



**August 18, 2019**  
20th Sunday in Ordinary Time



# Saint Elizabeth Seton

CATHOLIC CHURCH

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

## We are Called to Love... Amidst Animosity and Adversity

As St. Thomas Aquinas stated "Wherever peace is, there is concord, but there is not peace, wherever there is concord." True peace is the fruit of loving God. To love God means that we yield our will to his, forsaking our own desires, and yielding to the desire of God who is the ultimate Good. **Cont'd on page 3.**



### Undy Sunday, Last Weekend

We supply necessary new underwear and socks to needy school children. Collection boxes will be in the Church.



### Offertory 8/03-8/04

Offertory \$10,315  
Parish Youth \$3,139  
Attendance En: 543 | Sp: 640  
**Envelopes: 347**

## Los invita al Retiro Mariano

El Ministerio de Oración de la Parroquia Santa Elizabeth Seton los invita al Retiro Mariano: "**La Virgen Maria en las Escrituras**". **Predicador: Frank Morera. 31 de Agosto de 2019, 8:30AM a 4:30PM** En el Salon Parroquial. Entrada gratis – No hay cuidado de niños. Para mas infomacion: Jesus Delgado o Eba Loyola, 239.784.5503 - 239.965.6573





# MASS INTENTIONS

Sun, August 18th	<b>8 am</b>	<b>Parish Community</b>
	<b>10 am</b>	<b>The Boyk Family (L&amp;D)</b>
Mon, August 19th	<b>8 am</b>	<b>Souls in Purgatory</b>
Tues, August 20th	<b>8 am</b>	<b>Juan Garcia (L)</b>
Wed, August 21st	<b>8 am</b>	<b>For Souls in Purgatory</b>
Thur, August 22nd	<b>8 am</b>	<b>John Saladino (D)</b>
Fri, August 23rd	<b>8 am</b>	<b>Chet &amp; Dolly 72nd Anniv (L)</b>
Sat, August 24th	<b>8 am</b>	<b>Parish Community</b>
	<b>4:30 pm</b>	<b>Edward J. Rudman (D)</b>
	<b>6:30 pm</b>	<b>Beatriz Cruz &amp; Familia (L)</b>

## MASS SCHEDULE

Daily Liturgy (Mon-Sat) 8:00 am

**NOW All-Year Long**

Saturday Vigil 4:30 pm

Saturday Spanish Mass 6:30 pm

Sunday 8:00 & 10:00 am

**Reconciliation Saturday**

Saturdays after the 8:00 am Mass

and 3:00 pm in English

5:45 pm in Spanish

The 2020 Mass Intentions book is now open. We ask that all requests be made in person. Come by the Parish Office any time Mon-Fri, between 9:00am and 4:00pm. (There are still Mass intentions available for 2019)

*Events are now listed on Page 9*

# All are welcome! *We're alive in the spirit!*

## Pope Francis' Prayer Intention for August 2019

*Families, Schools of Human Growth* - That families, through their life of prayer and love, become ever more clearly "schools of true human growth."



### Knights of Columbus

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

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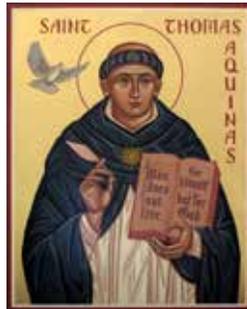
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SES School Information  
www.saintelizabethseton.com

# WE ARE CALLED TO LOVE... AMIDST ANIMOSITY AND ADVERSITY

"Doing or saying the right thing is easy. It will make you popular. People will love you for it. In fact, having firm conviction is the key to having a peaceful, easy existence without any real conflict." Said literally no one, ever. In the Judeo-Christian tradition, our prophets have been starved, beaten, fed to animals, burned, and tortured. Incidentally, in many cases, it was the "religious folks" that did the beating, torturing and killing. Jesus was handed over by religious authorities to be crucified by the Roman Government.

