



Saint Elizabeth Seton

CATHOLIC CHURCH

Everyone is welcome... *where we're alive in the Spirit!* Todos son bienvenidos... *estamos vivos en el Espíritu!*



† 9/11 Memorial Mass held next Sunday 10/22

To honor all firefighters, police officers and emergency medical technicians who served and serve our local community and communities across our country, and those who died or were impacted by this horrific tragedy. Please sign the name of your loved one or friend, living or deceased in the book. There will be a blessing for all first responders during the Mass.

This will be a bilingual Mass at 10:00 am, 10/22.

This Memorial Mass will also be celebrated in honor of those who were victims of the most recent tragedy in **Las Vegas**. We pray for the police officers and the souls of the 58 dead, and over 500 injured.



Offertory for 9/30 & 10/01

Total Offertory \$13,824

Hur. Irma Fund \$125

Church & School \$4,940

Restoration Fund

Respect Life \$2,852

Attendance En: 674 | Sp: 745

Envelopes: 499

New Mass times Starting November

8 am Daily Mass

3 pm and 4:30 pm Saturday Vigil | Spanish Mass at 6:30 pm Saturday

7:30 am, 9 am, 11 am Sunday

CONFESSIONS:

8:30 am & 2 pm Saturday | 5:45 pm (Spanish) Saturday

There is a 2nd Collection this weekend for St. Vincent de Paul



MASS INTENTIONS

Sat, Oct 14th	8 am	Joaquin & Justina Bazan (D)
	4 pm	Maynard, Christina, Patricia Jaycox (D)
	6:30 pm	For St. Elizabeth Seton Family
Sun, Oct 15th	8 am	For St. Elizabeth Seton Family
	10 am	Jean Spadorcia (D)
Mon, Oct 16th	8 am	John Such (D)
Tues, Oct 17th	8 am	Lilian Pezzullo (D)
Wed, Oct 18th	8 am	Rita Jurek (D)
Thur, Oct 19th	8 am	Rita Jurek (D)
	(9/14)	Steephan & Achamma Chandi (D)
Fri, Oct 20th	8 am	Rita Jurek (D)
Sat, Oct 21st	8 am	John A. Buika (D)
	(9/9)	Michael Caparco (D)
	4 pm	Joseph Falcone (D)
		Andrew & Cecelia Falcone (D)
	6:30 pm	For St. Elizabeth Seton Family
Sun, Oct 22nd	8 am	Fred & Margaret Gibson (D)
		Charles & Sabina Schwind (D)
	10 am	For St. Elizabeth Seton Family
		Giancarlo Forcina (D)

MASS SCHEDULE

Daily Liturgy (Mon-Sat) 8:00 am

May-October Season

Saturday Vigil 4:00 pm

Saturday Vigil (Spanish) 6:30 pm

Sunday Liturgies 8:00 am & 10:00 am

Reconciliation Saturday

May-October Season

English - After the 8:00 am Mass & 3:00 pm

Spanish - 5:30 pm

New Mass times starting in November are listed on Page 1 of this bulletin.

Due to numerous requests, we are pleased to announce the office is now accepting Mass intentions through September of 2018. We ask that all requests be made in person at this time. Come by the Church Office any time between 9:00am and 4:00pm.

Events are now listed on Page 9

All are welcome!

We're alive in the spirit!

Please pick up your offertory envelopes...

The parish needs everyone's support- no matter the quality of talent, the amount of time, or the dollar amount of one's tithe. So please stop by the office to pick up your envelopes or to have them provided to you. Peace and thanks.



Knights of Columbus

Meets 2nd Monday of the month at 6:30 pm.
KOC Hall @ 6120 Golden Gate Pkwy.

Christian Davis, GK 239-370-1408

Rev Russell Ruggiero Administrator
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Diacono Roberto Landron

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Mailing Address & Office Location
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Website: www.stelizabethseton.org
Phone: (239) 455-3900
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Prayer Line: (239) 455-3900 x301

FROM PADRE...

My dear sisters and brothers in Christ Jesus,

As we continue to discern the Holy Spirit's activity and movement in our parish—an activity and movement continually conforming us into Christ, I want to thank everyone for her/his prayers and support for St. Elizabeth Seton Catholic Church. Without all of us being alive in the Spirit, our parish would be lost.

