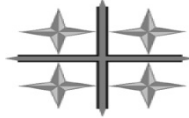


St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish

Founded 1978



Feast Day January 4th

“Every Corner of the World is the same to me, if I may but serve the Lord.”
Words of Mother Seton, c.1810

Saturday 5:00pm Sunday 7:30, 9:15 ASL interpreted, 11:00 Monday 8:30 Tuesday 7:00pm & Novena 7:30 pm
Wednesday 8:30 & Eucharistic Adoration 9-10 Thursday 8:30 Holy Days x304 Reconciliation Saturday 4:15
Baptism, Marriage, & Anointing: Call Office for Arrangement x0

Pastor	Fr. Roger F. DiBuo x112
Deacons	William P. Kibler x117 Cruz Rodriquez x115
Religious Education DRE	Theresa Burke x102
Youth Ministry Director	Mary Holmburg x104
Administrative Asst.	Lucy Lopez x101
Parish Secretary	Karen Sullivan x0
Scheduling Coord.	Lucy Lopez x101
Liturgy Comm. Ex Officer	Marie McFarlin
Parish Council Ex. Officer	Ellen Ross
Finance Council Ex. Officer	Joe Magrogan
Director of Music Ministries	Pat Maley
RCIA (Adult)	Maureen Remedio
RCIA (Children)	Carol Wetty
Deaf Ministry	Theresa Muschiatti
Stephen Ministry	Joanne Kaminski x315
Vocation Ministry	James Holman
A.O. Hibernians	Brian Phelan
Knights of Columbus	Jack Dirr
Preschool Director	Janet Gargani x103
Christ the Teacher School	302-838-8850
Principal	Sr. LaVerne King, RSM

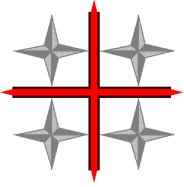


New Parishioners
Registration forms available in Gathering Space

May 15, 2016
PENTECOST SUNDAY

Setonprays@comcast.net Let us pray for our brothers and sisters who have asked our prayers along the journey...

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St. Elizabeth Ann Seton

MISSION STATEMENT

We, the Roman Catholic Parish of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, are an all-embracing, diverse Christian community who warmly welcomes everyone to join us. We draw closer to God and one another through worship, which nourishes us for service to our brothers and sisters. We choose to combine our many gifts to teach, celebrate, evangelize, help those in need and proclaim the Gospel of Jesus in word and deed. Amen.



NOTES FROM FR. ROGER MENSAJES DE PADRE ROGER

Families Prayer

Join together with families from around the world in prayer. Pray this prayer each day with your family for peace and your family's personal intentions. God of us all,

in Jesus, your Son and our Savior,
you have made us

your sons and daughters
in the family of the Church.

May your grace and love
help our families

in every part of the world
be united to one another
in fidelity to the Gospel.

May the example of the Holy Family
with the aid of our Holy Spirit,
guide all families, especially those most troubled,
to be homes of communion and prayer
and to always seek your truth and live in your love.

Through Christ our Lord. Amen

Jesus, Mary and Joseph, pray for us!

PARISH GIVING



ELECTRONIC DONATIONS TO FIND OUT MORE
INFORMATION VISIT: WWW.PARISH-GIVING.ORG

PARISH STEWARDSHIP REPORT

Offering \$ 11,228.00

Electronic \$ 1,690.00

Remember our weekly budget is \$11,500.00. Thank
you for your generosity and support.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, May 14

5:00pm

Clint McFatridge

Sunday, May 15

7:30am

Adrian Okocha

9:00am

Amy Austin

11:00am

William Rosenberg

Monday, May 16

8:00am

James Quinn

Tuesday, May 17

7:00pm

John & Cecilia Drupieski

Wednesday, May 18

8:30am

Warren Seuri

Thursday, May 19

8:30am

Jim & Ann Mackay

Saturday, May 21

5:00pm

Deceased members of
Juliano & DeMarco Fam.

Sunday, May 22

7:30am

John Gagnon

9:15am

Elsie & Leroy Duffin

11:00am

Jean Cariccio

SETON PRAYS

You may email your prayer request directly to setonprays@comcast.net. Names will appear in the Bulletin for approximately six weeks. If you would like a name listed for an additional six weeks, please email again.

Please provide the category in which you would like the prayer request to be placed.

LET US PRAY

For the repose of the soul of: Jean Cariccio; Douglas Lewis; Matthew Griffith; Jazz Stinson; Marcia Kaminski, Joan McDermott

For those in need of healing: Robert Comorosky; Dottie Michael; Tom DiVirgilio; Diana Lynn Braendly; Bill Barlikas; Jimmy Pribish; Mark Heinemann; Kate McKinery

For the special intentions of: Dorothy Lechmanik; The Griffith Family; The Campbell Family

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Our next meeting will be Tues, May 24th. To all men interested in learning what the Knights do and about joining our Organization, please speak with any Knight or call Jack Dirr, Grand Knight, @ 302-322-3134.

