



# Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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FEBRUARY 17, 2019

*Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time*



*Blessed are you who are poor,*

*for the kingdom of God is yours.*

*Blessed are you who are now hungry,*

FOR YOU WILL BE SATISFIED.  
~ LUKE 6:20-21A

## Eucharistic Liturgies

Sunday: 6:30am, 8:00am,  
10:00am, 12:00pm,  
4:00pm, 6:00pm

Monday-Friday: 8:00am

Saturday: 8:00am, 4:00pm Vigil

## Church Hours

Sunday: 5:30am-7:30pm

Monday-Saturday: 7:00am-6:00pm\*

\* Closed on public holidays

## Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays: 8:30am or by request

## Morning Prayer

Monday-Saturday: 7:10am

## Rosary

Monday-Saturday: 7:30am

## Eucharistic Adoration

(In the Mater Dei Chapel\*)

Monday-Friday: 8:30am-7:00pm

Saturday: 8:30am-3:00pm

Mother of Perpetual Help Novena

Wednesdays at 8:45am

\*The Chapel is closed during Easter Triduum, Holy Days of Obligation, and public holidays

## Holy Hour for Vocations

(In the Mater Dei Chapel)

Last Thursday of the Month 6:00pm

## Parish Office Hours

Sunday: Closed

Monday-Friday: 8:30am-5:00pm\*

Saturday: 8:30am-4:00pm

Closed for Lunch: 12:00pm-1:00pm

\* Closed on public holidays

## Kairos Gift Shop Hours

Monday-Friday: 8:30am-5:00pm\*

Closed for Lunch: 12:00pm-1:00pm

\*Closed on public holidays

Saturday: 8:30am-5:30pm

Closed for Lunch: 12:00pm-1:00pm

and during 4:00pm Mass

Sunday: 7:00am-6:00pm

Closed: During all Masses

## Welcome!

### We Are Glad You Are Here!

In order that we may better serve you, please [register](http://www.seaslv.org) with the parish by visiting [www.seaslv.org](http://www.seaslv.org) or downloading the St. Elizabeth Ann Seton App. Registration forms are also available in the gathering space of the church.

### Anointing of the Sick

Call the parish office at 702-228-8311 if you need to receive the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick at home or in a hospital. For assistance after hours or on Sundays, call the answering service at 702-388-9571. A priest will be notified and will contact you directly. The Sacrament is also offered communally within the Mass. Watch the bulletin for upcoming Anointing of the Sick Masses, scheduled on a quarterly basis.

### Holy Communion for the Sick

If you are homebound, please call Tom & Patti Stava at 702-586-8093 and an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion will visit you. In case of hospitalization, inform the hospital staff that you are Catholic and would like to receive Communion.

### Funeral Ministry

In the event of a death of a loved one, please contact the Funeral Ministry at **702-403-8416** **BEFORE** making arrangements with any of the professional services. Pre-planning is also available.

### Sacrament of Baptism

Baptisms for infants and children up to 7 years of age are celebrated on Sundays either during Mass or at 1:45pm. Parents and Godparents should attend the baptism class on the first Tuesday of the month at 6:30 pm in the Parish Hall classrooms. Adults are baptized at the Easter Vigil after completing the stages of the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA).

### Sacrament of Matrimony

A 6 month minimum time period is needed to complete the preparation required for the Sacrament of Matrimony. For more information, contact our Wedding Coordinator, Maureen Sisto at 702-804-8321.

### Vocations

Vocations please consult with one of the priests.

### Clergy

Deacon Steve Doucet  
Deacon Aruna Silva  
Fr. Lourdes Jayamanne  
Fr. David Kuttner, Parochial Vicar  
Fr. Bede Wevita, Pastor

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## A Letter from the Pastor

Dear Friends,

Last weekend we kicked off the Annual Catholic Stewardship Appeal (CSA). Patty Janura, our co-ordinator of communications and stewardship shared a CSA video message from Bishop Thomas and spoke to you about the various ministries the appeal supports. Every registered family was mailed a CSA pledge card and brochure. I would like to thank our faithful parishioners who have already returned their CSA pledge.

This year our parish's CSA assessment is \$287,580. Once our 2019 assessment is reached, the parish will receive the funds raised above and beyond that amount. In order for this appeal to be successful and for St. Elizabeth Ann Seton to receive a rebate, your generosity and support are needed. Every CSA pledge, no matter what the size, is valued and appreciated. Therefore, I invite anyone who has not yet signed up to be a part of the Catholic Stewardship Appeal, or who has never contributed to the appeal in the past, to join with us in supporting this wonderful program of giving back to the Lord and reap the benefits of being a good steward.

The amount of your pledge can be paid in ten monthly installments. In that way it should not be a huge burden to anyone. But more importantly than the amount of your pledge, is your participation in the appeal. As good stewards of the financial gifts that the Lord has given us, it is our responsibility to support the diocese in its programs and ministries. Please consider what you and your family can afford and join this worthy cause. Pledge envelopes can be mailed to the diocese or returned in the SEAS weekly offertory. If you are unable to pledge an amount this year, please pray for the success of this appeal so that we may care for and minister to people all over our diocese.

As Jesus' disciples we are called to help our brothers and sisters in faith. There is no better way to do so than through the Catholic Stewardship Appeal.

May God continue to bless you and your families.