Sometimes, people think that the greatest good for the Christian is to "get along". I like to call this the "the gospel of nice." The thing is that Jesus didn't preach the gospel of nice. He preached something better. He preached the radical, risky, vulnerable, self-sacrificing love of God that rises above the conflicts of this world and calls us to love in the midst of animosity and adversity. The same Jesus who tells us that he did not come to bring peace, but to cause division." (Luke 12:51) also tells us: "Love your enemies, do good to those who hate you, bless those who curse you, pray for those who abuse you." (Luke 6:27-28)



However, Jesus does bring us peace, but a peace that the world cannot bring (John 14:27). At first, it seems that these statements of Jesus contradict each other, but further reflection resolves the apparent contradiction. A point which was agreed upon by some of the greatest thinkers of the last century including the eclectic trio of Gandhi, Ronald Regan, and Martin Luther King, Jr. is that peace is not the mere absence of conflict, but rather, as Dr. King stated peace is "the presence of justice." As St. Thomas Aquinas stated "Wherever peace is, there is concord, but there is not peace, wherever there is concord." True peace is the fruit of loving God. To love God means that we yield our will to his, forsaking our own desires, and yielding to the desire of God who is the ultimate Good.

When our will is united with God's will, there will be peace, a peace the world cannot bring. Yet, as we yield to God's will, this conflicts with our own selfish desires. Therefore, we are all living proof that the peace that the Lord brings is always in conflict with the world which places selfish desires as the ultimate goal. Whenever Christians proclaim that there is a Good that is greater than the immediate pleasure the world seeks to bring us, there will be conflict. And we will remain firmly rooted amid this conflict in the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding. (Philippians 4:7) Preaching the truth, will always yield conflict with the world, but ultimately peace in our hearts.



## THIS WEEK'S READINGS

Lectionary: 120

Reading JER 38:4-6, 8-10

RSP PS 40:2, 3, 4, 18

Reading HEB 12:1-4

Gospel LK 12:49-53



## 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†

*Monday thru Friday 9:00 am 2:30 pm*

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 KNIGHTS DO ADORATION

The next monthly Hour of Adoration sponsored by the Knights of Columbus will be the 3rd Wednesday, August 21st at 7:00pm in the Adoration Chapel. All men of the parish are invited. Adoration for everyone is every Monday thru Friday after the 8:00 am Mass. All are welcome.



## DO YOU KNIT OR CROCHET?

Our Lady , Undoer of Knots group meets every Tuesday at 9:00am. **We have been making prayer shawls for anyone in need of prayers, warmth or love.** We would now like to add to our services by making white shawls to be given to mothers and babies at baptism. Needless to say, we need more hands to accomplish this. If you are unable to attend our meetings, but would like to help by working at home, please call the Parish Office or 455-1590. We can't do this without your help.

**The Little Flower Rosary Makers** ministry is in honor of St. Thérèse of Lisieux. We would like to find and/or teach others to make rosaries, so that we may distribute them to the homebound, visitors, our children, and all those who need them. We meet Tuesdays at 10:30 am in the St. Juan Diego room.

# FAITH FORMATION AND SACRAMENT PREP INFO

We are now accepting applications for students in our Faith Formation Program. Any child from 1st grade up to 11th grade who attends a public school is encouraged to register. **If your child needs the sacrament of baptism, first communion, and / or confirmation you must register.** Also any ADULT needing to receive the sacraments of **baptism, first communion, and / or confirmation** you are encouraged to register into the RCIA Program.



Community Pregnancy Clinics   
Care. Compassion. Choices.

## SAVE THE DAY VOLUNTEER NURSES NEEDED

Community Pregnancy Clinics is a unique pregnancy resource center which provides many services to women, including Pregnancy Testing, Limited Obstetric Ultrasound Exam, STI Screening, Caring Peer Counseling & Referral Services, free of charge, using a professional medical model and full-time licensed medical staff. We are dedicated to providing quality care, compassion, and choices as we work to help moms and save babies from abortion.

We need nurses to help us with this mission. We are looking for nurses who are registered in the state of Florida to assist with one shift per week or more in our Mobile Medical Clinic, which travels to many locations between Naples and Port Charlotte. We are also looking for nurses at our other locations. Bilingual is a plus.

