

Save the date:

Join Bishop William Wack at the annual Cities for Life service, to pray for inmates on death row, for those who have been executed, their victims, their families and for an end to the dealth penalty. The service will be held 7-8:30 pm. Thursday, Nov. 30th at the Good Shepherd Catholic Church, 4665 Thomasville Road, Tallahassee. Bishop Wack lead the Catholic Diocese of Pensacola-Tallahassee. Keynote speakers will be Bishop Wack and Kate and Andy Grosmaire, who found strength to forgive the killer of their daughter, Ann, through God and restorative justice principles. Make your plans now to attend.

Media Contact: Laura Ruane, 239-910-2251

All Parishioners are cordially invited to St. Elízabeth Ann Seton Catholíc Church's Chrístmas Gatheríng Kids' activities & Pictures with Santa Saturday, December 9, 2023

Wrap a \$10 gift to participate in the gift swap BYOB

6:15 PM

Admission is free, but the Ladies Circle and Knights of Columbus ask that a gift be brought for a child in need.



A Christmas Gift For Married Couples

Couples...want to give each other something really special this Christmas? How about a gift filled with Romance and Excitement? That's just the beginning of what you will receive on a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. Sign up today to attend an upcoming Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend on Feb. 16-18 in Tallahassee, or May 5-8 in Winter Park. For more information contact : wwme.org or e-mail: Applications@FLCN-wwme.org or contact : waltviv.wwme@gmail.com

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November 2023

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ.

Our diocese will participate in the national collection for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD) on November 18/19. Your support for this collection brings much-needed help and change to our brothers and sisters across the country. Nationally, CCDH-funded groups tackle a wide range of economic and social justice challenges, including housing, education, mitigating the impacts of climate change, and advocating for healthy foods in urban food deserts. In addition to making a national impact, the CCHD collections allow us to help those living in poverty or suffering from the symptoms of poverty right here in our own community.

Some of the ministries in our diocese have benefited from funds from the CCHD collections:

- Diocesan "Culture of Life Conference."
- Justice United Seeking Transformation, an interfaith non-profit based in Escambia County, addressing the high rates of youth arrests and lack of affordable housing.
- Capital Area Justice Ministry is an interfaith non-profit based out of Leon County seeking to address gun violence and the lack of affordable housing in the Tallahassee Area.

In addition, our Director of Advocacy and Justice has been working with local organizations and parishioners to promote the Good News in other ways:

- Floridians for Alternative to the Death Penalty seeks to end the use of the death penalty in Florida.
- Sponsorship of parishioners to attend the Eucharistic Revival in Indianapolis in summer 2024.

All of these organizations are in line with Catholic Social Teaching, and there is a strong Catholic presence in the leadership of these organizations/ministries.

Thank you for your support of this year's CCHD collection.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Most Reverend William Wack, CSC Bishop of Pensacola-Tallahassee

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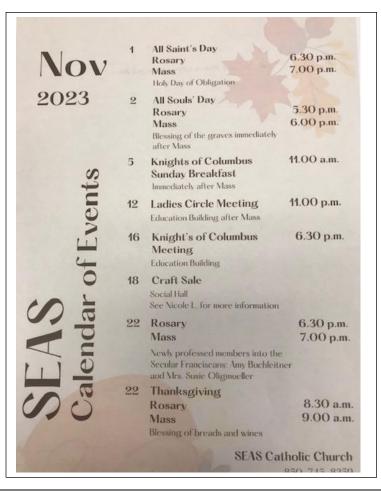
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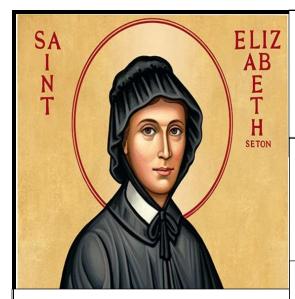
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RUMMAGE SALE SATURDAY, DEC 16TH 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM(NOON)

CHRISTIAN

ST. STEPHEN THE PROTOMARTYR 1999 NATURAL BRIDGE ROAD PROCEEDS SUPPORT THE ST. STEPHEN'S FOOD PANTRY NO EARLY BIRDS, PLEASE!



Parish office Monday, Wednesday and Friday 8.30am to 3.00pm Parish Administrator Fr. Paul Raj HGN office@seas.ptdiocese.org 850-745-8359 Parochial Deacon David Harris 850-585-2223 Parochial Secretary Mrs. Judy Antol 724-322-7676 Liturgical Minister Mrs. Amelia Morse 850-320-2561 Music Minister Mr. Jeff Cook 850-745-8359 **Religious Education Director** Mrs. Amy Wiedeman 850-926-6797 Website: www.catholicchurchwakulla.org Facebook: Seas Parish Instagram: Parish Seas YouTube: St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Crawfordville FL

CATHOLIC SHARING APPEAL

The Catholic Sharing Appeal needs your support submit your pledges and donations via envelopes, or online:

Actual Donations as of: 11/10/2023 Goal: \$ 11, 860.69 Pledged: \$23, 380.38 Donated: \$22, 399.88 Number of pledges received: 46

ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON CATHOLIC CHURCH

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May You and Your Family Have a

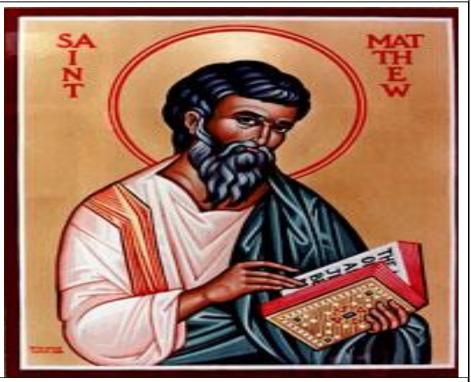
HAPPY THANKSGIVING

Mass Schedules

Tuesday Rosary at 8:00 AM, 8:30 AM Mass Wednesday Rosary at 6:30 PM, Mass at 7:00 PM Thursday Rosary at 8:00 AM, 8:30 AM Mass Saturday 5.00 PM (Vigil at SEAS) Sunday 11.00AM at SEAS Confession: Saturday 4:30 PM to 5.00 PM Every 1st Saturday of the Month 8.30 AM Adoration, confession and Mass at 9.30 AM at SEAS

Friday 9.00 AM (Lanark Village) Every 1st Friday of the month 8.00AM Adoration, confession and Mass at 9.00 AM at Lanark village Sunday 9.00 AM (Lanark Village)

We must live with Eternity on Our Mind



Today, we are reminded that we will be called to give an account for the gifts God has given us-physical, intellectual and material gifts and the gift of time. The privilege of these gifts is helping us to advance the coming of the Kingdom of God. Let us embrace these gifts of Time, Talent and Treasure, so that when our time ends, we are faithful servants.

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, November 18 5:00 pm Intentions of John Zach Bryant Requested by Lew & Amy Wiedeman

Sunday, November 20 11:00 am Intentions of Virginia Wiedeman Requested by Lew & Amy Wiedeman

Tuesday, November 21 8:30 am + Mark Coyle + Requested by Nicole Lepp

Wednesday, November 22 7:00 pm Intentions of Ginny Osgood Requested by Nicole Lepp

Thursday, November 23 9:00 am Intentions of Father Paul Raj Requested by Lew & Amy Wiedeman

Saturday, November 25 5:00 pm + Gordon Lepp + Requested by Nicole Lepp

Sunday, November 26 11:00 am Intentions of August & Patricia Gagliano Requested by Rodger & JoAnn Bova

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Gift Shop

Specializing in gifts for every occasion, including Holidays and all 7 Holy Sacraments. **Contact:** Nicole Lepp Sun. Hrs. 10am -11am or 12pm-1pm or call for appt. 850-926-9750

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Cemetery

Burial spaces & cremation sites Available upon requests **Contact**: Jo Ann Daniels 850-509-7630 Or Parish Office: 850-745-8359



Catholic Church to unite as many people as possible – whether Catholic or not – to share and listen to what "Journeying together" means for the Church. Bishop Wack invites you to prayerfully consider sharing your feedback in a sixquestion Synod survey. Visit: <u>ptdiocese.org/synod</u> to participate

Reflection on Sunday's readings:

First reading: Today's readings remind us to not live for "here and now", but rather with eternity in mind. We must remember that we will be called to give an account for the gifts God has given us. – our physical, intellectual and material gifts as well as the gift of time, itself. Are you making the best use of our gifts with the time we have been given to use them?

<u>Second Reading</u>: St. Paul gives us a lens through which to do this type of selfexamination. He reminds us of our true identity as disciples of Christ. "Let us not sleep as the rest do, but let us stay alert and sober. We are not to be living for ourselves and for the pleasure of immediate gratification, but rather to advance the Kingdom of Heaven. Do not abuse the privilege of helping to advance the coming of the Kingdom of God. You must use these gifts to embrace the stewardship way of life, using all the gifts entrusted to us – Time, Talent and Treasure- in such a way that at the end of our life on this earth, we will hear these words from our Father:"Well done, my good and faithful servant....Come, share your master's joy."

Songs for Today

682---Though The Mountains May Fall
687—You Are Near
796—Taste And See / 517—River Of Glory
675—For You Are My God

Offertory: \$ 2, 478.00 Online: \$ 276.68 Total: \$ 2, 754.68 Thank you for your generous support

Intercessory Prayer to Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton

Lord God,

You blessed Elizabeth Seton with gifts of grace; As wife and mother, educator and foundress, So that she might spend her life in service to your people. Through her example and prayers May we learn to express our love for you In love for our fellow men and women. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, Who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, One God, for ever and ever. Amen.



