

**Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish**  
**Religious Education Program**  
**2008-2009 Event and Meeting Calendar**

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**Sunday, September 20/21**    **Catechetical Sunday** – Opening of Religious Education Program.  
Commissioning of catechists and blessing of parents at all Masses.

**Special Sessions**                      See below for **2<sup>nd</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup>** years.

**January 2009**                              **Distribution of Progress Reports** for levels 1-8. Parents, please note that progress reports are sent home **with children**. Make sure you sign the envelope and return to the catechist/office.

**May 18, 27, 28, 30, 31, 2009**                      **Last day of classes.** Crowning of Mary service will be held during the last class period. All students are expected to attend through to the last class.

**Progress Reports** will be mailed home in **June, 2009**.

**Spring Re-registration**              Levels 2-6 by mail. Re-registration in person for levels 1, 7 and 8 dates TBA.

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**Important Parent Sessions and Events**

- **2<sup>nd</sup> Year Parent Sacrament Meetings** – at least one parent to attend one meeting time for each date:
  - Tuesday, **October 14, 2008**, 7:00 PM or Wednesday, **October 15, 2008**, 10:00 AM or 4:30 PM in Chapel – **Reconciliation**.
  - Wednesday, **January 14, 2009**, 10:00 AM, 4:30 PM or 7:00 PM in Chapel – **Eucharist**.
- First Reconciliation** – will be family style on the dates, assigned by class:
  - Tuesday, **December 2, 2008**, 7:00 PM Church – the Monday and Wednesday classes
  - Tuesday, **December 9, 2008**, 7:00 PM Church – the Saturday, Sunday and Thursday classes
- First Communion dates** – (five Masses) classes to be assigned by October Parent meeting:
  - Saturday, **April 25, 2009**, 1:30 PM
  - Saturday, **May 2, 2009**, 11AM and 1:30 PM.
  - Saturday, **May 16, 2009**, 11AM and 1:30 PM.
- **6<sup>th</sup> Year Family Retreat** – Saturdays, **November 8 or 15, 2008**, 9 AM – 2 PM in Aud. Classes to be assigned.
- **7<sup>th</sup> Year – Confirmation 1<sup>st</sup> yr Parent and Student**
  - **Enrollment Service** – Wednesday, **October 1, 2008**, 7:00 PM in Church.
  - **Love for Life** – sex respect workshops; dates and times to be announced.
  - **Retreat** – Saturdays, **February 7 or 28, 2008**, 9 AM – 2 PM in Aud. Classes to be assigned.
- **8<sup>th</sup> Year and High School – Confirmation 2<sup>nd</sup> yr Meetings**
  - **Class Night Mass with a parent** – Wed., **Sept. 24**, or Thurs., **Sept. 25, 2008**, 7 PM in Church.
  - **Parents only Meeting** – Wed., or Thurs., (**Oct/Nov TBA**) **2008**, 7PM in Aud. (Classes for students).
  - **Confirmation Retreat days** – Saturdays, March 8<sup>th</sup> or 21<sup>st</sup>, Don Bosco Retreat Center, Stony Point. Classes will be assigned at October Parent meeting.
  - **Confirmation Rehearsal with sponsor or sponsor stand-in** –Wed., May 6 (for 3 PM mass) & Thurs., May 7 (for 6 PM mass) at 7 PM in Aud. & Church.
  - **Rite of Confirmation** – Friday, **May 8, 2009** at 3 PM and 6 PM classes assigned.
  - **Last session** – Wed. Evenings /Thurs. Evenings/ Sun., **May 13/ May 14/ May 17, 2009**– wrap up and celebration.