Yours in Christ,

*Fr. Bede Wevita*

### Offertory

#### February 9 - 10, 2019

#### Offering

4:00pm Vigil	\$4,986.30
6:30am	\$5,353.10
8:00am	\$5,867.05
10:00am	\$6,205.77
12:00pm	\$4,718.12
4:00pm	\$3,884.87
6:00pm	\$1,987.31
Mailed-in	\$2,268.00
Kiosk, Online & Text	\$10,526.01
Collection Total	\$45,796.53

Maintenance Fund \$1,101.00

Weekly 1st Collection Goal.....\$45,000.00  
 Weekly 1st Collection Actual.....\$45,796.53  
 Over / Under Weekly Goal.....+\$ 796.53

Year to Date 1st Collection Goal.....\$1,485,000.00  
 Year to Date 1st Collection Actual...\$1,365,355.09  
 Over / Under Year to Date Goal.....-\$ 119,644.91





## The Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

### Prayer List

If you would like to add a living person's name to our Prayer List, contact the parish office at 702-228-8311 with the name of the person and how long you would like the person to remain on the list. If it is for an indefinite amount of time, please notify the parish office when you would like the name removed.



Bill Steinborn, Cathy McGowan, Susan Westcott, Todd Helseth, Teresa Yim, Linda Alessandro, Carla Forkin, S. Leeny, Dorla Levy, Anna Liza G. Malongo, Joseph Stroka, Jim Patrick Limbo, Roxanne Limbo, Robert Kanoch, Katelyn Medeiros, Normandie K. Nagy, Mildred Nisivoccia, Pam O'Halloran, Clara B. Etter, Cindy Rice, Tony Cavallone, Steve Corkins, May Cuenca Emata, Leo Cuenca, Lorna Cuenca, Cecile Stroka, Romeo Castro, Joel Famatigan, Jo Stroka, Michael Anthony Santon, Jr., Jhoanne O. Metchado, Steve Nemeth, Mary McCormick, Arlene Cavallone, Lawrence Lilly, Owen Lichtenwalner, Jocelyn McEvers, Mary Elizabeth Socci, Norma Ruth Bullard, Patti Curtis, Joanne Piccione, Mary Boettcher, Jayson Strimling, Hilda Rodriguez, Norah Crews, Norma Montejano, Verne Carey, Aubrey Lynn Henderson, Jon Paul Kennedy, Claire Terranova, Joan Turgeon, Gene Recibe, Valerie Nataly Angel Garcia, Heidi Metheny, Mary Tyszko, Patti Pennington, Joe Pupello, Ed Birch, Dav Camras, Richard Tatum, Margaret W. Holden, Clara Walsh, Eric Ehram, Geneva Malone, Jordan Massella, Dorothy Perlongo, Joseph T. Moll, Dolores (Sugar) Hazel, Rosario Brown, Gretchen, Ted Zook, Gail & Tony Tenore, John Paul Vega, Virginia McGuire, Lee Herman, Mercedes Martinez, Richard Griffiths, Larry Schlecht, The Pakala Family, Harlow Phillips, Tyler Hallenback, Danilo Silvestre, Edgar Ruis Sanchez, Stacey Hanna, Bill Steinbaugh, Ernest

Ergottino, Daniel Tynan, Paul Kalekas, James Kaleka, Joey Ciotti, Ashley I., Lorraine Bastunas, Angelina Ventriglia, Katica Cule, Brenda Gordon, Horace Dube, Sumner Holland, Kay Maze, Savannah Tomassetti, Joe Benson, Luiz Fernando Beltran, Nazilla, Pamela Kalekas, Cathy Razor, Tess Luna, Ludy Llasus, Steve Suchorski, Michael Allen, Marielle Krizzia Aballa, DeAndre Hudson, Lucien & Josh Lee, Shirley Reyes, Dottie Stearns, Michelle LiTrenta, Ron Stiscak, Mark Fransdal, Josh Lee, Jennifer Alfelor-Baxa, Fr. John Finnigan, Laverne Cheske, William Magnus, Kirk Wilson, Yvonne Perez Cook, Thomas Cook, Ricky Jimenez, Pia Veneracion-Casas, Ken Caroccia, Anna Leah Bagang, Carol Plante, Carmella Brady, Ann Hearn, Tangela Allen, Joseph Doucet, Jameson Wandro, Alexander & Parker Garriepy, Tyler Chimento, Mary Suber, Miriam Baccioss Plaza, Fr. Piotr Mozdyniewicz & Family, Kathleen & Brian Kennedy & Family, All Souls in Purgatory, Julia Johnson, Cindy & Scott Willis, Joe Creaghe, Michael Manteris, Patricia Wagner, Vanessa Grindstaff, Dennis Apodaca, Ron Anderson, Amer Shamoun, Megan Sheets, Yvette Slopast, Joseph Balelo, William Clark, Kelly Goddard, Tony Paskvan, John Herrick, Adriana Rojas, Monica Trevelino, Todd Helseth, Virginia Stalzer, Allan Heacock, Georgia Bley, Georgine Wendell, Nanci Helfinstine, Georgia Montano, Alfred Smith, Clemente Aranzaso, Don Leonard, Sr., Robert Olson, Katrina Lichty, Sandra Edwards, Marty Champion, Mary Ann Olson, Janie Busalino, Jerri Rush, Al Labermeier, Graciela Gomez, Heath Melendez, Patricia Liedtke, Donna Logan, Michelle del Fierro, Kim Thomas, Larry Henderson, Pam Austin Reed, Angeline Shattuck, and for All Victims of Abuse

### Parish Book of Prayers

You are welcome to inscribe names of loved ones, living and deceased, as well as special intentions for inclusion in Masses and prayers in our Parish Book of Prayers, located by the baptismal font.