In the next several months, we will be discussing and discerning how to increase our communion in community. Many of you have approached me in regards to the ways that our diversity could produce greater unity. And I am joyful, because we are one Faith Community and must remain so.

On Wednesday, October 11, we held our first Parish Council Meeting. The Parish Council's purpose is to aid and assist me in my discernment and leadership of our Faith Community. And I am grateful to these women and men.

In next week's bulletin and in all the bulletins to follow, the Parish Council's minutes will be posted both in Spanish and English. Please read them, so that you will know how and what your Parish Council is doing.

Thanks, Peace, and Grace,

Fr. Russell Ruggiero

I want to thank all of you, my sisters and brothers, for your continued talent, time, and treasure toward the parish and school for our repair and restoration program. Your generosity is greatly appreciated and valued. I am joyful to announce that one of our parishioners, who wishes to remain anonymous, has donated \$40,000 to be equally divided between the parish and the school.



Also, there have been those who have provided their time and talent to assist our Faith Community's journey toward rebuilding. As suggested by both the Diocese and our insurance company, it is more economical and prudent to improve, not simply restore. Where we believe this is sound, we are discussing such decisions.

If you are interested in assisting the parish, please see Fr. Russell. Thank you and God's continued grace and peace to all of you.

In Christ Jesus' service,

Fr. Russell

THIS WEEK'S READINGS

Lectionary: 142

Reading IS 25:6-10A

RSPPS 23:1-3A, 3B-4, 5, 6

Reading PHIL 4:12-14, 19-20

Gospel MT 22:1-14



PRAY THE ROSARY

Monday through Saturday 7:25 am
Every Saturday 5:45 pm in Spanish

Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal Novena
Every Monday before the 8:00 am Mass

†Adoration†

Every Tuesday after the 8:00 am Mass
until 11:30 am

Divine Mercy Chaplet

Every Tuesday and Friday after the 8:00 am Mass

St. Jude Novena

Every Wednesday after the 8:00 am Mass

Litany of the Sacred Heart

Every Friday before the 8:00 am Mass

Divine Mercy Chaplet w/Mysteries of the Rosary

Every Third Saturday after the 8:00 am Mass



THE CATHOLIC FAITH APPEAL

Goal	\$203,000
Pledged	\$242,426
Collected	\$226,314

The Church's reach is a vast and glorious force, upon which we look with awe.



PROJECT RACHEL

Post-Abortion Reconciliation & Healing - If you are suffering after an abortion, give yourself the gift of a Project Rachel Healing Retreat. Our next retreat is scheduled for Saturday, November 11. For confidential information, contact Fonda at 239-719-7210 or project.rachel@dioceseofvenice.org. Here's what one retreatant shared: "I knew it was time to give it all to God and beg His mercy... And so I say to each of you...give it all to God...He is merciful...He heals your pain...

He tells you how much He loves you..." See video testimonials at www.dioceseofvenice.org/offices/respect-life/post-abortion-help



NOVENA OF MASSES FOR LIFE

Join us on the 25th of each month through Christmas in praying for a greater respect for all human life. See the scheduled Masses throughout the Diocese at www.dioceseofvenice.org/offices/respect-life/novena-of-masses-for-life.



SPIRITUAL ADOPTION PROGRAM

You are invited to register to spiritually adopt an unborn child in danger of abortion. Prayer cards are available at the church entrances. To register, visit the DOV website and receive monthly updates on the development of the child in the womb.



PROJECT RACHEL

Don't suffer in silence. There is healing after abortion through Project Rachel. Contact Fonda at 239-719-7210 or project.rachel@dioceseofvenice.org

For Respect Life questions or prayer cards, contact Jeanne Berdeaux at 941-441-1101 or berdeaux@dioceseofvenice.org

WE ARE ALL STEWARDS OF GOD'S CREATION

"Each of us has a personal responsibility to care for creation, this precious gift which God has entrusted to us. This means, on the one hand, that nature is at our disposal, to enjoy and use properly. Yet it also means that we are not its masters. Stewards, but not masters," Pope Francis' speech to member of the EU.

