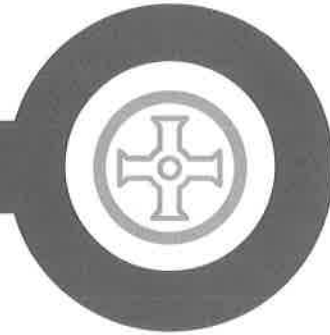


Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish

515 North Main St. • Holmen, WI 54636-9387



April, 2018

Dear Parishioners,

- **Please use enclosed form to update any new personal information so our parish can efficiently communicate with you *Please be sure to mark the box in the upper corner for “new information”.***
- **Registration is underway for the 2018-2019, Pre-K - grade 10, Faith Formation program. If your child has not been with us, we'd love to include them!**
- **If you are able to financially sponsor an additional child or if you do not have a child in the program, you may make a monetary donation.** There is a place to mark that on the back of the enclosed registration form. Tuition fees will remain the same as last year at \$100 per student* which enables us to provide: two staff members, student texts, workbooks, supplies, videos, guest speakers and other resources.

You have the option to:

- Pay the full amount up front
- or ½ now and ½ in September.

Our classes for grades 1-9 are held at the Holmen Middle School, 502 N. Main St. most Wednesday nights from 6:30 until 7:45pm, Sept. 12, 2018- May 2, 2019.

Students in grade 2 will prepare for both Sacraments of Penance and First Communion.

Students in grade 10 will prepare for the Sacrament of Confirmation and are on a bit of a different schedule. Baptism Certificates are needed if not baptized at St. Elizabeth's.

Please promptly complete and return the enclosed registration form and fees to the Faith Formation office by May 30. The form is also available online at <http://www.seasholmen.org/youth-faith-formation.html> Class lists and room assignments will be posted in St. Elizabeth's church gathering space and some via email, by Sept. 1.

Please help us keep the records up to date by informing us if your children receive their Faith Formation elsewhere or attend Catholic schools. If you have Pre-K or Kindergarten aged children, please mark your intent for “Wee Believe” Sunday school on the registration form.

Faith Formation Fees 2018-19

\$100.00 Registration Fee Grades 1-10

\$ 25.00 Registration Fee Wee Believe Sunday school Pre-K & Kindergarten (4 and 5 yr olds)

* *Not to exceed \$300.00 per parish family*

There is an additional \$25.00 per child fee for non-parishioners

Mary Luebke, Pat Brueggen or Father Parr, if you have difficulty making this payment.

We are in need of Catechists, Class Helpers, Hall Monitors and Traffic Patrol volunteers. If you are interested in volunteering please mark your intention on the back of the orange registration form. Catechist training and lesson plans are provided. See schedule in the box below.

The items enclosed with this mailing will help us continue the best Faith Formation program possible.

- A registration form for our Faith Formation program to register your child/ren or sign on as a volunteer. By volunteering, you can help build a strong foundation of faith, not only in your individual family life, but also in the community life of St. Elizabeth's!
- A list of traffic patrol guidelines to follow on Wednesday nights to ensure the safety of our students.
- Information on our Preschool/ Kindergarten Sunday School program.

Mark the following dates on your calendar	
Sun. Aug. 26	5:30 p.m. Meeting for all NEW Catechists and Volunteers 6:30 p.m. Meeting for ALL Catechists and Volunteers
OR	
Wed. Aug. 29	5:30 p.m. Meeting for all NEW Catechists and Volunteers 6:30 p.m. Meeting for ALL Catechists and Volunteers
Sun. Sept. 9	9:15 a.m. Sunday School Preschool/Kindergarten Sessions begin
Wed. Sept. 12	6:30-7:45 p.m. Faith Formation for grades 1-9 begins
Sun. Sept. 23	6:30 p.m. Grade 10 Confirmation Mentor Sessions begin


Contact Information		
St. Elizabeth's Church	526-4424	
Mary Luebke	C.R.E. Pre-K- grade 5	reled@seasholmen.org
Pat Brueggen	Youth Minister/D.R.E. 6-12	youth@seasholmen.org

Student Absences
If your child needs to be absent from Faith Formation class, please contact the parish office before class begins. This helps us ensure the safety of all of our students and to take accountability for all students registered in the program. All students in Grade 9 or higher will be called if they are absent from class without notifying the parish office.

Cancelled Classes
If classes are cancelled due to weather, it will be announced in area schools. We will also attempt to send out emails to those for whom we have the correct email addresses. **It is imperative that you update your email address with the church and check messages when weather is questionable.**

Thank you for your cooperation. May God bless you abundantly!