### Altar Flower Dedications

Would you like to honor a loved one, give thanks for an anniversary or accomplishment, or commemorate a loved one's birthday or death by sponsoring flowers on the altar? Your name and the names of your loved ones will be printed in the Sunday bulletin. The cost of the altar flowers is \$250. Please visit the parish office to secure your preferred date.

## The Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time



### Blessed

When we think of the word “Beatitude” we think of today’s discourse from Luke’s Gospel, or the more familiar one from Matthew (which begins “Blessed are the poor in spirit . . .”). Actually, beatitudes occur throughout the prophets and Gospels. Today in Jeremiah (with an echo in the psalm) we hear, “Blessed is the one who trusts in the Lord” (Jeremiah 17:7). Following his resurrection in John’s Gospel, Christ proclaims, “Blessed are those who have not seen and have believed” (John 20:29). The evangelists placed these sayings throughout the Gospels as short reminders about the characteristics that one will find in a follower of Christ, characteristics that will help spread the Good News in this life and lead to eternal blessings in the next. In Latin, the saints are called the *Beati*, the “Blessed,” for they are the ones who lived the “blessed” life as described by Jesus throughout the Gospels. How blest are we, when we also strive to make our own days a living beatitude!

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### Treasures From Our Tradition

In recent years, there has been remarkable progress in drawing persons with disabilities into full celebration. Now it is generally accepted that worship places need accommodations such as ramps or elevators, large-print materials for those who are sight-impaired, and perhaps even an assisted hearing system or signing in American Sign Language. American Sign Language is not merely English translated into movement, but a distinct language with its own grammar, syntax (word order), and vocabulary. For this reason, the American Catholic bishops have approved American Sign Language (ASL) as an official language of the liturgy.

Celebrating liturgy in our own language (the vernacular) means that liturgy must be accessible to all languages and cultures. The fact that Mass is celebrated this weekend in some places in total silence, but with the full participation of deaf people praising God in the movements of their hands, and sometimes even with a priest who is deaf, is nothing less than the Church being faithful to the image of Jesus, who made the deaf hear and the mute speak. Remember too that deafness is an invisible disability, and that there may well be people in your parish who are quietly yearning for Mass to be signed for them in ASL.

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### Saint of the Week

**Polycarp**

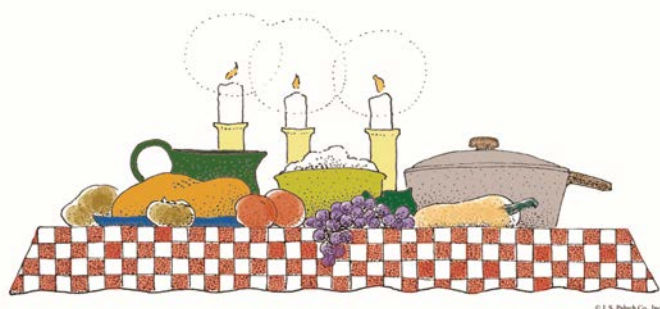
**C. 69-c.156**

**Feast Day—February 23**

This disciple of St. John the Apostle was appointed bishop of Smyrna (now Izmir, Turkey), perhaps by John. Representing the Asia Minor churches, he went to Rome about 155 to discuss when to celebrate Easter. The result was that the Eastern and Western churches continued to calculate the date as before. Shortly after his return, Polycarp was arrested and urged to renounce God. He refused and was sentenced to be burned alive. When the flames did not harm him, he was killed by a sword, as recounted in an early Christian document.

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## The Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time



### Presider's Mass Intentions

Saturday	2/16
8:00am	† Scott Celani
4:00pm	† Jim East
Sunday	2/17
6:30am	† Sophie Holland
8:00am	† Sabina Wilson
10:00am	† Antonio Fanara
12:00pm	† Frank Alessandro
4:00pm	Parish Book of Prayers
6:00pm	SEAS Parishioners
Monday	2/18
9:00am	Eleanor Perez
Tuesday	2/19
8:00am	† Gloria Caponi
Wednesday	2/20
8:00am	† Stanley Pierce
Thursday	2/21
8:00am	† Bernadette Olden
Friday	2/22
8:00am	† Novena for the Deceased
Saturday	2/23
8:00am	† Beatrix Korda
4:00pm	Parish Book of Prayers
Sunday	2/24
6:30am	SEAS Parishioners
8:00am	Paul & Hilda Tanpitco
10:00am	Karen & Dan Lacy
12:00pm	Katherine & Rich Dineros
4:00pm	Kazuo & Linda Yazawa
6:00pm	Francis Villanueva & Family

### Readings for the Week

Monday:	Gn 4:1-15, 25; Ps 50:1, 8, 16bc-17, 20-26; Mk 8:11-13
Tuesday:	Gn 6:5-8; 7:1-5, 10; Ps 29:1a, 2, 3ac-4, 3b, 9c-10; Mk 8:14-21
Wednesday:	Gn 8:6-13, 20-22; Ps 116:12-15, 18-19; Mk 8:22-26
Thursday:	Gn 9:1-13; Ps 102:16-21, 29, 22-23; Mk 8:27-33
Friday:	1 Pt 5:1-4; Ps 23:1-3a, 4-6; Mt 16:13-19
Saturday:	Heb 11:1-7; Ps 145:2-5, 10-11; Mk 9:2-13
Sunday:	1 Sm 26:2, 7-9, 12-13, 22-23; Ps 103:1-4, 8, 10, 12-13; 1 Cor 15:45-49; Lk 6:27-38



### Baptized in Christ

Olivia Vera Hernandez  
Scarlett Kendall Hinton

### Died in Christ

Joseph Mario Donnolo, Jr.



