

# ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON CHURCH



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## ***12<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time*** ***June 20, 2021***

***Welcome to St. Elizabeth's:*** It is our hope that you feel at home and among friends here at St. Elizabeth. If you are a visitor for a day, we pray God's speed on your journey. If you are looking for a parish community, we would be delighted to welcome you into our parish family. Please introduce yourselves. Registration forms are available in the entry racks or contact us anytime at 308-534-5461.

### **Religious Services**

#### **Mass Schedule** For Sunday Obligation:

Saturday 5:00 p.m.

Sunday 10:00 a.m.

#### **Weekdays & Holy Days**

As published in the Bulletin.

#### **Rosary**

Prayed **8:30 a.m.** Monday mornings, and  
30 minutes before weekend Mass.

#### **Sacrament of Confession**

Offered 30 minutes before most all daily Masses

Saturday 4:00 p.m. – 4:55 p.m.

Sunday, 9:00 a.m. – 9:55 a.m., or by appointment.

#### **Sacrament of Baptism**

Parents are asked to attend a baptism preparation class. This is recommended, and easiest to do before the birth of the child, but must be done before the baptism.

#### **Sacrament of Matrimony**

To assist those who plan to marry, all couples will be required to fulfill the diocesan marriage preparation policy, which includes the FOCCUS & Engaged Encounter Programs. This requires a minimum of 4-6 months. The assessment process must be completed before a wedding date is set. Contact pastor early to begin the preparation.

### **Parish Information**

#### **Bulletin Deadline**

All material is to be submitted to the parish office before noon Wednesday prior to the Sunday it is to appear. Email to: [rectory-office@seas-np.org](mailto:rectory-office@seas-np.org)

#### **New or Moving Parishioners**

Please call the office to arrange an appointment with the Pastor to register in the Parish. Please call the office to notify us of any address change.

#### **Your Will**

Ask your attorney to include remembrance of your Church in your will.

#### **Religious Vocations**

Any young woman interested in religious life, or young man interested in a vocation to the priesthood should contact your pastor. Please pray for vocations!

### **Education**

#### **Family Formation Program**

Sunday mornings (Sept-May) 11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

#### **Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (R.C.I.A.)**

For those interested in possibly joining the Catholic Church. Usually on Wednesdays (Sept-May), 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. in Parish Hall. Please contact the parish office for more information.

## SCHEDULE OF MASSES

Monday June 21 8:00 a.m.  
Tuesday June 22 **7:00 a.m.**  
Wednesday June 23  
**No Eucharistic Adoration from 6:00pm-10:00pm on Wednesday**  
Thursday June 24  
Friday June 25  
Saturday June 26 **5:00 p.m.**  
Sunday June 27 **10:00 a.m.**

## INTENTIONS

Ned & Adela Hernandez & Family+  
Special Intention (jls)  
- NO DAILY MASS -  
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MaKenna Ketter  
People of our Parish

**A great prophet has  
risen in our midst.  
God has visited his  
people.**

## Stewardship: June 13, 2021

**Adult Envelopes:** .....\$2,097.20  
**Loose Plate:** .....\$254.80  
**Children:** .....\$0.00  
**Holy Day:** .....\$0.00  
**Total:** .....\$2,352.00

### Joy of the Gospel Campaign

Total Pledged: .....\$958,770.00  
Gifts last week: .....\$0.00  
**Total Gifts Received: .....\$946,073.05**  
**Original DIAL Loan: .....1,485,000.00**  
**Total Received (CTTF Camp): \$1,025,440.07**  
**Misc Donations Received: .....\$739,940.31**  
**Total Payments on Loan: .....\$1,765,812.77**  
**Balance on DIAL LOAN: .....\$0.00**

## Parish Calendar

Wednesday June 23 **6:00pm – 10:00pm:** Eucharistic Adoration  
Thursday June 24 **1:00pm:** Adult Bible Study (contact Teri Volesky)

## Catholic School News:

**Last Day:** The last day of school was May 20<sup>th</sup>. Have a GREAT summer!

**Alumni Reunion:** The 2021 St. Pat's High School Alumni Reunion Weekend, July 2-3. **July 2:** St. Pat's Alumni & Friends Golf Tournament River's Edge Golf Course- Registration @ 9:30am, Golf @ 11:00am. \$300 per team, includes lunch and cart. \*Hole-in-One contests \*First Annual St. Pat's Alumni BALL DROP \*Post-Golf Social at Another Round. **July 3:** 3rd Campus Open House 11:00am-1:00pm \*School facilities open for tours \*Yearbook display & refreshments in the SPSHS cafeteria. Reunion Banquet: 5:00pm-Social, 6:00pm-Dinner Prairie Arts Center (416 N. Jeffers). \$35 per person. Register Online: [www.bidpal.net/spalumni](http://www.bidpal.net/spalumni) Call: 308-534-5939, E-Mail: [w.dodson@npcschools.org](mailto:w.dodson@npcschools.org)

