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ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH
Journeying Together Joyfully

PILGRIMS SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER JOHN 14:28 MAY 25, 2025

WELCOME

OUR MISSION STATEMENT

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Roman Catholic Church is a loving, caring community of faith where all are welcome and belong. Challenged and nourished by Christ, we are continuously formed as disciples. And so, we journey together joyfully to be Christ for everyone.

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REGULAR MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil: 4 pm

Sunday: 6am, 8am, 10am, Noon, 4pm and 6pm

Daily Mass Mon-Sat: 8am (9am on MOST public holidays)

ROSARY

Mon-Sat: 7:25am

CONFESSIONS

Saturday: 8:45am-9:30am Also by appointment

LIVE STREAM SCHEDULE (www.seaslv.org)

Sunday Mass: 8am

Daily Mass Mon-Sat: 8am (9am on MOST public holidays) 24/7: Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament or the Eucharistic Presence of Christ in the Tabernacle

TV MASS

Catholic Mass airs every Sunday at 7:30 a.m. on Cox Cable channel 6, KFBT-TV digital channel 33.1, and can be viewed at www.seaslv.org.

CHURCH WORSHIP SPACE

Sunday: 5am-7:30pm Mon-Fri: 7am-5pm Saturday: 7am-5:30pm

MATER DEI CHAPEL HOURS

For Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Prayer Time

Mon-Fri: 9am-7pm Saturday: 9am-3pm

Closed: Legal holidays & during parish office closures

For Quiet Prayer

Saturday: 3pm-4pm Sunday: 7am-6pm

CHURCH OFFICE

Mon: 9am-5pm; Closed 12pm-1:30pm Tues-Fri: 9am-5pm; Closed 12pm-1pm Saturday: 9am-4pm; Closed 12pm-1pm

SURSUM CORDA GIFT SHOP

Mon: 9am-5pm; Closed 12pm-1:30pm Tues-Fri: 9am-5pm; Closed 12pm-1pm

Sat: 9am-5:30pm; Closed 12pm-1pm & during 4pm Mass Sun: 7am-7:30pm; Closed during all Masses and 2pm-3pm

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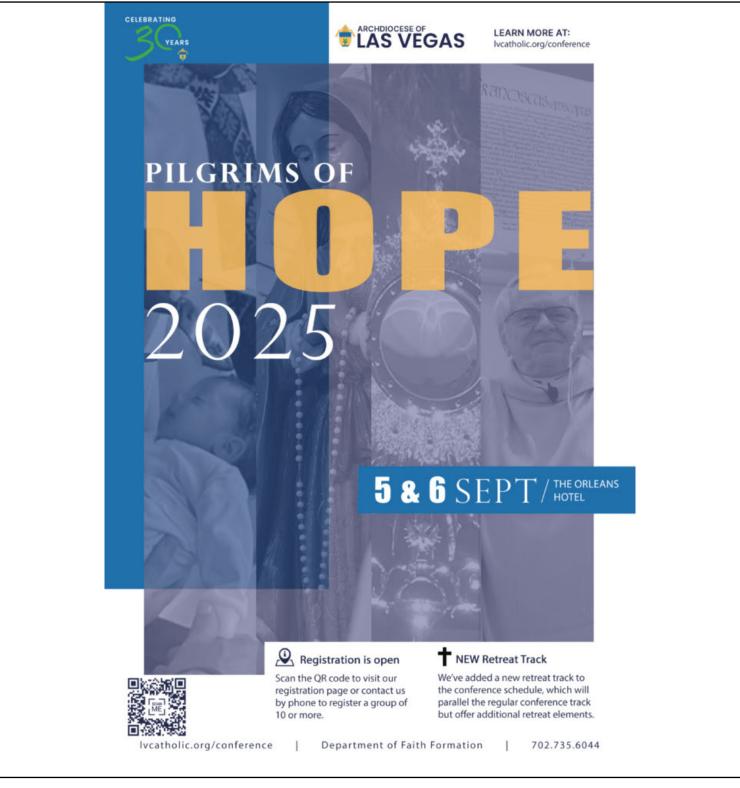
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Are You Looking for Spiritual Renewal?

Registration is now open for the 2025 Las Vegas Archdiocesan Conference: *Pilgrims of Hope!* Join us September 5-6, 2025, at the Orleans Hotel Convention Center for a powerful experience of faith, learning, and community. To see the conference schedule, list of guest speakers, and choice of sessions and workshops,

scan the QR Code above or visit www.lvcatholic.org/conference. Register by June 1st for the best pricing!

