



St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church

3747 Brick Schoolhouse Road
P.O. Box 149
Hamlin, New York 14464

All Are Welcome

August 1, 2010

This Week at SEAS

Sunday, August 1st ~ 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Babysitting is available during 10:30 Mass
Children's Liturgy of the Word during 10:30 Mass

Monday, August 2nd

7:00PM Women's Retreat

Tuesday, August 3rd

7:00PM Time, Talent & Treasure Committee Meeting

Wednesday, August 4th

6:30PM SEAS Sluggers vs. Holy Cross
At Charlotte High School

Thursday, August 5th

9:30AM Faith Formation Committee Meeting
7:00PM Creating a Safe Environment

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Question of the Week



We live our lives as if there will always be time later to do the things our schedules force us to put off. Today's gospel is a wake up call to consider what God considers important.

What changes do I need to make so that I will be rich in what matters to God?

Facebook

Looking for the latest update, sports scores and events? Find us on Facebook! Search for us at "St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church". We are sure you will "Like" Us!

Movie Night at SEAS

Plan to join us on Thursday, August 12th for Movie Night. Starting at 6:45PM. We will be viewing "The Secrets of Jonathan Sperry" for the older set and VeggieTales for those younger. Help to start the conversation with your children about bullying.

Spirit Mass

Wednesday, August 18th ~ Mass will begin at 7:00PM
Join us for a Pot Luck - Dish to Pass Picnic starting at 5:45PM

**Music and an Interactive Gospel
that will move your Spirit!**

Food for you Body and Your Soul

New Parishioners: Please register by calling the Parish Office

Church, Staff and Office964-8627
Faith Formation Office.....964-8200
Fax Machine.....964-3352
Residence.....964-8560
Email.....seas@dor.org
Website.....www.myseas.org

Parish Staff:

Rev. William Spilly, Pastor - email: StJohn@aol.com
Deacon James Steiger and wife Carol Steiger
Email: csteiger@rochester.rr.com
Billie Dietrich, Office Administrator
Michelle Marvin, Director of Music
Billie Warner, Faith Formation
Lisa O'Brien, Youth Ministry ~ email SEASYM@juno.com
Richard Koss, Director of Parish Facilities
Sharon Campbell, Faith Formation Secretary
Deacon Klaus Schulz ~ In Memoriam

Masses:

Saturday: 4:00 PM EST, 5:00 PM EDT
Sunday: 8:30 and 10:30 AM
Holy Day: 9:00AM and 7:00 PM
Daily Masses:
Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday 9:00 AM
Wednesday 5:00 PM and Friday 7:00 AM
Communion Services: Wednesday, Friday, Saturday 9:00 AM

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday 3:00 PM EST, 4:00 PM EDT, or any time by appointment.

Sacrament of Baptism:

When expecting a baby, plan ahead and attend our required Baptism Preparation Session before the baby arrives. Sessions are held quarterly. Contact Deacon Jim and Carol Steiger at 392-9558 to register for a session.

Sacrament of Marriage:

Arrangements with Fr. Bill or Deacon Jim should be made six months in advance at the Parish Office. Attendance at Pre-Cana is required.

Dear Friends,

Our Pastoral Council met on Monday evening for its first meeting of this new year. Congratulations to our new Chairperson, Kevin Noon, our new Vice-Chairperson, Alice Leistman, and our new Secretary, Sharon Campbell. The next meeting of the Council will be on September 27. Parishioners are always welcome to attend.

Father Justine Elias, V.C., a Vincentian Missionary Priest from India, will be here next weekend to participate in our Annual Diocesan Missionary Cooperative Plan. He will preach at all the Masses and a second collection will be taken up for the Vincentian Missions in India. If you contribute by check, please make your check out to SEAS.

The Vincentian Congregation (V.C.), a religious congregation, was founded in Kerala, Indian in 1904, modeled after the Congregation of the Mission founded by St. Vincent de Paul. Members of this flourishing religious congregation, all natives of India, are engaged in mission work in all parts of India and in East Africa.

The Vincentian Missionaries need our help to carry out their many missionary, educational and charitable activities. They need our special financial support for the training of young men for the priesthood and their ministry to the people in India.

For your information, Niagara University in Niagara Falls, New York, is run by the Vincentian Fathers. And our Joey Conlon is secretary/bookkeeper in the Diocesan Missions Office at the Pastoral Center on Buffalo Road.

Every so often we have a review of our parishioner roster. In going over this list there are a number of households who have not been seen in church, or who staff do not know, and/or do not contribute through Time, Talent and Treasure. A letter will be sent to these households during the month of August to determine whether they do indeed want to belong to SEAS or have changed parishes. The number of households is a few hundred. (If you look at the number of people who worshipped last weekend, it was the lowest in years.)

I have written before about the fact that a little more than 30% of the registered parishioners/households are contributing in some way to SEAS. This is normal compared to most other churches in the diocese and Northeast. However, we always want to believe that our parish is unique and strong and good. So if you believe this, invite your neighbors or relatives who say they belong to SEAS to join us at weekend liturgies and become involved the life of this wonderful parish. It is all of our responsibility to do this.

