

Dear Prefix First Name Last Name,

Merry Christmas from St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Men of Action!

A man named John was sent from God. He came for testimony, to testify to the light, so that all might believe through him. He was not the light, but came to testify to the light. (John 1:6)

The gospel reading on Christmas morning is a powerful one. Reminding us of the salvation that Jesus' birth brought into the world as well the role righteous men and women play in God's plan. Specifically mentioned is the role of John the Baptist.

John's role in salvation history echoes through to the role you play in the Catholic Church today: proclaiming the Word of God, guiding us towards a fuller preparation and penance this Advent season, and being a witness to holiness in the world. Thank you. Your way of living your vocation is impactful to each of us, helping bring us closer to God.

We also reflect on the sacrifice you make as part of your vocation, especially during this time of year. Please know that we pray for you daily by name, asking God for the strength that you need to continue and grow your ministry.

Your brothers in Christ, St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Men of Action