The green environments of St. Elizabeth Seton Catholic Church- the flower beds, plants, and landscaping- are creative responses by committed parishioners who believe in our stewardship to God's creation. In our care for the earth, we also care for

its beauty, since all of God's creation gives glory and honor to God and is provided by God for our enjoyment.

Our volunteers and garden ministers contribute in several ways by planting, pruning, weeding, and/or watering the garden areas of St. Elizabeth Seton. God may be inviting and calling you to participate in this ministry. It is another opportunity to contribute your time and talent and partake in community and fellowship.

If you are interested in finding out more information, please contact the parish office at 239-455-3900.



PRAISE NOTES 10/15

God bless us, one and all. What a joy to see all of us pulling together in this time of need. It's such a tremendous blessing! By the time you are reading this our new hymnals should have arrived, and that is another wonderful blessing. But God brings good out of everything, for it has also been a joy to hear so many people singing out so strong and beautifully WITHOUT hymnals over the last couple of weeks! Let's keep it going, brothers and sisters. Fill our church with God's joy!

Please get in touch with Carl Granieri to claim your spot in the choir. Email carlgranieri@icloud.com to get involved.



Support the School w/ Memorial Pavers

St. Elizabeth Seton Catholic School has Memorial Pavers available. This program provides an opportunity for those seeking to assist us in our reparation and restoration from the devastation caused by Hurricane Irma. Contact the school at 239-455-2262 to inquire and support our recovery.

GRATITUDE FOR OUR IRMA SUPPORT

I personally am asking that you contact and thank the following owners who offered their talent, time, and treasure free of charge in our recovery efforts from Irma:

Tom and Carla Trombly of Florida Evergreen
171 Commercial Blvd. Naples (239-228-5419)

David Tripp of Superior Propane
5450 Shirley Street, Suite A Naples (239-595-1264).

Debbie Gallucci of Imperial Interlocking Paver Corp.
12915 Collier Blvd in Naples (239-261-9981)

They are all parents of a child who attends our school, and the Tromblys are parishioners as well. They represent what is evident in all of us at St. Elizabeth: "We care and we share. We are alive in the Spirit!" -FR

ALTAR FLOWERS

Altar Flowers were donated in memory of Angelo & Rita Shullo.

Would you like to donate and dedicate the Altar Flowers for a week? **It's easy to do and a great way to remember a loved one, to celebrate and to beautify St. Elizabeth Seton Church.** Flowers are used during weekend Masses and remain at the altar during the week. Dedications for Altar Flowers will be listed in the Church Bulletin. Donations for the flowers are tax deductible. Call or visit the parish office to reserve your flowers.



Also Of Note...

Please note there are no flowers during Lent, Advent, Christmas and after Easter.

CLASE DE BIBLIA PARA ADULTOS

Los Miercoles de 7:00 - 9:00 pm

Centro Parroquial (Parish Center)

Profesor: Padre Luis H. Pacheco



HORARIO DE MISAS

Misas en Inglés 8:00 am
Lunes a Sabado

Sábado 4:00 pm

Domingo 8:00 am
10:00 am

Misa en Español 6:30 pm
Sábados

Las fotos de la Confirmación y de la Primera Comunión están aquí en la Oficina de la Iglesia. Por favor venga durante las horas normales de oficina para recogerlos.

MIS QUERIDOS HERMANOS Y HERMANAS EN CRISTO JESÚS,

Mis queridos hermanos y hermanas en Cristo Jesús,

A medida que continuamos discerniendo la actividad y el movimiento del Espíritu Santo en nuestra parroquia -actividad y movimiento continuo que nos va conformando en Cristo-, quiero agradecer a cada uno de ustedes por sus oraciones y apoyo para con nuestra Iglesia de St. Elizabeth Seton. Sin cada uno de nosotros viviendo en el Espíritu, nuestra parroquia estaría perdida.

En los próximos meses, estaremos discutiendo y discerniendo cómo aumentar nuestra comunión en comunidad. Muchos de ustedes se han acercado a mí en cuanto a las formas en que nuestra diversidad podría producir una mayor unidad. Y eso me llena de gozo, porque somos una comunidad de fe y debemos permanecer así.

