

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church

Twenty Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 26, 2010



St. Elizabeth Ann Seton - St. Henry Mass Schedule and Intentions

Day	Time	Intention
Monday, September 27,	6:30 AM:	Mary Globetti RIP by Karen and Ed Moore
Tuesday, September 28,	6:30 AM:	Nick Musselman RIP by Janie Salvagio
Wednesday, September 29,	6:30 AM:	Lena Shrispa RIP by Julie and Jack Bolin
Wednesday, September 29,	7:00 PM:	
Thursday, September 30,	6:30 AM:	Beau McMinn and Jim Handerhan by Tim & Penny Vaughn
Friday, October 1,	6:30 AM:	Mark O'Hanlon RIP by SEAS Ladies Altar Sodality
Saturday, October 2,	8:00 AM:	
Sunday, October 2,	5:00 PM:	The Tekulve Family by Mary Jo Sparks
Sunday, October 3,	8:30 AM:	For the people of the parish
Sunday, October 3,	11:00 AM:	For the people of the parish

St. Henry

First Friday Mass takes place on **October 1, 6:30 am**
First Saturday Mass, **October 2, 8:00 am**

Altar Flowers

The flowers on our altar this week are:

In loving memory of **Sam F. and Hazel Lovoy** and the **Lovoy Family**
In memory of **Larry Miller Forman** by **Leann and Lora Forman**.

RCIA BEGINS This Tuesday, September 28 at 7 pm

Come and discover or relearn the Catholic faith!
Non-Catholics, fallen-away Catholics & active Catholics are all invited! Classes take place in our Parish Hall.

Helpers needed for High School PSR meals!

We need helpers to plan and prepare meals for the Wednesday evening PSR class. Please call the Church office, 631-9398, to let us know if you can help!

SEAS Parishioners: We need your HELP! BRING ALUMINUM CANS FOR OUR KIDS!!

Bring your cans every week in plastic trash bags and leave them over the wall, between the two storage buildings, at the back of our Parish Hall. The money earned from recycling will go to educate our kids in Catholic Schools and our own PSR. Thank You!



FOOD DRIVE

Our Monthly Food Drive takes place next weekend, **October 2 & 3**. Please bring canned or dry food products and be sure to check that expiration dates are still good. **THANK YOU!!!!**

Birmingham Diocese Young Adult Ministry

will meet on **Friday, October 1**, from **6:30 - 10 pm** at **Our Lady of Sorrows** in Homewood. We will begin with Mass offered by Fr. Rick Chenault, confessions will be heard beginning at 5:30. Dinner catered and will be \$5. A talk given by Deacon Vincent Bresowar will both take place in the Family Life Center. Please RSVP to Susan Gorin at sgorin@bhmdiocese.org.



We would like to wish **Jackie Cornelius** a belated Happy Birthday. Jackie celebrated September 19th!

The Pastor's Desk below is a repeat from last week.

"From the Pastor's Desk"

Why did God establish **Tithing**? He did it for **2 reasons** ... so that we keep God the #1 priority on our lives, and so that His Church is sustained financially.

"**Tithing**" refers to giving "**one-tenth**" of our income to God in appreciation for the income we receive to sustain ourselves.

How exactly do we give part of our income to God? We give it to **the Church** ... the visible household of God on earth.

Setting aside **1/10 of our pay** to be given to the Church is a constant reminder of the priority that God is to have in our lives as well as being a powerful sign of **our gratitude** for all the blessings that God showers upon us, particularly the ability to be able to work and generate an income to provide for ourselves and our families.

Now in these days of seemingly constant requests for money, I hope that you will reserve a special place in your heart for **Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Birmingham!**

It is this Charity that provides funding for most all of the Catholic Church's ministries throughout the northern half of the State of Alabama!

Whether it's:

- providing **food and clothing to the poor** through one of our many Catholic Centers of Concern, or offering professional counseling to troubled family members at Catholic Family Services, or
- paying **Tuition, Room & Board** for our Seminarians in study for the Priesthood, or
- caring for our senior Priests in the **St. John Vianney Retirement Home** ...

The Diocese of Birmingham is able to do these things and many more with the funds donated to Catholic Charities.