Mary Luebke


Pat Brueggen

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish
Faith Formation Registration Form
 515 N Main St., Holmen, WI 54636

Check if new address, email or phone #

Family Last Name: _____ Date: _____

Fathers' Name: _____ Primary Phone _____

Mother's Name: _____ Mother Cell # _____

Mother's Maiden Name: _____ Father Cell # _____

Custodial Parent if different: _____ Primary Email: _____

Home Address _____ Other Email: _____

_____ Catholic? Father Yes No Mother Yes No

Emergency Contact _____ Phone _____

Registered members at St. Elizabeth's? Y ___ N ___ If not, where _____

List children enrolling in Faith Formation (Rel. Ed) Grades Pre-K - 10 Completed Sacraments

Name: First (Last if different)	Grade in the Fall	Sex	Birth date	Baptism Catholic Y_ N_	Penance	Eucharist	Confirmation	School	Special Needs

Are you interested in home school Faith Formation materials? Yes No

If you marked special needs, please list medical, learning or physical. _____

PHOTO/MEDIA RELEASE

I understand that my consent grants the parish of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton the right to use, reproduce, and/or distribute photographs, videotapes, and sound recordings of my son or daughter for use in materials they may create. (Parish web site, parish bulletin, newsletters, etc.)

I give consent to have my child/ren's photo/media released.

I do not give consent to have my child/ren's photo/media released.

Parent signature _____ Date _____

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

We depend on volunteers to make this Faith Formation Program what it is today. Please consider helping us this year!!

I will commit my service weekly in exchange for tuition cost:

_____ be on a teaching team _____ grade.

_____ hall monitor on Wednesday evenings from 6:20 p.m. until 7:50 p.m.

_____ provide childcare weekly on Wednesday evenings during Faith Formation.

_____ traffic patrol

_____ answer phones Wednesday evening from 4-6pm on Faith Formation days

The following do not defray tuition costs:

_____ help transport materials from church to the classrooms at 6 p.m and back at 8:00 p.m. (great for students)

_____ volunteer as needed as a substitute catechist. Best daytime # to reach me _____

FINANCIAL SUPPORT

I would like to donate money to the program. Please enter amount in the table below.

TUITION

No student is deprived of Faith Formation due to lack of finances. Please see Father Parr, Pat Brueggen or Mary Luebke, if you have difficulty making this payment.

I would like home school materials.

Tuition Due	x # kids	Total from left
\$100. Grade 1-10 \$300 Max per family	x	
\$ 25. PreK/K Sunday School 4/5yr olds	x	
\$ 25. Non-Parishioner per child	x	
Donation amount		

Date Paid _____ Total Due _____ Total Paid _____

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish Preschool/Kindergarten

The *Image of God* religion series is an exciting and comprehensive Catholic program that has as its foundation the creation of human beings in God's own likeness. It presents the Catholic Faith in a stimulating and easy to read format that is being praised by teachers, pastors and bishops. It is published by Ignatius Press- the same publisher as the 1-8 curriculum that we use in our Wednesday night Faith Formation program.

How does it work?

Monthly lessons are taught by trained volunteer teachers. The children participate in a lesson based on the gospels in a spiritual, educational, and fun way! Each child gets their own workbook for use in the classroom and to share their learning experience with family at home.

Sunday Sessions for 2018-2019

Our once a month sessions will tentatively take place on Sunday mornings from 9:15-10:00am in the Children's Palace, 520 Amy Drive Holmen. This allows families to participate in 8:00 Mass before the Sunday session or 10:15 Mass following the Sunday session. *Registration fee is \$25 for the year.

St. Elizabeth's Faith Formation 1st Grade SURVEY

Feedback is needed about an early option for students entering First Grade this Fall for the 2018-2019 School Year.

1st-10th grade Faith Formation classes are currently held from 6:30 pm until 7:45pm at the Holmen Middle School on Wednesday evenings Sept.- April. We are thinking about having options for next year's First Grade students.

- If given the choice, which class would you have your 1st grade child attend? Please circle your choice, detach and return with your registration.

Sunday 9-10am possible Catechesis of the Good Shepherd program

Wednesday 5:30pm-6:30pm at St. Elizabeth's gathering space

Wednesday 6:30pm- 7:45pm at Holmen Middle School

Would you be willing to be a teacher or helper for the 5:30- 6:30 time slot?



Before the new year of Religious Education begins, please review these instructions and follow them **EVERY** time you drop off or pick up your children.



When dropping off your Grades 1-5 children, you **MUST** enter the parking lot through the north driveway, closest to the Frosty Mug, or use the church parking lot. **PARK YOUR CAR AND WALK YOUR CHILDREN TO THEIR CLASSROOMS.** Then, proceed out the south driveway, closest to the Middle School.

When picking up your 1-5 children, you **MUST** park your car in the parking lot, again entering through the north driveway, or park in the church parking lot. **DO NOT PARK ON MAIN STREET OR BY THE SIDEWALK INTO THE MIDDLE SCHOOL!!** Parking by the Middle School sidewalk is dangerous, because other cars driving through the parking lot are not able to see children or adults who are coming out of the Middle School. Parking on Main Street is not only dangerous, but it is also illegal. After parking your car, go into the middle school and pick up your children.

NO 1-5 STUDENT WILL BE ALLOWED TO LEAVE THE CLASSROOM WITHOUT BEING ACCOMPANIED BY AN ADULT.

Please follow these instructions **FOR THE SAFETY** of all of our students!!

6th-10th Grade students should be dropped off at Middle School Entrance "A" as their classrooms are located on that end of the building.

Thank you!!

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish Staff