El miércoles 11 de octubre tuvimos nuestra primera reunión del Consejo Parroquial. El propósito del Consejo Parroquial es ayudarme y asistirme en mi discernimiento y el liderazgo de nuestra Comunidad de Fe. Y estoy muy agradecido con estos hombres y mujeres.

En el boletín de la próxima semana y en todos los boletines siguientes, las actas del Consejo Parroquial serán publicadas en español e inglés. Por favor, léanlas, para que usted se enteren cómo y qué está haciendo su Consejo Parroquial.

Gracias, Paz y Gracia,

Fr. Russell Ruggiero

Quiero agradecer a todos ustedes, mis hermanas y hermanos, por su continuo talento, tiempo y tesoro hacia la parroquia y la escuela para nuestro programa de reparación y restauración. Su generosidad es muy apreciada y valorada. Me alegra anunciar que uno de nuestros parroquianos, que desea permanecer en el anonimato, ha donado \$ 40,000 para ser dividido por igual entre la parroquia y la escuela.



Además, ha habido quienes han proporcionado su tiempo y talento para ayudar en el camino de nuestra Comunidad de Fe hacia la reconstrucción.

Como sugiere la Diócesis y nuestra compañía de seguros, es más económico y prudente mejorar, no simplemente restaurar. Creemos que esto es correcto y estamos discutiendo estas decisiones.

Si usted está interesado en asistir a la parroquia, por favor comuníquese con el Padre Russell. Gracias y que la gracia continua de Dios y la paz este con todos ustedes.

En el servicio de Cristo Jesús,

Fr. Russell Ruggiero

BIENVENIDOS, NUEVOS FELIGRESES!

Pueden inscribirse en la parroquia todos los Sábados después de la Misa en Español en el salón de entrada de la Iglesia. Gracias por hacerse miembros de nuestra familia. Dios lo bendiga! -Padre Luis H. Pacheco

Bautizos

Para poder bautizar en nuestra comunidad, la familia tiene que estar registrada en la parroquia un mínimo de tres meses antes del Bautismo con asistencia regular a la Santa Misa. Por favor, al registrarse en la parroquia, utilizar los sobres con el número de su familia en la colecta como prueba de participación y de asistencia a la Santa Misa.

Matrimonios

Se debe hacer una cita con el Padre Luis para abrir el expediente matrimonial por lo menos 6 meses antes de la fecha de Boda. Hay que estar registrados en la parroquia un mínimo de seis meses antes de abrir el expediente matrimonial con asistencia regular a la Santa Misa. Se necesitan las partidas de bautismo ACTUALIZADAS no más de seis meses y han de ser originales, no copias.



Quinceañeras

Las quinceañeras tienen que haber hecho la Primera Comunión y necesitan comprobante de haberlo hecho. La familia tiene que estar inscrita en la parroquia un mínimo de seis meses antes de reservar la Iglesia para la quinceañera con asistencia regular a la Santa Misa y ha de estar activa o en la doctrina o en el grupo juvenil o en un grupo parroquial con asistencia regular comprobada.

Confesiones

El Padre Luis confiesa por 1 hora todos los Sábados antes de la Santa Misa. Aquellos que deseen confesarse, por favor, llegar a la Iglesia por lo menos media hora antes de la Santa Misa.

LLAMADOS A SERVIR

Donde puedas invertir tus dones, hazlo y ganarás un tesoro en el Cielo. Si quieres estar más cerca de Dios, aquí tienes los diferentes ministerios donde puedes invertir tus talentos, tus dones y tu tiempo.

Coordinador General de la Comunidad Hispana **Padre Luis H. Pacheco**
239-455-3900 ext. 207

Ministros Extraordinarios de la Eucaristía
Alejandro Santiago 239-307-9261
Silvia Ortiz 239-777-1889

Ministerio de Música de Emaús
Francisco Castillo 239-601-6358

Ministerio de Ujieres
Miguel Martínez 239-821-5891

Ministerio del Rosario
Vicente Saavedra
Norma Flores 239-784-3081

Ministerio del Grupo de Oración
Elio Gorrostieta 239-404-9195

Ministerio de Emaús Hombres
Freddy Zavala 239-330-0929
Javier Aguilar 239-919-7035