In observance of Presidents' Day, the parish offices, Kairos Gift Shop, and Mater Dei Chapel will be closed Monday, February 18. The church will close after daily Mass which will be celebrated at 9:00 a.m.



## The Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time



### Thank You from Youth Ministry

On Sunday, January 27, Youth Ministry had the pleasure of sponsoring the Pancake Breakfast during the SEAS School Open House. We had a great time serving pancakes and working with the SEAS 5th graders who presented their Explorer projects. We would like to thank the parish families for supporting this event as well as everyone who stopped by after Mass for a delicious breakfast! A BIG thank you goes to the SEAS 5th graders for all of their hard work. All proceeds supported Youth Ministry. Thank you for your continued support of our ministry! We look forward to seeing you at our next event!

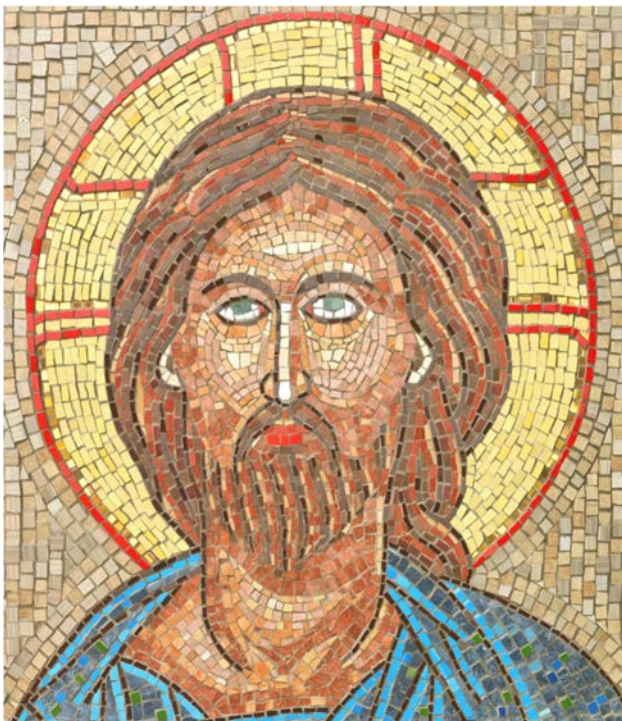
### Saints and Special Observances

Sunday: Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
Monday: Presidents' Day  
Thursday: St. Peter Damian  
Friday: Chair of St. Peter the Apostle;  
Washington's Birthday  
Saturday: St. Polycarp



### SCAM ALERT!!

If you receive an email or a text message from someone claiming to be Fr. Bede, asking you for a personal favor of any kind, or asking you to assist him with a personal financial matter, please disregard the communication and report the email address or phone number to your email provider or cell phone carrier. Fr. Bede will NEVER ask for personal help or financial favors in this way. If you have any concerns, please talk to Fr. Bede.



### You Are Invited as Members of the Body of Christ

to gather with those to be chosen by the Church  
for Baptism at the Easter Vigil 2019.

On the First Sunday of Lent  
March 10, 2019  
at Holy Spirit Catholic Church  
5830 Mesa Park Drive, Las Vegas, NV 89135  
at 2:30 in the afternoon.

The Catechumens throughout the Diocese of Las Vegas  
will be chosen to begin their final preparation for the  
Sacraments of Initiation.

### We Who Are the Church

need to be present to support and welcome these  
catechumens who seek to be one with us in our Catholic  
faith. You are invited to share your faith, offer your prayerful  
support and be part of the Welcoming Church!

Diocese of Las Vegas, Department of Faith Formation

## The Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time



### Salt and Light

#### What is the Bible Notion of Justice?

*By Fr. Lawrence Boadt, CSP*

Two examples should help clarify how the Old Testament understands justice.

1. In Exodus 22:22-23, God commands, "You shall not oppress any widow or orphan; if you do oppress them, when they cry out to me I will surely hear their cry."

In a society where individuals depended on their tribe and clan to defend their rights, a widow, who always came from another clan, had no one committed to her defense. All the more was that true of many orphans.

God insists that all of Israel must protect the weak and helpless; otherwise God will do it personally -- and hold them to account for their failure to do so.

2. In Amos 5:23-24, the prophet warns, "Remove from me the noise of your hymns, and I will not listen to the music of your harps; instead let justice pour forth like a spring and righteousness like an ever-flowing stream."

Here the prophet holds that all our formal worship is useless if we do not practice two essential qualities: justice and righteousness. "Mishpat," the word for "justice," generally means the protection of another's legal rights. "Righteousness," "sedeqah," describes being right with God in obedient faithful-

ness. In God's covenant, you cannot have one without the other.

The message of both texts together captures the essence of countless passages in the Pentateuch, the prophets and the Psalms that denounce corrupt officials, economic exploitation, cheating in business, taking advantage of the weak, forsaking God's ways and false-hearted worship.

The key to all these passages is that justice is rooted in a right relationship. The core concern for the poor and the weak, and the insistence that righteousness be combined with just actions stems from the conviction that God cares about the poor and those treated unfairly, and that God always acts justly himself.

To Israel, justice meant maintaining a faithful relationship with God by obedience to his Torah and commandments, and by imitating his love, which reached down equally and fairly to all people. In turn, both society and each individual must treat every person with dignity, respect and concern.

When we turn to the New Testament, we can see immediately how Jesus maintained that sense of justice and acted on it through his teaching and healing miracles for the outcast and poor, by his own humility and humiliation, and by his choice of the least as his disciples.

There is not as much direct accusation of injustice in the New Testament as in the Old, but the demands for right behavior built upon the right relationship with God in Christ, become even more passionate (see the great judgment scene of Matthew 25:31-46).

