

St. Henry Catholic Church

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

January 24, 2016



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

Monday, Jan. 25,	6:30 AM:	Leldon "Hootie" Hooten RIP by John and Rose Dempsey
Tuesday, Jan. 26,	6:30 AM:	
Wednesday, Jan. 27,	6:30 AM:	Wilma Wright RIP by Josh Pruitt
Thursday, Jan. 28,	6:30 AM:	Paul Maniscalco RIP by Floyd, Mary Margaret & Frank Rohling
Friday, Jan. 29,	6:30 AM:	Walter Shapielak RIP by Lorraine Shapielak
Saturday, Jan. 30,	5:00 PM:	
St. Henry Sunday, Jan. 31,	8:30 AM:	For the people of the parish
Sunday, Jan. 31,	11:00 AM:	For the people of the parish



Eucharistic Adoration takes place each Tuesday evening at 5:30pm at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church.

Roman Catholic Inquiry and Answers! (RCIA)

Start the New Year off right and join us and invite your family and friends to come to St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish Hall and learn about our faith as we begin the new year.

This week's topic: Baptism, Confirmation, Eucharist

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

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton — St. Henry ADULT RETREAT
January 29 - 31, 2016
Retreat Master: Fr. Leonard Mary
Cost is \$75.00 per person. Sign up today!



Two Houses for Rent in Warrior

We have 2 Church-owned houses adjacent to St. Henry Church in Warrior available for rent.
3 BR, 1 BA, basement storage, \$650 per month.
3 BR, 1 BA, 2-car Carport, Shed, \$900 per month.
Call Annette Cox at 647-7473

All women of the Diocese are invited to the **Magnificat 20th Anniversary Luncheon**
Speaker: Bishop Emeritus David E. Foley
Saturday, February 6, 2016—Rosary at 10:15am
11am until 2:30pm. Tickets are available at Alpha Church Supply or any Service Team Member for \$15.00 and will be on sale until January 27, 2016. No Tickets will be sold at the door.

FATHER DEERING'S SUNDAY HOMILIES are now available on our website:
www.sthenrywarrior.org

- Please join us in the parish hall for free coffee and doughnuts after Mass every Sunday!
- Come do your shopping at our **Gift Shop** located in the vestibule.

"From the Pastor's Desk"

It may seem like the whole world is now completely connected ... through **the Laptop and the Cell Phone** ... so that everybody's able to know everything about everybody.

But, that's not the case. And here's why. **Electronic mail** is like **paper-mail** in that many items are never opened ... or are not opened in a timely fashion.

The same thing is true with **Facebook**. Just because you posted something on **Facebook** doesn't mean it was read by every one of your friends.

So, what's the sure and proven way of getting a message to someone? You talk to them, either **in person** or **by phone!**

It's a process has been working really great for years ... and it will continue to be the most assured way ... of getting others to hear you and help you in a timely fashion.

I say this because we've had instances where people get upset that their name wasn't put on our Parish Prayer List or that I never came to see them in the hospital ... and here we never even knew of their need and desires!

Just because other Parishioners know of your situation doesn't mean that the Church Office knows.

A couple of things you must know:

- #1. No one in our Parish Office is a "mind-reader" ... and so we don't have an inside way of knowing when you're sick or injured ... nor do we know what your desires are for help and support from the Church.
- #2. Not everyone is on **Facebook** ... including me!
- #3. Not everyone who goes into the Hospital wants to be visited by a Priest. Thank goodness! There's simply no way I'd ever make the rounds to visit all the people who go into the Hospital every week for such things as Testing or Treatment or Minor surgery or Medical Procedures.

And so, I'm counting on you or someone close to you ... to call our Church Office ... and tell us who needs help ... and then tell us exactly what you want us to do!

You might first ask **Pastoral Services** in the hospital to locate a Priest if one is needed. They will know if a Priest is there or can call a nearby Priest to quickly come for help.

Then call us if you want to put a name on our Prayer List, or request a visit from me for **Confession** or **Anointing**.

Don't assume that by you telling us you're in the hospital that we know what you want. Many people want privacy and don't want a visit from the Priest or Extraordinary Minister.

We're committed to serving you ... please tell us how.

Love, Father Deering

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Please Pray for our Sick and Homebound

Patsy Clark Mary Jo Sparks Mike O'Laire

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

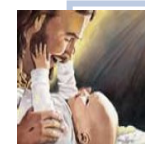
PARISH COUNCIL: Monday, February 15, 6pm

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS:

General Council: Wednesday, February 3, 6:30pm
A meeting of the Fourth Degree will follow immediately after the 6:30pm meeting

LADIES ALTAR SODALITY:

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



Right to Life

"The first priority, the fundamental priority of the common good is protecting and supporting human life, for without life, there is no common good".

- Bishop Arthur J. Serratelli

Natural Family Planning classes

will begin on **Tuesday, January 26 at 7 pm at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish Hall (upstairs)** in Gardendale. Discover a natural way to postpone or achieve a pregnancy...the Art of Natural Family Planning® is based on an awareness of a woman's fertility. It's medically safe, 99% effective in postponing pregnancy, very low cost, often has a positive effect on the couple's marriage, and is morally acceptable according to the Catechism of the Catholic Church. For additional information contact Harold or Kathy Gray at 205-999-6439, or e-mail kagrav222@hotmail.com. Registration is online at www.ccli.org.



St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church has a **FACEBOOK Page!!**
Be sure to visit and **LIKE** us!!

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



This Sunday January 24 is the next Youth Mass at the 11am Mass at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton. Please let Andy and Laura know how you can serve during Mass! Following Mass, we will have lunch and work on preparations for upcoming retreats!

On **Wednesday night, February 3**, the Confirmation class and high school class will be visiting **Her Choice Women's Center** for a presentation on the Gospel of Life and Chastity. The program is 6-8pm and we will meet at SEAS at 5:15 for departure and return to SEAS by 8:30 for pick up. You will need a permission to travel form completed. Dinner will be provided at Her Choice. **You must RSVP by February 1 to Andy and Laura Hollis.**

Mark your calendars for the **5th, 6th, and 7th Grade Retreat** at WorldSong Retreat Center on **April 15-17, 2016!** Please encourage all your children/grandchildren/godchildren in this age range to attend! We are also looking for responsible older teens 8th grade and up to serve as youth leaders and brave adult chaperones to serve as cooks/cleaners/picture takers/errand runners, etc.!!! Please let Andy and Laura know if you have any questions or would like to RSVP to attend or assist with the retreat in any manner!
Questions? Laurahollisot@gmail.com or 205-482-7414.



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 Centers 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.

LAY MINISTER SCHEDULE

DATE	LECTOR	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION	USHERS (Captain = C)	ALTAR SERVERS
Sun. January 31	Terri Rouse	Erin Grant Bo Grant Terri Rouse Pat Stump	Tony Smith C Paul Homman Duane Holy	Daniel Bamberry Caleb Gray Joseph Holy
Sun. February 7	Kathy Gray	Kathy Gray Dominick Viruleg Harold Gray Josh Stump	Tony Smith C Tim Schaefers Mike Jolly	Ben Baldwin Chase Jordan