This year's conference includes a special *Retreat Track* with the theme "Hope: a Promise Fulfilled," to help you reconnect with God.

June 1st: Last Day for Conference Early Bird Pricing

Registration Pricing:

- \$150 Early Bird Rate Ends June 1st.
- Regular Registration Rate

June 2 - July 21: \$175

- Late Registration Rate
- July 22 August 22: **\$200**
- At the Door: **\$225**

WEEKLY PRAYER

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 25, 2025

Sunday: Acts 15:1-2, 22-29/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8 (4)/Rv 21:10-14, 22-23/

Jn 14:23-29

Monday: Acts 16:11-15/Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b/Jn 15:26—16:4a

Tuesday: Acts 16:22-34/Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 7c-8/Jn 16:5-11

Wednesday: Acts 17:15, 22—18:1/Ps 148:1-2, 11-12, 13, 14/Jn 16:12-15

Thursday: Acts 18:1-8/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4/Jn 16:16-20 **Friday:** Acts 18:9-18/Ps 47:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Jn 16:20-23

Saturday: Zep 3:14-18a or Rom 12:9-16/ls 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6/Lk 1:39-56 **Next Sunday:** Acts 1:1-11/Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9 (6)/Eph 1:17-23 or Heb 9:24-28;

10:19-23/Lk 24:46-53

OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 25, 2025

Sunday: 6th Sunday of Easter

Monday: St. Philip Neri, Priest; Memorial Day

Tuesday: St. Augustine of Canterbury, Bishop

Wednesday: Weekday Mass
Thursday: St. Paul VI, Pope
Friday: Weekday Mass

Saturday: The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Next Sunday: The Ascension of the Lord; World Communications Day

CATHOLIC TRIVIA

Question: How many scripture passages from the Bible

are usually read during each Mass?

Answer: Three

LIVE THE LITURGY

God makes His dwelling with those who love Him and keep His word. We must all make our lives places where God feels welcome to dwell. Our actions, our words, our decisions must all say in one voice: "Come, Holy Spirit!"

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DEVOTIONS EXPLAINED



Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Explained

Our Lady of Perpetual Help refers both to a title conferred upon the Blessed Mother as well as to a corresponding icon that dates to the late Middle Ages.

Painted on wood, the original icon has a Byzantine style and depicts the Blessed Mother holding the Christ Child. She is flanked by St. Michael and St. Gabriel, who hold the instruments of Christ's passion, including a spear, nails and the Crown of Thorns. In the image, Christ seemingly leans into his mother's embrace for comfort and strength as he contemplates these objects.

The icon is thought to have originated in Crete, but for 300 years was venerated in the Church of San Matteo in Merulana in Rome. Blessed Pope Pius IX entrusted the image to the Order of Redemptorists, who moved it to the Church of St. Alphonsus. He later established the Feast of Our Lady of Perpetual Help on June 27.

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ALTAR FLOWERS

Additional flowers at the altar this weekend were donated in honor of the marriage of

Mark Bly & Tina Serna



DIED IN CHRIST

† Gerard Martinez

Funeral Mass Saturday, May 31 at 1 p.m. Eulogies at 12:30 p.m.

† Thomas J. "Tommy" Conti

Funeral Mass June 5 at 10 a.m.

† Bob Usischon

Funeral Mass June 11 at 11 a.m. Eulogies at 10:50 a.m.

CATHOLIC STEWARDSHIP APPEAL 2025



Scan the QR Code or go to www.LVCatholic.org to donate now.

Make sure to note SEAS as your parish so your donation will be credited correctly.

If writing a check, make checks payable to:
The Roman Catholic Archbishop
of Las Vegas CSA

Place your check and a completed pledge card in a sealed CSA envelope, place it in any collection basket, and we will deliver it to the Archdiocese for you. Pledge cards and envelopes are on the tables near the Baptism font.

You can also mail your pledge card to:
Archdiocese of Las Vegas
336 Cathedral Way
Las Vegas, NV 89109 · 702-735-3500

WORSHIP & MEDITATION

LITURGY GOSPEL MEDITATION

6th Sunday of Easter: John 14:23-29

Jonathan Haidt's 2024 book entitled "The Anxious Generation" argues that today's kids are marked by significant increases in anxiety, as the title suggests.

