



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

Monday, Nov 10,	6:30 AM:	Bishop Robert Baker LIV by SEAS Secretaries
Tuesday, Nov 11,	6:30 AM:	Patricia Simonetti RIP by Lawrence and Paulette Johnson
Wednesday, Nov 12,	6:30 AM:	Bishop Robert Baker LIV by Rick and Margaret Wiley
Thursday, Nov 13,	6:30 AM:	All Soul's by The Do Family
Friday, Nov 14,	6:30 AM:	
Saturday, Nov 15,	5:00 PM:	Kate Foster RIP by Harold and Kathy Gray
St. Henry Sunday, Nov 16,	8:30 AM:	For the people of the parish
Sunday, Nov 16,	11:00 AM:	For the people of the parish

Eucharistic Adoration

will take place every **Tuesday** night from 5:30--6:30pm at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church.



RCIA - Roman Catholic Inquiry and Answers!

Classes take place every Tuesday evening at 7 PM at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish Hall! Come renew your faith and invite family and friends to come with you so they can hear for themselves the teachings and truths of the Catholic Church.

This week's topic: **Tour of the Church**

XYZ MASS, LUNCHEON AND BINGO

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish Hall
Mark your calendars and plan to come on Monday, November 17, 11am. Especially for those 50+ however all those who are free are invited!!



Why not make a change this Fall in the way you support St. Henry? Sign up with eGiving through **Faith Direct**, which is the most convenient and secure way for you to make your weekly offering to St. Elizabeth Ann Seton. Making either one-time or automatic contributions through Faith Direct will also save valuable time for both you and our parish staff. Enroll by visiting Faith Direct's website www.faithdirect.net and use our parish code AL567. You can also fill out and mail a Faith Direct enrollment form from the parish office.

Peace and Blessings to your family! Father Michael Deering

The Catholic Charismatic Monthly Mass is held the second Thursday of every month. The next two Masses are **November 14th and December 11, 2014** at

Our Lady of Sorrows Family Life Center at 7:00 pm.

Rev. Fr. Paul Asih M.S.P. will be the celebrant at the Eucharistic celebration. For more information contact Dolores Milazzo-Hicks at 205-328-7112.

Silent Auction & Dinner on Saturday, November 15, 2014 at 6:00pm at The Abbey Byre @ St. Bernard

Sponsored by S.B. Parent League and the Senior Class
Join us for a fun night to support Catholic education at St. Bernard! Our theme this year is FIESTA! Enjoy a delicious Mexican dinner and a cash bar will be available. There will be a silent auction of various items and a live auction with some amazing packages! There will also be a 50/50 raffle. This is a night out you don't want to miss! Purchase your tickets now for \$25 per person at the school or from Carrie Woods, 205.422.9750

"From the Pastor's Desk"

In one month, on December 7th, **Deacon Tim Vaughn** will celebrate his **One Year Anniversary** of Ordination. We're so happy to have him serving our two Parishes in the capacity of Deacon!

Married Deacons can be especially effective as they draw on the help and support of their wives in ministry.

Such has been the case with **Tim and Penny Vaughn** as they have initiated and supervised numerous instructional classes over the past year including **Sunday Adult Education** classes and **Wednesday Faith Instruction** classes.

Together, they continue to plan and prepare for our **Annual Parish Retreat** which will take place in **February** by booking rooms and meals with the **Benedictine Retreat Center**, acquiring all the Retreat materials and hosting frequent **Fund Raisers** and Activities to keep the cost at the low level of just \$75 per person for the weekend.

Deacon Tim has exercised most all of the faculties given to him by the Bishop including **proclaiming the Gospel** and **preaching the Homily, Baptizing, leading Funeral and Graveside Services**, and offering **counsel and spiritual direction**.

One faculty he has yet to experience is preparing a couple for **Marriage** and presiding at their exchange of consent.

A special assignment given to Deacon Tim by Bishop Baker is to continue his coordination and involvement in the **Cursillo program** ... which is that very special spiritual retreat experience offered in the spring for women and in the fall for men.