9:30 to 10:30am before Sunday morning Mass. Faith Formation Teachers needed. Please see Amy W Phone: 850-926-6797



Interested in the Catholic Church? Call 850-745-8359 to be directed to Eileen S about inquiry classes and RCIA

Daily Readings

November 20 - Monday Reading I: 1 Maccabees 1:10-15, 41-43, 54-57,62-63 Gospel: Luke 18:35-43

November 21 - Tuesday The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary Reading I: 2Maccabees 6:18-31 Gospel: Luke 19:1-10 OR Reading I: Zechariah 2:14-17 Gospel: Matthew 12: 46-50

November 22 - Wednesday Saint Cecilia, Virgin and Martyr Reading I: 2Maccabees 7:1, 20-31 Gospel: Luke 19: 11-28 OR Reading I: Hosea 2:16bc, 17cd, 21-22 Gospel: Matthew 25: 15-19

November 23 - Thursday Thanksgiving Day Reading I: Sirach 50:22-24 Reading II: 1 Corinthians 1:3-9 Gospel: Luke 17:11-19

Reading I: 1 Maccabees 2:15-29 Gospel: Luke 19:41-44 **OR**

Saint Clement I, Pope and Martyr Reading I: 1 Peter 5:1-4 Gospel: Matthew 16:13-19 . OR Saint Columban, Abbot

Reading I Isaiah 52:7-10 Gospel: Luke 9:57-62 OR

Blessed Miguel Agustin Pro, Priest & Martyr Readinigs -Common of Martyrs or of Pastors Gospel: Matthew 10:39

November 24 - Friday Saint Andrew Dung-Lac, Priest, & Companions, Martyrs Reading I: 1 Maccabees 4:36-37, 52-59 Gospel: Luke 19:45-48 OR Reading I: Wisdom 3:1-9 Gospel: Matthew 10:17-22

November 25 - Saturday Reading I: 1 Maccabees 6:1-13 Gospel: Luke 20:27-40 OR

Saint Catherine of Alexandria, Virgin and Martyr Reading I: Revelation 21:5-7 Gospel: Matthew 10:28-33

OR Our Lady on Saturday Readings: Any Readings from 707-712

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

The Ladies Circle is hosting a breakfast brunch after mass this Sunday. Please feel free to stop in and have a bite to eat.

Operation Santa of Wakulla County is up and running. Our Angel Tree is located in the Seton Social Hall. Please take an angel from the tree, and make sure you sign the sheet provided, so that we know who will be blessing a child or person in need. Thank You

Today is the Diocesan Second Collection for Catholic Campaign for Human Development----There will be a collection basket located by the Main Exit Doors.

Dec. 3rd- Ladies Circle Meeting after Mass in the Education Building.

Dec. 9 After Mass will be the SEAS Cajun Christmas Party. More info to follow. See the enclosed flyer in the bulletin for more information.

Interested in becoming a Knight? SEAS Knights of Columbus meet every 3rd Thursday of the month at 6:30 pm. All men of the parish are invited to join. If interested-contact Dean Lackey at: <u>dvlackey@gmail.com</u> or Mr. Alfredo Ortiz at: <u>abort23@hotmail.com</u>.

The church food pantry in conjunction of Catholic Charities is now serving 5 families. Let's make their holiday season, a joyful one. Please continue to donate canned or dry food. We are accepting gift cards for those in need.

St. John Paul II Catholic High School is hiring a FACTS Administrator/Financial Aid Coordinator, An Administrative Assistant to Athletics and Resource teacher in Reading and Math. Call: 850-201-5744 for info. Or email Luisa <u>Zalzman@lzalzman@jpiichs.org</u>. The Diocesan application is listed at: <u>www.sjpiichs.org/news/careeropportunites</u>.

Rummage Sale: St. Stephen The Protomartyr Church. Saturday, Dec. 16th, 8 am-noon. All proceeds support the St. Stephen Food Pantry.

Welcome to our newest Parishioners:

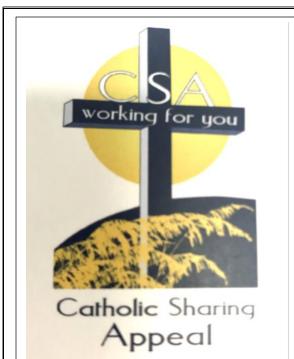
Mr. & Mrs. Phillip Cilano and Braelynn-Anne Mr. & Mrs.. Kristopher Knutstad and Richard and Randal Sr. Mr. & Mrs. Hugo Botero; Mr. & Mrs. John Meerman Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Wilk, Mr. & Mrs. James



Our sincere thanks and appreciation to all veterans who have served their country. We continue to pray for our loved ones who are currently serving in the armed forces, whether they are stationed overseas or in the United States.

Charles Berninger	Christopher Bern	inger A	ngelina Reyes Chavez
Jennifer VaVerka Doot	Ryan Doot	Michelle Geers	Joshua Jambard
Bishop Richardson	Billy Schamber		David Sellers

If you have a loved one not listed- please call Judy in the office: (850)745-8359.





VICTIMS OF ABUSE

The Diocese of Pensacola/Tallahassee is committed to healing the hearts of sexual abuse victims and has established Victims Assistance Coordinators, experienced, trained counselors available to help persons who have been sexually abused.

VICTIMS ASSISTANCE

COORDINATOR

Tallahassee/Panama City Area

Dr. James Gagnon, MSW, LCSW 850-877-0205

DIOCESE ABUSE

HOTLINE

850-435-3536