**North Platte Catholic School: Faith & Knowledge for a Brighter Future**

**National Conference for Single Catholics ...** Join hundreds of single Catholics from across the country at the 20th National Conference for Single Catholics - August 20th-22nd at the Omni Interlocken hotel in Broomfield, CO. The weekend includes talks by dynamic speakers (Fr. Nathan Cromly, Fr. Thomas Loya, Mary Beth Bonacci and others!) as well as music, social events, Mass, Adoration, opportunities for confession, fellowship, food and more. Register before July 5th to get the early-bird discount and enter promo code: NCSC21 for an extra \$20 off. Info and registration, NationalCatholicSingles.com.

**How to Find Your Soulmate without Losing Your Soul ...**  
**Book Study for High School Girls, Sunday, June 6, 2021, 7:00pm.**  
The study is for young ladies that are incoming Sophomores – outgoing Seniors. Led by Amber Thomas & Makaela Barron & continue for 6 weeks. The study is FREE, but you must register by calling Makaela 308-532-0942.

**Diocesan Canoe Trip ...** This is open to high school youth and college students. Adults are also invited along as sponsors/drivers. Join us in a couple of lazy days along the Niobrara River, along with fellowship, Mass and a lot of fun! Hurry, because space is limited: **July 11-13, 2021** [20 spots remaining] and **July 13-15, 2021** [58 spots remaining] are the two options. To register go to [www.lincolndiocese.org/canoe](http://www.lincolndiocese.org/canoe).

**Steubenville Conference ...** This is specialized to address the needs of today's Catholic youth. With an exciting lineup of speakers, musicians and presenters, the High School Youth Conferences challenge Catholic youth to stand firm in their faith, to rely upon the awesome power of Jesus Christ as their guide, friend and Savior, and to show them that faith to the world. Expect a high-energy youth conference where thousands of teens are invited to encounter Jesus Christ through dynamic speakers, engaging music, the Sacraments, small group discussions, and fellowship with other teens. Students entering 9<sup>th</sup> Grade through just graduated Seniors are able to attend, but there are only 35 more spots remaining. Register at [www.lincolndiocese.org/steubenville](http://www.lincolndiocese.org/steubenville).

**Dr. Ray Guarendi in Omaha ...** Now is your chance to see Dr. Ray live! Clinical psychologist and EWTN radio show host, Dr. Ray Guarendi, is coming to Omaha June 29<sup>th</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup> to record four episodes of his EWTN TV show, Living Right with Dr. Ray. Taping will take place at the JPII Newman Center on the University of Nebraska at Omaha's campus located at 1221 S. 71<sup>st</sup> St. Omaha, NE 68106. Free tickets are available to attend the recordings! Visit [www.spiritcatholicradio.com](http://www.spiritcatholicradio.com) to reserve your seat. Questions? Contact 402-571-0200 or email [kvss@kvss.com](mailto:kvss@kvss.com). Volunteers are needed! Email [jackie@kvss.com](mailto:jackie@kvss.com) for details about volunteering for this event.

**Good Counsel Retreat House Retreats ...** Register for Online & in person Retreats sponsored by Good Counsel Retreat House [www.goodcounselretreat.com](http://www.goodcounselretreat.com), 402-786-2705, or [goodcounsel@cdolinc.net](mailto:goodcounsel@cdolinc.net).

### **June - July Schedule:**

June 21-25 ..... Jesu Caritas Fraternity of Priests (for Priests only)  
"Week of Nazareth"  
July 5-13 ..... Fr. Christopher Barak/Matt Simmons ..... Men / Women  
"8-Day Private Directed Ignatian Retreat" (Mon-Tue)  
July 5-9 ..... Fr. Christopher Barak/Matt Simmons ..... Men / Women  
"4-Day Private Directed Ignatian Retreat" (Mon-Fri)  
July 9-13 ..... Fr. Christopher Barak/Matt Simmons ..... Men / Women  
"4-Day Private Directed Ignatian Retreat" (Fri-Tue)

**A Father Looks Back ...** Longtime country music singer Kenny Rogers has a song called "Water and Bridges," which highlights a father's pain after losing a child to abortion. Rogers told CNN that the song is not about him, but is "really about choices you make when you're young that you pay for when you're old." He goes on to explain, "It starts off with a young couple who have an abortion, and the guy says, 'If a father could hold his son, I could undo what's been done, but I guess everyone is living with water and bridges.'" Counseling and healing is available for any man or woman who has lost a child to abortion. See [www.RachelsVineyard.org](http://www.RachelsVineyard.org) for details.

