ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON CATHOLIC CHURCH

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PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

We are a Christ-centered community joined together in honor of our deeply rooted Catholic traditions, celebrated through multicultural diversity, a commitment to family values and dedication to service. All are welcome.

OFFICE & MASS SCHEDULE

(page 7 for schedule adjustments)

Parish Office Hours:	Open 1pm-6pm Closed	Tues, Wed, Fri. Monday, Thursday
Tues-Fri. (except Mon. Thurs.):	8:00am	English Mass
Wednesday:	8:30am-9:30am	Eucharistic Adoration Divine Mercy English
Wednesday:	6:30pm 7:00pm	Eucharistic Adoration Divine Mercy Spanish Spanish Mass
Monday, Thursday:	8:00am	Communion Service
Every First Fri. only Every First Sat. only	8:30am 8:00am	Anointing of the Sick English Mass & Holy Rosary
Saturday Sat. Vigil: Sunday Sunday	4:30pm-5:00pm 5:30pm 9:00am 5:00pm	Confession English Mass English Mass Spanish Mass

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OTHER SACRAMENTS

(OTROS SACRAMENTOS)

BAPTISM

(1) SPANISH: 2nd & 4th Saturdays of the month
(2) ENGLISH: 1st & 3rd Saturdays of the month

HOLY COMMUNION TO THE HOMEBOUND

call parish office 805.528.5319

CONFESSION

(1) every Saturday 4:30pm to 5pm
(2) or call parish office for appointment

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

(1) every 1st Fri. after 8am Mass
(2) or call parish office for appointment

LAST RITES

(1) office hours, call parish office 805.528.5319
(2) outside office hours, call or leave message at
Last Rites Tel. 805-752-1140.
DO NOT call this number if NOT Last Rites.

FUNERALS

HAVE PRE-ARRANGED FUNERAL AGREEMENT WITH MORTUARY?

step 1: Please call your mortuary.
step 2: mortuary contacts St. Elizabeth Parish
step 3: family of deceased meet with Fr. Joey & bereavement committee representative to discuss funeral liturgy details.

DO NOT HAVE FUNERAL AGREEMENT WITH MORTUARY?

Please call parish office.

For the following, the first step is to have a meeting with Fr. Joey. Please call the parish office to set appointment. DO NOT FINALIZE RECEPTION DATE PRIOR TO PARISH OFFICE APPOINTMENT.

Para los siguiente sacramentos, el primer paso es tener una cita con el Padre Joey. Favor de llamar a la oficina parroquial para hacer su cita. NO HAGAN FECHA DE RECEPCIÓN sin antes tener fijada la fecha en la oficina parroquial.

Infant Baptism - 4 months before intended date;
El bautismo infantil - 4 meses antes de la fecha prevista;

Quinceañera - 6 months preparation & catechesis;
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Wedding - at least 6 months preparation;
Kids' 1st Communion - requires 2 yrs. catechism classes;
Teen Confirmation - requires 2 yrs. catechism classes;
Adult Confirmation and RCIA - 1 to 2 yrs. catechesis.

PASTOR'S PAGE

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CALIFORNIA CATHOLIC CONFERENCE

What the Catholic Church Teaches About the End of Life

Medical advances can help save lives. They also can present terminally-ill patients and their loved ones with difficult choices at the end of life.

Catholic teaching gives patients and their families' principles for making decisions about initiating or continuing medical treatments.

"But normally one is held to use only ordinary means…according to the circumstances of persons, places, times, and culture – that is to say, means that do not involve any grave burden for oneself or another." (Pope Pius XII)

Ordinary and Extraordinary

Treatments that offer reasonable hope of benefit that may be obtained without excessive pain, expense or burden are considered ordinary means. Treatments that do not offer reasonable hope of benefit and cannot be obtained without excessive pain, expense or burden are considered extraordinary means.

Respecting the sacredness of life, each person decides the benefits and burdens of treatment according to their own physical, mental, emotional and spiritual health at the time of the decision.