Smartphones, social media, economic uncertainty, the chaos of a global pandemic, fear regarding climate change, and the so-called "meaning crisis" all contribute to strikingly high levels of anxiety in young people today. I'm a bit older than this generation, but I feel it, too. The world can be too much to handle.

The Gospel this week offers a stunning solution for troubled souls. To his overwhelmed and anxious disciples, the risen Jesus says, "Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you" (John 14:27). His peace is that of the one who was overwhelmed on the cross and then conquered death by the power of his divinity, his bond of love with the Father. He offers us this unshakable peace.

Of course, mental illness does not magically disappear because of the risen Jesus. But he does walk with us and offer us his peace in the midst of our suffering. The peace the world gives is not like his because it is weak, uncertain, and self-generated. Jesus' peace is strong, sure, and given as a gift from God. He gives it to us amid our anxiety. Will you receive it as a gift? I hope so. He wants to fill the hearts of this generation with his peace.

— Father John Muir ©LPi

PRACTICING CATHOLIC

My Peace I Give to You

When John has a vision of heavenly Jerusalem, he sees walls. "A massive, high wall," to be more precise. In the modern lexicon, walls have a negative connotation; we use them as metaphors for all that is exclusionary and rigid. But throughout much of history, walls have meant something very different. In the ancient world, walls meant safety. Walls meant peace.

"My peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you," Jesus tells his disciples in today's Gospel. "Not as the world gives do I give it to you."

So what's the difference between the peace we know in the world, and the peace we know in Christ? Well, I would argue that the difference is that the peace we know in Christ exists. We know no real peace in this world. Sometimes, we witness a sort of mirage of peace — something like it, but just a little off, and always on the horizon, never within reach.

Peace, to me, means rest. It means quiet. It means the absence of confrontation, of conflict, of anxiety. But I can't actually experience any of that in this life, not in a substantial way. I can rest — but I never really feel rested. I can retreat to a room by myself to have silence, but someone always knocks on the door, and even if they don't, my thoughts get pretty loud. And boy oh boy, are those thoughts full of confrontation; full of anxiety, full of conflict. Wherever I go to find peace, the world finds me and banishes it.

I think of the walls of heavenly Jerusalem, so high and so sturdy, guarded so scrupulously by God's strongest angels. These walls are not barriers. They are shields. They are arms, encircling us, gathering us in. In Christ alone can we find peace in this world.

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LITURGICAL LIFE

PRESIDER MASS INTENTIONS*

Saturday 5/24

8am † Connie Ehrlich

4pm † Tommie & † Denna Tyler

Sunday 5/25

6am SEAS Parish Family 8am † Bennie M. Belt

10am Beth Agra & Jaime Lazatin
12pm † Danny E. Stephens
4pm † Balvina Jensen
6pm † Virginia Currih

Monday 5/26

9am † Maria Elena Walsh

Tuesday 5/27

8am Jeanne Drabiak

Wednesday 5/28

8am Consuelo Van Gemert

Thursday 5/29

8am † Toni & † Al Noyes

Friday 5/30

8am † Novena of the Deceased

Saturday 5/31

8am † Josefina P. Tate 4pm SEAS Parish Family

Sunday 6/1

6am † Joann B. Meskowski

8am † Frances & † Sal DeSalvatore 10am † Rebeka Gladys Rudolfsky 12pm † Sr. Rafaella Wittman

4pm † Jeff Parish

6pm † Martin DeSomma

* Scheduling a Mass Intention

Schedule a Presider's Mass Intention in the Sursum Corda Gift Shop or call the church receptionist at 702-228-8311. Presider Mass Intentions are prayed for silently by the priest at Mass and are not announced during Mass.

QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK...Reflect and Respond to Scripture

First Reading: We hear how the church in Jerusalem resolved their conflicts through dialogue and compromise. When has your faith community had to resolve a conflict?

Second Reading: As John's final vision continues, he sees the splendor and glory of God lighting the city of Jerusalem. Can you think of a time when you felt really close to God?

Gospel: Jesus taught his disciples that the Holy Spirit will be sent to believers to teach them and remind them of his words. Can you share a time when you have felt inspired by the Holy Spirit?

