



GLORY AND PRAISE TO OUR GOD

Dan Schutte

Refrain

Glo-ry and praise to our God, who a-lone gives light to our days.

Man-y are the bless-ings he bears to those who trust in his

Verses 1-3

ways. 1. We, the daugh-ters and sons of him who  
2. In his wis-dom he strength-ens us, like  
3. Ev-'ry mo-moment of ev-'ry day our

1. built the val-leys and plains, praise the won-ders our  
2. gold that's test-ed in fire. Though the pow-er of  
3. God is wait-ing to save, al-ways read-y to

to Refrain

1. God has done in ev-'ry heart that sings.  
2. sin pre-vals, our God is there to save.  
3. seek the lost, to an-swer those who pray.

Verse 4

4. God has wa-tered our bar-ren land and spent his mer-ci-ful rain.

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4. Now the riv-ers of life run full for an-y-one to drink.

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Psalm Response:

PSALM 78: 18TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR B

℣. The Lord gave them [bread,] bread from heav-en.

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**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

“Enjoy!” Often that is the greeting we are given by store clerks and restaurant servers. I know they mean well. But sometimes I hear it as a command. Be happy with what I give you. Be pleased, or at least act as if you are.

When we know happiness I suspect we can claim some responsibility. I am happy because my family or someone I love is doing well. I am happy because I have developed my skills and been successful in my work. I am happy because I am able to gather with friends. A good marriage, a rewarding job, pleasant vacation bring happiness. We can take some credit and pat ourselves on the back when we know happiness. But what do we do when we cannot sustain happiness? What do we do when we are sad, or grieving?

“These things I have spoken to you, that my joy may be in you, and that your joy may be full.” (John 15:11) Joy is not due to anything we do. It is all the Lord’s gift. Joy is not the notion that we should rejoice because God loves us. Joy is God’s love in us. Joy is God’s pleasure knowing us as his beloved children.

The legend has it that when St. Francis preached the Gospel to the fish, the fish went away happy. I am not sure how you can tell when fish are happy. But you can tell when Gospel joy is present in someone’s life. It is evident in those who know God is not primarily interested in our happiness. All that God thinks and does and cares is directed to our salvation. God is always breathing his life into us so that we will choose to return to him who is Life and Love. Nothing in all of existence matters except God’s love for us.

Enjoy!

The Lord be with you.  
Father John Parr

### Stewardship

In today’s Gospel, Jesus tells the crowd, ‘I am the Bread of Life; whoever comes to me will never hunger, and whoever believes in me will never thirst.’ The sustenance that Jesus provides to us goes beyond the physical needs of the body. This bread which gives “life to the world” fires our hearts and souls with charity and love. This bread binds us all into the one Body of Christ. Partaking in the Eucharist gives us the strength and grace we need to live as Christian disciples. In Christ, we choose holy lives that are demonstrated by our kindness, compassion, and good works.

### The Eucharist

Currently, due to the Pandemic, we remain unable to receive the Precious Blood. Some people ask, “Do we receive the whole Christ if we receive Holy Communion under a single form?” Yes. Christ Jesus, our Lord and Savior, is wholly present under the appearance either of bread or of wine in the Eucharist. However, it is especially fitting to receive Christ in both forms during the celebration of the Eucharist. This allows the Eucharist to appear more perfectly as a banquet, a foretaste of the banquet that will be celebrated with Christ at the end of time when the Kingdom of God is established in its fullness. Let us continue to pray for an end to this Pandemic so we may resume our partaking in both the Body and Blood of our Lord.



### For Your Marriage

It is strengthening for a marriage when spouses support one another’s true desires. What is wanted isn’t important, but to know that our spouse would lovingly support us in it – that is a treasure beyond telling. It strengthens the gratitude we feel for our shared life. It gives us each a confidence in the beauty of our own desires. It helps us feel valued and worthy. Trust develops. Love deepens. We grow stronger together.

### Liturgical Ministers

If you are returning to Mass and would like to once again serve as an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion, a short training will be provided after all Masses on the weekend of **August 14 and 15**. If you can’t make this training, please contact Carol Reider at 526-4424 or [carol@seasholmen.org](mailto:carol@seasholmen.org).

### Retreat Offering

“The Many Names of God” retreat offered at the St. Anthony Spirituality Center in Marathon, WI the weekend of August 20-21. Participants will spend time exploring the deep meaning and intimacy with which Jesus speaks of God and perhaps discover new ways to pray calling God by name. For more information or to register, go to [sarcewnter.com](http://sarcewnter.com) or call 715-443-2236.

## IMPORTANT FAITH FORMATION INFO

Registration is underway for the 2021-2022, Pre-K - grade 10, Faith Formation program.