Paul constantly reminds his converts that they are "in Christ" or "in his Spirit" (Romans 8:9-11; 12:5). And John concludes that the Gospel of Justice is simply to love one another as Christ has loved us! (1 John 23:23-24)

*Paulist Father Boadt is the former publisher of Paulist Press, Mahwah, N.J.*

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## Stewardship



### Catholic Stewardship

#### The Sermon on the Plain: A Call to Conversion

The message Jesus delivers in the Gospel reading on this Sixth Sunday of Ordinary Time is a difficult one for many to swallow. It is one of those Bible teachings meant to “comfort the afflicted and afflict the comfortable.” The Gospel reading is Jesus’ “Sermon on the Plain” and in it we can see how skillfully the writer, Saint Luke, brings us to a place where we must take the words of Jesus with the utmost seriousness (Luke 6:17, 20-26).

While Saint Matthew, in his Gospel, begins the “Sermon on the Mount” with eight beatitudes (Matthew 5:3-12), Luke’s Jesus begins the Sermon on the Plain with just four beatitudes, “blessings,” and four woes. Jesus suggests that there exists a divide between the “blessed” and the “woeful.” It is, however, not the divide that our world would create between winners and losers or the successful and unsuccessful. The blessed may be poor or hungry or weeping or hated. But they are blessed by their faith and trust in God’s mercy and justice and future for them in the kingdom of heaven. To be “blessed” does not mean an absence of struggle. Indeed, to be in a Eucharistic community that lives the Gospel invites exclusion, defamation and even hatred. To be blessed is to live through such opposition aware that the struggle is temporary and that “your reward is great in heaven.”

The woeful, on the other hand, are those who have grown comfortable and smug. They may not

experience discomfort during this life. But their relative abundance, plentiful tables and good times now will place their future in jeopardy. To live under the verdict of “woe” means condemnation.

Notably, Jesus does not ask his listeners to become destitute in order to join the “blessed,” but given the options he presents, it is undeniable that he expects a response that reaches out to others and involves sacrifice. Later in Luke’s Gospel we will meet characters such as Zacchaeus and the Good Samaritan, individuals who were depicted by Luke as willing to put ample material resources at the service of others.

The Sermon on the Plain is challenging. It means to take us out of our “comfort zone” and into a conversion of heart, a change of attitude, a change of vision, and a change in behavior. It is a call for courageous acts of discipleship, a call to use the gifts we have been given to serve others, even strangers. It is a call urging us to take action now so the world will feel the presence of Christ. The Sermon on the Plain is the Lord Jesus calling us: “Come. Follow me.”

—ICSC February 2019 e-Bulletin

### A Stewardship Moment

#### The Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

The prophet Jeremiah minces no words in today’s first reading: “Thus says the LORD: Cursed is the one who trusts in human beings ... whose heart turns away from the LORD.” And the prophet’s “beatitude” resembles that of Jesus’ teaching in today’s Gospel reading when he proclaims: “Blessed is the one who trusts in the LORD, whose hope is the LORD.” Good stewards understand that what the world values is not consistent with Gospel values. They realize that God has placed in their midst all the gifts, charisms, and resources needed to bring Christ to a world desperately in need of his loving presence. But to exercise good stewardship over God’s gifts takes a great deal of trust. How does our stewardship reflect our trust in the Lord? What did we do today to give others hope in Christ Jesus?

—ICSC February 2019 e-Bulletin

## 2019 Catholic Stewardship Appeal



*In this year's Catholic Stewardship Appeal (CSA), we are reminded of our call to reflect the light of Christ. The ministries the campaign funds allow us to reflect Christ's light in many ways...*

### **Vocations and Education and Care of Priests (51% of the total CSA budget)**

We see the light of Christ shine on those who are studying and discerning the call to become priests. This journey takes at least four years after completing a BA in college. In supporting CSA, you give 28 cents of every dollar to promote vocations and pay for seminary formation.

As those who are priests continue in ministry, the need to help with ongoing education as well as the need to assist with the funding of diocesan priests' pensions is another way in which the light of Christ shines through our stewardship. In supporting

CSA, you give 23 cents of every dollar to assist in the ongoing education of our priests and helping to fund retirement in their old age.

### **Faith Formation (18% of the total CSA budget)**

In Faith Formation, Youth Ministry and Hispanic Catechesis the light of Christ is shown through the training and empowerment of religious education leaders throughout the diocese in both the English and Spanish languages. This includes leaders who serve all ages, from the very young, to those in youth ministry through adult faith formation. Eighteen cents of every dollar you give to CSA allows the light of Christ to shine through these efforts.

### **Campus Ministry at UNLV (10% of total CSA Budget)**

Bringing the light of Christ to those who are involved at UNLV is a way in which the lives of those who are continuing higher education are served by the Catholic Church with campus ministry.

### **Pastoral Outreach (15% of the CSA Budget)**

There are a host of programs that seek to bring the light of Christ into our community. Catholic Charities of Southern Nevada and the St. Therese Center provide direct service to the poor and needy; our Social Ministry brings to light Catholic teachings and opportunities for advocacy; Victim Assistance brings resources for healing to those who have been abused; the televised Catholic Mass on Sunday mornings brings the presence of the church and the light of the Gospel to those who are sick or homebound; our diocesan website serves the local community as well as tourists who visit the Las Vegas valley by connecting them to the activity of our local church.

### **Leadership and oversight of Catholic Education (6% of the CSA Budget)**

In our Catholic schools, the Department of Catholic Education helps to insure high standards are met in the education of students in this system. Six cents of every dollar you give to CSA helps the light of Christ to shine in our schools.

