

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton

* Stained-glass window at the chapel of Grotto of Lourdes, Emmitsburg, MD.

St. Patrick's Old Cathedral Corner of Mott & Prince Streets Manhattan, New York city

Prayer for the St. Patrick's Old Cathedral Founded on June 9, 1809

Loving God,

We thank you for the parish of St. Patrick's Old Cathedral. You made it the spiritual home for many early immigrants. You gave them the gift of faith, and protected many generations through their enduring struggles. As we approach the 200th anniversary of our community, inflame our hearts with the light of the gospel. and help us to live as true disciples of Jesus. Send down your Holy Spirit upon us with a fresh outpouring of your gifts so that we can continue to proclaim the name of Jesus. Help us to reach out to all in love and service, and continue to build a vibrant faith community in the heart of old New York. Humbly we ask this through your son Jesus Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God forever and ever. Amen.

St. Patrick, our patron, pray for us. St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, pray for us. St. John Neumann, pray for us. Ven. Pierre Toussaint, pray for us.