**If you are interested in volunteering, register at**

[COMMUNITY4LIFE.COM/VOLUNTEER](http://COMMUNITY4LIFE.COM/VOLUNTEER)

**If you have questions, please call**

**239-262-6381**



# THE 23RD UNDY SUNDAY 2019 DRIVE

This weekend is the last for Undy Sunday. Please be generous during the 23rd Undy Sunday 2019 Drive. This supplies necessary new underwear and socks to needy school children. Collection boxes will be in the Church. Thank you in advance!



## READY TO BECOME CATHOLIC

Maybe you are getting married, your spouse is Catholic, other members of the family are Catholic, you want to receive Holy Communion, or you want to find out about the Catholic faith. Regardless of the reason, St. Elizabeth Seton parish offers the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) program to help you explore your faith, learn about Catholicism, and inquire whether it may be right for you.

You will join others who are sharing the same experience. During this program, you will be baptized (if necessary), receive confirmation into the Church, and receive Holy Communion. The program is beginning at this time. For further information or to register, call St. Elizabeth's Faith Formation department at 239-455-3900.



## SACRAMENTS

### Marriages

Arrangements must be made six months in advance by calling the Parish Office.

### Baptisms

Please call the Parish Office for further information.

### Prayer Requests

We are here to pray for you 24 hours per day, 7 days per week. Please call 239-455-3900 ext. 301.



## THE CATHOLIC FAITH APPEAL

Goal	<b>\$204,000</b>	<i>With joy and gratitude, we</i>
Pledged	<b>\$219,149</b>	<i>thank everyone who has</i>
Collected	<b>\$201,036</b>	<i>committed to our CFA!</i>

## HELP ENSURE LONG-TERM SUPPORT OF ST. ELIZABETH SETON PARISH & SCHOOL

Through the generosity and Catholic Legacy of parish and school families, St. Elizabeth Seton Catholic School presently has two endowment funds with the Catholic Community Foundation of Southwest Florida. Endowment funds are designed to assist in providing long-term stability and sustainability beyond a donor's lifetime.

By creating or participating in endowment funds, donors both confirm and extend beyond their lifetime a commitment and conviction to Christ Jesus' mission and ministry of the Gospel proclamation of God's Kingdom among us. Additionally, endowment funds secure St. Elizabeth Seton Catholic Church and the School's future to form disciples and apostles of Christ Jesus for our community and the community-at-large. If we as a faith community and school seek to discern and respond to the future, we must plan for it as well.



Once an endowment is established, it is open to anyone wanting to contribute, in any amount desired. The endowment funds are structured so that the original gift amount (or principal) remains intact, while the investment earnings are used to support our parish and/or school. This creates a reliable and consistent revenue stream to help supplement funding for programs, ministries, future construction, and the needs for St. Elizabeth Seton Catholic Church and the School's future.

Many endowment funds are created through gifts from wills or trusts, however, several donors choose to fund endowments while they are still living, so that they can see the fruit and impact of their commitment and support. There are numerous ways to fund an endowment including gifts of cash, securities, property, and more.

We encourage and invite each of us to pray and consider supporting this program. Creating or contributing to an endowment fund to support a favorite program and/or ministry will permit a legacy to future generations seeking to grow in faith, hope, and love.

*Thank you from all the students and staff of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton School.*

# ESTA SEMANA EN LA IGLESIA

**Lunes, 19 de Agosto**  
7pm Hombres de Emaús (PC)

**Martes, 20 de Agosto**  
7 pm Clase de Guitarra (C)

**Miércoles, 21 de Agosto**  
7 pm Clase de Biblia (JD)  
7pm Reunión-Ministros  
Extraordinarios de la Comunión (SC)

**Jueves, 22 de Agosto**  
7 pm Misa Carismática (C)

**Viernes, 23 de Agosto**  
7pm Practica del Coro (C)

**Sábado, 24 de Agosto**  
10:30am Clase de Costura (JD)  
5:30 pm Confesiones (C)  
6:30 pm Misa (C)

AC - Capilla de Adoracion    CC - Capilla de Niños  
C - Iglesia                    JD- Juan Diego Room  
FF - Formación de Fe        PC - Centro Parroquial  
SG - Gimnasio                SJ - San Jose  
SC - Salón Parroquial



