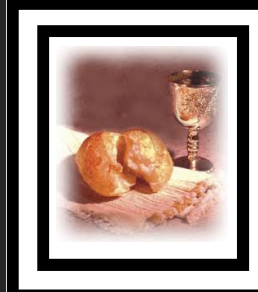


Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

January 31, 2016

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



Monday, Feb. 1,	6:30 AM:	Ann Marie Stelton RIP by Fr. Deering and the Parish Family
Tuesday, Feb. 2,	6:30 AM:	Yvonne Rushano LIV by Eddie and Teri Jones
Wednesday, Feb. 3,	6:30 AM:	Betty Ramey RIP by Brian and Donna Cruse
Thursday, Feb. 4,	6:30 AM:	Sadie Semk LIV by Harold and Kathy Gray
Friday, Feb. 5,	6:30 AM:	(First Friday)
Saturday, Feb. 6,	8:00 AM:	(First Saturday)
Saturday, Feb. 6,	5:00 PM:	Walter Shapielak RIP by Lorraine Shapielak
St. Henry Sunday, Feb. 7,	8:30 AM:	For the people of the parish
Sunday, Feb. 7,	11:00 AM:	For the people of the parish

Altar Flowers

The flowers that adorn our altar this week are
In loving memory of **Robert Tekulve, B.I. and Evelyn Tekulve**
by Louise and family.

By Roger and Jackie Ford in memory of their son, Gary.



Eucharistic Adoration takes place each Tuesday evening at 5:30pm at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church.

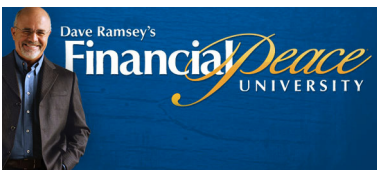
Roman Catholic Inquiry and Answers! (RCIA)

Start the New Year off right and join us and invite your family and friends to come to St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish Hall and learn about our faith as we begin the new year.

This week's topic: Penance and Anointing

Natural Family Planning Classes take place on Tuesday, Feb. 23 at 7 pm at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish Hall—upstairs.

Discover a natural way to postpone or achieve a pregnancy...the Art of Natural Family Planning® is based on an awareness of a woman's fertility. It's medically safe, 99% effective in postponing pregnancy, very low cost, often has a positive effect on the couple's marriage, and is morally acceptable according to the Catechism of the Catholic Church. For additional information contact Harold or Kathy Gray at 205-999-6439, or e-mail kagray222@hotmail.com. Registration is online at www.ccli.org.



Peace I leave with you;
My peace I give to you."

This famous passage by our Lord in John 14 can apply in our lives in a variety of ways. One of the largest barriers to peace in

our lives today is the overwhelming debt and financial problems within our family households. The average household has over \$200,000 of debt from mortgages, car notes and credit cards. If you want to take control of your finances and bring financial peace into your home, we invite you to join us for a 9 week course of **Dave Ramsey's Financial Peace University**. The weekly classes will begin on **Thursday, March 31 at 6:00 pm** in the **Parish Hall** and will include a meal. The cost is \$95 for the entire course, but those who complete the entire course will receive a 50% rebate at the end of classes. If you are interested in attending please contact the church office or call Kelly or Carla Doss at 631-2392 for more information.

FATHER DEERING'S SUNDAY HOMILIES are now available on our website:
www.seasgardendale.org

"From the Pastor's Desk"

This past Thursday, January 28th, the Universal Church celebrated the Feast of **St. Thomas Aquinas**. This holy and brilliant man spent his life in service to God and the Church in so far as he was a **Dominican Priest** who was voluminous in his writings that synthesized Philosophy and Theology, known as the **Summa Theologica**, which has helped us understand the great union of **faith** and **reason** for the past 800 years.

For this reason the Church declared him a **Doctor of the Church** and the **Patron Saint of Catholic Schools**. And so all of our Catholic Schools use the occasion of his Feast Day to celebrate Catholic education during the last week of January.

One of them, **Our Lady of Sorrows Grade School** in Homewood is holding an **Open House** today from 2 – 4 PM to give parents and students the chance to come and meet some of the Teachers and Students and to see their beautiful facilities and know that they can offer not only top-notch **education** but also true **Catholic formation** of children.

I highly encourage Parents and Grandparents to ride the 13 miles down to visit the School and see the wonderful environment that is there.

Yes, tuition is a part of Catholic education, but it is truly one of the best investments you can make for your children.

And know that by faithfully attending this Church, you will receive the lower **Catholic rate** of tuition and may even qualify to receive tuition assistance from the School and from this Parish.

To assist in getting your kids to school, we offer **daily transportation to & from** both **Our Lady of Sorrows School** and **St. Rose Academy**, at the low rate of **just \$2 per trip**.

Many Parents are recognizing once again the benefits of providing their children with a Catholic education and are making the sacrifices needed to send them to Catholic schools.

Catholic education is a wonderful investment! Rest assured that we would put up a Catholic School on our Gardendale property tomorrow if we had the money to do so!

