

## •COME WORSHIP WITH US MASSES, CONFESSIONS, AND EUCHARISTIC EXPOSITION•

# MASS, RECONCILIATION AND EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Monday, February 22 ~ Feast of the Chair of Saint Peter the Apostle 9:00 am † Sheila Pouraghabagher

# Tuesday, February 23 ~ Saint Polycarp, Bishop and Martyr

8:15 am† Barbara HinesEucharistic Exposition after 8:15 am Mass until 6:00 pm6:00 pm† Donna Kane

#### Wednesday, February 24

9:00 am Special Intention (SI)
6:00 pm Marlen Caballero (Special Intention)
Eucharistic Exposition after 6:00 pm Mass until 8:30 pm

Thursday, February 25 8:15 am † Louise Welgo

Friday, February 266:30 am† Marge Abramowski9:00 amKaren Hellinger (Birthday)

Saturday, February 279:00 amMarlen Caballero (Special Intention)Reconciliation after 9:00 am Mass until 10:30 amEucharistic Exposition after 9:00 am Mass until 10:30 am4:30 pm† Jack Siefert

Sunday, February 28 ~ Second Sunday of Lent

8:00 am TTS (Special Intention)
9:45 am † Marge Foster
11:30 am For the People of the Parish
5:30 pm † William Kennedy

Reconciliation after most weekday Masses

# SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF FEBRUARY 21, 2021



# Sunday

Gn 9:8-15; Ps 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9; 1 Pt 3:18-22; Mk 1:12-15

**Monday** 1 Pt 5:1-4; Ps 23:1-3a, 4, 5, 6; Mt 16:13-19

**Tuesday** Is 55:10-11; Ps 34:4-5, 6-7, 16-17, 18-19; Mt 6:7-15

Wednesday Jon 3:1-10; Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 18-19; Lk 11:29-32

**Thursday** Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25; Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 7c-8; Mt 7:7-12

**Friday** Ez 18:21-28; Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-7a, 7bc-8; Mt 5:20-26

**Saturday** Dt 26:16-19; Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 7-8; Mt 5:43-48

**Sunday** Gn 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18; Ps 116: 10, 15, 16-17, 18-19; Rom 8:31b-34; Mk 9:2-10

Parish Mission Statement The people of Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish seek To Grow in Christ and follow His teachings. 2

# FROM THE DESK OF FR. DAVE

continue follow these guidelines for everyone's safety:

- Entrance through front door
- Greeters to answer any concerns
- Masks to be worn
- Hand sanitizer as you enter
- Anti-bacterial spray after each Mass

- Social distancing between and in pews

#### Baby Bottles! - Great Outreach

The money we put in our Baby Bottle truly helps our local Christ Child Society in it's outreach to help children at risk.

Do you know? Here's a little blurb from website:

Christ Child Society of Fort Wayne is a non-profit organization of over 200 dedicated volunteers who believe that better communities can be built by partnering with others to serve children and families in need. From our Layette program and our Crib Club efforts to help children at risk to the Backpacks, Tutoring, and Koats for Kids programs where each child is treated with the attention and respect theu deserve. Christ Child Society of Fort Wayne is guided by the words of our founder, Mary Virginia Merrick, that"Nothing is ever too much to do for a child."

#### Did You Notice the Change?

The U. S. Bishops just announced a simple change to the translation of the doxology used in opening prayer (Collect) at Mass. Specifically, the word "one" is removed from "one God" so that the revised Trinitarian endings shall now read: "...in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever." This little change is a more accurate translation.



#### **1. LENTEN PARISH OUTREACH**

If YOU KNOW SOMEONE who is homebound due to the pandemic or sickness ask them if they would like the Sunday bulletin mailed to them. If they say "YES!!!, as I think they will, just pick up the phone and let us know. Call the Parish office, 432-0268 and give us name and address.

#### 2. EASTER LETTER OUTREACH - We NEED your HELP

This Lent, we will once again minister to those most in need of encouragement, but we need your help! As a parish we will be writing Easter letters for all those who are in need. Please send us the names and addresses of anyone you know who could benefit from this encouragement and love! These could be those in prison, the military, homebound, sick, mourning, those suffering from this pandemic, or otherwise in need. Email names and addresses to ttrout@seasfw.org or fill out the form on the homepage of our website. This is a great act of mercy to be carried out as a parish family. In a few weeks, we will release these names (not addresses) and request YOUR HELP in writing letters of love to them which will be mailed out this Easter season from the parish. Write a letter for one or all! Thank you so much for your help!