### **TOTUS TUUS (A Summer Catechetical Program)**

A Totus Tuus team has been scheduled to come to St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church from **July 17 – 23, 2021**. This has been a very good program for our parish. Please mark your calendars and encourage youth to attend. Parents, plan to send your children & invite others!

Please fill out a Registration Form (available in the Narthex or on the Parish webpage: <http://www.seas-np.org/> and return it [through the mail or in the collection]). The cost is \$15.00 per child or \$40.00 for three or more family members.

This year's Theme is 10 Commandments, and the Glorious Mysteries of the Rosary. **Grades 1-8 meet Mon.-Fri. 9:00am - 3:00pm**. The day includes catechetical instruction, daily Mass, songs, games and recess. Participants in the grade school program should bring a sack lunch and recess equipment. **Grades 9-12 meet Sun.-Thu., 8:00pm-10:00pm**.

TOTUS TUUS combines catechesis and having FUN!!! The youthfulness and energy of the team is contagious, come out and join us!!! All are invited to a potluck dinner on Wednesday at 6:00 pm. The Diocesan Coordinators & Team encourage those in Grades 7-8 to attend the day sessions rather than the High School sessions.

**Totus Tuus Meal Volunteers ...** If you would like to host the Totus Tuus team (2 men and 2 women) for dinner or provide sack lunches for them during the week of July 17<sup>th</sup> to the 23<sup>rd</sup>, please contact Emily Krondak at 520-6673 or [emilykrondak@msn.com](mailto:emilykrondak@msn.com), or sign up on the sheet at the Bulletin Board Counter in the Narthex.

**Totus Tuus Housing Volunteers ...** If you would like to have the Totus Tuus team (2 men or 2 women) stay at your home Saturday – Friday during the week of July 17<sup>th</sup> to the 23<sup>rd</sup>, please contact Ashley Perlinger at 402-202-9214 or [seasparishcoordinator@gmail.com](mailto:seasparishcoordinator@gmail.com).

### **Charity & Stewardship Appeal CSA 2021 (DDP)**

The results thus far are: St. Elizabeth Ann Seton goal is \$8,260.00! The pledges so far total \$10,330.00, and \$6,190.00 has already been paid. There were 20 persons who pledged more in 2021 than in 2020 for a total of \$950.00 MORE! There were 0 persons who gave less in 2021 than in 2020, for a total of \$0.00 less. There were 12 persons who gave the same that they gave last year for a total of \$2,580.00. May the Lord reward you for your contributions and for giving what you have to Him. There are still 46 cards out! If you haven't made your pledge, please do so when called on. Please remember to be faithful to your pledges!

### **Unveiled: Discovering the Great Mystery in Your Marriage ...**

The St. Thomas Aquinas Newman Center is hosting this Unveiled Retreat **July 15-17**. Now offered in-person and virtually via livestream! Discover how the great mystery of Christ's love can restore passion, purpose and intimacy in your marriage. In Unveiled, a retreat led by the John Paul II Healing Center, you'll engage topics grounded in Church teaching such as: "Discovering True Love," "A Whole New Look at Your Wedding Day," "Cultivating Intimacy and Unity in Your Marriage," "Understanding Your Marital Conflict," "Healing and Reconciliation in Your Marriage," and "Restoring Sexual Passion and Intimacy in Your Marriage." This retreat is open to singles discerning marriage, dating and engaged couples, and couples who have been married for many years! Learn more and register for this amazing experience at: [www.jp2healingcenter.org](http://www.jp2healingcenter.org). Scholarships available. Email Stephanie & Jude Werner at [UnveiledLincoln@gmail.com](mailto:UnveiledLincoln@gmail.com) for more information. Sponsored by Catholic Diocese of Lincoln Office of Family Life.

