

St. Henry Catholic Church

Sixth Sunday of Easter

May 1, 2016

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton - St. Henry Mass Schedule and Intentions

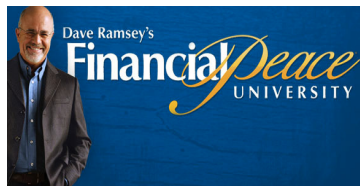


Monday, May 2, 6:30 AM: Janice Self Foster RIP by Fr. Deering and the Parish Family
 Tuesday, May 3, 6:30 AM: In honor of Bettie Doss' Birthday by Rick & Margaret Wiley
 Wednesday, May 4, 6:30 AM: George Gerson RIP by Robert and Glenda Geisen
 Thursday, May 5, 6:30 AM: In Thanksgiving by Jasmine McLendon & Darrell McLendon
 Friday, May 6, 6:30 AM: Jaye Hall RIP by Louise Tekulve
 Saturday, May 7, 5:00 PM: In memory and In Honor of all our Mothers
 St. Henry Sunday, May 8, 8:30 AM: For the people of the parish
 Sunday, May 8, 11:00 AM: For the people of the parish



Eucharistic Adoration takes place Tuesdays, 5:30-6:30pm at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church.

Join us for St. Henry "Friday Night Nights" 6:30pm on the second Friday of every month!



Continuing Thursdays at 6pm St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish Hall. Contact Carla Doss at 631-2392

Big News! The Bible Christian Society and the Diocese of Birmingham are co-sponsoring an awesome **Conference on Evangelization here in Birmingham on May 17-19.** It's a relatively small conference, as we have room for only a couple hundred folks, but it will be the best Catholic conference in the country in 2016. Our speakers include **Dr. Scott Hahn, Dr. Ralph Martin, Fr. Rafael Capo, Dr. Allen Hunt, Kelly Wahlquist, Tim Staples, Dan Burke, and John Martignoni.** It is going to be an amazing event! The cost of the conference is \$125, but that includes two dinners and a lunch as well. For more information, or to register, go to: <http://www.alabamaevangalization.com>. First come, first served in regards to registrations, so sign up now!

Upcoming Special Events!

First Holy Communion
 Sunday, May 1, 2016, 8:30am at St. Henry and 11am at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton

Confirmation
 Practice: Wednesday, May 18, 6pm at St. Paul Cathedral
 Saturday, May 21, 10am at St. Paul Cathedral

We joyfully announce the Graduation of **Dc. Jim Handerhan**

from Notre Dame Seminary in New Orleans, Louisiana with a Masters of Divinity Degree on May 4, 2016.

His Ordination to the Priesthood will take place

on Saturday, June 4, 2016 at 11am at St. Paul Cathedral.

"Father Jim Handerhan" will celebrate his first Mass at

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton on Sunday, June 5, 2016 at 11am

followed by a reception in St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish Hall.

"From the Pastor's Desk"

There are two things that happen when a man studies at a Seminary ... he gets **formed** and **informed**!

Yes, not only does he get immersed in an avalanche of **information** in the areas of Philosophy and Theology ... but he also gets **molde**d in Priestly **formation** as well.

Formation and **Information** ... are not only necessary to live out a Priestly call ... but to live out "God's call to All" ... to spread **the Good News of Salvation in Jesus Christ.**

Every baptized person shares in that call and is therefore responsible to be sufficiently and properly **formed** so as to be fruitful in building up the Kingdom of God on earth.

Of the many resources that are available today, I wrote of a very special one in my *Pastor's Desk* 2 months ago ... it was a brand new offering called "**FORMED**". At that time, the Good Sisters of Casa Maria had purchased the license to use the offering at their Retreat Center and got permission for people to try it themselves for free for the next 2 months.

Well, many of you did and I relayed your favorable response to John Martignoni, our Director of Evangelization in the Diocese. And thanks to his efforts, **Bishop Baker** went ahead and purchased a 12-month license with the company giving free access to **FORMED** for **up to 5000 users!**

That means that instead of each person having to pay \$10 per month to use this on-line product ... **the first 5000 people** who register at www.formed.org will be able to use all the many offerings in this product ... for an entire year ... for free!

Just use our Diocesan Code **2XVG88** when you open your personal account.

Then **begin being formed in the Catholic Faith** by exploring the many Catholic ...

Programs ... Movies ... Audios and Books

they have from some of the greatest theologians around.

