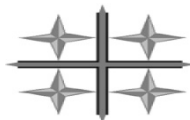


St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish

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 Rodriguez x115 x102
Religious Education DRE	Mary Holmburg x104
Youth Ministry Director	Lucy Lopez x101
Administrative Asst.	Karen Sullivan x0
Parish Secretary	Lucy Lopez x101
Scheduling Coord.	Marie McFarlin
Liturgy Comm. Ex Officer	Ellen Ross
Parish Council Ex. Officer	Joe Magrogan
Finance Council Ex. Officer	Pat Maley
Director of Music Ministries	Maureen Remedio
RCIA (Adult)	Carol Wetty
RCIA (Children)	
Deaf Ministry	Theresa Muschiatti
Stephen Ministry	Joanne Kaminski x315
Vocation Ministry	James Holman
Knights of Columbus	Jack Dirr
A.O. Hibernians	Brian Phelan



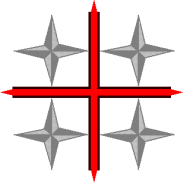
New Parishioners
Registration forms available in Gathering Space

May 22, 2016
THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

Preschool Director	Janet Gargani x103
Christ the Teacher School	302-838-8850
Principal	Sr. LaVerne King, RSM

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

Bishop Malooly continues to guide and shepherd the Church in the Diocese of Wilmington. This past weekend, he sent a Pastoral Letter to all the Catholics under his care. It is an amazing letter expressing his wish to help us move into the future with great confidence and strength. I encourage every parishioner to read the Pastoral Letter which is online at www.cdow.org.

The letter details how we must begin to consolidate and share our resources together. No parish can exist just by standing alone any more...we need to join together in many and varied ways. I, as your pastor, agree completely with our Bishop and have promised him that Seton will begin to make the necessary changes that can bring his vision to bear much good fruit and blessings. Together we can be stronger, more deeply in love with God, and be of service, with our whole heart to the People of God.

As we move forward, change is always part of the journey. As of May 15th, Theresa Burke has resigned her position as Director of Religious Education and is moving on to different ministries and employment. The parish thanks her for her ministry and we all wish her well in this new journey in which she has embarked.

The parish also looks forward, along with the Diocese. In 2018, the Diocese of Wilmington will celebrate 150 years of ministry as we honor the founding of the Diocese of Wilmington in 1868. And we will be celebrating our 40th Anniversary as a Catholic Parish, being founded in 1978. In September of this year, the Parish Council will begin to vision how we will honor these two momentous occasions for all of us. Thus, there is much to look forward to and to celebrate. Together we now move forward once again into the future...as Bishop Malooly says in his Pastoral Letter..."This is a call to rejoice! I am optimistic for the future of our Diocese and have great hope that these changes that I have outlined will make us stronger, more united and more sound in our pastoral operations."



PARISH GIVING

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

PARISH STEWARDSHIP REPORT

Offering	\$10,063.00
Electronic	\$ 1,450.00
<i>Remember our weekly budget is \$11,500.00. Thank you for your generosity and support.</i>	

MASS INTENTIONS

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
Monday, May 23	8:00am	Bernice Quinn
Tuesday, May 24	7:00pm	Justin Todd
Wednesday, May 25	8:30am	Erlinda Alzona Tayam
Thursday, May 26	8:30am	Cheryl Tobin
Saturday, May 28	5:00pm	John Cantlin
Sunday, May 29	7:30am	Nancy Jehl
	9:15am	Jim Crawford
	11:00am	Hermenegildo Videl

Readings for next week

Gn 14:18-20; 1Cor 11:23-26; Lk 9:11b-17 (169)

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 “D” will clean Sat, May 28th at 9:00am

MEETINGS OF THE WEEK

Sun 5/22	11:00am	Children’s Liturgy
	2:00pm	Wedding
Mon 5/23	6:30pm	YM Gathering
	7:00pm	Cub Scouts #92
Tues 5/24	7:00pm	K of C
	7:00pm	Bible Reflection
	7:30pm	Finance Council
	7:30pm	San Marcos
	7:30pm	NarAnon
	7:30pm	Adult Choir
	7:30pm	Worthy Ladies
Wed 5/25	9:00am	Eucharistic Adoration
	7:00pm	PS Graduation
	7:00pm	BS #92
Thur 5/26	1:00pm	Crochet Group
	6:30pm	Stephen Ministry
Fri 5/27	7:30pm	Filipino Choir
Sat 5/28	10:00am	Young Adult Choir
	3:00pm	Birthday Party
Sun 5/29	2:00pm	Wedding
	2:45pm	SM Rel Ed
	4:00pm	SM Service
	5:00pm	Graduation Party

“BRING IT HOME” This Sunday we celebrate the Most Holy Trinity. From the mystery of the Trinity we experience God’s love. We are continually nourished by Father, Son and Spirit. Bring It Home this week by modeling the selfless love of God found in the Trinity. Nourish each other with selfless love and forgiveness in words and actions. How many times this week can you think of another before yourself?

BISHOP MALOOLY INVITES YOU TO THE 58TH MEMORIAL DAY FIELD MASS on Mon., May 30th at 10AM in All Saints Cemetery, 6001 Kirkwood Highway. A brief military tribute is held before Mass. Seating and protection from the weather are provided. Handicapped parking is available. We must never forget those who gave their lives to defend our freedom.

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

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- 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

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Peer Gatherings- Monday- 6:30-8:30pm ALPHA- - Parish Hall. May 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*****Members of Boy Scout Troop #92, their Leaders, friends & family all came together on May 15th to honor Tam Nguyen at his Eagle Scout Court of Honor. It was held at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton and the ceremony was a tribute to his achievement. Only four percent of Scouts ever earn the rank of Eagle, Scouting’s highest honor. In addition to the project he created here at Seton, Tam was required to take on leadership positions, be active in the Troop, and earn 21 merit badges as part of the process. Congratulations Tam on achieving this honor, you’ve made us all proud!!



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.

"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.



THE SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DEPAUL would like to take this opportunity to thank our parishioners for supporting our raffle and making it such a huge success. The generosity of the Seton family as enabled us to raise much-needed revenue so that we can help meet the needs of our neighbors in the community who are struggling to pay their bills. The first-prize winner for the Vera Bradley luggage was Curt York. **MAY GOD BLESS OUR SETON FAMILY AND ALL THOSE WHO CONTRIBUTED TO MAKE OUR RUND RAISER SUCH A GREAT SUCCESS.**

MANY THANKS TO ALL THE PARISHIONERS who helped to make Second Chances' Line Dance for a Cure on May 12th a great success. All proceeds are given to "The American Cancer Society", Relay for Life. Because of your generosity, more research can be done to cure cancer. As a result, more people will celebrate more birthdays, a special thank you to Fr. Roger and Joan Ansalvish. Forever grateful, Team Second Chances.



SETON'S FAMILY CARNIVAL-

CELEBRATING 28 YEARS

JUNE 13TH – 18TH

ADVANCE SALE MAY 7TH THROUGH JUNE 12TH

WEEKLY MEGA BRACKET: \$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.**