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Parish Summer Hours: May 30 - August 29

Please note our parish summer hours between Memorial Day and Labor Day: The church, parish offices, gift shop, and Mater Dei Chapel will close at 12 Noon every Friday from May 30 through August 29. On those Fridays, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will be observed in the Mater Dei Chapel from 9 a.m. until 12 Noon. Reposition of the Blessed Sacrament will be at 12 Noon, then the chapel will close.

WHY DO WE DO THAT?

Question: Why do Catholics need to go to Mass every Sunday?

Answer: The heart of the Church's instruction that we are to attend Mass on Sundays goes back to the Third Commandment: "Take care to keep holy the sabbath day as the LORD, your God, has commanded you" (Deuteronomy 5:12). Although the Jewish People celebrate the Sabbath on Saturday, the first generations of Christians began to observe the sabbath on Sunday, recognizing how important it is for Christians to celebrate the day that Jesus rose from the dead. As the United States Catholic Catechism for Adults observes, "Sunday extends the celebration of Easter throughout the year ... It makes present the new creation brought about by Christ" (364).

The focus of our Sunday should be the celebration of the Eucharist in the Mass. This is our time to be formed by God's Word and nourished at the table of the Lord, becoming prepared to live out and share our faith in the week that follows. In his encyclical, *Dies Domini*, Pope Saint John Paul II reminded us that Christians "cannot live their faith or share fully in the life of the Christian community unless they take part regularly in the Sunday Eucharistic assembly" (no. 81). This is why the Church teaches us that Sunday Mass is a non-negotiable part of being a Christian (see Catechism of the Catholic Church, no. 2192).

Beyond being a time of worship, we should also remember that Sunday is intended to be a day of rest, when we make time for recreation, for sharing meals, and enjoying the company of friends and family. Sunday is given to us as a day to take stock of and enjoy the blessings that God has given us (see Catechism of the Catholic Church, no. 2187). Pope Francis reminds us, "The day of rest, centered on the Eucharist, sheds its light on the whole week, and motivates us to greater concern for nature and the poor" (Laudato Si', no. 237).

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Father's Day Novena of Masses June 15 - 23

Our parish tradition is to pray for our fathers, both living and deceased, for nine Masses beginning on Father's Day. If you would like to include the name of your father, grandfather, godfather, stepfather, foster father, father-in-law, or anyone who has fulfilled the role of father in your life, fill out a novena envelope (extra ones are in the gathering space) and return it before Father's Day, June 15, to the Sursum Corda Gift Shop or in any collection basket at Mass. You can also submit your request at www.seaslv.org with the Father's Day Novena menu tab.

Our Parish Stewardship Program

Christ the King Roman Catholic Church will be the May recipient of our parish stewardship program, "In Giving, We Receive." To help Christ the King Church as part of your own personal stewardship, put your contribution in a plain envelope CLEARLY MARKED FOR CHRIST THE KING, and drop it in any Sunday collection basket. Your gift will be included with the parish gift that will be disbursed at the end of May. Through this program, we give 2% of our offertory collections for the month to a struggling parish or charitable organization within the Archdiocese of Las Vegas. The Archdiocese helps identify which parishes have the greatest need.



Memorial Day: Mass at 9 a.m. / Holiday Hours

In observance of Memorial Day, daily Mass will be celebrated at 9 a.m. on Monday, May 26, and the parish offices and gift shop will be closed. The church will close for the day at the conclusion of morning Mass. The Mater Dei Chapel will be closed as well, and there will be no Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.

Taping of TV Masses

Televised Masses for the sick and homebound will be celebrated and taped on Wednesday, May 28:

- 9:30 a.m. The Most Holy Trinity
- 10:15 a.m. The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ
- 11 a.m. Saints Peter and Paul
- 11:45 a.m. 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

By participating as members of the congregation you show our brothers and sisters who are not able to come to church that they are still an important part of our faith community. Televised Mass is an outreach of the Archdiocese of Las Vegas and airs every Sunday at 7:30 a.m. on Cox Cable channel 6 (1006 HD) and KFBT-TV digital channel 33.1. They can also be viewed at www.seaslv.org.