If your child has not been with us, we'd love to include them! Please help us keep the records up to date by informing us if your children receive their Faith Formation elsewhere or attend Catholic schools. If you have Pre-K or Kindergarten aged children, please mark your intent for "Wee Believe" Sunday school on the registration form. If you are able to financially sponsor an additional child or if you do not have a child in the program, you may make a monetary donation. There is a place to mark that on the registration form. Tuition fees which enables us to provide: two staff members, student texts, workbooks, supplies, videos, guest speakers and other resources will remain the same:

\$100. per student grades 1-10\* / \$25.00 for Pre-K/Kindergarten\* / \* Not to exceed \$300.00 per family  
Non—registered members are asked to pay an additional \$25.00 per child fee. Payable online or drop off in the parish office. [www.seasholmen.org](http://www.seasholmen.org)

Our classes for grades 1-9 are held at the Holmen Middle School, across from SEAS most Wednesday nights from 6:30 - 7:30pm. Sept. 8, 2021- April 27, 2022. Students in grade 2 will prepare for both Sacraments of Penance and First Communion. Students in grade 10 will prepare for the Sacrament of Confirmation two Sunday evenings a month at St. Elizabeth's according to the Confirmation schedule. Baptism certificates are needed if not baptized at St. Elizabeth's.

**Please find this year's Faith Formation registration form on our parish website at:**

**<https://www.seasholmen.org/youth-faith-formation.html>.**

It is an electronic fillable form. Check your "downloads" folder if you can't find it. Use "save as" to save it to your desktop or another folder after you have filled in ALL of the information. You may email it to [office@seasholmen.org](mailto:office@seasholmen.org) or print it and drop it off at the parish office with your payment. Please promptly complete and return the registration form and fees to the Faith Formation office by August 30. Class lists and room assignments will be posted in St. Elizabeth's church gathering place and some via email, by Sept. 3.

We are in need of Catechists, Class Helpers, Hall Monitors and Traffic Patrol volunteers. If you are interested in volunteering please mark your intention on the online registration form. Catechist training and lesson plans are provided. See schedule in the box below. By volunteering, you can help build a strong foundation of faith, not only in your individual family life, but also in the community life of St. Elizabeth's. Tuition is waived for families if a parent volunteers weekly.

Mark the following dates on your calendar

Wed. Sept. 1	5:30 p.m. Meeting for all NEW Catechists and Volunteers
	6:30 p.m. Meeting for ALL Catechists and Volunteers
Wed. Sept. 8	6:30-7:30 p.m. Faith Formation for grades 1-9 begins
Sun. Sept. 12	9:15 a.m. Sunday School Preschool/Kindergarten sessions begin
Sun. Sept. 26	6:30 p.m. Grade 10 Confirmation Mentor sessions begin

Contact Information	St. Elizabeth's Church	526-4424
Mary Luebke	C.R.E. Pre-K- grade 5	<a href="mailto:reled@seasholmen.org">reled@seasholmen.org</a>
Pat Bruegge	Youth Minister/D.R.E. 6-12	<a href="mailto:youth@seasholmen.org">youth@seasholmen.org</a>

The **Kornfest Run** is set for **August 21**.

To find more info and to register for the 10K, or 2 mile run/walk, visit the Knights of Columbus tab in the menu on the parish website: [www.seasholmen.org](http://www.seasholmen.org).

The **Kornfest Breakfast** is **August 22** from 7am - noon.

Cost: \$8 (11yrs and up)

\$4 (6-10yrs)

5 and under eat FREE. Carry outs are available.

Save the Date for the Annual **PCCW Rummage Sale** held at the Town of Holland on **Sept. 16 & 17**.

Continue to watch the bulletins for more info on drop off of items and volunteer sign-up. All are welcome to the next planning meeting on Aug. 17 at 6:30pm.



## CALENDAR

<b>Sunday, August 1</b>	<b>18th Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>
8:00 am Mass †	Margaret Burns
10:15 am Mass	People of SEAS
<b>Monday, August 2</b>	<b>Weekday</b>
8:30 am Mass	Special Intention for Chiara and Ezequiel Morales
<b>Tuesday, August 3</b>	<b>Weekday</b>
8:30 am Mass †	Bob Entwistle
<b>Wednesday, August 4</b>	<b>St. John Vianney</b>
8:30 am Mass †	Pat Schwartzhoff
<b>Thursday, August 5</b>	<b>Weekday</b>
8:30 am Mass †	Martin Scholze
<b>Friday, August 6</b>	<b>The Transfiguration of the Lord</b>
8:30 am Mass †	Sr. Bridget Donaldson
<b>Saturday, August 7</b>	<b>Weekday</b>
4:00 pm Sacrament of Penance	
	Vigil: 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time
5:00 pm Mass †	Hannora Parr
6:00 pm Ice Cream Social	
<b>Sunday, August 8</b>	<b>19th Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>
8:00 am Mass †	David Kasha
9:00 am Donut/Coffee Social	
10:15 am Mass	People of SEAS
11:15 am Ice Cream Social	



### Welcome, Mila Joy Bornheimer

daughter of Matthew and Bethany Bornheimer,  
and

### Jillian Mae Henk,

daughter of Jon and Katelyn Henk  
to our faith community in the celebration of Baptism.  
It is now our privilege to help these children  
grow in faith.