Pray and Care for the Unborn Children





#### The Holy Season of Lent

- Find time to Pray
- Help others Almsgiving
- Fasting on Friday
- Good Confession
- Live Vocation well

#### Good Books to READ this Lent

- Gospel of Matthew, Mark, Luke or John (from Bible)
- Book of James or Acts of the
- Apostles (from Bible)
- Healing (Mary Healy)

#### + Stations of the Cross

Every Friday of Lent 6:30 pm (Eucharistic Holy Hour with Rosary 5:30 pm)



#### Special Actions of Love Friday's of Lent spit out the meat (age 14+)

-Pick up Rice Bowl & Lenten Meditation booklet

(near front doors)

#### Numbers are up!

It's great to see the numbers who are watching daily and Sunday Masses and many Parish events online. The numbers coming to weekday and Sunday Masses are really growing! We





# LUERSKNIGHT 2021

"God's people faithfully brought in the contributions, tithes and dedicated gifts." 2 Chronicles 31:12

# Drawing on April 22, 2021 @ noon. Proceeds support the Adopt-A-Knight Program.

With the COVID-19 pandemic continuing to impact our lives and the abrupt cancellation of LuersKnight 2020, Bishop Luers is excited to share our LuersKnight 2021 plans. As we remain distanced and patiently await the administering of the new vaccine, let us celebrate together the 40th year for LuersKnight!

Bishop Luers has adapted to these unprecedented circumstances and LuersKnight 2021 invites you, a strong supporter of this annual event, to participate. Gifts received for LuersKnight 2021 will support our school and enhance our strong academic, athletic, and performing arts programs!

Although we cannot gather in-person on April 23rd, we will certainly gather in *"Luers Spirit"* to support Bishop Luers High School. Please consider purchasing a ticket! Enclosed is an order form. One side is for tickets and sponsorships of LuersKnight 2021. Gifts may be accepted by cash, check, credit or debit card or at <u>https://www.bishopluers.org/luers-knight-2021</u>. With every purchase of a \$100 ticket, you will receive a \$20 gift certificate from The Clubroom at the Clyde Theatre. You may redeem the gift certificate in the future at a time both convenient and safe for you.

Our LuersKnight 2021 raffle drawing will take place on Thursday, April 22, at noon. Tickets are \$10 each or 3 for \$25, 6 for \$50, and 12 for \$100. Information appears on the back side of the order form. Raffle tickets may only be purchased by cash or check per Indiana gaming guidelines and restrictions. Proceeds support our Adopt-A-Knight program.

Together, we will carry on the tradition of LuersKnight and look forward to a time we can safely gather to promote the mission of Bishop Luers High School. Thank you for your support and may God bless you and watch over the Luers family now and forever!

Thank you and God bless,

**Jim Huth, '81** Principal

#### Louise Jackson, '75

Director of Mission Advancement

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Name

Address City, State, Zip

Email Phone Cell Phone

BLHS Alumni:

Year\_\_\_\_\_ Parent of a current Bishop Luers student\_\_\_\_\_

#### Cash Prizes:

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1st - \$4,000 Ticket Price:	□ \$10.00 each
2n - \$2,000	3 for \$25.00
3rd - \$1,000	□ 6 for \$50.00
4th - \$500	□ 12 for \$100.00
5th - \$250	

#### Payment Options Only:

□ Check (payable to BLHS LuersKnight 2021) OR □ Cash (BLHS business office)

# of Tickets ordered:

Name Address

Phone Email

Raffle ticket stubs will be mailed directly to you with your receipt.

We are the Light of the World! ¡Somos la luz del mundo! www.bishopluers.org

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# PARISH STEWARDSHIP ~ FEBRUARY 7, 2020

Adult & Loose.....\$ 5,040.83 Online Giving ......\$ 41,372.13 Weekly Total .....\$ 46,412.96

#### Children's Stewardship

Generosity.....\$.50

THANK YOU For Your Generous Support

# WE SEEK TO GROW IN LOVE



#### "But seek first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well." Matthew 6:33

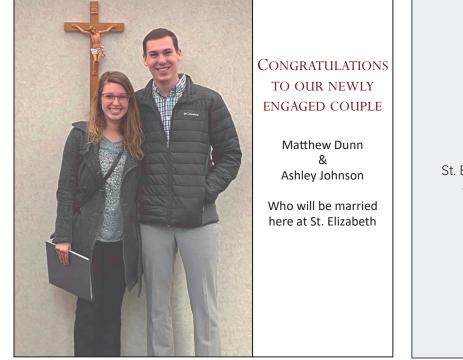
Ladies,

Please come join us for a once-a-month prayer group just for women! There is prayer, goal-setting, and a short teaching, followed by praise and worship during Eucharistic Adoration. All women are welcome. We are His Kingdom Builders. Come build with us!