STEWARDSHIP



WEEKLY SUNDAY OFFERTORY & 2nd COLLECTIONS

Scan to Give Now

May 17-18, 2025

ONLINE	\$ 14,963.00
ENVELOPES/CHECKS	\$ 11,002.50
ANONYMOUS/CASH	\$ 13,201.71
MAILED IN	\$ 0.00
TOTAL	\$ 39,167.21

"IN GIVING, WE RECEIVE"

784.00

SEAS Parish Stewardship gift to Christ the King Catholic Church for the 3rd weekend of May 2025

Upcoming 2nd and Special Collections

June 1 - Parish Maintenance Expenses June 8 - Catholic Communications / Cath University June 15 - Father's Day Novena of Masses June 29 - Peter's Pence

Ways to Give at SEAS

Offertory Envelopes

If you would like to receive offertoy envelopes in the mail each month, please contact the church office at 702-228-8311, and we will order them for you. If you forgot your envelope or if you are visiting, feel free to use the visitor envelopes which are displayed by the front church doors and by the baptismal font.

Online Giving

Giving online allows you to make one-time contributions or to create a profile and set up automatic recurring contributions. Scan the QR Code located at the very top of this column above the words "Scan to Give Now" or go to www.seaslv.org.

Vanco Mobile App



Use this QR Code to download the Vanco Mobile App (our online giving partner) and have the ability to give anywhere at any time.

Gift Shop Kiosk

While at the church you can also make an electronic contribution on the Square in the Sursum Corda Gift Shop. Just ask the receptionist for assistance.

NEXT WEEK AT A GLANCE

Daily Monday through Saturday

- 7:25am The Rosary in the church
- 8am Daily Mass, also live-streamed at <u>www.seaslv.org</u>
- Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in the Mater Dei Chapel: Mon-Fri: 9am-7pm; Sat: 9am-3pm

Times Subject to Change on Holidays

MONDAY, MAY 26 — Memorial Day**

9am Daily Mass

In observance of Memorial Day, the parish offices, gift shop, and Mater Dei Chapel (No Adoration) will be closed. The church will close immediately after the 9am Mass.

TUESDAY, MAY 27

- 5:30pm Young Adult Choir Rehearsal, church room 2
- 6:30pm Bible Study on Paul's Letter from Prison: Colossians & Ephesians (session 3 of 5), parish hall

WEDNESDAY, MAY 28

- 9:30am Bible Study on Paul's Letters from Prison: Colossians & Ephesians (session 3 of 5 repeated from 5/27), parish hall
- 9:30am- 12:30pm Taping of TV Masses, church
- 3:15pm SEAS School Choir Rehearsal, church

THURSDAY, MAY 29

- 2-4pm and 3-5pm Approved Volunteers can assist in the Food Pantry, hall
- 3:45pm Children's Choir Rehearsal, church
- 6:30pm Adult Choir Rehearsal, church room 2

FRIDAY, MAY 30

- 8am School Mass & Awards/ Last Day of SEAS School
- 9am Busy Hands Crafters and Rosary Makers, parish hall
- 11am-12:30pm Approved Volunteers can assist in the Food Pantry, hall

SATURDAY, MAY 31

- Food Pantry Food Distribution Day (by appointment; call 702-804-8317)
- 8:45-9:30am Confessions, church
- 9-11am GriefShare, Emmaus Central (former Youth Ministry building)
- 12:30pm Eulogies; Funeral Mass for † Gerard Martinez, church
- 4pm Vigil Mass Celebrating the Ascension of the Lord

SUNDAY, JUNE 1 — Ascension Sunday

- Mass Times: 6am, 8am*, 10am, 12 Noon, 4pm, and 6pm
 *also live-streamed at www.seaslv.org
- 1:45pm Infant Baptisms, church

SEAS Night Out at the LV Ballpark

Join us to cheer on the LV Aviators vs Oklahoma City Dodgers on Friday, May 30, at 7:05 p.m. TICKETS are \$55.00 per person and include admission, open seating on the 3rd base Party Deck in the shadow of Red Rock Casino & Resort, dinner buffet, non-alcoholic beverages, and dessert. Alcohol is available for purchase. A portion of the ticket price will benefit SEAS Youth Ministry. Pay and sign a liability waiver at the parish office reception desk inside the gift shop by May 18. Tickets will be handed out prior to the game. Questions? Contact Maureen Sisto at 702-804-8321 or msisto@seaslv.org.

Conversations with My Neighbor

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton parish invites you to "Conversations with My Neighbor" on Sunday, June 1, at 9:30 a.m. in the parish hall. We want to hear from you! What are you and your family dealing with? What are the pressures in your community? Feel free to bring along a friend or family member. Light refreshments will be served. Questions? Contact Patti McGuire at pmcguire@seaslv.org or 702-804-8311.

