake Ridge Parishioners!



This year the Silver Foxes will be selling baked goods at the Fall Festival. Bakers, please make your favorite desserts for the Silver Foxes to sell alongside their own items!

All proceeds will go towards the Church.

BLESSING OF ANIMALS

Wednesday, October 4 | 7:00pm | Seton Hall

"This time of year, people in various places may notice something odd. A procession of animals, everything from dogs and cats to hamsters and even horses, is led to churches for a special ceremony called the Blessing of Pets. This custom is conducted in remembrance of Saint Francis of Assisi's love for all creatures." (franciscanmedia.org)



Bring your pets and join us on Wednesday, October 4th for the Blessing of Animals.



ROSARY HOLY HOUR

Saturday, October 7 | 9:30am – 10:30am | Main Church

During the week of October 7, the Feast of the Holy Rosary, to October 13, the Feast of Our Lady of Fatima, parishes are invited to participate in the Diocesan Rosary Congress! Each participating parish will host a service of Eucharistic Adoration, including the praying of the rosary and concluding with Benediction. On October 7, our parish will be having the Rosary Holy Hour in the Main Church led by the Legion of Mary. All are welcome to join!

FAMILY FAITH FORMATION (K-12)

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FAMILY FAITH FORMATION

Today, Group A students and parents will be attending their second Small Group Session at 845 am and at 1030 am. The Kindergarten Room has been changed from St. Mary's to Little Flower Room, and the Nursery is available to accommodate babies/toddlers.

All families with **Grades 1-8 students** using the *My Catholic Faith Delivered* (MCFD) online platform should **make sure we have your correct email address**. If you have not received any emails from MCFD, please contact Mylene Garcia. Thus far, two emails were already issued by MCFD:

1. A welcome message with a temporary password asking the parent to create a permanent password for use by the family. Note: Each Grade 1-8 student in the family is to use **their own User Name- assigned by MCFD**.
2. A message about each student, noting their assigned Session, Classroom and Facilitator.

Parents who did not receive a *Parent/Student Handbook* and its attached MCFD –

On-Line Faith & Life Series: Guide for Parents, should ask their Facilitator for a copy. If you still need technical support logging into your MCFD account, please send Jessica an email addressed to: **support@catholicfaithtech.com**

Information on preparing for First Penance, First Communion and Confirmation will be handed out at the 2nd and 8th grade sessions during the next few weeks. Also, please visit the Family Faith Formation /Sacrament Preparation pages on our website. All students preparing for the sacraments must provide a copy of their baptismal certificate as soon as possible to the parish office, ATTN: Dori Cook.

May we all learn to “seek the LORD while he may be found, call him while he is near.”

OUR PARISH SCHOOL

DID YOU KNOW...

As a regional school, Aquinas is under the supervision of the Bishop of the Diocese of Arlington with the Superintendent of Catholic Schools serving as his delegate. The pastors from our three supporting parishes, Our Lady of Angels Parish, St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish, and Sacred Heart Parish, serve on the Aquinas Advisory Council. Additionally, each pastor appoints two lay parishioners to serve and represent the parish. The Aquinas Advisory council serves to strengthen the school and its relationship with our three parishes. We are grateful for this investment of time and talent in support of the children of the parish!

LITURGICAL LIVING

September

**DEVOTION:
7 SORROWS OF MARY**

VIRTUE: CHARITY

**CELEBRATING THE
SAINTS**

September 26
Sts. Cosmas and Damian



September 28
St. Wenceslaus



LITURGICAL LIVING



Mass for World Day of Migrants and Refugees

From September 18 to 24 we celebrated National Migration Week, and on Sunday, September 24, St. Agnes Catholic Church will be having a Mass for World Day of Migrants and Refugees.

Details Below:

September 24, 2023 | St. Agnes Catholic Church | 11 a.m.

Join us for Mass at St. Anges Catholic Church to celebrate World Day of Migrants and Refugees with Bishop Burbidge.

He will provide a special message to all who attend on the importance of recognizing the plight of migrants and refugees, especially those we welcome in our Diocese



Photo courtesy of Diocese of Arlington Catholic Charities

EVANGELIZATION & ADULT FORMATION

WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY

Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible

Wednesdays | 9:45am – 11:30am | St. Peter Room



Have you never read the Bible growing up? Do you have great intentions, but get bored or confused when you try to read the Bible on your own? Or--Do you just need a refresher?

Come join us on Wednesday mornings as we study the Bible and learn the story of salvation history using the Bible timeline approach and videos by Jeff Cavins. You'll be amazed at what some of the things in the Bible really mean.

For more information, email: kat.sullivan56@gmail.com

ST. IGNATIUS OF LOYOLA MEN'S SILENT RETREAT

Fri. – Sun., September 29 – October 1 | Cost: \$285

Join Fr. Dave Dufresne at the Arlington Diocese's San Damiano Retreat Center in White Post, VA, as we consider the Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius of Loyola. We will study St. Ignatius' battle plan on how to win "the identity war," focusing on the importance of knowing Jesus Christ, recognizing who we are in Him, and helping others to discover their true identity. Dates are Friday-Sunday, September 29-October 1.