When confronted with highly emotional life-and-death decisions, Catholics should gather all the facts, consult with their physician and family, reflect on Catholic teaching, and pray.

"*We are called to a fullness of life which far exceeds the dimensions of our earthly existence"…because it consists in sharing the very life of God*." (Pope John Paul II. Evangelium Vitae)

Q. Does the Church require Catholics to pursue all efforts to preserve life?

A. No. Human life is a gift from God and we have a duty to preserve it. But we enter into eternal life through death, and the Church teaches that treatments or procedures may be refused if they offer little or no benefit and cause undue burden.

Catholic Teaching on Assisted Suicide

Because all life is sacred, Catholic teaching holds that assisted suicide can never be permitted.

Euthanasia and assisted suicide stand in contradiction to the Catholic understanding that all life bears God's image and has inherent dignity.

Allowing to Die vs. Killing - Killing is an intentional act that causes death, while allowing to die is withholding or withdrawing futile or burdensome treatments.

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Making Good Decisions at the End of Life

"Dying is one of the most important moments in our lives. Like all important moments, it deserves thoughtful preparation." (Father Lawrence Reilly, Ethicist and Theologian)

Q. What's the difference between withholding treatment and assisted suicide?

A. Assisted suicide is the intentional taking of life and is never permissible. Withholding "extraordinary means" of medical treatment is morally permissible, allowing nature to take its course and death to occur naturally.

The Church encourages all Catholics to prayerfully reflect on death and to prepare for it responsibly. This may include preparing a living will and durable power of attorney for health care to make their wishes known.

All Catholics are strongly encouraged to make their desires known to their family, friends and doctor regarding initiating or continuing life-sustaining procedures in the event of a terminal condition. Catholics also are encouraged to give power of attorney for health care to someone they trust who can make health care decisions for them, if they are unable to do so for themselves.

Resources

Available from www.usccb,org:

To live in a manner worthy of our human dignity, and to spend our final days on this earth in peace and comfort, surrounded by loved ones—that is the hope of each of us. In particular, Christian hope sees these final days as a time to prepare for our eternal destiny.

Visit the California Catholic Conference, www.cacatholic.org, or email leginfo@cacatholic.org, for more information.

"And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come back again and take you to myself, so that where I am you also may be.

John 14:3

THANKSGIVING PRAYER

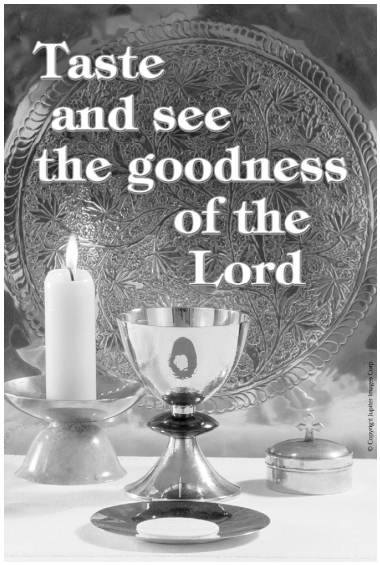
Thank You God for all the wonderful blessings,
For our daily meals, for clean drinking water,
For sunlight and for the cool breeze.
I'm thankful for my family, my husband, my friends, and my health.
I'm thankful for my friends, to love and be loved and for freedom.
I'm thankful to be employed;
I'm thankful to be alive and praise You for all these wonders.
I'm thankful that You have been so gracious
To give Your only Son to us
Who gave His life and bore the Unbearable
For us sinners.
On this Thanksgiving Day, I take the opportunity to thank for countless other things You provide us with on a daily basis.
Amen.

