

# Church of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton

November 15, 2009



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**Faith Formation Director:** Mary Mack

**Lord's Day Masses:**

Saturday 6:00 pm

Sunday 8:30 am & 10:30 am

**Weekday & Holy Day Masses**

Please consult the bulletin

**Bulletin deadline:** Tuesday 9:00am

## ENCOURAGEMENT

This Sunday's Gospel is our final selection from Mark for this liturgical year. It is taken from the end of Jesus' teaching in Jerusalem immediately preceding the account of his arrest and passion. In it Jesus gives his disciples hope to sustain them through his passion and death and any persecution or suffering that they would encounter after his resurrection.

The words from the book of Daniel also provided hope and encouragement to the people of Daniel's time. The encouragement in these scriptures is meant for us as well, for none of us will escape tribulation in our lives. Followers of Jesus will be able to endure suffering with joyful hope, knowing that Christ's love will lead us along the way of discipleship and give us eternal life with God.

**Parish Registration:** We welcome new members into St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish, a community of faith, hope, and love. We will strive to foster your spiritual growth and hope you will share with the gifts God has given you. Please pick up a registration form in the back of church, or by stopping by the Parish Office and completing the registration form. If you move away, please notify the parish office.

**Eucharistic Adoration:** Monday, 8:00am—11pm.  
 Questions call Dave Watercott 763-444-4651 or Deb Lorsung 763-444-9889.

**Reconciliation:** Saturday, 5:00 pm—5:30 pm

**Rosary:** Tuesday—Friday, 8:05 am

**Communion for the home bound:** If you or someone you love is unable to come to Mass (surgery, homebound, etc) the Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion will be happy to bring Communion to your home. To arrange please call Carol Kahle 763-444-4742.

**Marriage:** Arrangements must be made 6 months in advance. Must be a registered parishioner for at least 6 months prior to beginning marriage preparation.

**Baptism:** Parish membership, and baptism classes are a prerequisite for having your child baptized at St. Elizabeth. Next classes are Feb. 3, 10, 17, 2010. For more information or to register call (763-444-4035)

**Prayer Request Line:** This prayer line is made up of volunteers who, when called, will pray for your requests daily. Please call Alma Vik 763-434-3060. (All requests are confidential.)

**School of Religion:** St Elizabeth Faith Formation provides Christian formation to children first grade through 10th grade, and adults interested in learning more about our Christian faith. Call the office.

**Music Ministry:** Call Gail Genin 763-444-6376

**Youth Group Leaders:** Grades 6-12, Deb Lorsung 763-444-9889.

**Liturgy of the Word for Children:** During 10:30am Mass on Sundays as listed in the bulletin (ages 3-7) September through May, as published in the bulletin.



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<b>Liturgical Ministers for November 21 – 22, 2009</b>		
<u>6:00pm</u>	<u>8:30am</u>	<u>10:30am</u>
<b><u>Mass Servers</u></b>		
T. Sima	J. Petersn S. Swanson	Zabinski
<b><u>Lectors</u></b>		
C. Lindahl	R. Dassinger J. Hall	A. Zabinski M. Reinert
<b><u>E.M.C.</u></b>		
C. Peterson	D. Kowalik	S. Zabinski
<b><u>Greeters</u></b>		
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**Mass Intentions for the week**

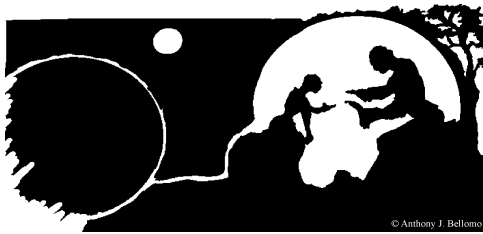
**MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK**

16 Mon	8:00am	Adoration
17 Tue	8:30am	+Allen Birr
18 Wed	8:30am	+Monica Collins
19 Thu	8:30am	+Joeanne Mau
20 Fri	8:30am	Mr & Mrs Leonard Mepiza & family
21 Sat	6:00pm	+Joseph & +Marge Kerkes
22 Sun	8:30am	For the Parish
22 Sun	10:30am	+Marlene Scartozzi

Pray for ... the sick of our parish, those listed in the book of prayer request. Barb McCarty, Deb Hermanson, Carrie Curtis & family, Bob Morley, Mary Mack, Craig & Annie Mertz, Maurice Klingsporn, Heidi Boysen, Carrie & Dave Dion & family, Sophiem, Jake & Chrissy, Julie Splettzoser, Arlene Malecki, Sean McCabe & family. Keep in your prayers all those who need our prayers. For our troops, farmers, troubled youth, troubled marriages, end to abortion. For vocations to the priesthood and religious life. For those who don't come to the Eucharist Table. For those who went Home.

**Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time  
November 15, 2009**

Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away. — *Mark 13:31*



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**TODAY'S READINGS**

**First Reading** — Those who lead the many to justice shall be like the stars forever (Daniel 12:1-3).

**Psalm** — You are my inheritance, O Lord! (Psalm 16).

**Second Reading** — Where there is forgiveness, there is no longer offering for sin (Hebrews 10:11-14, 18).

**Gospel** — Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away (Mark 13:24-32).

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

Monday: 1 Mc 1:10-15, 41-43, 54-57, 62-63;  
Lk 18:35-43  
Tuesday: 2 Mc 6:18-31; Lk 19:1-10  
Wednesday: 2 Mc 7:1, 20-31; Lk 19:11-28  
Thursday: 1 Mc 2:15-29; Lk 19:41-44  
Friday: 1 Mc 4:36-37, 52-59; Lk 19:45-48  
Saturday: 1 Mc 6:1-13; Lk 20:27-40  
Sunday: Dn 7:13-14; Ps 93; Rv 1:5-8; Jn 18:33b-37

There will be a meeting for ALL who would like to be part of the **Music Ministry** here at St. Elizabeth's on Tuesday, November 17, at 7 p.m. . This includes all new musicians, cantors and choir members as well as all current musicians and cantors. We will be discussing the music selections for Advent and Christmas and scheduling for the next three months. This is a very important meeting. Please call me (Gail -- 763-444-6376) if you cannot attend and would like to be a part of our Music Ministry. See you on Tuesday.

Next Saturday, November 21, is pickup day for your **Angel Food Ministries** orders. Pickup time is between 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. You will also be able to order for December at this time.

**KC Turkey & Ham Bingo**, Sunday Nov. 15, Chili begins serving at 5pm, and bingo starts at 6pm.

**Christmas Craft Raffle:** Three weeks to go, for the Christmas Craft Raffle December 6th. Keep working on your crafts or projects, and selling tickets as well. Success of the Raffle depends on all! Any question call Carol at 763-444-4742



- Sun. Nov 15 KC Turkey Bingo, chili at 5, bingo at 6
- Tue. Nov 17, Music Ministry Meeting, 7pm
- Wed. Nov 18, Faith Formation, 7pm
- Thu. Nov 19, KC meeting, 7pm
- Sun. Nov 22, Youth Group Bake sale after masses

**Knights of Columbus Toy Drive:** The need is greater than ever, so, please remember to bring a new unwrapped gift for the Toy Drive. Items most in need are gifts for infants and 15-16 year olds.

St. Elizabeth Youth will be conducting a Thanksgiving **Bake Sale** after all Masses the weekend of November 21/22. Home baked goods and freshly baked cinnamon and caramel rolls will be on sale. Proceeds will go toward Youth activities.

**Catholic Charities:** Did you receive your letter from Catholic Charities? Their work is important, so if you cannot support Make God's Love Visible campaign financially, would you please do so prayerfully?

**Prayer Chain:** Would you like to be in the group of people who spends some time in prayer when people from our parish are sick or in need of help. We have a prayer chain to pray for that person. This is a Spiritual Ministry you can do in your home. Call the office if you are interested. 763-444-4035

Please join us for a **retreat—"Walking with Christ—Living the Beatitudes!"** St. Augustine call the Beatitudes the ideal for every Christina life! In this retreat we will spend some time reflecting on how the beatitudes offer us a way of life that is filled with humility, charity and love in our every day life. Join us as we walk with Christ and the Beatitudes. This is a free retreat open to everyone on Thursday, November 19, 9:30 a.m.—noon with optional lunch. St. Andrews, Elk River. For more information or to register call 320-251-0111 or e-mail bkresky@gw.stcdio.org

Knights will be selling **Christmas cards** after all masses this weekend.

**Youth News**

St. Elizabeth Youth will be making fresh **cinnamon and caramel rolls** the morning of Nov 21, from 9-12 for their bake sale that weekend. All youth, grades 6-12 are encouraged to participate in this fundraising effort and also to prepare any favorite homemade goodies for the bake sale. All baked goods can be left on the tables in the narthex before all Masses. Any adults wishing to help with the baking can call Jane McGeary at 763-434-8134.