

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish



Ministry Opportunities



Reception

Securing Our Facilities

Each morning and evening we have members who open or close our building for us. Currently we have an opening to secure the facilities on Tuesday evenings. This is a once a week commitment. There are others on the team you can trade dates with or work with for subbing. Training and further information will be provided. If you are interested in helping with this ministry, please contact Kelli. kdevries@seasp.org or 319-393-3778

Receptionist Ministry Opportunity

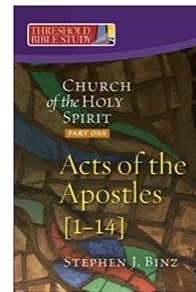
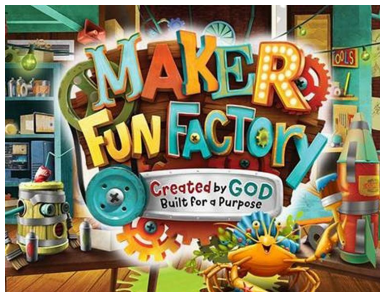
We have an opening for our Receptionist Ministry in the office. This would be on Friday mornings from 9:00 AM-Noon each week. Duties include welcoming guests, answering phones and directing guests to the right staff member. Training will be provided. If you have questions about this ministry you can contact Kelli at kdevries@seasp.org or 319-393-3778.



Youth & Adult Formation

First Communion 2017

*Congratulations to our First
Communion candidates for 2017!*



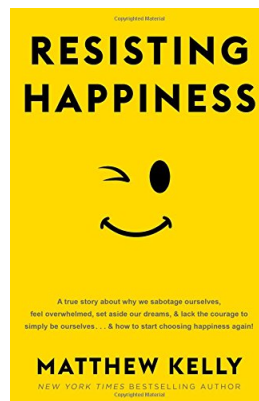
Vacation Bible School

Registration for Vacation Bible School 2017 has begun! Join us for a week of faith, fellowship, and FUN, June 26-30, 9:00 AM-11:30 AM! Forms will be available in the parish office and links to the forms are available on the website. All spots for participants (entering 4-year-old preschool through 4th grade) and volunteers (youth entering 5th-12th grade and adults) will be filled on first come basis, so be sure to sign up ASAP! Contact Jill Sires at jsires@seasp.org with any questions.

Easter Bible Study 2017!

The most thrilling and adventurous book of the Bible, Acts shows us Christianity being lived for the first time. Since we hear the Acts of the Apostles proclaimed at Mass during the Easter season, join us as we dive into *Church of the Holy Spirit* this Easter! Groups will run from the week of April 24-June 5!

[REGISTER NOW](#)



Summer Book Club 2017

We gave out “**Resisting Happiness**” at all the Masses this Easter. We’d love to have you join us this summer to read and reflect on this life changing book! Groups will run from July 10-August 14!

[Register Now!](#)



Parish Events



SAVE THE DATE! *Outside Friday Night!* Adult Celebration on the Plaza

Mark your calendar for Friday, June 2nd, 5:30 PM-7:30 PM for our annual *Outside Friday Night*, Adult Celebration. We will have faith, food, drinks and great company! This event is open to any adult 21 and up. We look forward to seeing you for a great evening out!



Catholic Schools



Sign Up for Xavier High School Summer Camps!

Xavier High School will be hosting a variety of summer camps for elementary and middle school students in June and July. Campers will have an opportunity to learn key skills in their respective camps while having fun! Camps offered include: Football, Volleyball, Wrestling, Track, Theatre, Softball, Show Choir, Boys Basketball, Girls Basketball and Coach Tom Lilly's "Shoot Like a Champion" Clinic. Sign up information is available at www.xaviersaints.org/camps.

First Annual St. Pius X PTO Golf Outing & Picnic!

Join us for the First Annual St. Pius X PTO Golf Outing & Picnic on Sunday, June 4. Shotgun starts at 1:00 PM at St. Andrew's Golf Club, Four-Person Best Shot.

The 19th Hole FAMILY Picnic Par-Tee will be at Noelridge Park pavilion on Council Street beginning at 4:30 PM.

[Golf Outing Registration Form](#)
[Golf Outing Sponsorship Form](#)
[19th Hole Family Picnic Par-Tee tickets](#)

Please contact Devin and Jill Sires at devinandjillsires@gmail.com for questions.



Community News



Renovations continue at our CWH-Extended Living Program house next store. Once fully renovated this will house 4 single parent families for up to 6 months as they secure more permanent housing. This will be the only bridge program of its type in Cedar Rapids. Thank you Franciscan Sisters for your generous \$8000 grant to our goal! Our main shelter typically serves about 2 dozen families with children and single women every night who stay for up to 90 or 30 nights respectively. Please visit our website

www.catholicworkerhouse.org to see our current needs and the many ways you can support our mission.

Families/groups donate evening meals every night. You can see open dates on the website or contact the CWH at 319-362-9041 for open dates. St. Elizabeth Ann Seton parish also has teams thru our Social Justice Committee that supply a hot meal for the house one day a month. Contact seaspsjc@gmail.com if you are interested in joining a team. Thank you and God bless.

We have the following needs: Canned protein, pasta sauce, canned beans, other canned vegetables (have plenty of green beans & corn), potatoes (boxed or fresh, rice products, canned fruit, cracker, muffin mix, healthy snacks, small/trial sized (hotel) soap, shampoo, conditioner, regular sized toiletries for baskets we give to larger families, and laundry detergent.

We are very grateful for your support, which enables us to serve our neighbors in need.



Mass/Liturgy Readings for April 30, 2017

Readings for the week of April 30

Sunday, April 30, Third Sunday of Easter ([Lk 24:13-35](#))

Mass at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish at 8:30 AM, *For the Parish*

Mass at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish at 11:00 AM, *Dick Hamilton*

Monday, May 1, Easter Weekday ([Jn 6:22-29](#))

NO MASS

Tuesday, May 2, St. Anthanasius, Bishop & Doctor of the Church ([Jn 6:30-35](#))

Mass at Hiawatha Care Center at 9:45 AM, *Paul Freeze*

Wednesday, May 3, St. Phillip & St. James, Apostles ([Jn 14:6-14](#))

Mass at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish at 12:15 PM, *Donald & Ellen Marie Shanahan*

Thursday, May 4, Easter Weekday ([Jn 6:44-51](#))

Mass at St. Pius X at 9:00 AM

Friday, May 5, Easter Weekday ([Jn 6:52-59](#))

Mass at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton at 6:30 AM, *Frank McDonald*

Saturday, May 6 Vigil: Fourth Sunday of Easter ([Jn 6:60-69](#))
Reconciliation at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish from 4:15 PM-4:45 PM
Mass at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish at 5:00 PM, *Edith Wheeler*
Sunday, May 7, Fourth Sunday of Easter ([Jn 10:1-10](#))
Mass at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish at 8:30 AM, For the Parish
Mass at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish at 11:00 AM, Bertha Garcia
PrayGround Available at 8:30 AM & 11:00 AM Mass Times
Prayz Kids Available at the 11:00 AM Mass



Weekly Giving For 4/23/2017

Envelopes	\$	8,213.25
Bank Checks	\$	675.00
EFT	\$	30,170.00
Loose	\$	881.00
Almsgiving (House of Hope)	\$	32.21
Building Fund	\$	611.50
Easter	\$	3,093.00
Total	\$	
		43,675.96



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Parish Office Hours: Monday - Thursday 8:30 AM-4:00 PM, Friday 8:30 AM-1:00 PM

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