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## 2019 Catholic Stewardship Appeal

The overall goal of CSA for 2019 remains at \$2,700,000. Each parish shares in the goal, and once the individual parish goal has been reached 100% of the funds beyond that goal are rebated back to the parish. Please join us as a local church in realizing "In Your light we see light," by helping to

fund these ways in which the light of Christ is shared.

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## Parish News



### Come to This Week's RCIA Class

*Lenten Devotions*, is the topic of this week's RCIA class on **Tuesday, February 19 from 6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. and repeated on Saturday, February 23 from 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. in the PP VI classroom in the Parish Hall.** Classes are open to anyone who would like to attend. For more information, contact Marcie Wilske (702-804-8370) at [mwilske@seaslv.org](mailto:mwilske@seaslv.org).



### Annual Seminarian Fund Drive

The Knights of Columbus will hold their annual **Seminarian Education Fund raffle ticket sale February 23-24.** Purchase tickets to help our seminarians with the increasing costs of education, and you could win \$1000. The drawing will be held May 4; winner need not be present. Bring your mailing labels to make it quick and easy to fill out your contact information on your ticket stubs.



### Kairos Gift Shop News

The Kairos Gift Shop is now carrying Lenten editions of *The Little Black Book*, *Magnificat*, and *Word Among Us*. New crucifixes and other religious items are available, too. Coming soon—new items from World Market.



Pray  
for  
Vocations

### Pray With Us

Please join us in praying a Holy Hour for Vocations with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament on **Thursday, February 28, and every last Thursday of the month, at 6:00 p.m. in the Mater Dei Chapel.** For more information, contact Fr. Bede at [frbwevita@seaslv.org](mailto:frbwevita@seaslv.org) (702-804-8304).



### "In the Arms of Mary" Small Group Faith-Sharing

Please join our adult small group faith-sharing as we begin a new 6-week series entitled, *Conversion of the Heart*. **Sessions will begin February 21 and will be held Thursdays from 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. in the Parish Hall classrooms.** This will be a time of spiritual enrichment in preparation for Easter. The formation includes praying and pondering Scripture, *lectio divina*, and sharing what the Spirit has revealed to us. The reflection booklet is \$3 and will be given to you at our first meeting. For more information please contact MaryAnn Ruhe at [bruce.ruhe@yahoo.com](mailto:bruce.ruhe@yahoo.com) (702-715-9557).



### Liturgical Ministers -Save the Date

**Saturday, March 30, 2019  
9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.  
in the Parish Hall**

If you are an Usher, Lector, Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion (at Mass and with the Sick and Homebound), Music Minister, Sacristan, Greeter/Minister of Hospitality, Mass Coordinator...We invite you to join us for a Liturgical Ministry Day of Renewal with Sr. Joyce Zimmerman, Director of Liturgical Ministry at the University of Dayton. More details to come, but please mark your calendars!

## Parish News



### Televised Mass For the Sick & Homebound

Televised Masses for the sick and homebound will be celebrated and taped at

SEAS on Friday, March 1. These Masses will celebrate the season of Lent. Mass times are 8:30 a.m., 9:15 a.m., 10:00 a.m., 10:45 a.m. and 11:30 a.m. For those who are interested in viewing our televised Mass to the homebound, or might know someone who would be comforted by this outreach, these Masses can be viewed online at [www.seaslv.org](http://www.seaslv.org) and on the CW Network every Sunday morning. Check your local listings.



### Studying the Book of Genesis

Genesis contains some of our most familiar and enchanting biblical stories: creation, Adam and Eve, Cain and Abel, Noah,

etc. Through these stories we see the spread of sin in the world that leads to a divine plan of salvation God initiates in the call of Abraham and the Patriarchs of Israel. Join us on this exciting journey as we glimpse the love of our God who calls us out of nothingness to be a special, chosen people! Invite a friend – all are welcome! **Classes for this 11-session series begin March 4 and will be offered Mondays from 6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. and repeated Wednesdays from 9:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. in the Parish Hall classrooms. Each participant receives a commentary and study guide. Cost: \$25.** Questions? Contact Marcie Wilske at [mwilske@seaslv.org](mailto:mwilske@seaslv.org) (702-804-8370).



### Upcoming Orientation and Training for New Liturgical Ministers

Lectors, Ushers, Sacristans, and Eucharistic Ministers of Holy Communion are all Liturgical

Ministry roles. To become a Liturgical Minister, you must attend two sessions: Orientation and Hands-on Training. To attend, please pre-register with Marcie Wilske at [mwilske@seaslv.org](mailto:mwilske@seaslv.org) (702-804-8370).

- **Orientation** for those interested in Liturgical Ministry will be held **Wednesday, February 27 from 6:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.** in the Church Meeting Room.
- **Hands-on Training for Lectors and Sacristans** will be held **Wednesday, March 20 from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.** in the church.
- **Hands-on Training for Eucharistic Ministers of Holy Communion and Ushers** will be held **Wednesday, March 27 from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.** in the church.



### The Next Welcome Home Series Begins March 7

Statistics show that most people who have drifted away from the Catholic Church still identify themselves as Catholics – it's engrained into their very being.

Many want to return to the sacramental life of the Catholic Church, but don't know where to start. Do you know somebody who has been away from the Catholic Church? Often, all it takes is a word of invitation for them to take the first step in returning. Invite them to explore our Welcome Home Ministry. We offer a series of sessions designed to help seekers find answers to their questions, rediscover their Catholic roots, and gently return to the sacramental life of the Catholic Church. **Our next 7-session series begins March 7 with classes on Thursday nights from 6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall classrooms.** Please contact Marcie Wilske at [mwilske@seaslv.org](mailto:mwilske@seaslv.org) (702-804-8370) for more information.