# CLASE DE BIBLIA PARA ADULTOS

Los Miercoles de 7:00 - 9:00 pm (JD)

Profesor: Padre Luis H. Pacheco

# HORARIO DE MISAS

Misa diaria                    8 am (Ing)  
Lunes a Sábado

Sabado                        4:30pm (Ing)  
6:30pm (Esp)

Domingo                      8 & 10am (Ing)

# EL AMOR RADICAL, ARRIESGADO Y VULNERABLE

"Hacer o decir lo correcto es fácil. Te hará popular. La gente te amará por eso. De hecho, tener una convicción firme es la clave para tener una existencia pacífica y fácil sin ningún conflicto real". Nunca dicho literalmente por nadie. En la tradición judeocristiana, nuestros profetas han sido muertos de hambre, golpeados, alimentados a los animales, quemados y torturados. Por cierto, en muchos casos, fueron las "personas religiosas" las que golpearon, torturaron y mataron. Jesús fue entregado por las autoridades religiosas para ser crucificado por el gobierno romano.

A veces la gente piensa que el mayor bien para el cristiano es "llevarse bien". Me gusta llamar a esto el "evangelio de lo bueno". La cuestión es que Jesús no predicó el evangelio de lo bueno. Él predicó algo mejor. Predicó el amor radical, arriesgado, vulnerable y sacrificado de Dios que se eleva por encima de los conflictos de este mundo y nos llama a amar en medio de la animosidad y la adversidad. El mismo Jesús que nos dice que no vino para traer paz, sino para causar división "(Lucas 12:51) también nos dice: " Ama a tus enemigos, haz el bien a los que te odian, bendice a los que te maldicen, ora por los que abusan de ti "(Lucas 6: 27-28)

Sin embargo, Jesús nos trae paz, pero una paz que el mundo no puede traer (Juan 14:27). Al principio, parece que estas declaraciones de Jesús se contradicen entre sí, pero una reflexión más profunda resuelve la aparente contradicción. Un punto acordado por algunos de los mejores pensadores del siglo pasado, incluido el trío ecléctico o Gandhi, Ronald Regan y Martin Luther King, Jr., es que la paz no es la sola ausencia de conflicto, sino más bien, como el Dr. King declaró que la paz es "la presencia de la justicia". Como dijo Santo Tomás de Aquino: "Donde sea que haya paz, hay concordia, pero no hay paz, donde sea que haya concordia". La verdadera paz es el fruto de amar a Dios. Amar a Dios significa que cedemos nuestra voluntad a la suya, abandonando nuestros propios deseos y cediendo al deseo de Dios, quien es el Bien supremo.

Cuando nuestra voluntad se une con la voluntad de Dios, habrá paz, una paz que el mundo no puede traer. Sin embargo, a medida que cedemos a la voluntad de Dios, esto entra en conflicto con nuestros propios deseos egoístas. Por lo tanto, todos somos prueba viviente de que la paz que el Señor trae siempre está en conflicto con el mundo, lo que coloca los deseos egoístas como la meta final. Siempre que los Cristianos proclamen que hay un Bien que es mayor que el placer inmediato y que la palabra busca traernos, habrá conflicto. Seguiremos firmemente arraigados en medio de este conflicto en la paz de Dios, que supera todo entendimiento. (Filipenses 4: 7) La predicación de la verdad siempre generará conflicto con el mundo, pero finalmente paz en nuestros corazones.

# VEN A SENTIR LA DIFFERENCIA EN SETON!

- CLASES PEQUEÑAS
- IPAD PERSONALIZADO 5 - 8 GRADO
- TECNOLOGIA AVANZADA
- PERSONAL Y MAESTROS DEDICADOS

Ven a conocer a nuestra asistente, la Sra. Katy Rendon, la cual le ayudara a los nuevos alumnos con el proceso de inscripcion y completacion de las aplicaciones para obtener asistencia financiera. Si desea visitar las instalaciones de la escuela o necesita una cita con la Sra. Rendon por favor llamar al número 239-455-2262



# LOS INVITA AL RETIRO MARIANO

El Ministerio de Oración de la Parroquia Santa Elizabeth Seton los invita al Retiro Mariano "La Virgen Maria en las Escrituras"