Date:	February 25, 2021
Time:	7:00-8:30 PM
Location:	St. Elizabeth Ann Seton
Teaching:	Lord, Teach us to Pray

"My sheep hear My voice; I know them, and they follow Me." John 10:27 What if I do not hear the voice of Jesus clearly? Does He really know me even if I feel like I do not know Him? How can I follow Him if I cannot hear Him? Come and join us to discuss how we can hear the voice of Jesus more clearly in our life, so we can follow Him without fear. Come and join us for laughter, learning, and the love of the Father.

> "Remember, that He has been waiting for you for twenty centuries." St. Josemaria Escriva Please contact (<u>podlaski\_ml@yahoo.com</u> or kcervoni@frontier.com) if you have any questions or check out our website at <u>www.buildingthroughhim.com</u>





St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish wishes to extend our deepest sympathy to the families of

#### Bernice Sibal, Luke Barnum and Pat Herber

Who recently passed away. We offer our continued prayers for all our deceased parishioners.

# FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT, FEBRUARY 21, 2021





#### Fidelis & Fraternus

Tuesdays from 6:30 - 8:30 pm

6th – 12th Grade

Are you ever distracted from doing what you know is right? If we make a daily effort to see our personal duties ... as a divine summons, we will learn to carry them through to completion... *St. Josemaria* 





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# **ONE THOUSAND THANK YOUS**

#### By Sarah Steffan

Last February, while recovering from influenza I started researching kindness. I found many ideas, one of which was to give One Thousand Thank Yous. That idea resonated with me, it stuck. Things roll around in my brain a lot before there is a way for something to come to fruition.

March 13, 2020 was our last day of in-person learning due to the pandemic. Like many of you I was worried, scared, and uncertain of what was happening in my home, my school, my neighborhood, my state, my country and my world. The alternative to the worry for me was to focus on the good that was happening. I saw multiple reports of healthcare workers and the steps they were taking to care for others; shifts without end, keeping their families safe by sleeping in their garages, and worrying least about themselves in our time of crisis. I was in awe of the human spirit and so happy to see good still exists.

As the Home and School Association chair of the Catholic Schools Week Committee at our school I had the opportunity to make the One Thousand Thank You idea a reality. We have approximately 500 students who are each creating eight thank you notes to healthcare workers during Catholic Schools Week, January 31 to February 5, 2021. The 4,000 thank you notes will be delivered to Lutheran Hospital for distribution to their 3,900 employees.

It is important for us as a school to recognize the dedication of all those in healthcare; housekeeping, chaplains, registration, techs, nurses, doctors, administrators and all the others who keep the hospital running so it is ready if and when we need their help. These people are our neighbors and friends. We celebrate and appreciate all of those in healthcare who are working tirelessly to care for us and bring us to health. Thank you.

# GIRLS ON THE RUN

We are starting back up Girls on the Run (GOTR) for girls in grades 3-5. We have had this for the past few years. It is an after school program.

Girls On The Run (GOTR) March 15-May 16 Tuesday, Thursday 3:00-5:00

This program is looking for coaches to help with the girls at our school. Coaches must be 18 or older and must be female (sorry, guys!). If you are interested in being a coach, please let me know, and I will pass your name on to the program coordinator.

# PRESCHOOL ENROLLMENT IS NOW AVAILABLE!

Please mark these important dates on your calendar:

General enrollment: February 24th

More information is located on our website: https://www.seascsfw.org/admissions/ preschoolenrollment.cfm



# SETON NIGHT LIVE 2021

Seton Night Live 2021 has been moved to a virtual event on Saturday, March 20, 2021. More information to come on some fun ways to keep the excitement of SNL alive! We are still accepting auction items. Please contact Sarah Shively at 574-265-3642 or Katie Slee at <u>sleekatie@yahoo.com</u> if you are interested in donating. Thank you!

# FORMED PICK OF THE WEEK February 21, 2021 In COVE, SACRIFICE, TRUST: HE SHOWED US THE WAY BY FR. MIKE SCHMITZ In this talk, Fr. Mike Schmitz shares with us the need to pick up our crosses and embrace Christ in our own suffering. He reminds us that love often means sacrifice! Image: Comparison of the schwitz shares with us the need to pick up our crosses and embrace Christ in our own suffering. He reminds us that love often means sacrifice! Image: Comparison of the schwitz shares with us the need to pick up our crosses and embrace Christ in our own suffering. He reminds us that love often means sacrifice!

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# (+) Lenten Schedule

# The Light is On

This Lent, every parish in the Diocese of Fort Wayne-South Bend will have confessions available on Tuesday, March 9, from 6-8 p.m. If you have been reluctant to come to the sacrament, have been away for some time, or just find it difficult to get to a Saturday confession time, this is a wonderful opportunity to reconnect with Christ and His Church.