## Parish News



### SEAS Men's Retreat

The SEAS Men's Club invites all men 21 years and older to attend their 2019 retreat at Prince of Peace Abbey in Oceanside, CA. Learn more at [www.princeofpeaceabbey.org](http://www.princeofpeaceabbey.org)

#### Week Day Retreat

**May 21 and 22, returning on May 23, 2019**  
**Prince of Peace Abbey in Oceanside, CA**

**Cost:** \$200 per person, which includes meals. Other expenses may include onsite retreat supplies and a contribution to the retreat master.

**Deposit:** \$50 can be paid to SEAS at the SEAS gift shop.

**Transportation:** Arranged carpooling with 3-4 men per car, with shared expenses for gas.

**Travel Time:** Approximately 5 hours each way.

#### Retreat Agenda:

##### Day 1

- Travel to Oceanside; arrive early afternoon and check into rooms; social time, introductions and meet retreat master; evening session; time for personal prayer and other activities

##### Day 2

- Full day session into the evening

##### Day 3

- Breakfast; prayerful reflections; travel to LV

For more information, contact Doug Lau at [douglau@yahoo.com](mailto:douglau@yahoo.com) (702-522-9723).



### Nevadans for the Common Good Civic Academy

Did you know there are more payday lending storefronts in Nevada than there are McDonalds and Starbucks combined—located primarily in low-income communities? These residents are being targeted and trapped in an unending cycle of debt.

Did you know Nevada spends \$8,801 per pupil in the public school system compared to the national average of \$12,526 per pupil? Additional funding helps reduce class sizes, increases teacher and staff salaries and supports targeted interventions in all schools.

Nevadans for the Common Good (NCG) Summerlin Cluster group is hosting a Civic Academy to learn about these issues affecting our community and congregations. We will strategize how to communicate the needs of the most vulnerable (children and the poor) with our Nevada elected officials.

**Wednesday, February 27 at 7:00 p.m.**  
**Grace in the Desert Episcopal Church**  
**2004 Spring Gate Lane, Las Vegas 89134**

The NCG Summerlin Cluster group is represented by members from:

- \*St Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church
- \*Desert Springs United Methodist Church
- \*Temple Sinai Las Vegas
- \*Grace in the Desert Episcopal Church

NCG is dedicated to educating and training citizens to participate in public life. Diverse institutions work together to build relationships, find common ground on issues, and act in nonpartisan ways to improve life for all Nevadans.

If you would like to carpool from SEAS, indicate when you RSVP to add your name to the list. RSVP to Patti McGuire [pmcguire@seasvl.org](mailto:pmcguire@seasvl.org) (702-804-8311).



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### We Need Your Blessed Palm Branches

Please bring in your blessed palm branches by Sunday, February 24 and leave them in the designated basket in the gathering space. They will be burned and used for ashes on Ash Wednesday, March 6.

### Ash Wednesday—March 6

Ash Wednesday Mass with the distribution of ashes will be celebrated March 6 at 6:00 a.m., 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m., noon, 4:00 p.m. and 6:00 p.m.

### Taize Prayer Service

Meditation and simple song chant are used to complement this service as we reflect on our relationship with God. Taize Prayer will be held at **6:30 p.m. the Fridays of Lent beginning March 8.** There will be no Taize Prayer on Good Friday.

### Stations of the Cross

This traditional devotion of walking with Jesus on the way of the cross will be held at **7:00 p.m. the Fridays of Lent beginning March 8.** There will be no Stations of the Cross on Good Friday.

### Parish Lenten Day of Reconciliation on March 26 and Other Confession Times

Our parish Lenten Day of Reconciliation will be held Tuesday, March 26. Confessions will be heard from 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Confessions will also be heard after the 8:00 a.m. daily Mass the Fridays of Lent: March 8, 15, 22, 29, and April 5 and 12. Confessions are also heard every Saturday after the 8:00 a.m. daily Mass and by request. Please note, no confessions will be heard on Good Friday, April 19 or Holy Saturday, April 20.



### CRS Rice Bowl is Coming Soon

Join our faith community—and nearly 14,000 Catholic communities across the United States—in a life-changing Lenten journey of encounter with CRS Rice Bowl. Rice Bowls will be available in the gathering space later this month. During the 40 days of Lent, as companions on the journey, we will encounter our neighbor.



## Parish News



### SEAS 3-Day Lenten Mission

The Scriptures of the Lenten season invite us to encounter God in a powerful way. Time and again, Jesus reveals the truth of who God is and how God loves. In these presentations, guest presenter Fr. Michael Renninger, who

led our 2017 Lenten Mission and is back by popular demand, will focus on the Gospel readings for the 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Sundays of Lent, exploring how these powerful texts can help us to experience God's patient, persistent and pardoning love on a daily basis. Join us for:

**Patient. Persistent. Pardoning.  
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**\* March 11, 12 and 13**

**\* 9:00 a.m. daily and repeated  
at 7:00 p.m. in the church**

**\* Light refreshments will be served**

Fr. Renninger is a priest of the Catholic Diocese of Richmond, VA. Born and raised in Pennsylvania, he studied piano, voice, and guitar while in high school. He attended Ursinus College (PA), where he received degrees in philosophy and music history. In 1985, he began priestly formation as a member of the Norbertine Order at Daylesford Abbey (Paoli, PA). He later attended The Catholic University of America, where he received graduate degrees in theology and liturgy. He was ordained as priest for the Diocese of Richmond in 1993 and has served as Vicar for Vocations and Rector of the Cathedral. He currently serves as pastor of St. Mary's Church in Richmond. He travels throughout the United States, giving presentations on spirituality, liturgy, music, and sacramental theology. Fr. Mike enjoys jogging, Oreo cookies, and Elvis. *He is considered* one of the top inspirational speakers in the country. He is one of the speakers at the Festival of Homiletics, and for a long time, the only Catholic preacher at the festival.