- Predicador: Frank Morera,
- 31 de Agosto de 2019, 8:30AM a 4:30PM
- En el Salon Parroquial
- Entrada gratis – No hay cuidado de niños

Para mas informacion:

**Jesus Delgado o Eba Loyola**

239.784.5503 - 239.965.6573



## 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

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Ministerio de Emaús Mujeres  
**Silvia Ortiz 239-777-1889**  
**Rosalba DeLeon 239-384-1996**

Ministerio de Lectores  
**John Bedoya 239-692-2526**

## LOS ACCIDENTES DE LA VIDA

Los accidentes de la vida nos separan de nuestros amigos más queridos, pero no nos desesperemos. Dios es como un espejo en el que las almas se ven unas a otras. Cuanto más nos unamos a Él por amor, más cerca estamos de aquellos que le pertenecen.



## EL FONDO DE MIGRANTES & LA FUNDACIÓN PARA EL CUIDADO DE LOS INMIGRANTES

¿Sabía usted que Migrant Endowment & Foundation for the Care of the Migrant Poor es una fuente de fondos proporcionados por la Diócesis de Venice para proporcionar asistencia y aclimatación a las comunidades de migrantes en nuestra Diócesis?





## SUMMERTIME EASY GIVING

**Summertime and the Giving is Easy Appeal** - Real people. Real lives. Make a real difference! Catholic Charities offers people in need throughout Southwest Florida with help that brings about real change in their lives. The Catholic Charities Summertime and the Giving is Easy Appeal is asking for your support. You can donate to the type of assistance you care about such as food, shelter, education and support. The giving is easy! Visit [www.catholiccharitiesdov.org](http://www.catholiccharitiesdov.org) or mail a check to Catholic Charities, 5824 Bee Ridge Road PMB 409, Sarasota, FL 34233-5065. Your gift will make a positive impact on our less fortunate brothers and sisters!

# LUNCHEONS-4-LIFE NAPLES

**Join us for a complimentary lunch and networking as we join efforts to end abortion in Collier County.**

Luncheons 4 Life is a grass roots luncheon designed to bring together like-minded life affirming people to network with agencies, churches and life affirming organizations, and concerned individuals to end the demand for abortion in Southwest FL. It began 5 years ago in the Sarasota County area and has born many fruits. There is no cost for the luncheon and no one asks for donations, and it is not a platform for political agendas. While there is always a guest speaker, the best part of the program is when we pass the microphone to anyone of the Spirit inspired audience.

**Wednesday August 28th, 2019 at The Club at the Strand**

5840 Strand Blvd., Naples, FL 34110

11:30am- 1:30pm, **Networking and Lunch**

Guest Speaker

**Barbara Alderfer**

**Author of STOP, DROP & PRAY**

1:45pm - 2:45pm, **Eucharistic Adoration**

at St. Williams Catholic Church

Check out our website: [www.luncheons4life.com](http://www.luncheons4life.com)



*As I shared STOP DROP and PRAY with members of our parish, St. Raphael's Catholic Church, something amazing happened! There was a new stirring of the Holy Spirit. We all experienced personal encounters with the transforming love and healing power of Jesus. We were never the same after that.*

StopDropandPray.net is designed to create a network for everyone to share and receive the Good News of the Gospel and gifts of the Holy Spirit! We encourage all members to contribute to the website through witness stories, inspirational thoughts, book reviews, poetry, art and more.

This Network is open to all who want to give what God has given you and to receive what God has to give...for the Glory of God!

**RSVP by August 23, 2019 to Greg Harper, [luncheons4lifenasles@aol.com](mailto:luncheons4lifenasles@aol.com), 239-777-4558**



## 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](http://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 Sylvia Jimenez at 941-412-5860 or [project.rachel@dioceseofvenice.org](mailto:project.rachel@dioceseofvenice.org)

**For Respect Life questions or prayer cards, contact Jeanne Berdeaux at 941-441-1101 or [berdeaux@dioceseofvenice.org](mailto:berdeaux@dioceseofvenice.org)**