Training for New Liturgical Ministers

If you would like to volunteer at Mass as a Liturgical Minister, please attend the appropriate training as listed below. All trainings will be held in the church.

- Lectors: Monday, June 2nd, 6-8 p.m.
- Eucharistic Ministers (EM): Tuesday, June 3rd, 6-8 p.m.
- Hospitality Ministers: Can attend either training
- Those interested in becoming a Sacristan must go through the EM training first.

Questions? Contact Brian Hicks at <u>bhicks@seaslv.org</u> or 702-804-8308.

SEAS Craft Fair Open to Shoppers and Vendors

The SEAS Youth & Young Adult Ministry is hosting a Craft Fair! Come and see what various vendors have to offer.

- Saturday, June 14 8 a.m. - 6 p.m.
- Sunday, June 157 a.m. 8 p.m.

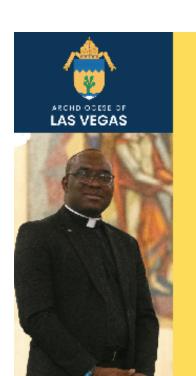
Vendors can purchase space:

- 8 x 8 indoor space \$125
- 10 x 10 outdoor space \$150



Interested vendors, please scan the QR Code to fill out an interest form. Youth Ministry will then contact you to discuss specifics. For more information, contact Maureen at msisto@seaslv.org or 702-804-8321.

*Please note: Not accepting food booths or baked goods.



WE JOYFULLY ANNOUNCE AND INVITE YOU TO

THE ORDINATION OF

Weacon Magnus Tabokwe

to the Priesthood of Jesus Christ through the power of the Holy Spirit and the Imposition of Hands by

The Most Reverend George Leo Thomas, Ph.D. Archbishop of Las Vegas

GUARDIAN ANGEL CATHEDRAL

Friday, May 30, 2025 at 6:00pm 302 Cathedral Way Las Vegas, NV 89109



Reception to follow in Anderson Hall

SEAS Women's Retreat: "Rooted in Prayer — Growing in Prayerfulness"

- Saturday, June 21 from 8 a.m. 3:30 p.m. in the parish hall
- Cost: \$30 (includes continental breakfast, lunch and retreat materials)
- Presenter: Marcie Wilske, M.A., M.S. Pastoral Associate at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton
- Register in the Sursum Corda Gift Shop or contact Marcie at 702-804-8370 or mwilske@seaslv.org

Have you ever felt like your spiritual life was in a slump or maybe your relationship with the Lord just didn't excite you anymore? Perhaps you don't feel as connected to God as you once were? Well, there's a cure for that – and we call it PRAYER! Yet, for many, prayer is an optional activity ... something we do on occasion rather than something that is vital to our spiritual growth and well-being. Just like eating and breathing, love and friendship, are essential for a happy and healthy human life, so prayer is essential for a happy, healthy, and holy life. Without these things we die ... either physically, emotionally, or spiritually. To come to God in prayer, to be still, to know God deeply and intimately isn't just for saints and mystics; priests and nuns - it's for everyone! Join us as we explore the importance of prayer and experience it through fellowship, discussion, music, movement, and art.











Day Trip to Cedar City

Come with us to Cedar City, Utah, on Tuesday, July 22, for the Shakespeare Festival. Cost

is \$185 per person which includes tickets to 2 shows (listed below), round-trip charter bus, sack lunch on the bus, and dinner at Milt's Steak Stop at 5 p.m. in between shows. The bus will depart from SEAS around 8:30 a.m. after daily Mass and return after midnight. Limited tickets are available. Purchase tickets and complete liability waivers at the parish office reception desk inside the Sursum Corda Gift Shop.

Steel Magnolias: 2 p.m. in the indoor Randall L. Jones Theatre The women of Chinquapin, Louisiana, gather each week in wise-cracking Truvy Jones' popular beauty salon where she does the hair of such locals as the rich curmudgeon Ouiser, the eccentric millionaire Miss Clairee, and the socialite M'Lynn whose daughter Shelby is about to get married. As these women make their way over life's many ups and downs together, they find comfort, love, friendship-and a fair amount of verbal ribbing-in one another's company.