Retreat cost is \$285 and financial assistance may be available. For more information, please email Deacon Mark Maines

7 SISTERS APOSTOLATE DAY OF RECOLLECTION

Saturday, October 14 | St. Timothy Catholic Church

We are looking forward to gathering for the Seven Sister Apostolate Day of Recollection on Saturday, Oct. 14 at Saint Timothy Catholic Church in Chantilly. The day will begin with the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass in the church. Father John Riley, spiritual director of the San Damiano Retreat Center, will be giving the reflections.

All current and potential Seven Sisters are invited.

The retreat cost is \$15.00 BYO lunch and \$25.00 with a boxed lunch provided from Jason's Deli. If interested in the Day of Recollection or in becoming a "Seven Sister" contact: Stephanie Orloski : sevensisters@setonlakeridge.org

SEVEN SISTERS APOSTOLATE

EARLY VOTING IS NOW OPEN!

September 22 – November 4 | DMV Woodbridge



As Catholic citizens, we should remember three things:

1. Respect for the dignity of each person is the core of Catholic social and moral teaching. This is our most basic principle.
2. We focus on the common good, not our own personal interests. We ask, how can we make the world a better place? Not, how can I improve my own personal situation?
3. We have a responsibility – a true obligation – to form our consciences and participate in the civic life of this nation.

FaithfulCitizenship.org

OCTOBER ROSARY DRIVE

October 1-31



October is the Month of the Most Holy Rosary. Please help us stock foreign missions with much needed rosaries. Bring your new or very gently used rosary donations to church and place them in the marked bin in the Narthex.

We will send them to *Our Lady's Rosary Makers* for shipment to Catholic missions around the world!

40 DAYS FOR LIFE

September 27 – November 5

40 Days for Life is an internationally coordinated **40-day campaign that aims to end abortion** locally through prayer and fasting, community outreach, and a peaceful all-day vigil in front of abortion businesses. Those who are called to stand witness during this presence send a powerful message to the community about the tragic reality of abortion. It also serves as a call to repentance for those who work at the abortion center and those who patronize the facility.

Please come join us at the fall campaign. Visit: 40daysforlife.com and select: Alexandria Women's Health Clinic, 2616 Sherwood Hall Lane, as your site and choose the day(s) and time you wish to spend an hour.



October is one of Seton Lake Ridge's months to provide food for the ACTS Hunger Prevention Center in Dumfries. Please, when shopping, consider picking up an extra item or two for struggling families in our community. You may place your donations in the marked collection bin, located in the Fellowship Hall. A list of urgently needed items will be posted on the lid of the bin. *Thank you for your continued generosity!*



SETON LAKE RIDGE 5TH ANNUAL CANDLELIGHT ROSARY FOR INTERNATIONAL PREGNANCY AND INFANT LOSS AWARENESS DAY

Sunday, October 15 | 6:45pm | Chapel

Sponsored by our parish's Respect Life Committee, this event is being held in conjunction with the annual **GLOBAL WAVE OF LIGHT**, held on October 15th each year. It is a beautiful opportunity to join with bereaved parents, families, and friends around the globe to commemorate all babies who sadly died too soon. We will meet in the Chapel at 6:45pm and begin the Rosary promptly at 7:00pm.

All Seton Lake Ridge parishioners are invited to participate as we remember infants lost to miscarriage, stillbirth, illness or injury, SIDS, or abortion.

Haven't prayed a rosary in a while? We will have printed instructions on how to pray the rosary and extra rosaries in case you need them.

Questions? Contact Betty Maher Director of Human Concerns at b.maher@setonlakeridge.org or 703.494.4008 ext. 105.



BABY BASSINET COLLECTION FOR BIRTHRIGHT

October 1-31



October is Respect Life Month! Seton Lake Ridge is collecting *new* baby clothing (**size newborn -3 months only, please**) for women experiencing an unexpected or challenging pregnancy. Birthright, an all-volunteer staffed Pregnancy Center in Woodbridge, gifts their clients with the baby clothes at their monthly baby showers. Kindly place your donations in the Respect Life Baby Bassinet located in the church narthex. Questions? Email Stephanie Hanley, Respect Life Committee Chair at respectlife@setonlakeridge.org.

DIOCESAN/COMMUNITY EVENTS AND NEWS

MASS FOR MARRIAGE JUBILIARIANS 2023

Sunday, October 15; October 2 Deadline! | 3:00pm | St. Agnes Catholic Church

Married in 1998 or 1973? Join us for the annual Mass for couples celebrating silver (25 year) or golden (50 year) anniversaries! The Most Reverend Michael F. Burbidge, Bishop of Arlington, will be the principal celebrant and homilist at the Mass.

Please register with your parish secretary by October 2!



CDA 2023 RACE FOR SEMINARIANS

500 miles for over 35 days

The Diocese of Arlington invests a great deal in its seminarians to ensure they become well-formed priests. Their formation, including human, spiritual, intellectual and pastoral, requires a commitment of time, effort and money. Your donations to the Race for Seminarians contribute toward the costs of seminarian education as well as seminarian expenses not normally covered by the Diocese.

