



Opening Hymn

NOW IS THE TIME

Tom Kondzia

Refrain

Come to us, you who say, "I will not for-get you." Be with us, you
who say, "Do not be a-fraid." Take hold of us, our hearts, our
minds, our whole be - ing. Make us your own, now is the time.

Verses 2 Cantor All

1. Spir - it of love, crush the pain of ha - tred.
2. Spir - it of peace, si - lence tongues of an - ger.
3. Spir - it of faith, rise a - bove our doubt - ing.

Cantor All Cantor

1. Spir - it of hope, stand be - fore our eyes. Spir - it of light,
2. Spir - it of life, break the chains of death. Spir - it of joy,
3. Spir - it of truth, save us from our lies. Spir - it of God,

All to Refrain

1. dance with - in our dark - ness. Make us your own, now is the time.
2. o - ver - come our sad - ness. Make us your own, now is the time.
3. walk a - mong your peo - ple. Make us your own, now is the time.

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READING I

Psalm Response: I will praise you Lord, in the assembly of your people.

READING II GOSPEL



Nicene Creed

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Stewardship Prayer

God our Creator,

you made us all that we are and gave us all that we have. Help us to live a life of gratitude by using your gifts to serve others in your name.

Jesus my Redeemer,

you call us to share your life by loving service to others. Grant us the courage to live as your disciples.

Holy Spirit of God,

fire our hearts with your love and make us good and generous stewards of your life within us.

We pray Lord,

that you open the minds and hearts of all the people of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish, that we may joyfully accept your call to live as stewards of your abundant gifts for our salvation and your greater glory. **Amen.**

THE BANE AND BLESSED



Dale is a seminary classmate and priest in the Diocese of Scranton, PA. He says that he has often told this story in his Easter homily.

He was asked to visit a man for whom death was fast approaching. The man told Dale that he was not fearful because of his faith in Jesus. My priest friend told him, "We are not afraid because of our hope that the future is in God's hands."

"Well, I am not hopeful because of what I believe about the future," the man said. "I am hopeful because of what I have experienced in the past."

My friend was curious as to what he meant and asked him to explain. He said, "I look back over my life, all the mistakes I've made, all the times I've turned away from Jesus, gone my own way, strayed and got lost. And time and time again, he found a way to get to me, showed up and got me, looked for me when I wasn't looking for him. I don't think he'll let something like my dying defeat his love for me."

That man understands Easter. He knows that our Risen Lord comes back to us, again and again and again, to us who turn from him, refuse him, betray him, again and again and again. The Easter Jesus appears to us, seeks us, finds us, grabs us, embraces us, holds on to us, send us to do his work. "As the Father has sent me, so I send you." (John 20:21)

It is Easter. Not only is Jesus risen. He is risen for us.

The Lord be with you.
Father John Parr

FOR YOUR MARRIAGE



Marriage is a lifelong commitment to God and to your spouse. Sometimes, that commitment is easy. Other times, it can be challenging and require a lot of work. Even though your marriage is between you and your spouse, it is important to have a support system. These people can cheer you on during the good times and pray with you and give you aid during the hard times. No couple can live their vows of lifelong love and fidelity all by themselves – nor should they even try. Cultivate relationships with other married couples who can act as a support system for your marriage. You will be blessed if you do.

STEWARDSHIP

"We may think that we give glory to God only by our worship and prayer, or simply by following certain ethical norms. It is true that the primacy belongs to our relationship with God, but we cannot forget that the ultimate criterion on which our lives will be judged is what we have done for others. Prayer is most precious, for it nourishes a daily commitment to love. Our worship becomes pleasing to God when we devote ourselves to living generously, and allow God's gift, granted in prayer, to be shown in our concern for our brothers and sisters."

~ Pope Francis, *Gaudete Et Exsultate: Rejoice and Be Glad* #104

MASS INTENTIONS AVAILABLE

You have probably noticed that there have been several daily Masses lately with no intentions. If you have someone, living or deceased, that you would like us to pray for, please call the parish office to schedule an intention. The offering for a Mass is \$10.00.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL



Thank you for all of your support for our Tootsie Roll Drive last weekend.