Antony and Cleopatra: 8 p.m. in the outdoor Shakespeare Theatre A man of great vision, dedication, and purpose, Marc Antony is still no match for the passionate and irresistible Queen of the Nile. Will this great military hero face catastrophic defeat with his vision clouded and his purpose blunted? Reason battles emotion in this epic and seldom-produced portrayal of love, leaving us wondering until the very end: which will win, or will all be lost?



First Holy Communion

Congratulations to our children who received Holy Communion for the very first time last week on Saturday, May 17th.

Isabella Shih
Leonardo Alcantara
Carolina Calloni Ortega
Odette Casack
Olivia Cisneros
Jillian Craddock
Elena Ferra
Skylar Freund
Scarlet Gelson
Gianna Hassler
Kyla Karl
Lorenzo Kneesel
Emily Lopez
Melany Lopez
Shevis Maduli

Juliette Marquis
Liliana McCarl
Liam Muarip
Ava O'Rourke
Riley Pape
Quinn Pfeifer
Jeremy Puliz
Adrien Lewis Quinto,
Avery Reese
Xavier Rinaldo
Wyatt Runyan
Mason Xavier Yorke
Charles McShane
Levi Leon

Children's Faith Formation 2025 - 2026

Registration is now open for the 2025-2026 year for Children's Faith Formation age 3 through grade 8. Register by Friday, August 30, at www.seaslv.org under the Faith Formation tab / Children Age 3 through Grade 8. Questions? Contact the Children's Faith Formation Office at Faithformation@seaslv.org or 702-804-8306.

Our Parish Faith Formation Programs Need You

Would you like to take part in the great privilege of forming the hearts and minds of our young people in the Catholic faith? Our parish faith formation programs rely on the dedicated and generous service of volunteers who serve as parish catechists, assistants, and hall monitors. Each year we are in need of catechists to support the ongoing formation of our youth (age 3 – High School.) We have a special need for new catechists and volunteers for the upcoming formation year (September 2025- May 2026) as our program continues to grow. We provide support and education for all new volunteers. If you wish to inquire about the ministry of Catechist, we will be available in the vestibule after Masses on May 25/25. You may also reach us at faithformation@seaslv.org or 702-804-8306.



SEAS School Class of 2025

Congratulations to the SEAS School 8th Grade Class of 2025 who celebrated their Graduation Mass on Tuesday, May 20.

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Congratulations, Berlin! Recipient of the SEAS Academic Achievement Scholarship Award

This \$250 scholarship award is given to the student who has earned the highest cumulative GPA for three years of middle school.

Congratulations, Somtochukwu! Recipient of the Bishop Gorman Scholarship Award

This award is given to the student who earned the highest score on the Bishop Gorman entrance exam and will be attending Bishop Gorman High School this coming school year. This is a \$250 award to be used at the Hammes Campus Store at Bishop Gorman.



Congratulations, Gianna! Recipient of the SEAS Award

The St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Award is the highest honor a SEAS student can achieve. The recipient is a positive role model and embodies Christ-like behavior, respectfulness, humility, selflessness, and has a heart for service, a continual willingness to help others, and leads by example. It is the model of who we would like our students to be and who they are in the process of becoming.

Berlin Gonzalez

SEAS NCG Team Meeting

All are invited to our SEAS Nevadans for the Common Good (NCG) monthly team meeting on Tuesday, June 3, and every first Tuesday of the month, at 6 p.m. in the parish hall. Learn how NCG works and get involved with advocating for issues that are important to our community. Questions? Contact Patti McGuire at pmcguire@seaslv.org or 702-804-8311.

Baptism Prep for Parents and Godparents

Baptism Preparation for parents and godparents requesting the Sacrament of Baptism for infants and children up to the age of 7, will be held on Wednesday, June 4, from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. in the parish hall meeting rooms. To reserve seats, simply sign up at https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E044DA4A82BA7FA7-baptism. Questions? Contact Maureen Sisto at msisto@seaslv.org or 702-804-8321.

June Food Drive

Our next monthly food drive will be held the weekend of June 7-8. Place non-perishable food in the gathering space donation bin, or look for volunteers by the bin **AFTER** Mass, and they will carry donations in from your car.

Low Gluten Hosts

If you would like to receive a low gluten host for Communion, they are available at the tabernacle. To avoid cross contamination, go directly to the sacristan located near the tabernacle during Communion to request one, and the sacristan will gladly serve you.