### **Resources related to Sunday Mass Obligation and participating in Sunday Mass ... an excellent 6 minute video from Bishop Thomas Olmsted**

- NEW: Make Sunday feel like Sunday again – YouTube <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9v0exRVtEYg>
- Also, I encourage you to click on the following link in order to read Bishop Olmsted's most recent Apostolic Exhortation "Veneremur Cernui – Down in Adoration Falling" <https://dphx.org/veneremur-cernui/>

**Stress in Your Marriage? ...** Retrouvaille is a program for married couples that feel bored, disillusioned, frustrated, or angry in their marriage. Some experience coldness. Others experience conflict in their relationship. Most don't know how to change the situation or even communicate with their spouse about it. This program has helped tens of thousands of couples experiencing difficulties in their marriage. For confidential information about or to register for the August program beginning with a weekend on August 13-15, 2021, call 1-888-317-5654 or 308-986-2351 or [www.retrouvaille.org](http://www.retrouvaille.org) on the web.

### **Urge U.S. Senators to Oppose the Equality Act ...**

Everyone deserves to be treated with respect and dignity. The Equality Act, which has already passed the U.S. House of Representatives and will be up for a vote in the Senate soon, in many ways does the opposite and needs to be opposed. Instead of respecting differences in beliefs about marriage and sexuality, the Equality Act would discriminate against people of faith. Please take a moment to contact Nebraska U.S. Senators Deb Fischer and Ben Sasse and urge them to oppose the Equality Act.

The Equality Act would: punish faith-based organizations, such as charities and schools who serve everyone in their communities, simply because of their beliefs; force girls and women to compete against boys and men for limited opportunities in sports, and to share locker rooms and shower spaces with biological males who identify as women; risk mandating taxpayers to fund abortions; force people in everyday life, and especially health care workers, to support gender transition; and expand what the government considers a "public" place, forcing even some parish halls to host functions that conflict with Catholic beliefs.

### **FROM FR. KARL MILLIS:**

In saying goodbye to the parishioners in Auburn and Peru, I am able to say hello to the parishioners in North Platte. Those of you I have already met have welcomed me warmly, and I look forward to meeting and getting to know all of you over the next several months. I feel very blessed to be the new spiritual leader of this community, and know that the Holy Spirit will help to guide us through this time of transition. I will include more about myself in the next bulletin, so you will know more about my background and what brought me to the Lincoln Diocese and to all of you.



## Liturgical Ministers

	Sat., Jun. 26, 5:00pm	Sun., Jun. 27, 10:00am
<b>Lector</b>	Mike Krondak	Justin Pieper
<b>Acolyte</b>	Ed Rieker	Jerry Cooper
<b>Server</b>	William Krondak	Xavier Pieper
	Nicholas Krondak	Liam Pieper
<b>Music</b>	Matt & Ashley Perlinger	Greg Vandenberg
<b>Gifts</b>	Volunteer – Ask Ushers	Volunteer – Ask Ushers
<b>Ushers</b>	Steve Fear	Duane Johnsen
	Janet Fear	Heather Johnsen
<b>Rosary</b>		

## Liturgical Calendar & Saints

Saturday:	June 19	St. Romauld <i>(Opt. Memorial)</i>
Sunday:	June 20	<b>12<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>
Monday:	June 21	St. Aloysius Gonzaga <i>(Memorial)</i>
Tuesday:	June 22	Ordinary Time Weekday <i>(Wk. 12)</i> St. Paulinus of Nola, Sts. John Fisher and Thomas More <i>(Opt. Memorial)</i>
Wednesday:	June 23	Ordinary Time Weekday <i>(Wk. 12)</i>
Thursday:	June 24	Nativity of St. John the Baptist <i>(Solemnity)</i>
Friday:	June 25	Ordinary Time Weekday <i>(Wk. 12)</i>
Saturday:	June 26	Ordinary Time Weekday <i>(Wk. 12)</i>
Sunday:	June 27	<b>13<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>

**Prayers for the sick:** Daniel Nisley, Spencer Bale, Kim Prenosil, Kerry Heskett (Ben Heskett's sister), Cathy Leathers, J.D. Troyer, Cindy Ryan, Dean Large, Jennifer Schmid, Those affected with/by COVID-19, Peggy Lawler, Special Intention, Tim Garth (Theresa McCarthy-Garth's son), Those struggling with Alcoholism, Renate Nordquist, Kim Paul.