Reference: http://www.prayer-and-prayers.info/thanksgiving-prayers/catholic-thanksgiving-prayer.htm

S.E.A.S. PARISH MINISTRIES PAGE

This page is dedicated to our parish ministries and committees.
Every Sunday, an article or letter about a parish ministry or a committee will be featured.
To all ministry & committee chief servants, this is an opportunity for you to let our parish community know about the service your group does.
It is also a way to recruit new members.
Please submit your article or letter in English or Spanish to *frjoeyseasparishlo@gmail.com* for approval and editing. First come, first served. Thank you.

Sacristan Ministry



Simply put and from "ancient times", sacristans are charged with care of the sacristy, the church and its contents. Here at Elizabeth Ann Seton, the sacristans set up the mass for the priest. That involves placing items on the credence table such as the Chalice, patens, cups, purifiers and other things needed for the mass. Sacristans make sure the Missals and other books used in the mass are in their proper place. Sacristans take care of the candles, lights and batteries for the sound system. They make sure that altar servers, Eucharistic ministers and others are in place for the mass.

After mass, sacristans purify and wash vessels as needed and may lock up the church if so required. Some sacristans serve for funerals as well. In short, Sacristans are charged with making the mass "work". Being a sacristan is a very rewarding ministry. Personally, I experience closeness to our Lord in preparing the altar for mass and I enjoy doing this ministry for our parish. Please consider being a sacristan. We especially need sacristans for the 5:30 Saturday mass. You don't need to step in "cold", we will train you.

Dave (and Pat) Akey 528-4832

LET US PRAY FOR THE FOLLOWING

- Timothy Ketcherside
- John LeNoue
- Beatrice Acevedo
- Peter Hewitt
- John Greenville
- Jere Bresnan
- Robert Townsend
- Fely Platou
- Rose Devine
- Mary Cavagnaro
- Bonifacio Garcia
- Michael Culbertson
- Steven Greenville
- Rafael & Margarita Garcia
- Doris Stanley
- Frances Meehan
- Emily Sumner
- James Thurman.
- Aurea Cruz
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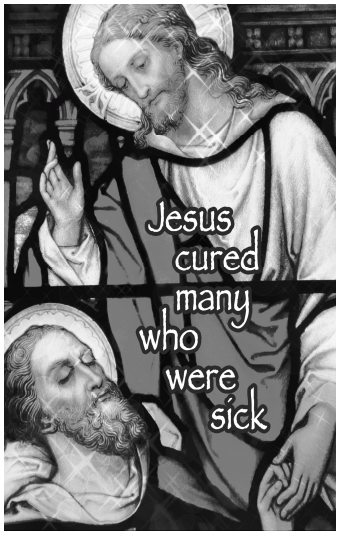
- Susan Tuttle



THE ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON PARISH COMMUNITY PRAYS FOR THE ETERNAL REST OF

✞ **BEATRICE ACEVEDO**

✞ **MARY PRENDERGAST**

✞ **DAMIAN REYES**

OUR CONDOLENCES & PRAYERS TO THE FAMILY IN THIS MOMENT OF SORROW.

IMPORTANT Announcements

2015 ADVENT MISSION AT STA. MARIA

St. Louis de Montfort Church cordially invites parishioners to its upcoming **2015 Advent Mission** featuring **Catholic apologist/radio host/author/national speaker PATRICK MADRID.**

Dates/Topics: Nov 30 - WHY BE CATHOLIC?
Dec 1-SEARCH AND RESCUE
Dec 2-IS EVERYTHING UP FOR GRABS?

Time: 10:30 AM & 7:00 PM

Speaker: PATRICK MADRID

Location: St. Louis de Montfort Church
1190 East Clark Avenue
Santa Maria, CA 93455

Admission: FREE (free-will offering)

Patrick Madrid is the popular host of the Patrick Madrid Show on Immaculate Heart Radio (890 AM) and the author/editor of over 20 faith-related books. He has served as an adjunct professor of theology at Franciscan University of Steubenville and is a research fellow of the St. Paul Center for Biblical Studies. He is also an adjunct professor of theology in the Holy Apostles College and Seminary's graduate theology program.