St. Elizabeth's **Baccalaureate Mass** is scheduled for **Sunday, May 16th** at the 10:15 am Mass. All graduating high school seniors should have received your invitation in the mail and RSVP as soon as possible. ****If you did not receive one, please email the parish office at: office@seasholmen.org****

Confirmation 2021-

St. Elizabeth's Confirmation 2021 dates are scheduled for Wed., May 5th and Wed., May 12. Please keep these young adults in your prayers as our Church continues to be strengthened by their presence.



The Catholic Catechism describes confirmation as a, "Deepening of our baptismal life that calls us to be missionary witnesses of Jesus Christ in our families, neighborhoods, society, and the world. . . . We receive the message of faith in a deeper and more intensive manner with great emphasis given to the person of Jesus Christ, who asked the Father to give the Holy Spirit to the Church for building up the community in loving service."

United States Catholic Catechism for Adults.



Our newly registered members since the beginning of the year are:
Richard and Amy Venner and children
Jacob and Danica Perner
Stan and Maria Grandt, and children
Sam and Jessica Wenzlaff

Welcome to the St. Elizabeth's Parish Family!

We are in need of **Hospitality Ministers!** If you are able to help us out, please contact Carol Reider at 526-4424 or carol@seasholmen.org. At this time, no one is "scheduled" on any particular date; instead, you simply volunteer when you are able to serve. We cannot hold Mass without this valuable ministry and are grateful to those who are serving.



We have begun a limited use of **Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion** at our weekend Masses. If you would like to volunteer for this ministry, training will be provided on **Tuesday, May 11th**, at 6:30 pm in the church. Please contact Carol Reider if you have any questions. Thank you.

Attention All Parishioners/Guests: Our Parish Pastoral Council and Finance Council have recognized that our church is in need of painting, some new lighting, and new carpet. Both the painting and carpet were done when the church was built in 1985. The carpet has served well over these many years but now is becoming worn and a safety hazard. After receiving estimates, the contractor, Pro-Elite Painting has been chosen for the painting job. Painting will be completed in about six days beginning June 7th. New lighting will be installed at the same time as the painting. A decision about the carpet will not be made until later.

When the painting begins, we will not be able to celebrate weekday Mass in the church. It is our hope that weekend Masses will be celebrated as scheduled. Please watch our bulletin, website and/or Facebook page for updates.

The painting will be paid for by the memorials given on behalf of our beloved dead. We trust that those who have given in memory of their loved ones will welcome this opportunity as a wonderful gift enhancing our church where we celebrate the Lord's dying and rising until he comes in glory.

Appeal Update: Thank you to those 208 donors so far that have contributed to the Diocesan Annual appeal. The deadline is approaching (June 30th) and we are still **\$3841 under** our parish target. Please consider giving. Pledge cards can be found in the gathering place or donate online at diolc.org. Thank you.

Baptizing Your Child

Having a new baby? Congratulations!! Please call the office to schedule an appointment for Baptism prep. At this time, Baptism preparation is being completed individually, and each baptism is held privately. We look forward to welcoming your new little one into our parish family.

Convenient Online Giving

Want to continue to give but are not able to make it to Mass? We have a simple solution. Try the convenient online giving option. If you visit our website at www.seasholmen.org you will find a button that will link you to this option. It is user friendly. You can choose to give one time or set up recurring donations. You can use your savings/checking/credit or debit. If you have any questions regarding the set up, please contact Sandy in the parish office. Thank you for your stewardship to our parish

CALENDAR

Sunday, May 2		5th Sunday of Easter
8:00 am	Mass	† El Bloudeck
10:15 am	Mass	People of SEAS
6:30 pm	Confirmation Class	
Monday, May 3		Sts. Phillip and James, Apostles
8:30 am	Mass	
Tuesday, May 4		Easter Weekday
8:30 am	Mass	† Emily Campbell
Wednesday, May 5		Easter Weekday
8:30 am	Mass	† Ambrose Brown
6:30 pm	Confirmation Group 1	
Thursday, May 6		Easter Weekday
8:30 am	Mass	† Cora Grams
Friday, May 7		Easter Weekday
8:30 am	Mass	
Saturday, May 8		Easter Weekday
3:45 pm	Sacrament of Penance	
		Vigil: 6th Sunday of Easter
5:00 PM	Mass	Special Intention of Carol Tanke
Sunday, May 9		6th Sunday of Easter
8:00 am	Mass	† Matilda and Emil Hundt
10:15 am	Mass	People of SEAS



I. Elizabeth Murray & Connor Rumpca

Mother's Day Roses

Wisconsin Right to Life is once again holding its annual Mother's Day rose sales fundraiser. There will be roses available (outside) after all of the Masses the weekend of May 8 & 9. We are asking for a donation of \$2 per rose and all proceeds will go to WI Right to Life.