# OUR POLICY ON LIFE DEFIES BOTH LOGIC AND DECENCY

"Life is beautiful. One's value is not contingent upon external features, such as one's bank account, one's successes or one's lineage. A human being's value is intrinsic, not earned. Without this basic moral understanding, few of our laws would make much sense. Laws against murder, for instance, would fail to make sense if we did not deem human life to be intrinsically valuable and worthy of protection. Rather than choose an arbitrary starting point for valuing human life, we should go to the point when life begins. For this, science gives us clear understanding of when a new human life begins. Science tells us that life begins at the moment of conception ..... From the moment of conception onward, a new human being is present until that life is ended in a laboratory, by an abortionist, or at some point after birth. Sadly, our current life-related policy in the United States ignores science, choosing capricious points at which to protect innocent human life. Our current policy is inconsistent, defying both logic and decency." - Senator Sam Brownback



**"As citizens, we should be guided more by our moral convictions than by our attachment to a political party or interest group."**

**Forming Consciences for Faithful Citizenship, USCCB**

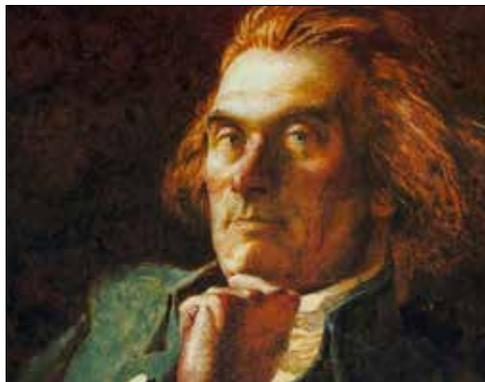
## THE RIGHT TO LIFE IS FUNDAMENTAL

In the Preamble to the Declaration of Independence, Thomas Jefferson made it very clear that all human beings "are endowed by their Creator with certain inalienable rights". Chief and first among those he enumerated was the Right to Life.

Jefferson and our founding fathers knew that without the right to life, no other rights are possible. How can one have the right to vote or the right to free speech, for example, if one does not firstly have the right to exist?

The rights mentioned in the Declaration are no less valid than those articulated in our Constitution. In fact, they are foundational to all the rights and protections which

the Constitution guarantees. This applies especially to the right to life, which is not only paramount but is also clearly protected under the 14th Amendment by due process of law. We need to impress upon our children the importance of these two documents and how they already guarantee every American, born or unborn, weak or strong, the blessings of Life, Liberty and the Pursuit of Happiness.



# EVENTS

## Mon, August 19

7 pm English Prayer Group (AC)  
7 pm Spanish Emmaus Men (PC)

## Tues, August 20

9am Crochet Group (JD)  
11am Rosary makers (JD)

## Wed, August 21

7 pm Sp. Bible Class (JD)

## Thurs, August 22

3 pm English Children's Choir Practice (C)  
7 pm English Adult Choir Practice (PC)

### Building Codes

AC - Adoration Chapel

C - Church

CC - Children's Chapel

FF - Faith Formation

JD - Juan Diego Rm

O - Office

PC - Parish Center

SC - School Cafeteria

S - School

SG - School Gymnasium

SJ - St. Joseph's Room



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# SES 2019 GOLF CLASSIC

Saturday, Dec 7th, 2019

## BECOME A SPONSOR

**Course Sponsor \$100**  
We will proudly display your company (or family) name on the course during the event on a first class sponsor sign.

**Course Sponsor +1 \$225**  
Same as Course Sponsor, plus one free entry into the SES Golf Classic. Opportunity to provide corporate gift bags or item for gift bags.

**SES Event Sponsor \$450**  
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**\$150/PLAYER**

### CONTACT EVENT CHAIRS

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*Fee includes all golf fees, welcome pastries and coffee, lunch buffet with salad bar, burgers, hotdogs, and brats, and dessert, 2 drink tickets per person (wine, beer, cocktail), great prizes, and a special free golf clinic by local PGA Professionals!*

## SCHEDULE

**7:00 am**  
Registration begins/continental breakfast

**7:30 am**  
Special golf clinic by local PGA Pros

**8:30 am**  
Shotgun Start/Scramble Format

**1:00-2:00 pm**  
Lunch, Raffle and Awards/Prizes

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