# EUCHARISTIC EXPOSITION

Make time for the Lord in Adoration:		
9:00 am - 6:00 pm		
6:30 - 8:30 pm		
5:30 - 6:30 pm		
9:30 - 10:30 am		

# STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Join us every Friday during Lent at 6:30 pm in the church for Stations of the Cross.

# LENTEN LIFE IN THE SPIRIT RETREAT

Please join us in the Cathedral basement for a Lenten retreat beginning Feb. 18 and continuing for seven Thursdays until April 1. The retreat will be from 6:30 - 8pm and focus on the work of the Holy Spirit in a believer's life using real life examples. For more info, please call 385-5717. A \$10 donation is suggested.

# WORD ON FIRE

Check out Word on Fire digital! Through the parish you have been gifted free access to this content throughout the seasons of Lent and Easter. Word on Fire features many videos from Bishop Robert Barron to learn more about God and our Catholic Faith. To login, simply use your registered Flocknote email. Not sure if you have a Flocknote account? Simply go to **Flocknote.com/seasfw** or text seasfw to 84576 to register.

# Drive-thru area Fish Fries

**St. Vincent de Paul** - Feb. 19 from 5 - 8 pm. Serving fish, mac-n-cheese, potato, coleslaw & dessert for \$11.

**St. Joseph Hessen Cassel** - Feb. 26 from 4:30 - 7 pm. Serving fish, potatoes, applesauce, coleslaw & rolls for \$9

**St. Elizabeth Ann Seton** - March 5 from 4 - 7 pm. 10700 Aboite Center Rd.

**St. Joseph Parish in Bluffton** - March 12 from 4 - 7pm. Serving fish, cheesy potatoes, green beans & dessert for \$10/\$6 for kids 6-12.

**St. Elizabeth Ann Seton** - March 19 from 4:30 - 7:30 pm. 10700 Aboite Center Rd.

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# VIRTUAL TRIVIA NIGHT FORT WAYNE, IN

Queen of Angels Home and School Association is hosting a virtual Trivia Night on Saturday, February 27 beginning at 7:00 pm. Answer questions, have a few good laughs and enjoy a night of entertainment from the comfort of your own home!! You can do this with a small group or individually using an online link that is easy to follow. Cost per person is \$5 and you will be sent a link to join through your computer, tablet or mobile device. Please consider joining us for a fun evening of fellowship. Contact Gretchen Espich at **gespichswim@gmail.com** or 417-3549 or Sheila Gillett, School Secretary, at 483-8214.

# MYSTERY DONATIONS

Recently, 2 separate donations were received at the Parish Office from financial companies. The donations did not have the name of the donor on them. If you recently worked with Morgan Stanley or Wells Fargo Clearing Services, please call the office at 260-432-0268 or email Jennifer Engquist at

jengquist@seasfw.org. Thanks to everyone for faithfully supporting our Parish.

Trivia Question of the Week?

#### What planets literally rains diamonds?

Please send answer to sogg@seasfw.org

Answers can be found in next weeks bulletin under Sponsor of the Week.

### TEXT-TO-GIVE

Don't forget that you can TEXT-TO-GIVE your Sunday donation. Just text the amount to 260-217-4383.

# ANNUAL BISHOP'S APPEAL

Thanks to everyone for helping to make our Annual Bishop's Appeal Goal!

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#### Rekindle the Fire Revision

The 2021 Rekindle the Fire Conference has been cancelled. Instead, a FREE, 30 minute video will be available every 3rd Sunday of the month leading up to the 2022 conference in Ft. Wayne. Please join us on **rekindlethefire.net** or the RTF Facebook Page. Our first video will be at 7pm on February 21st, with a personalized talk from Tim Staples of Catholic Answers and a reflection from St. Monica's, Fr. Jacob Meyer.

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# **American Red Cross**

Give blood. Help save lives.

# Blood Drive St. Elizabeth Ann Seton

Parish Hall 10700 Aboite Center Rd Fort Wayne, IN 46804

Thursday, March 4 1:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

To schedule your appointment contact Chris Pozorski at 260-341-6803, sign up after Mass at the church or go to redcrossblood.org and enter sponsor code "steasfw".

# Sponsor of the Week

# Old National Bank Sarah Strimmenos 637-5385

Please patronize our sponsors, they make the bulletin possible.

Trivia Answer: False, Mourning is not a ritual of Ash Wednesday

# SVDP 2020 Annual Report

**Number of families served:** 453 people with 54 home visits.

**Total food given:** 196 pounds of food with an "in kind" value of \$2,940.

**Total hours served:** 588 hours with 255 miles driven

# **Eucharistic Miracles**

with nationally-known guest speaker Tim Francis

Feb 28 6:30pm-9:00pm at St. Charles Mar 1 6:30pm-9:00pm at Our Lady of Good Hope







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