In all of this, Dc. Tim does not receive any compensation from the Church ... he is truly a servant of the people. And so I'd like to share a long-standing tradition in the Catholic Church involving gifts.

It has always been customary for the faithful to give a gift to the Priest or Deacon who assists them in a special way. For example, after a **Baptism, a Wedding or a Funeral** it's common for the people who have been served to give a gift to the Priest or Deacon.

This would be similar to leaving a tip at the Restaurant ... while it's not required ... it's a sign of appreciation for the care received.

While Deacon Tim was the very first Deacon ordained from our Parish, I believe that God is calling other men here to come forward and be trained for this service to the Church.

The **Diocese of Birmingham** has opened up the application process for men considering the first level of Holy Orders, Diaconate. Those who are selected will enter into a one-year phase of prayerful discernment to affirm this call.

If they still feel called after that **and** the Church approves, they will participate in classes (with their wives if married) on one weekend a month for 3 years in order to be formally trained in the duties of this important role in the Church.

I ask all the men to pray about this opportunity and let me know if you're open to this calling. God bless you!

Love, Father. Deering

Please pray for our homebound

Patsy Clark Barbara Barone

PARISH MEETINGS

PARISH COUNCIL: Mon, Nov 24, 6pm

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS:

General Council: Wednesday, Dec 3, 6:30pm

LADIES ALTAR SODALITY:

Every second Sunday each month after Mass

Our Sodality email address is:

sthenryladies@hotmail.com



Right to Life

Be a war protester... protest the war being waged against our unborn children. Demand an end to war so all babies can live in their mother's womb in peace.

St. Henry Friday Night Nights

Second Friday of every month at 6:00pm

Our Lady of Sorrows Catholic School (OLS) Class of 1977

is excited to announce its **CLASS REUNION on Friday, December 19, 2014**. The gathering will be held in the OLS Family Life Center Assembly Hall beginning with Mass at 6:00 p.m., followed by a buffet dinner. If you were a part of the 1977 class, or taught this OLS class between 1968-1977, please contact Tim Meehan at tmeehan50@gmail.com / (205) 913-3902, or Mary Jacka Hall at mjackahall@gmail.com / (205) 567-0580 for more information.

Please keep our seminarians in your prayers and support them with letters, cards or words of encouragement.

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

GET YOUR CANS TO CHURCH!

Please bring empty aluminum drink cans to Church. We crush and recycle them and the money generated goes into our tuition assistance fund.

YOUTH HAPPENINGS

YOUTH MASS — NOVEMBER 9TH

All student in grades 3rd through 12th are invited to sit in the front pews in Mass on this day. PSR teachers are asked to sit with their classes, if possible. We would like to have a monthly Youth Mass and ask our children to take part in all aspects of the Mass. Children will be signing up in their PSR classes. Catholic School students are also invited to sit together with all the Youth and sign up for participation in the Mass.

JOHN CARROLL HIGH PLACEMENT TEST

Attention All 8th Grade Parents and Students

interested in John Carroll Catholic High School for the 2015-2016 school year: The **High School Placement Test for John Carroll Catholic High School** will take place on **Saturday, December 6, 2014 from 7:45am-Noon**.

The test will be given on the John Carroll Catholic campus located at 300 Lakeshore Parkway, Birmingham, AL 35209.

(1) An Online application and \$75 fee must be completed through the John Carroll website, www.jccshs.org (Admissions) by December 3, 2014 to register. Must bring (2) No.2 pencils-NO Calculator permitted.

For questions, please contact the Admissions Office at: admissions@jccshs.org or (205) 940-2400 ext. 233.

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LAY MINISTER SCHEDULE

DATE	LECTOR	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION	USHERS (Captain = C)	ALTAR SERVERS
Sun. November 16	Susan Dearing	Erin Grant Bo Grant Terri Rouse Pat Stump	Tony Smith C Paul Homman Duane Holy	Daniel Bamberry Caleb Gray Joseph Holy
Sun. November 23	Harold Gray	Kathy Gray Dominick Viruleg Harold Gray Josh Stump	Tony Smith C Tim Schaefer Mike Jolly	Chris Woods Ben Baldwin Chase Jordan