One model of Tithing that works well for many people, including myself, is that of giving **1% of one's income** to **Catholic Charities**.

Then if people direct **5%** of their income to their Parish, they still have the other **4%** of their Tithe to direct to the charities of their choice.

Please take this week to pray about the level of contribution that you might make to Catholic Charities over the next year. Your financial support will be put to good use and be greatly appreciated!

Wishing you all of God's blessings,
Love, Father Deering

Please pray for our Parish Family in Nursing Homes or Homebound.

Rose Parks Alvin Dempsey Doris Piteo
Helen McCarty Albert Billets Stephen Edwards
Ann Driscoll Annie Benefield

Our Long Term Care Book is located on the table at the side entry-way of the Church.

PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY: A list of our loved ones serving in the Military is posted on the bulletin board.

PARISH MEETINGS

PARISH COUNCIL

To be announced

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

- General Council, Wed., Oct. 6, 7:30 pm
- Officers and Directors: Wed, Oct. 20, 7:30 pm
All Members are welcome.
- Msgr. George W. Keyes Assembly #2849, Wed, Oct. 20, 8:15 p.m.

LADIES ALTAR SODALITY:

Monday, October 4, 6:30 pm

PRO LIFE MEETING Thursday, October 7, 6:30 pm



A Day Retreat for the Ladies

Topic: Prayer

Place: Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church

Pearson Ave, Birmingham,

Saturday, October 9, 2010, 9:00 am until 3:00 pm

Cost is \$20 per person which covers lunch and stipends for the priests. Ladies, come join the women of our parish and meet at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton to travel to Blessed Sacrament for a wonderful day!

40 Days for Life Campaign Begins

Wednesday, September 22 begins the **40 Days for Life** campaign across our country to raise awareness for the pro-life movement. There are 3 ways to participate: (1) Prayerful Vigils at abortion clinics, (2) Daily prayer and fasting, (from TV, talking, food), (3) Community Outreach to publicize the purpose of the 40 Days for Life to churches, neighbors, friends and co-workers. Please visit www.40daysforlife.com/birmingham and be a voice to the innocent children who are unable to speak out against this injustice.



YOUTH PROTECTION TRAINING

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish Hall

This Sunday, September 26, 2010
1:00 - 3:00 pm

Everyone interested in working with our **YOUTH MUST HAVE THIS TRAINING!** If you want to, or may work with **OUR CHILDREN IN ANY CAPACITY, YOU MUST HAVE THIS TRAINING!**

Examples of this are, but not limited to: PSR, Vacation Bible School and Youth Meetings. Call the Parish Office, 631-9398, to register.



Youth and Family Fun at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish Hall this Sunday, September 26, 5:30 pm.

Parents are also invited to come and visit!

Be sure to mark your calendars to attend the **Her Choice Banquet** being held at **The Club** on **Tuesday evening, October 19, 2010!**

Be sure to remember our seminarians in your prayers. If you would like to send notes or cards to our seminarians; the address is:

Jim Handerhan or Beau McMinn
Notre Dame Seminary
2901 S. Carrollton Avenue
New Orleans, LA 70118

LAY MINISTER SCHEDULE

DATE	LECTOR	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION	USHERS (Captain = C)
Sat Oct 2	Tim Vaughn	Dianne Young Paul Young David Slovensky	Shawn Holly C Donald Hand Roy Brewer Robin Cox
Sun Oct 3	Jeanne Busby	Donna Mealer Ken Friedrich Melissa Cameron Michael Brasher Jim Jernigan Andy Hollis Laura Hollis	Michael Wallace C Joel Busby Thom Duran Anthony Bishop Jaimie Hand
Sat Oct 9	Shawn Holly	Shawn Holly Annette Sanders Lilo Belton	Frank Oldfield C Michael Belton Lamar Harris Raymond Vaughan
Sun Oct 10	Jim Fox	Jim Fox Kelly Doss Mary Margaret Rohling Vicky Gill Michael Wallace Jeanne Busby Caroline Gerson	Neal Brasher C Ken Friedrich Roger Ford Frank Rholing Rod Cameron