Cleaning Crew – Team "B" will clean Fri. May 20 at 9:00am

MEETINGS OF THE WEEK

Sun 5/15	8:00am	Knights Breakfast
	9:00am	Confirmation session
	6:30pm	Stephen Min. Training
Mon 5/16	6:30pm	YM Gathering
	7:00pm	Cub Scouts #92
	7:00pm	Carnival Committee
Tues 5/17	6:30pm	RCIA –Myst.
	7:00pm	BS #92
	7:30pm	Bible Reflection
	7:30pm	CFC
	7:30pm	Finance Council
	7:30pm	San Marcos
	7:30pm	NarAnon
	7:30pm	Adult Choir
Wed 5/18	9:00am	Eucharistic Adoration
	7:00pm	BS #92
	7:00pm	Peace & Justice
Thur 5/19	1:00pm	Crochet Group
	7:00pm	Kateri
Friday 5/20	6:00pm	Seton 50+
	7:30pm	Filipino Choir
Sat 5/21	8:00am	African Event
	10:00am	Young Adult Choir
	6:00pm	St Cecilia Choir

SETON 50 + GROUP –SETON GOES TO THE THEATRE:

In May we will have our Annual Dinner Dance on Friday May 20, featuring live music by the FLASHBACK band. This fabulous dinner will be catered by Trattoria di Napoli restaurant. There is no cost for paid members of 50+; non-members are asked to pay \$10.00 to help defray the cost of this delicious meal. After dinner, FLASHBACK will provide music for your listening and dancing pleasure. We will have dance contests with prizes for the winners. To help us plan well in ordering food for this event, we ask those who want to attend to contact our Secretary, Fran Giegerich, fransown@comcast.net or call 302-327-0292 to **make your reservation before May 16.**

Christ the Teacher Girl Scout Troop 1276 Collecting Socks
The girls are collecting socks to make toys for dogs in shelters as part of their Bronze Award Project. Please leave your donation of gently used, clean socks in the Gathering Space.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Theresa Burke, ext. 102

Theresa.Burke@setonparish.net

ADULT FORMATION: BIBLE REFLECTION GROUP – every Tues. 7:00pm in rm.106.

2016 CONFIRMATION PROGRAM

2016 Confirmation will take place on Saturday October 15, for those youth members eligible, and preparing to receive the Sacrament. Please contact our office if you did not receive the registration information, and feel your child is eligible to receive this upcoming fall. Important Dates/Information:

***Sunday Sessions #3 - #6** 9:00am-12:30, Formation Center-May 15th, June 12th. Candidates Only.

*** Weekend Retreat** for Candidates-Fri-Sun, September 9-11, 2016. ***Retreat Mass & Confirmation Rehearsal** for Candidates, Parents and Sponsors-Sun, September 11, 2016 -11:00am -Church. ***Students will celebrate Confirmation** on Sat., October 15, 2016. Candidates Meeting with the Bishop 4:00pm -Formation Center. Parents & Sponsors Meeting with Director 4:00pm—Parish Hall. Confirmation Mass 5:00pm-Church,

Mary Holmburg Ext. 104

Mary.Holmburg@setonparish.net

Peer Gatherings- Monday- 6:30-8:30pm ALPHA- - Parish Hall. May 16th, and 23rd service....

Please direct questions regarding Girl Scouts to Mary.

Scouting News -Troop 92 traveled to Gettysburg for their April campout. They completed a 5 mile hike and visited the Gettysburg visitor center which covered 2 of the 5 requirements towards earning the Gettysburg historical tour award/patch.

Camping this weekend was rather cold for a spring trip. The Scouts woke up Saturday morning to about 2 inches of snow which burned off during the day. The night's clear skies were accompanied by a cold front with the temperature dipping to 23 degrees overnight!

A good time was had by all and once again proved that a little bit of unfavorable weather, doesn't slow this Troop down!!

Scouting News

Recently, members from Cub Scout Pack 92 and their families went on an outing to the DuPont Environmental Center in Wilmington. There, they used binoculars to do some bird watching and walked through the marsh where they discovered different types of plants and insects. Later in the day, the Cubs were introduced to some snakes and reptiles and learned about their unique traits and what they had in common. The boys had such a good time, we're already planning our trip back, next season!!



VBS-CAVE QUEST: Incredible Bible-learning experiences kids see, hear, touch, and even taste! Sciency-Fun Gizmos™, team-building games, cool Bible songs, and tasty treats are just a few of the standout activities that help faith flow into real life.

