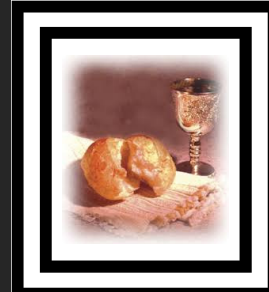


# St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church

Twenty Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 20, 2015



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

|                             |           |   |
|-----------------------------|-----------|---|
| Monday, Sept. 21,           | 6:30 AM:  | Larry Runkle by Fr. Deering                     |
| Tuesday, Sept. 22,          | 6:30 AM:  | Joyce Abbruzzo RIP by Sharon Haley              |
| Wednesday, Sept. 23,        | 6:30 AM:  | Arnold McKerley RIP by Sharon Haley             |
| Thursday, Sept. 24,         | 6:30 AM:  | Annette Kitchens LIV by Donald and MaryAnn Hand |
| Friday, Sept. 25            | 6:30 AM:  |   |
| Saturday, Sept. 26,         | 5:00 PM:  | Andy Rizzo RIP by Sharon Haley                  |
| St. Henry Sunday, Sept. 27, | 8:30 AM:  | For the people of the parish                    |
| Sunday, Sept. 27,           | 11:00 AM: | For the people of the parish                    |

### ALTAR FLOWER

In thanksgiving for 45 years of marriage  
by Michael and Lilo Belton.

In memory of Leo and Luise Kraus and Archie and Louise Belton  
by the Michael Belton family.

**Eucharistic Adoration** will take place every **Tuesday**  
night from 5:30--6:30pm at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church.

**Roman Catholic Inquiry and Answers! (RCIA)**  
**RCIA takes place every Tuesday evening at 7pm at**  
**St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish Hall!**

Come renew your faith and invite family and friends to come  
with you so they can hear for themselves the teachings and  
truths of the Catholic Church.

**This week's topic: Are you saved?**

### Parish School of Religion (PSR)

**GRAMMAR SCHOOL PSR** Grades 1-8 CONTINUES  
every **Sunday** at 9:30am  
**HIGH SCHOOL PSR CONTINUES**  
every **Wednesday** at 6pm

**COME SUPPORT and ENJOY**  
**SEAS Ladies Altar Sodality's**  
**SPAGHETTI DINNER,**  
**SILENT AUCTION and RAFFLE**  
Tickets are on Sale after all Masses!



You are  
Cordially Invited!  
Tuesday, October 20  
Fundraising  
Banquet at  
The CLUB

6:30 p.m. Seating Begins - 7:00-9:00 p.m. Dinner & Program  
...you may support this special occasion and life saving ministry  
by: **Attending** and/or **Hosting** a table of eight and/or making a  
gracious life affirming **donation** to the lifesaving work of  
HCBWC Your desire to participate as a host or attendee must be  
confirmed by contacting:  
[HCBanquet@herchoicebirmingham.org](mailto:HCBanquet@herchoicebirmingham.org) or 447-8796 or 252-0706.

Assisting Mothers and Babies at Risk

## "From the Pastor's Desk"

Do you know what the "**Game Plan**" of the Devil is?  
It's to take apart the human family. Why do you think that is?

It's because the **Human Family** images the love of the  
**Triune God** where the love that flows between two spouses  
often overflows into a Third person, a new Human being.

The Devil hates this and so he is at work to tear down the  
**Family**. For if the Family falls apart, then both the Church  
and all of Society will fall apart ... which means the **beauty**  
and **unity** that God established will fall back into chaos.

What do you think is the last obstacle in the way of the  
Devil carrying out his diabolical "**Game Plan**"?

### "The Catholic Church"

Which is why it's under such heavy attack these days.

Not only is the Catholic Church comprised of many good  
families who image the **love of God**, and cooperate with God  
to bring **new life** into being ... but the Catholic Church offers  
the **Holy Sacrifice of the Mass**, which is the perfect prayer.

You could say that **Daily Mass** is  
the **Holy Glue** that is holding the world together!

Recall how the modern day Saint, Padre Pio once said,  
"*It would be easier for the world to survive without the sun  
than to do so without the Holy Mass.*"

Yes, the **Mass** is the **most powerful prayer in the world**  
and I invite you to attend one or more weekday Masses over  
the next month as the Church engages in the following events:

**The Pope's Visit to America**, and  
**The 40 Days for Life campaign**.

Yes, **Pope Francis** will make his first visit to **America** on  
this Tuesday, September 22<sup>nd</sup> where he will spend **6 days** in  
**Philadelphia & Washington, DC.** meeting with our Bishops  
and our people to rally them together to preserve the family.

Please pray for his safety and the fruitfulness of his trip!  
Let the enclosed lapel pin and beautiful family prayer be  
reminders for you to pray for these blessings.

Also, on this Wednesday, September 23<sup>rd</sup> our country  
begins another **40 Days for Life** by calling everyone together  
to seek God's favor to change minds and hearts from a culture  
of death to a culture of life and to end abortion in America.

Please look over the enclosed pamphlet and let it be a  
reminder for you to pray each day for victory over the plans of  
the devil.

We, the people of God, are people of **Life and Love!**  
So let's execute **our Game Plan** by praying and working to  
preserve the life and love of all families.