We have a great gift of faith to share.

### Wedding Banns II. Emily Hein and Caleb Corcoran

## PARISH INFORMATION

### PARISH RECTORY & OFFICE

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STAFF

**Pastor**, Father John Parr.....pastor@seasholmen.org  
**Pastoral Minister**, Carol Reider.....carol@seasholmen.org  
**C.R.E. (3 yrs-gr. 5)**, Mary Luebke.....reled@seasholmen.org  
**D.R.E. (gr. 6-12)**, Patrick Brueggen.....youth@seasholmen.org  
**Director of Music**, Beth Lakmann.....music@seasholmen.org  
**Secretary**, Sandy Jerue.....office@seasholmen.org  
Pastor Emeritus, Msgr. Delbert J. Malin

### 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 preparation session.

**Marriage:** 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  
Brian Clements  
Christine Olson  
Mary Lenz  
Kathy Nicklaus  
Bill Heinz  
Patty Heiderscheit

### Finance Council Members

Larry Warzynski  
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Janice Dvoracek  
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## PRAYER REQUESTS

Lorraine Atkinson  
Renee Borkowski  
The Donaldson Family  
Rod and Linda Halvorson  
Sherry Hanson  
Joe McCabe  
Bill Peters

Ken Proctor  
Cindy Ritteman  
Bailey Rohrer  
Aubrey Scott  
Phyllis Thaldorf  
Addison Quinn Usitalo

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. Contact the parish office to  
add and to remove requests. Thank you.



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## Offertory Hymn

### BREAD OF LIFE

Bobby Fisher

1. Bread of life and cup of hope, we come as gift to  
 2. Lov-ing Lord, Cre-a-tor God, o-pen our eyes to  
 3. Liv-ing Word, O Son of God, your love shows us the

1. you. Change our hearts; fill us with peace. Trans-form our  
 2. see the good that lives in each of us, that called the  
 3. way that we may live in har-mo-ny, and from you

1. lives a-new. O-pen our eyes so that we might see  
 2. world to be. And when we fail to see the good,  
 3. nev-er stray. Wipe all op-pres-sion from our midst;

1. your pres-ence in one an-oth-er. Your life, poured out in  
 2. when friend-ships fal-ter and crum-ble, give us the cour-age  
 3. give us a love for all peo-ple. Your song of jus-tice

1. love to-day, u-nites us all in you.  
 2. to for-give that we may live in peace.  
 3. sing in us, to live for peace to-day.

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## Communion Hymn

### ONE LOVE RELEASED

Bob Frenzel and Kevin Keil

Refrain  
 One bread, one bod-y, one cup, one call,  
 one faith, one Spir-it pres-ent in us all.  
 One prayer, one bless-ing, one hope, one peace,  
 one church, one peo-ple, one love re-leased.

Verses  
 1. Is not this bread we share, the bod-y of our Lord?  
 2. I am the bread of life, eat and you shall live.  
 3. I am the liv-ing bread, as man-na from the sky.  
 4. No one will come to me, un-less our God has led.

to Refrain  
 1. Is not this wine we drink, the blood of Christ out-poured?  
 2. To those who share this meal, my strength I'll al-ways give.  
 3. This bread I give to you, that you may nev-er die.  
 4. And I shall raise them up, raise them from the dead!

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## Closing Hymn

### How Can I Keep From Singing ENDLESS SONG

1. My life flows on in endless song Above earth's lamentation.  
 I hear the real though far-off hymn That hails a new creation.

#### Refrain

No storm can shake my inmost calm, While to that rock I'm  
 clinging. Since Love is Lord of heaven and earth,  
 How can I keep from singing?

2. Through all the tumult and the strife, I hear that music  
 ringing; it sounds and echoes in my soul; How can I keep from  
 singing?

3. What though the tempest 'round me roar, I hear the truth, it  
 liveth; What though the darkness 'round me close, songs in the  
 night it giveth.

4. When tyrants tremble, sick with fear, And hear their death  
 knells ringing; when friends rejoice both far and near,  
 How can I keep from singing?

5. The peace of Christ makes fresh my heart, A fountain ever  
 springing. All things are mine since I am his; How can I keep  
 from singing?

Text: 87 87 with refrain; attr. to Robert Lowry, 1826-1899, alt.; verse  
 3, Doris Plenn. Music: Quaker Hymn; attr. to Robert Lowry.

Join us next weekend  
 August 7th and 8th  
 to welcome everyone back and to  
 celebrate our  
 Diocesan Annual Appeal success.  
 The total rebate we received was  
 \$6,368

Ice Cream Social after the 5pm and 10:15am  
 Masses

Donut Social after the 8am.

Anyone wishing to donate any items (ice cream,  
 toppings, etc.), please contact Sandy in the office  
 by this Tuesday, Aug. 3rd. Thank you.