Every step is a prayer!

Pete and Maryanne Christensen, Maureen and Sara Blake, and Estelle Schuman are walking the *Camino de Santiago – The French Way*. They are seeking sponsors for each day of their pilgrimage and their prayers will be for your intentions on that day! The Diocese of Arlington has over 40 men in the seminary studying to become our future priests. Please consider supporting our team! Scan the QR code to donate and choose TEAM SANTIAGO. After donating, please email your intentions to mtchristensen81@gmail.com.



Have You Heard?

**GOD IS DOING SOMETHING
NEW—AND HE IS CALLING
YOU TO BE A PART OF IT!**

We are in the midst of a National Eucharistic Revival. Why? Because the Church needs healing, and the world needs Jesus. The Holy Spirit is inviting us to return to the source and summit of our faith—the Eucharist.

Scan the code to learn more about the exciting journey ahead, and sign up for weekly updates on what's happening in this unprecedented national movement!

eucharisticrevival.org



VIRTUS TRAINING

Saturday, October 7 | 9:00am

If you know someone who needs to attend the VIRTUS Training Session, we are having one at our parish St. Elizabeth Ann Seton on Saturday, October 7th in Seton from 9:00am – 1:00pm.

To register, please visit virturonline.org. More information will be available in the next bulletin. You can also call our parish office at 703-494-4008 to inquire.

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

Daily Rosary: Mon-Sat | 8:25am – 8:55am | Main Church

Sat. Vigil Mass: 5:00pm | Main Church

Daily Mass: Mon-Sat | 9:00am – 9:30am | Main Church

Sun. Masses: 7:30am, 9am, 10:45am, 12:30pm | Main Church

Sunday, September 24TH - Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00am – 9:00am	Praise and Worship Choir	Music Room
8:45am – 10:15am	Family Faith Formation Group A (Week 2)	
8:45am – 10:15am	Adult Formation	Fellowship Hall
9:00am – 11:30am	RCIA	Upper Seton Hall
10:30am – 12:00pm	Family Faith Formation Group A (Week 2)	
6:00pm – 8:00pm	Communio Logistics Meegin	Fellowship Hall

Monday, September 25TH

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

Tuesday, September 26TH - Sts. Cosmas and Damian (Optional Memorial)

9:30am – 8:30pm	All Day Adoration	Chapel
9:30am – 10:30am	Blue Army Devotion	Chapel
9:30am – 11:00am	Family Faith Formation Meeting	Office Conference
4:00pm - 5:00pm	Children's Eucharistic Holy Hour	Chapel

Wednesday, September 27TH - St. Vincent de Paul (Memorial)

9:30am – 11:00am	Divine Mercy Cenacle	Trinity 1
9:45m – 11:30am	Wednesday Bible Study	St. Peter Room
1:30pm – 3:30pm	Lumen Christi Drama Club	Upper Seton Hall
6:00pm – 8:30pm	Alpha Marriage Course	Fellowship Hall
7:30pm – 8:30pm	Mother of Joy Intercessory Prayer	Sts. Peter and Paul
7:30pm – 9:00pm	Finance Meeting	Office Conference

Thursday, September 28TH - St. Wenceslaus (Opt. Memorial)

9:30am – 8:30pm	All Day Adoration	Chapel
9:30am – 10:30am	Divine Mercy Cenacle Holy Hour	Chapel
12:00pm – 2:00pm	Mother Seton Food Pantry	Fellowship Hall
5:00pm – 6:00pm	Children's Choir Rehearsals	Music Room
6:00pm – 7:30pm	AHG Meeting	Lower Seton Hall
6:30pm – 8:00pm	Trail Life USA Meeting	Upper Seton Hall
7:00pm – 9:00pm	Traditional Choir Rehearsal	Music Room
7:00pm – 8:30pm	Thursday Bible Study	Bayley's Cellar

Friday, September 29TH - Sts. Michael, Raphael, and Gabriel (Feast)

9:45am – 11:30am	Friday Morning Faith Sharing	Sts. Peter and Paul Rooms
10:00am – 11:30pm	Legion of Mary	Trinity 2,3
3:00pm	Divine Mercy Chaplet	Chapel

Saturday, September 30TH - St. Jerome (Memorial)

7:00am – 9:00am	That Man is You! (TMIY!)	Fellowship Hall
8:25am	Daily Rosary	Main Church
9:30am – 11:00am	Women's Book Study	Bayley's Cellar

PILGRIMAGE TO EMMITSBURG

Saturday, October 7 | 7:00am – 3:30pm



Join our parish and others from the Diocese of Arlington on a Pilgrimage to Emmitsburg to visit the National Shrine of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton and the National Shrine Grotto of Our Lady of Lourdes. There is no cost to sign-up, but our parish will be taking 2 buses and seats are **LIMITED!** If you are taking the bus, we ask that you please arrive at the parish no later than 7:00am. Additionally, all are also welcome to drive to Emmitsburg and meet us there! Whether you plan on driving yourself or reserving a spot on the bus, we ask that you please visit our website setonlakeridge.org to sign-up!

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