Marriage Preparation for Engaged Couples

Being engaged is an exciting time and can be an opportunity to deepen your love for one another and grow in spirituality. For engaged couples seeking to be married in the Catholic

Church, our parish offers Cana Connection, a marriage preparation weekend designed to help couples prepare for marriage by discussing key topics such as communication, values, finances, intimacy, etc., and fostering meaningful dialogue. Cana Connection is required for all couples seeking marriage at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church and welcomes couples planning to be married at another Catholic Church. Our next Cana Connection weekends are scheduled:

- July 18-20
- November 14-16

Cost: \$150 per couple per weekend. Scan the QR Code to submit an interest form or contact Maureen Sisto at 702-804-8321 or msisto@seaslv.org.



Golden Groceries for Those Age 60 & Better

Our next monthly distribution of Golden Groceries for those age 60 and better will be on Saturday, June 7, in the parish hall from 8:45 a.m. to 12 p.m. or until all food is distributed. No registration or appointment necessary, and no non-food items will be available. The Golden Groceries program is provided by Three Square Food Bank and administered by St. Elizabeth Ann Seton's Human Concerns Ministry to bring healthier food choices to people age 60 and better.





SEAS Job Opportunity: Coordinator for Youth and Young Adults Ministries

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Roman Catholic Church is seeking an enthusiastic, creative, and energetic individual for a full-time position as a Coordinator for Youth and Young Adult ministries. This individual will be responsible for the development and daily operation of a holistic ministry that responds to the spiritual, sacramental, catechetical, service, and social needs of our youth (grades 6-12) and young adult (ages 19-35). He/she must have a heart for ministry, be grounded in the teachings and spirit of Vatican II, and work collaboratively with the department director and pastoral staff in furthering the mission and vision of our parish community. A degree in Catholic theology, certificate in Youth Ministry, or comparable work experience in a Catholic parish is desired. To apply, please complete an employment application on the Archdiocese of Las Vegas website, www.lvcatholic.org/human-resources and send along with a cover letter, resume and salary requirements to Maureen Sisto at msisto@seaslv.org. Job description available upon request.

SEAS Job Opportunity: Director of Liturgy

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Roman Catholic Church is seeking a full-time Director of Liturgy. He/she nurtures and supports the prayer life of the parish by promoting the "full, conscious, and active participation" of parishioners through meaningful worship experiences that touch hearts and minds. Major responsibilities include liturgical planning; recruitment, formation, and scheduling of liturgical ministers; oversight of Eucharistic Adoration, Liturgy Committee, liturgical environment and supplies. Also works with the Director of Music in planning and coordinating all parish and school liturgical celebrations. He/she must be grounded in the teachings and spirit of Vatican II and work collaboratively with our pastoral staff in furthering the mission and vision of our parish community. This is an exempt position with flexible hours to accommodate weekend Masses and special celebrations. A degree in Catholic liturgy or theology or comparable work experience in a Catholic parish is desired. To apply, please complete an employment application on the Archdiocese of Las Vegas website, www.lvcatholic.org/human-<u>resources</u> and send along with a cover letter, resume and salary requirements to Marcie Wilske at mwilske@seaslv.org. Job description available upon request.

New Items in the Gift Shop!

New items are arriving daily and will be on the shelves of the Sursum Corda Gift Shop as soon as this weekend. Stop by and see what's new! Thank you for your patronage! In observance of Memorial Day, we will be closed on Monday, May 26, and we'll be closed on Tuesday, June 10, to run inventory. Also, we are in need of volunteers to help in the parish office and gift shop. If you are interested in learning more, contact Sarah at scarriere@seaslv.org or 702-804-8301.

June 19: Holiday Hours / Mass at 9 a.m.

In observance of the federal holiday, Juneteenth, daily Mass will be celebrated at 9 a.m. on Thursday, June 19, and the parish offices and gift shop will be closed. The church will close immediately after Mass. The Mater Dei Chapel will be closed as well and there will be no Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.

Assistive Listening Devices Available

For those who are hearing impaired or may have difficulty understanding what is said during Mass due to background noise, distance from the speakers, or echo in the church, we offer assistive listening devices to help get past hearing obstacles. Each wireless unit comes with an earpiece that sits over the top of the ear or you can attach your own mini jack (3.5mm) ear buds or headphones. The units can be borrowed from the reception desk located in the gift shop. Please remember to return them to the receptionist after Mass so they will be available for others to use.



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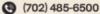
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