God bless you! Love, Father Deering

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## Please Pray for our Sick and Homebound

|                |                  |                |                  |
|----------------|------------------|----------------|------------------|
| Mary Bauer     | Kelly Jones      | Hazel Melendez | Walter Shapielak |
| Geneva Hallman | Annette Kitchens | Rose Parks     | Margaret Wiley   |
| Frances Horton | Dwayne Leslie    | Donald Sanders |                  |

**YOU MAY ADD TO OUR LONG TERM CAREBOOK**  
located on the table at the side entry-way of the Church.

## PARISH MEETINGS

**FINANCE COUNCIL: To be announced**  
**PARISH COUNCIL: Monday, Sept 21, 6pm**

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS:**  
**General Council: Wednesday, October 7, 6:30pm**

**LADIES SODALITY: Monday, October 5, 6pm**



### Right to Life

*Some baby's die by chance; no baby should  
die by choice. Some choices are just wrong.  
Choose life.*

**40 Days for Life Candlelight Vigil Kickoff is on Tuesday,**  
**September 22<sup>nd</sup> at 6:30pm.** It's time for the Fall campaign of  
40 Days for Life, September 23<sup>rd</sup> - November 1<sup>st</sup>, thousands of  
pro-lifers praying and fasting for the end of abortion, being  
present in vigil outside of abortion clinics, and reaching out to  
their communities to spread the word about the injustice of the  
abortion industry. North Alabama will be holding campaigns in  
Birmingham at Planned Parenthood (1211 27<sup>th</sup> Place South)  
Check out [40daysforlife.com/Birmingham](http://40daysforlife.com/Birmingham)

**National Catholic Engaged Encounter** is celebrating 40 years  
of ministering to the Engaged on **Sunday, October 4, 2015**  
beginning at 11:00 am at Homewood's Central Park, on Oxmoor  
Road, Birmingham. We invite all families who have been  
involved in the past or have attended a weekend. Meat will be  
provided, just bring a side dish and drink to share. Please RSVP  
to Pam DiPiazza at [diaaron@aol.com](mailto:diaaron@aol.com), or 871-1607.

### Worldwide Marriage Encounter Alabama


How about some time just for the two of you? A weekend that  
will focus on love, caring and relationship. Go on a Worldwide  
Marriage Encounter Weekend and come back refreshed and full  
of passion! **October 16-18, 2015 at St. Bernard's Abbey,**  
**Cullman.** Register online today at [www.ALFL.wvme.org](http://www.ALFL.wvme.org).

**Bible Time Line Continues: Thursday evenings, 6pm**  
**at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish Hall.**  
**Contact Dc. Tim 904-7743 or Penny Vaughn, 919-0914.**

### FATHER DEERING'S SUNDAY HOMILIES

are now available on our website:  
[www.seasgardendale.org](http://www.seasgardendale.org)

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**We recycle for Catholic Education!!**  
**NO FOOD CANS**

**GET YOUR CANS TO CHURCH!**  
Bring empty aluminum drink cans to area behind Parish Hall, between storage sheds.

## YOUTH HAPPENINGS



### Youth and families:

Join us **SUNDAY, September 20,**  
**2015** to go see the highly acclaimed  
movie *War Room* at Patton Creek Theater  
in Hoover!!! We will attend the 4:05pm

showing and the cost is only \$5.75 plus any concessions you may  
want to purchase. Arrive at SEAS upper parking lot at 3:00pm to  
ride the vans or meet at the theater at 3:50pm. Please RSVP to  
Andy & Laura Hollis at 205-482-7414 by Sunday at noon so  
tickets can be ordered! You will need a travel form completed to  
ride the vans.

### Youth Mass will take place Sunday, September 27

at the 11am Mass at SEAS. If you would like to serve as a  
lector for the readings or petitions, please let Andy and Laura  
know as soon as possible. Following Mass please join your  
family at the Ladies Altar Sodality Spaghetti Dinner.

### Magnificat Prayer Breakfast

**St. Elias Parish Hall Saturday, Oct 3, 2015, 9:30-12:30PM**  
Speaker: Melanie McNary! Contact Catherine Patton 680-6007  
for Tickets (\$10) before Sept. 30. No tickets sold at the door.

## LAY MINISTER SCHEDULE

| DATE                     | LECTOR          | EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION  | USHERS C: Captain<br>ALTAR SERVERS   |
|--------------------------|-----------------|--|--|
| Sat.<br>Sept 26<br>5 pm  | Shawn Holly     | Shawn Holly<br>Lilo Belton<br>Two additional needed                              | Skip Hall C<br>Tom Townes<br>One additional needed<br><b>ALTAR SERVERS</b><br>Sam Pritchard  |
| Sun.<br>Sept 27<br>11 am | Youth           | Laura Hollis<br>Andy Hollis<br>Allen Belrose<br>Vicky Gill<br>Cindy Walker       | Dan L. Gardner C<br>Anthony Bishop<br>Joel Busby<br>Mike Brasher<br><b>ALTAR SERVERS</b><br>Kevin Hand<br>Ezra Bishop              |
| Sat.<br>Oct 3<br>5 pm    | Penny Vaughn    | Dc Tim Vaughn<br>Penny Vaughn<br>David Slovesky<br>Barbara McCray                | Jimmy Slovesky C<br>Larry Grimmatt<br>Donald Hand<br>One additional needed<br><b>ALTAR SERVERS</b><br>Sam Pritchard                |
| Sun.<br>Oct 4<br>11 am   | Michael Wallace | Dc Tim Vaughn<br>Michael Wallace<br>Mike Brasher<br>Donna Mealer<br>Jim Jernigan | Allen Belrose C<br>Jaimie Hand<br>Jerry Ingram<br>Rod Cameron<br><b>ALTAR SERVERS</b><br>Ben Hand<br>Duncan Hodges<br>Tyler Putnam |