Peace to all of you,
Father Bill

Sponsor of the Month



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Services for the Week of August 1, 2010

Monday, August 2nd ~St. Eusebius of Vercelli
 9:00AM Mass

Tuesday, August 3rd
 9:00AM Mass

Wednesday, August 4th ~ St. John Mary Vianney
 9:00AM Communion Service
 5:00PM Mass

Thursday, August 5th
 9:00AM Mass

Friday, August 6th ~ Transfiguration of the Lord
 7:00AM Mass
 9:00AM Communion Service

Saturday, August 7th ~ St. Sixtus 11 & Companions
 9:00AM Communion Service
 4:00-4:45PM Reconciliation
 5:00PM Mass

Sunday, August 8th ~ 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time
 Wisdom 18:6-9, Hebrews 11:1-2,8-19, Luke 12:32-48
 8:30AM Mass
 10:30AM Mass

Financial Statistics

Attendance July 25, 2010.....	396
Contributions July 25, 2010.....	\$ 4011.00
Needed Weekly to Meet Budget.....	\$ 5909.13
Weekly Underage (-)/Overage (+).....	-\$1898.13
Needed YTD to Meet Budget.....	\$ 26,636.52
Received YTD.....	\$ 19,985.67

*Thank you for your commitment to share your treasure.
 May God bless you.*

"Plan Now So Others Won't Have To.."

As a follow up to the workshop last fall, we now have a resource packet filled with information to help you. Topics include: Health Car Proxy, Planned Giving, Cremation, Power of Attorney, Organ Donor and Planning Your Funeral. These topics are best addressed before they become urgent. Please call the office to reserve your copy.

Greeting Card Collection

The Social Ministry Committee will be collecting greeting cards to be donated to the Catholic Services office at the Albion Correctional Facility on an ongoing basis. The cards will be given to the women incarcerated there for their use. (Stamps can not be accepted.) It means much to them to keep in touch with loved ones. Cards for special occasions, including children's birthdays, holidays, etc. will do. Simple, general cards are welcome. Card-senders, do you have some extra cards? A box will be kept in the narthex for deposit of cards.

Women of SEAS

We will gather in Bayley Hall at 7PM. Monday, Aug. 2nd. Please bring a snack or dessert to share, a wine glass and a dessert plate. **Retreat, Relax, Share the Wisdom of our Christian Heritage.**



5th Annual SEAS Golf Tournament

Saturday, September 18th

Check in at 12:30M - Shotgun start at 1PM
Twin Hills Golf Course, 5719 Ridge Rd. West

- \$45 Per Person (if Prepaid)
- Best Ball
- Prizes, Putting Contest
- Hots and burgers at the Turn



For more information, please contact the parish office at 964-8627 or seas@dor.org

Catch the Faith

Registration for WCC Classes and

Sacramental Preparation

SEAS will once again be offering Faith Education classes for ages Kindergarten to Adults on Monday evenings beginning in October. First Reconciliation will be celebrated on December 11, 2010, **Parent Meeting for First Reconciliation will be held on Sunday, Sept. 19th at 11:30AM**

Registration can be done a few ways:

- * Printing off the registration forms off our website
- * Picking up Registration Forms in the Narthex
- * Attending the Registration Weekend of August 28/29

Fees will be as follows:

Kindergarten to Fifth Grade—\$35

Jr. High and Sr. High—\$25

Sacramental Preparation—\$35

Completed forms and payment can be dropped in the Collection Basket marked "WCC Registration"

Any questions please call the Faith Formation Office at 964-8200—Monday, Tuesday, or Thursday 9:30-3:30



Life Solutions

Every week we are checking the pantry at Life Solutions for our low stock to help the community in need. Here are some items we are low on in the pantry.... Cleaning products, Mac 'n cheese, Crackers, Jelly/ jam, Shampoo/conditioner, bar soap, Paper towels, Ramen noodles. Thanks for all of you that do for others in need and God Bless, Life Solutions

Eucharistic Minister Training

Interested serving as a Eucharistic Minister?

Join us on Wednesday August 11th at 6:30PM for a Training and Information Session. Call the Office to register - 964-8627



Ministers

H.O.P.E Outreach Update

Several parish members met with representatives from H.O.P.E. on June 22nd following the Pastoral Council's support of a HOPE Outreach initiative for SEAS. Following an informative presentation by Joan Aiello and Kelly Myers of HOPE, the group selected a small team to develop recommendations for the larger group on how to proceed.

This team met on June 30th and developed a series of questions to cover with HOPE to ensure a good understanding of the opportunities available to the parish. The team is scheduled to meet with Joan and Kelly again, and then prepare recommendations for the larger Outreach group concerning organizations, communications, and potential projects for the SEAS initiative. Those recommendations will be presented on August 31st in Seton Hall at 7:00PM. All are invited to attend.

Also, at the last Pastoral Council meeting, the Council voted to budget \$2,600. to be presented to HOPE to fund their overall operations as a part of the SEAS endeavor to aid the people of Borgne, Haiti.

"What's Happening for SEAS Teens"

Call 964-8200 or email SEASYM@juno.com to sign up or for more information.

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Junior High Teens

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August 17-18 - SEAS Jr. High Overnight Retreat! The retreat kicks off at 8:00PM on Tuesday and ends at 7:00PM on Wednesday followed by Pot Luck Dinner and Spirit Mass! Registration is \$15.00 and includes pizza, breakfast, lunch and snacks!

Senior High Teens

August 7th - 8th - NYC Faith Div'in, Take the Plunge with Jesse Manibusan—Contact Lisa for more information.

August 12th - Movie Night at SEAS

SEAS Sluggers

August 4th vs. Holy Cross at Charlotte High School

August 11th Last Game of the Season - Join us at Home as we face St. Christopher of North Chili