### Living Stations of the Cross

SEAS Youth Ministry will present a stirring rendition of this beloved Lenten devotion on **Wednesday, April 10 at 7:00 p.m.** Audition information for youth interested in participating in the Living Stations will be coming soon.





## Parish News



### Trip to Garden of Eden—Sri Lanka

Travel with us to Sri Lanka, named the best country to visit in 2019 by large travel guide book publisher, *Lonely Planet*. From August 26 to September 18, 2019 you'll experience Sri Lankan ancient cities, culture, nature beaches, mountains and water falls, wild animals and Ayurvedic treatments (the world's oldest holistic "whole-body" healing systems). Cost for the trip includes the following:

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- Room and full board
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- Exotic foods (food trend of the year)
- Mid-morning and afternoon tea
- Cultural show
- Entrance fees
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Contact Fr. Bede at [dblwevita@gmail.com](mailto:dblwevita@gmail.com) (702-528-5090).



### SAFEVOICE Mobile App

Students, parents and faculty throughout Nevada now have access to SafeVoice, an anonymous reporting system used to report threats to the safety or well-being of students. SafeVoice was established by the Nevada Department of Education under SB 212 in 2017 to protect student wellness, prevent violence and save lives. In partnership with the Nevada Department of Public Safety, the SafeVoice program provides students a safe place to submit tips concerning their own safety or that of others. A fully trained professional team of experts responds in an appropriate manner 24/7/365. Tips always stay anonymous. Learn more at <http://safevoicenv.org>.



### Become a Cub Scout!

If your son loves adventure, the outdoors, camping, fishing, pinewood derbies and making new friends, then **come see what Pack 129 is all about at our next pack meeting on Friday,**

**March 8 at 5:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall.** For more information, please contact Duane King at 702-900-7576. Find us on Facebook at [Face-book.com/LVCubScoutPack129](https://www.facebook.com/LVCubScoutPack129) and email us at [Pack129web@hotmail.com](mailto:Pack129web@hotmail.com).



## Around the Diocese



### St. John Neumann Men's Club

**Friday, February 22 at Los Prados Clubhouse,  
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Doors open at 6:30 p.m.  
Play starts at 7:00 p.m.  
Everyone 21 or older welcome  
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For Buy-in information and more details,  
contact John Lucas at 702-635-1817  
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### David Haas at St. Anthony of Padua

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#### Friday, February 22

- 7:00 p.m. Concert (doors open at 6:30 p.m.)
- Tickets: \$15 pre-sale / \$25 at the door
- Buy tickets online at [www.saplv.com](http://www.saplv.com) or at the parish.

#### Saturday, February 23

- "That You Might Have Life: A Path Towards Holiness" Workshop & Retreat
- 8:30 a.m. Mass
- 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Workshop / Retreat
- A free-will offering to benefit the St. Anthony of Padua building fund is appreciated (suggested donation \$10)

For more information contact William Paul Freeman at [freeman@saplv.com](mailto:freeman@saplv.com) (702-399-6897). St. Anthony of Padua Church is located at 6350 North Fort Apache Road, Las Vegas 89149.

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### Monday, 2/18 - Presidents' Day

9am Daily Mass, Church  
9am Food Rescue, Outreach Ministry  
\*In observance of the holiday, the parish offices, chapel, and gift shop will be closed. The church will close after daily Mass.

### Tuesday, 2/19

7:30am-10:30am & 3pm-5pm Outreach Food Distribution, Outreach Patio  
8am Daily Mass, Church  
9am Busy Hands Crafters, Parish Hall  
9am Food Rescue, Outreach Ministry  
10am New Beginnings Grief Support, Parish Hall  
4:10pm Children's Faith Formation, School Rooms  
5:45pm Salvation History, Parish Hall  
6:30pm RCIA, PP VI Classroom in the Parish Hall

### Wednesday, 2/20

8am Daily Mass, Church  
8:45am Mother Perpetual Help Novena, Chapel  
3:45pm Celestial Voices Rehearsal, Church  
5:15pm Young Adult Choir Rehearsal, Church  
6pm Financial Peace University,  
SJ XXIII Classroom in the Parish Hall  
6pm High School Youth Group, Youth Room  
6:30pm Women of Grace, Parish Hall

### Thursday, 2/21

8am Daily Mass, Church  
9am Small Group Faith Sharing,  
Parish Hall Classrooms  
4:10pm Children's Faith Formation, School Rms  
5:30pm True Vine Retreat, Church  
6:30pm Adult Choir Rehearsal,  
Church Meeting Room

### Friday, 2/22

8am Daily Mass, Church  
9am Rosary Makers, Parish Hall  
5:30pm True Vine Retreat, Church

### Saturday, 2/23

8am Daily Mass & Confessions, Church  
9am RCIA, PP VI Classroom in Parish Hall  
4pm Vigil Mass for the 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Church  
5pm Indonesian Mass, Chapel

### Sunday, 2/24

Sunday Liturgies: 6:30am, 8am, 10am, noon, 4pm and 6pm  
9am Food Rescue, Outreach Ministry  
1:30pm Outreach Food Distribution, Parish Hall  
2pm Confirmation Years 1 & 2,  
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