Losing someone close to us demands the greatest inner strength and requires the help and wisdom of companion grief travelers. There is much we can learn from others who are on similar journeys. Due to COVID, our **Good Mourning** group has greatly missed meeting and sharing together. Finally, with many people vaccinated, we can plan to gather together in person once again. All who have experienced grief and loss are welcome to join our next gathering of **Good Mourning Ministry on Monday, May 17th at 1:00 pm** in the gathering place at church. We will meet all safety protocols required at the time. Please call Carol Reider if you have any questions.

PARISH INFORMATION

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MASS SCHEDULE

Weekend: Sat. 5:00 pm and Sun. 8:00 & 10:15 am

Weekday: 8:30am

Office Hours: Mon. - Thurs. 8am-4pm, Fri. 8am - noon

Gluten Free Hosts: St. Elizabeth's has gluten free hosts available. Please contact Fr. Parr, and he will make the necessary arrangements.

SACRAMENTS

Reconciliation: Saturday 4:00 pm or by appointment.

Baptism: Baptism involves membership in the church. Parents are to attend a session early in the pregnancy.

Marriage: Our church is trying to create successful marriages. This takes some time. Arrangements for a wedding date are to be made at least six months before the anticipated date.

Anointing of the Sick: Individual celebrations upon request.

Please call the office when family members are hospitalized.

Confirmation: Two year preparation program in grades 9 and 10.

PASTORAL VISITATION

Anyone who desires a personal home visit is invited to call the parish office.

CATECHUMENATE

Anyone wishing to become a full member of the Church is invited to visit the parish office.

Parish Council Members

Alyson Haugen
Jennifer Fisk
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Christine Olson
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When requesting that an individual be added to our prayer list, you must have the consent of the individual or their family for their name to be published. Thank you.

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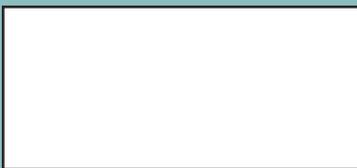
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Communion Hymns

In Every Age

Janèt Sullivan Whitaker

1. Long before the mountains came to be
and the land and sea and stars of the night,
through the endless seasons of all time,
you have always been,
you will always be.

Refrain

In ev'ry age, O God,
you have been our refuge.
In ev'ry age, O God,
you have been our hope.

2. Destiny is cast, and at your silent word
we return to dust and scatter to the wind.
A thousand years are like a single moment gone,
as the light that fades
at the end of day.

3. Teach us to make use of the time we have.
Teach us to be patient even as we wait.
Teach us to embrace our ev'ry joy and pain.
To sleep peacefully,
and to rise up strong.

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We Are Many Parts

We are many parts, we are all one body,
and the gifts we have we are given to share.
May the Spirit of love make us one indeed;
one, the love that we share, one, our hope in despair,
one, the cross that we bear.

1. God of all, we look to you, we would be your servants
true, let us be your love to all the world.

We are many parts...

2. So my pain is pain for you, in your joy is my joy, too;
all is brought together in the Lord.

We are many parts...

3. All you seekers, great and small, seek the greatest gift of
all; if you love, then you will know the Lord.

We are many parts...

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**Please be seated after the closing hymn.
The ushers will escort you to the doors.
Thank you.**

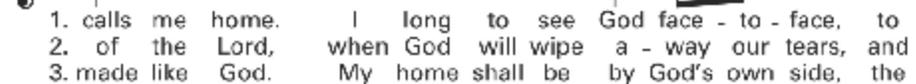
Closing Hymn

I KNOW THAT MY REDEEMER LIVES

Scott Soper



1. I know that my Re-deem-er lives, the One who
2. I know that I shall one day see the good-ness
3. The last day I shall rise a-gain, shall be re-



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