Ministerio de Emaús Mujeres
Erika Saldaña 239-404-5136
Marcelina Rodríguez 239-692-1354

† ESTA SEMANA EN LA IGLESIA

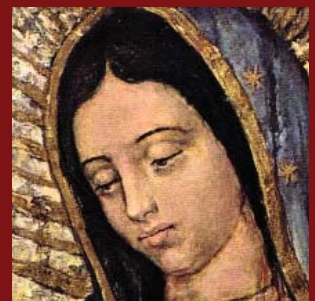
Lunes, 16 de Octubre
7:00 pm Emaús Hombres (PC)

Miércoles, 18 de Octubre
7:00 pm Emaús Mujeres (SC)
7:00 pm Clase de Biblia (PC)
7:00 pm Ensayo del Coro (GYM)

Viernes, 20 de Octubre

Sábado, 21 de Octubre
5:30 pm Confesiones (GYM)
6:30 pm Santa Misa (GYM)

C - Iglesia
SG - Gimnasio
SC - Salón Parroquial
CC - Capilla de Niños
MR - Cuarto de Conferencia
PC - Centro Parroquial



THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS VETERAN'S DAY CAR SHOW

November 11th, 9:00 am to 3:00 pm
The 1st annual Knights of Columbus Veteran's Day Car Show at St. Elizabeth Seton remembers and honors the sacrifices of those Americans who gave their time, their fighting spirit and sometimes their lives in war.



ATTENTION: ST. ELIZABETH SETON PARISHIONERS 70 ½ YEARS YOUNG

Please remember St. Elizabeth Seton Church and St. Elizabeth Seton School when you take your Individual Retirement Account required minimum distribution by year-end. The Qualified Charitable Distribution provision is now permanent.

What this means is that you can donate all or part of your required minimum distribution from your IRA directly to St. Elizabeth Seton Church and/or St. Elizabeth Seton School and not pay federal income taxes on your donated IRA required withdrawal. Please consult your tax advisor for details.

Your IRA donation is most welcome now as both our church and school rebuild from the hurricane damage. God bless you!

PAUL TODD CHARITIES FUNDRAISER

SATURDAY, OCT 28TH WYNDEMERE COUNTRY CLUB

Event held in Naples, FL to benefit Judy Sullivan Family Resource Center of Catholic Charities. A Special Dinner and Show Starring Paul Todd, Paul Todd Jr., and friends

- Silent Auction opens 5:45 pm
- Cocktails at 6:00 pm
- Dinner at 6:45 pm
- With show to follow
- Wyndemere's Fabulous Food
- 3 course dinner, salad, entrée, and dessert
- \$60 per person
- Tables of 8 and 10 available on request
- \$60 pays for dinner and concert only

You will be asked to make a donation to "Paul Todd Charities" the night of the event for a grant to Judy Sullivan family resource center. Wyndemere Country Club, 700 Wyndemere Way, Naples, FL 34105. For all reservations call Lynn (239)-370-7872 or Monica (239)-470-2035



ST. JOHN NEUMAN CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL

Open House and Guided Tours

Fall Open House Sunday, Oct 29th at 3:00 pm

Winter Open House Sunday, Jan 21st at 3:00 pm

Middle School Night

Casual, Fun Evening for New Students & Family

Oct 27th at 6:30 pm

Football Game and Halftime Activities

RSVP admissions@sjnceltics.org or

call 239-455-3044 x201

FAITH FORMATION **IMPORTANT DATES**

October 15

No classes

October 22

Faith Formation Classes, Middle School and High School Youth Groups begin.

K - 5th is from 9:00 AM - 10:30 AM in Parish Center
6th - 8th is from 4:00 PM - 5:30 PM in Parish Center
9th - 12th is from 6:00 PM - 7:30PM in Parish Center

October 29

Sacramental Preparation Classes begin. (Only for students, who are receiving a sacrament and are in their 2nd year of Faith Formation)

9:15 AM - 11:15 AM (1st Communion - Group 01)
11:30 AM - 1:30 PM (1st Communion - Group 02)
4:30PM - 6:30 PM (Confirmation)

Faith Formation Volunteer Opportunities

We are looking for committed and energetic volunteers to help with our youth groups(Middle School & High School)! No training necessary but volunteers need to complete Safe Environment Training and be Fingerprinted.