QUESTIONS?? CONTACT (805) 937-4555 (parish office)

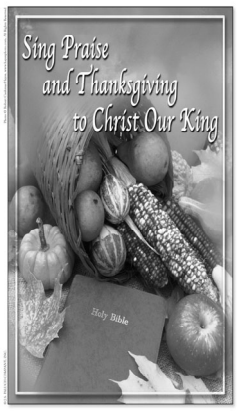
GIFTS FOR THANKSGIVING & CHRISTMAS

Fruitcakes & Date Nut Cakes
3 Pound & 1 Pound
Bookstore & Gifts
Hours: Sunday-Thursday
12:00PM—12:30 PM

Monastery of the Risen Christ
2308 O'Connor Way
San Luis Obispo
(805) 544-1810 or
Hermitagebigsur.com

NOV. 26 THANKSGIVING DAY MASS

There will be only one (1) Mass on Thanksgiving Day. Join us at **10:00 am, BILINGUAL MASS.**



If you wish to bring some food (bread, fruits, corn, any cooked dish, etc.) to be blessed in the Mass, you may do so. Please make sure it is covered/sealed and label it with your name at the bottom of the container. Please come 5 minutes before Mass so we can place your food around the altar area. Thank you.

Thanksgiving day Mass at 10am.

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sheila Pouraghabagher is now typing the bulletin. Please send future announcements for the bulletin to:

sheilaangel91947@yahoo.com
OR: Call me at 441-6159
With the subject line: CHURCH BULLETIN

ADVENT SCHEDULE

(1) We will have the traditional Advent Wreath and will need volunteers to light the candles at the beginning of Mass. Please call office if you wish to light it in honor of a loved one.

(2) English/Spanish Advent Reflection and Confessions on the 4th Dec. 2015, Friday, 7pm by Fr. Edwin Limpiado, pastor of Saint Williams, Atascadero. The same evening is the 2nd Novena in honor of Our Lady of Guadalupe. That is why during confessions, there will be praying of the Holy Rosary. After which, reception follow. Everybody is welcome.

$ REPORT FOR SEPTEMBER 2015

PLATE COLLECTIONS

Electronic Weekly:	$ 217.80
Electronic Monthly:	$ 645.21
Sunday-Monthly:	$ 1,082.90
Sunday-Weekly:	$ 7,198.00
Plate Collections Total:	**$ 9,143.91**
Add: Music Grant	$ 2,000.00
Religious Educ. Fees	665.00
Services Income	580.00
TOTAL SEPT. 2015 INCOME	**$ 12,388.91***
Less: Ordinary Parish Operations Expenses*	$ 23,433.79
TOTAL NET:	**- $11, 044.88**

**Does not include income or expenses for the International Festival*

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Susan Tuttle, Office Manager

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MORRO BAY HIGH SCHOOL POINSETTIAS FUNDRAISER

Once again the Music Boosters at Morro Bay High School is selling poinsettias as a fundraiser for their music program. My girls participate in the choir at the high school and have gained so much through their music education there. In the past, I have sold the poinsettias to parishioners, many of whom like to donate them to the church for decoration at Christmas. The poinsettias arrive the first weekend in December.

Thank you, and God bless you!
Margherita

(805) 234-1986

FEAST OF OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE CELEBRATIONS

(1) The *Guadalupanas* are selling tickets, $2 per ticket, for a raffle of three (3) images of *Our Lady of Guadalupe* to offset the expenses for the Rosary days and feast day. Tickets will be sold by Mago, Chole, and Javier at the entrance of the church.