Hurry, as word is going out to all Parishes for individuals to sign up for **this free Evangelization Tool** called **FORMED.**

Remember the exhortation of our First Pope, **St. Peter**, who wrote in his First Letter in the Bible,

"Always be ready to give an explanation to anyone who asks you for a reason for your hope."

This program will help you get ready to do this ... it will get you **formed** and **informed!**

How **comfortable** and **confident** you will be when you take the time to grow your knowledge of the Catholic Faith.

May God bless your every effort ... to **share your faith** and **save souls.**

Easter Joy and Hope! Love, Father Deering

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Please Pray for our Sick and Homebound

Patsy Clark Mary Jo Sparks

YOU MAY ADD TO OUR LONG TERM CAREBOOK located on the table at the side entry-way of the Church.
PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY: A list of our loved ones serving in the Military is posted on the Knights' bulletin board.

PARISH MEETINGS

PARISH COUNCIL: Monday, June 6, 6pm

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS:

General Council: Wednesday, May 4, 6:30pm

Fourth Degree meeting: May 4 (after General Council)

LADIES ALTAR SODALITY:

Every second Sunday each month after Mass
sthenryladies@hotmail.com



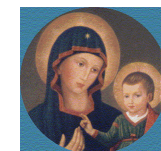
Right to Life

Every single person is sacred to God whether they be embryo, fetus, infant, toddler, teen, adult or senior citizen. Abortion is a mortal sin because it kills a human person.

DAY RETREAT All are invited for a day of spiritual talks in the beautiful scenery of Camp Tekakwitha, 8500 Deer Haven Rd, Springville, AL on **May 21, 2016.** **Fr. John Paul Mary of EWTN** will lead the retreat hosted by the Kateri Circle. Begin 9 AM - Mass at 11 AM - Lunch - Talk 1 PM. End by 2:30 PM. Call 201-260-3139 to make reservation. \$25/couple, \$15/person.

XYZ Mass, Luncheon and Bingo

Monday, June 13—Mass at 11am in St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish Hall. Everyone is invited especially those 50 plus!



To celebrate and give thanks Our Lady Consolata Feast Wednesday, June 1, 2016

Eucharistic liturgy: 11am Luncheon following **Catholic Center of Concern:**

712 4th Court West, B'ham, AL 35204 All are welcome!

FATHER DEERING'S SUNDAY HOMILIES

are now available on our website:

www.sthenrywarrior.org

Father Deering will be available to hear confessions at St. Henry's the first Sunday of each month from **7:45 until 8:15am.**



GET YOUR CANS TO CHURCH!

Please bring empty aluminum drink cans to Church. We crush and recycle!

YOUTH HAPPENINGS



Attention Parents of High School or College Graduating Seniors: Please contact the Church office, 631-9398, and let us know if your child is graduating. We would like to honor your Grad!!



Save the Date!
 Vacation Bible School
 June 20 — 24, 2016
 at SEAS Parish Hall
 Adult & Teen volunteers are needed!!
 Sign-up Sheets are available!



Susan's Fund -- Don't forget to bring in food items, gently used clothing, diapers, paper products and small appliances for our Parish support of the Catholic Center of Concern. We have placed plastic bins in each PSR classroom and in the parish hall and front vestibule. Let's all be active in sharing our blessings with the poor of our Diocese.

LIFE LINE HEALTH SCREENINGS

Protect your health by participating in the **Life Line** health screenings that will be at **St Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church on Wednesday, May 11, 2016.** Register today for the Stroke, Vascular & Heart Rhythm package, which includes four screenings: carotid artery, abdominal aortic aneurysm, peripheral arterial disease and atrial fibrillation. **In order to register for this event and to receive a \$10 discount off any package priced above \$129, please call 1-888-653-6441 or visit www.lifelinescreening.com/community-partners.**

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LAY MINISTER SCHEDULE

DATE	LECTOR	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION	USHERS (Captain = C)	ALTAR SERVERS
Sun. May 8 Mother's Day	Richard Townes	Bo Grant Terri Rouse Dominick Viruleg Josh Stump	Tony Smith C Garvis Thrasher Kurt Keeney	Ben Baldwin Chase Jordan Joseph Holy
Sun. May 15 Pentecost	David Shaner	Kathy Gray Harold Gray Erin Grant Pat Stump	Tony Smith C Wendell Cox Kurt Keeney	Daniel Bamberry Caleb Gray Joseph Holy