All it takes is money and so I hope you'll keep the Church in mind in your estate planning and especially if you should win the lottery. We'll surely put your name over the doorway leading to the **Library** or the **Gym!**

Let's keep praying to **St. Elizabeth Ann Seton**, the **Patron Saint of Catholic Education** for her intercession so that all kids would be able to receive a Catholic education.

May God bless you and your families.

Love, Father Deering

Please Pray for our Sick and Homebound

Mary Bauer Frances Horton Annette Kitchen Carol Oldfield
Rhonda Civacco Kelly Jones Dwayne Leslie Rose Parks

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

PARISH MEETINGS

FINANCE COUNCIL: Monday, Feb. 8, 2016, 5pm
PARISH COUNCIL: Monday, February 8, 2016, 6pm

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS:
General Council: Wednesday, February 3, 6:30pm
A meeting of the Fourth Degree will follow immediately after the 6:30pm meeting.

LADIES SODALITY:
Monday, February 1, 2016, 6pm



Right to Life

Be a war protester... protest the war being waged against our unborn children. Demand an end to war so all babies can live in their mother's womb in peace.

OPEN HOUSE and TOUR of OUR LADY OF SORROWS SCHOOL For prospective students and their families on **January 31, 2016 between 2 and 4 pm**. Join us any time during these hours, meet our teachers and staff, tour our school and discover our faith-enriched community for learning. Applications will be available in the school foyer and on the school website (olsschool.com) beginning January 31, 2016. To assure placement for your child, please submit application no later than February 12, 2016. Applications do not roll over from year to year. If you were on a waiting list for 2015, you must re-apply for 2016. Please call 879-3237 if you need further information.



House for Rent in Warrior

We have a Church-owned house adjacent to St. Henry Church in Warrior available for rent.. 3 BR, 1 BA, 2-car Carport, Shed, \$900 per month. Call Annette Cox at 647-7473

XYZ Mass, Luncheon and Games

will take place at 11am on Monday, February 15 in St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish Hall. Everyone is invited especially those 50 plus!! Please call the Church office if you need a ride.



Parents please note: If your child/children will receive any sacrament, you must be a registered member of our Parish and your child must be attending our Parish School of Religion (PSR) or Catholic School. Baptismal certificates are required for any child receiving **First Holy Communion or Confirmation** if the child was baptized anywhere other than St. Henry or St. Elizabeth Ann Seton. Please call the Church office for questions.



Bring your cans To SEAS! We recycle for Catholic Education

Get Your Cans to Church!! Bring empty aluminum drink cans to area behind Parish Hall, between storage sheds. NO Food Cans Please



YOUTH HAPPENINGS

On **Wednesday night, February 3**, the Confirmation class and high school class will be visiting **Her Choice Women's Center** for a presentation on the Gospel of Life and Chastity. The program is 6-8pm and we will meet at SEAS at 5:15 for departure and return to SEAS by 8:30 for pick up. You will need a permission to travel form completed. Dinner will be provided at Her Choice. **You must RSVP by February 1 to Andy and Laura Hollis.**

Mark your calendars

for the **5th, 6th, and 7th Grade Retreat** at WorldSong Retreat Center on **April 15-17, 2016!** Please encourage all your children/grandchildren/godchildren in this age range to attend! We are also looking for responsible older teens 8th grade and up to serve as youth leaders and brave adult chaperones to serve as cooks/cleaners/picture takers/errand runners, etc.!!! Please let Andy and Laura know if you have any questions or would like to RSVP to attend or assist with the retreat in any manner!

Questions? Laurahollisot@gmail.com or 205-482-7414.

Grammar PSR: Sundays-9:30am
High School PSR: Wednesdays-6:30pm

LAY MINISTER SCHEDULE

DATE	LECTOR	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION	USHERS C: Captain ALTAR SERVERS
Saturday Feb. 6 5 pm	Shawn Holly	Shawn Holly Barbara McCray Two additional needed	Jimmy Slovinsky C Donald Hand Michael Belton One additional needed ALTAR SERVERS Sam Pritchard
Sunday Feb. 7 11 am	Jim Jernigan	Jim Jernigan Mike Brasher Ken Friedrich Vicky Gill Donna Mealer	Jaimie Hand C Michael Wallace Dan L. Gardner Rod Cameron ALTAR SERVERS Tyler Putnam Kevin Hand Ezra Bishop
Saturday Feb. 13 5 pm	Penny Vaughn	Dc. Tim Vaughn Penny Vaughn Lilo Belton David Slovinsky	Skip Hall C Tom Townes Larry Grimm One additional needed ALTAR SERVERS Sam Pritchard
Sunday Feb. 14 11 am	Youth will serve	Dc. Tim Vaughn Michael Wallace Kelly Doss Andy Hollis Laura Hollis	Allen Belrose C Ken Friedrich Jerry Ingram Anthony Bishop ALTAR SERVERS Ben Hand Duncan Hodges Drew Hollis