**Prayers for the deceased:** Janice Large, Fr. Rudy Oborny, Rick Ryan, Theresa McCarthy-Garth, Jim Beckius, Vinette Tenopir (Mickey Morlang's mother), Ginger Daigger Smith, Troy Tickle, Carolyn Cohen, Steve Haman (Matt Perlinger's uncle), Betty Conley (Bishop Conley's mother), Mike Paul, Sammy Medinger, Mary Lou Robles (Toni Barron's sister), Leo Walz, Ardis "Jo" Ginapp, Verna Kellogg, Bonnie Greco (Ashley Perlinger's grandmother), Shirley Lindekugel, Beatrice Estrada, Eloise Kramer (Monica Kramer's mother), Nellie Rodriguez (Toni Barron's sister), Reyes Robles (Toni Barron's brother-in-law), Margaret Ruskamp (Donna Bode's mother), Dolores Kosmicki, Patricia Zamora (Toni Barron's sister), Teresa Cloutre, Gordon Swanson (Cindy Swanson's father), Florena Schneeweis (Emily Krondak's mother), Carlos Fleury (Steve/Janet Fear's son-in-law), Ruby Ramirez (Toni Barron's sister), JoAnn Bode Waters (John Bode's sister), Eileen Boltz, Leona Cloutre, Bernadine Torres, Martha Burbach, Luke Ranck.

**Birthdays/Anniversaries:** 6/19 - Lana Vlasin, 6/20 - Xavier Pieper, Spencer Hampton, 6/21 - Steve Keck, 6/22 - Steve Cloutre, 6/23 - Luke Devore, Aaron Jones, Graham Butler, Sophia Krondak, 6/24 - Tyler Fear.

**Congratulations:** to Gary & Jan Bush who celebrate their **55<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary June 25.**

### Catechism of the Catholic Church (Second Edition) PART FOUR – CHRISTIAN PRAYER

#### SECTION ONE – PRAYER IN THE CHRISTIAN LIFE    CHAPTER ONE – THE REVELATION OF PRAYER

**2610** Just as Jesus prays to the Father and gives thanks before receiving his gifts, so he teaches us filial boldness: “**Whatever you ask in prayer, believe that you receive it, and you will.**”<sup>66</sup> Such is the power of prayer and of faith that does not doubt: “**all things are possible to him who believes.**”<sup>67</sup> Jesus is as saddened by the “**lack of faith**” of his own neighbors and the “**little faith**” of his own disciples<sup>68</sup> as he is struck with admiration at the great faith of the Roman centurion and the Canaanite woman.<sup>69</sup>

**66** *Mk. 11:24* <sup>24</sup>Therefore I tell you, **all that you ask for in prayer, believe that you will receive it and it shall be yours.**

**67** *Mk. 9:23* <sup>23</sup>Jesus said to him, “If you can!” **Everything is possible to one who has faith.**

*Cf. Mt. 21:22* <sup>22</sup>Whatever you ask for in prayer with faith, you will receive.”

**68** *Cf. Mk. 6:6* <sup>6</sup>He was amazed at their lack of faith. He went around to the villages in the vicinity teaching.

*Mt. 8:26* <sup>26</sup>He said to them, “Why are you terrified, O you of little faith?” Then he got up, rebuked the winds and the sea, and there was great calm.

**69** *Cf. Mt. 8:10* <sup>10</sup>When Jesus heard this, he was amazed and said to those following him, “Amen, I say to you, in no one in Israel have I found such faith.

*Cf. Mt. 15:28* <sup>28</sup>Then Jesus said to her in reply, “O woman, great is your faith! Let it be done for you as you wish.” And her daughter was healed from that hour.

**2611** The prayer of faith consists not only in saying “Lord, Lord,” but in disposing the heart to do the will of the Father.<sup>70</sup> Jesus calls his disciples to bring into their prayer this concern for cooperating with the divine plan.<sup>71</sup>

**70** *Cf. Mt. 7:21* <sup>21</sup>“Not everyone who says to me, ‘Lord, Lord,’ will enter the kingdom of heaven, but only the one who does the will of my Father in heaven.

**71** *Cf. Mt. 9:38* <sup>38</sup>“...so ask the master of the harvest to send out laborers for his harvest.”

*Lk. 10:2* <sup>2</sup> He said to them, “The harvest is abundant but the laborers are few; so ask the master of the harvest to send out his laborers for the harvest.

*Jn. 4:34* <sup>34</sup>Jesus said to them, “My food is to do the will of the one who sent me and to finish his work.”

**Pray for our Seminarians:** at St. Gregory the Great Seminary, Mount St. Mary Seminary, St. Charles Borromeo Seminary, and the North American College in Rome.

**Pray for our Religious Sisters:** Sr. Mary Chiara, Novice, of Gretna, Nebraska, and Sr. Teresa Marie, taking her 1<sup>st</sup> vows, of Columbus, Nebraska. They are both at the **Marian Sisters of the Diocese of Lincoln.**

**HOLY FATHER’S INTENTIONS ... (June) Intention for evangelization - The beauty of marriage:**  
Let us pray for young people who are preparing for marriage with the support of a Christian community: may they grow in love, with generosity, faithfulness and patience.