(2) Join us in our 9 days of Rosary (Novena) before the feast day on Dec. 12. Schedule is as follows:

Dec. 3	Thurs.	7 pm Rosary, Reception
Dec. 4	Fri.	7 pm English/Spanish Advent Talk; Rosary with Confessions, Reception
Dec. 5	Sat.	7 pm Rosary, Reception
Dec. 6	Sun.	6 pm Rosary, Reception
Dec. 7	Mon.	7 pm Rosary, Reception
Dec. 8	Tues.	6:15 pm Rosary, Mass, Reception
Dec. 9	Wed.	6 pm Exposition with Rosary, Mass, Reception
Dec. 10	Thurs.	7 pm Rosary, Reception
Dec. 11	Fri.	7 pm Rosary, Reception

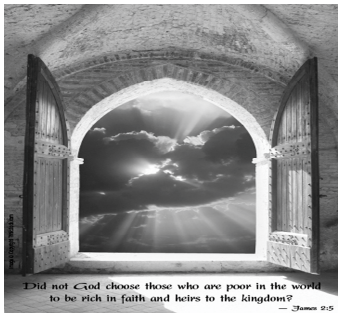
(3) Dec. 12, Feast Day Schedule

5:30 am	Mañanita
6:00 am	Mass Breakfast
6:30 pm	Procession from Community Center
7-8 pm	Spanish Mass
8 pm	Folk Dance, Music
8:30 pm	Dinner, Raffle

SCHEDULE OF MASSES, READINGS & INTENTIONS

Date	Time	Intentions	Readings
Saturday 21 Nov. 2015	**The Solemnity Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe** 4:30pm to 5pm Confession 5:30pm English Mass	✞Rita Valiton	Dn 7:13-14; Ps 93:1-2, 5; Rv 1:5-8; Jn 18:33b-37
Sunday 22 Nov. 2015	**The Solemnity Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe** **10am Trilingual Mass,** **Blessed Sacrament Procession,** **Potluck Reception** (NO 9am, NO 5pm Masses)	✞Joseph Cavagnaro	Dn 7:13-14; Ps 93:1-2, 5; Rv 1:5-8; Jn 18:33b-37
Monday 23 Nov. 2015	8am Communion Service	Communion Service	Dn 1:1-6, 8-20; Dn 3:52-56; Lk 21:1-4
Tuesday 24 Nov. 2015	8am Mass St. Andrew Dũng-Lạc and Companions	(Nov. Mass Envelopes)	Dn 2:31-45; Dn 3:57-61; Lk 21:5-11
Wednesday 25 Nov. 2015	8am Mass (English) 8:30am Adoration, Divine Mercy 6:30pm Adoration, Divine Mercy 7pm Mass (Spanish)	(Nov. Mass Envelopes) (Nov. Mass Envelopes)	Dn 5:1-6, 13-14, 16-17, 23-28; Dn 3:62-67; Lk 21:12-19
Thursday 26 Nov. 2015	Thanksgiving Day **Bilingual Mass at 10:00am**	SEAS Parishioners	Sir 50:22-24; Ps 145:2-11; 1 Cor 1:3-9; Lk 17:11-19
Friday 27 Nov. 2015	8am English Mass	(Nov. Mass Envelopes)	Dn 7:2-14; Dn 3:75-81; Lk 21:29-33
Saturday 28 Nov. 2015 Sunday 29 Nov. 2015	**(Frist Sunday of Advent)** 4:30pm - 5pm Confession 5:30pm English Mass 9am English Mass 5pm Spanish Mass	✞Joseph Cavagnaro ✞Amelia Acain	Jer 33:14-16; Ps 25:4-5, 8-10, 14; 1 Thes 3:12 — 4:2; Lk 21:25-28, 34-36

ETERNAL REST GRANT UNTO THEM O LORD. AND LET YOUR PERPETUAL LIGHT SHINE UPON THEM. MAY THEY REST IN PEACE. AMEN.



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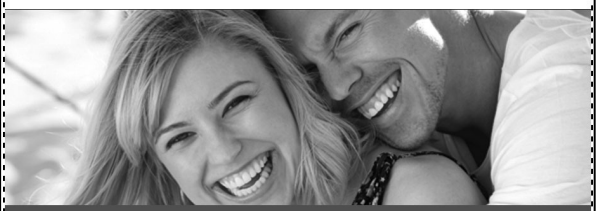

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