Since everything is hands-on, kids might get a little messy. Be sure to send them in play clothes and safe shoes. Plus, we'll help kids discover how to see evidence of God in everyday life—something we call God Sightings. Get ready to hear *that* phrase a lot! Your kids will also participate in a hands-on mission project, through a program called Operation Kid-to-Kid that will let the kids in our community show God's mighty love to needy kids in U.S.A

Parents, grandparents, and friends are invited to join us at Cave Quest Closing for each day at 12 noon, a daily exploration of Jesus—the light of the world!

So mark these dates on your calendar: June 20-24, 2016. The fun starts at 9am and will end at 12:30pm. Register your children for this life-changing adventure today, space limited, don't delay! Forms are in the gathering space.



**SETON'S FAMILY CARNIVAL-
CELEBRATING 28 YEARS
JUNE 13TH – 18TH ADVANCE SALE MAY
7TH THROUGH JUNE 12TH WEEKLY MEGA
BRACLET: \$35 (ALL RIDES & ENTRANCE**

- INCLUDED FOR ENTIRE WEEK) \$40 AT THE CARNIVAL
- WEEKLY ADMISSIONS PASS: \$10 (ENTRANCE INTO CARNIVAL FOR ENTIRE WEEK) \$15 AT THE CARNIVAL. CHILDREN 12 & UNDER / 65 & OLDER - FREE
 - SHEET OF 16 RIDE TICKETS: \$10 / AT THE CARNIVAL
 - CASH RAFFLE: \$5 PER TICKET OR 5 TICKETS FOR \$20 GRAND PRIZE \$3,500.00, SECOND PRIZE \$750.00, THIRD PRIZE \$250.00 MAY 7TH THROUGH JUNE 12TH BEFORE & AFTER EACH MASS OR ONLINE

CARNIVAL CAKE BOOTH -Please consider baking for the booth in the parish hall. Cupcakes, cookies, brownies, etc. are gratefully accepted. All items are sold for 50 cents each. Keep this in mind if you are separately bagging your items but we will happily bag them. Please mark any items that have nuts in them as we make sure these are kept away from the other items. Items can be dropped off any time during the carnival. Thank you

**CRUISE WITH FR. ROGER and SETON
JANUARY 14-26, 2017**

Cruise on the spectacular *Anthem of the Seas*, the newest and most modern ship in the Royal Caribbean Fleet. Departing from Port Liberty in Bayonne, New Jersey saves the hassle and expense of air travel. No worries about the luggage weight or size. Fr. Roger will celebrate Mass on board the ship and help us to explore the role of the Catholic Church in the colonization of the Caribbean Islands. Your 12-night cruise ship *Anthem of the Seas* will take you to a new level in vacation activity starting with an exciting Southern Caribbean itinerary that includes ports of call in San Juan, Puerto Rico; Castries, St. Lucia; Bridgetown, Barbados; Basseterre, St Kitts & Nevis; Philipsburg, St Maarten; St. Johns, Antigua interspersed with five days of cruising at sea. The new concept dynamic dining, Broadway type production shows, lounge and show bar live music groups, modern spa, multiple pools, planned and informal activities all add up to a great vacation experience on the newest ship on the sea. We will be booking our Royal Caribbean Seton Cruise through **Direct Line Cruises (DLC)**. They are authorized to handle the arrangements for our cruise and will coordinate all of our personal requests and reservations. Barbara (Kekkonen) Kay has been designated as our personal sales specialist and representative at DLC. All contacts should be made directly with Barbara Kay starting with your contact to make your deposit. For more information and pricing, please see the trip flyer. Contact Barbara (T-Th-F-S 10:00AM-8:00PM) at **Direct Line Cruises 800-352-8088 Ext 136. Tell her that you are with the Seton Cruise Group. A \$450.00 deposit per person is required to complete your reservation.**

"SPIRIT WING", will bring its highly-acclaimed Native American music to St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church in Bear, Delaware for a concert on Saturday, July 9, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. "Spirit Wing's" music comes from strong folk/acoustic roots, along with traditional Native songs that date back hundreds of years. Bring your lawn chairs for this exciting outdoor concert event. Come early for flute lessons at 5:00 p.m. Tickets are \$10 (12 and under, free) and includes food, drink, and the concert. Native crafts will be on sale. Concert sponsored by the Journey with the Bear Kateri Circle of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church and Diocese of Wilmington Native American Ministry. For tickets or more information, call Sharon Ward at 302-545-3383.

"BRING IT HOME" This Sunday is Pentecost Sunday, the birthday of the Church. We celebrate the Holy Spirit descending upon the Apostles. We hear that Jesus sent us this Advocate to be with us always and remind us of all Jesus taught. Bring It Home this week by naming (or looking up) the seven gifts of the Holy Spirit. Ask the Holy Spirit to strengthen in your family the gift or gifts most needed in your lives.