If interested, please call (239) 455-3900 ext. 303 for Jonah, Assistant to the Director of FF.



FORMACIÓN EN LA FE | **FECHAS IMPORTANTES**

Octubre 15

No hay clases

Octubre 22

Comienzan las clases de Formacion en la Fe y de los Grupos Juveniles de Middle School and High School.

K - 5th is from 9:00 - 10:30 AM in Parish Center
6th - 8th is from 4:00 PM - 5:30 PM in Parish Center
9th - 12th is from 6:00 PM - 7:30PM in Parish Center

Octubre 29

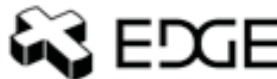
Comienzan las clases de Preparacion Sacramental. (Solo para aquellos estudiantes que se encuentren recibiendo un sacramento y estan en su 2nd año de Formación en la Fe)

9:15 AM - 11:15 AM (1ra Comunion - Group 01)
11:30 AM - 1:30 PM (1ra Comunion - Group 02)
4:30PM - 6:30 PM (Confirmacion)

Oportunidades para Voluntarios de Formacion en la Fe

Estamos buscando voluntarios comprometidos y con mucha energía que nos quieran ayudar con nuestros grupos juveniles (Middle School & High School)! No es necesario un conocimiento previo. Solo se requiere Fingerprinted y completar el entrenamiento de Safe Environment.

Los interesados, por favor, llamar al (239) 455-3900 ext. 303 y preguntar por Jonah, Asistente del Director de FF.



EVENTS

Mon 10/16

7 PM Sp. Emmaus Men | PC
7 PM Eng. Prayer Group | FF

Tues 10/17

6:30 PM Eng Bible Study | FF

Wed 10/18

8:30 AM Eng Bible Study | PC
6 PM Sp. Emmaus Women | SC
7 PM Sp. Choir Rehearsal | SG
7 PM Sp. Bible Study | PC

Thur 10/19

3 PM Eng Children Choir Rehearsal | SG
6:30 PM Eng RCIA | FF
7 PM Adult Choir Rehearsal | SG

Building Codes

C - Church
CC - Children's Chapel
MR - Meeting Room
O - Office
PC - Parish Center
SC - School Cafeteria
S - School
SG - School Gymnasium

Drive Carefully, Please.

During our reconstruction for both the school and church, it is important that we all are more careful driving and parking for daily Mass. please use extreme caution. Thank you.





St Elizabeth Seton Catholic School

Enriching minds and empowering souls for over 30 years.



Since its establishment in 1981, St. Elizabeth Seton Catholic School has offered high academic standards, as well as spiritual nourishment and growth for our students. We are proud of the performance of our faculty and staff, as well as the involved participation and support of our parents.

-Maria Niebuhr | Principal

- Florida-certified teachers who teach to the student, not to a standardized test
- Low student-teacher ratios
- Seton students' annual assessment tests place each child at least one year above their current grade level
- After Care available until 5:30 pm
- Secure, gated facilities
- Full athletic program & huge gym
- Time-honored Catholic traditions
- 1:1 iPad program for 5th - 8th grade
- State-of-the-art technology

We invite you to tour our beautiful Naples campus and learn how the Seton difference can change your child's life! To request a tour contact **Maria Niebuhr at **239-455-2262** or **niebuhr@seseton.org****



We are fortunate that we can begin work on rebuilding due to the generosity of many. BCBE Contracting LLC, Mr. Mel Engel, has been hired as the contractor for the school and he and his team have already been onsite. This is going to be a slow and steady process. Besides providing high quality, sound work they have waived all contractors' fees. Their kindness and generosity is inspiring. We are blessed they are here to work with us. Many have asked how they can help. We have memorial pavers available. This program provides an opportunity for those seeking to assist the school with the reparation and restoration from the devastation of Hurricane Irma. For more information you can download the order form at: <http://www.saintelizabethseton.com/pavers/> or call the school office at 239-455-2262.

With Blessings,

Maria Niebuhr | Principal

