



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 x104
Religious Education DRE	Olga Matias x102
RE Administrative Asst.	Cathy DeCrescenzo x101
Parish Secretary	Lucy Lopez x 100
Scheduling Coord.	Lucy Lopez x 100
Liturgy Comm. Ex. Officer	Marie McFarlin x 106
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
Hispanic Ministries	Deacon Cruz Rodriguez & Jose Sanchez x104
Stephen Ministry	Joanne Kaminski x315
Vocation Ministry	James Holman
Outreach Ministry	Evelyn Olszweski
Native American Ministry	Sharon Ward
Knights of Columbus	Al Volpe
A.O. Hibernians	Brian Phelan
Preschool Director	Janet Gargani x115
Christ the Teacher School	302-838-8850
Principal	Sr. LaVerne King, RSM



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.

Nov 6, 2016

**THE 32nd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY
TIME**

NEW PARISHIONERS

Registration forms available in Gathering Space

Visit our Youth Ministry Page at: www.setonyouthministry.com

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**



**NOTES FROM FR. ROGER
MENSAJES DE PADRE
ROGER**

HOUSEKEEPING NEWS...For the safety of our parishioners and buildings, the yellow curbs have been repainted.

These curbs and the signs are there to help us be more vigilant in our parking practices. In this way, all emergency vehicles can reach our people and property quickly.

Also, we have re-painted and re-furbished all of the signs on the property. Please notice how bright and welcoming they are for our guests and parishioners.

Thank you for your role keeping the property, inside and out, in good order...it is appreciated.

Coming 2017

Cornerstone

Men's Retreat

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton
January 27 & 28, 2017

Be Not Afraid



For additional information please contact:

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billatbear@comcast.net bobbrabson@msn.com
302.442.3871 302.562.5262

PARISH GIVING

ELECTRONIC DONATIONS

TO FIND OUT MORE INFORMATION VISIT:

WWW.PARISH-GIVING.ORG



PARISH STEWARDSHIP REPORT

Offering \$10,288.00

Electronic \$ 1,055.00

Remember our weekly budget is \$11,500.00.

Thank you for your generosity and support.

MASS INTENTIONS

- Saturday, Nov 5
5:00pm Joe Sezceinski
- Sunday, Nov 6
7:30am John Gagnon
9:15am Josephine Caccia
11:00am Anthony Ofuani (10th Anniversary)
- Monday, Nov 7
8:30am John Gagnon
- Tuesday, Nov 8
8:30pm Thomas Quinn
- Wednesday, Nov 9
8:30am Thomas Quinn
- Thursday, Nov 10
8:30am Catherine Okaha
- Saturday, Nov 11
5:00pm Clint McFatridge
- Sunday, Nov 12
7:30am Stephen & Eleanore Omelchenko
9:15am Dorothy DiBuo & Evite Martinez
11:00am Artemio & Zenaida Espiritu

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.

For the repose of the soul of: Frank Gerbec; Vito Lagrotteria; Carmela Lagrotteria; George Coberg; Daniel Candelora; Peggy M. Henry; Lori Kent DeMerchant; Constance Putzel; Thomas Novack; Jean Caricchio; Mildred Hernandez.

For those in need of healing: Gina Coburn; David Francis; Diane Marchegiani; Rose Dancelora; Donna Matozzo; Danielle Carney; Deanna Gigliotti; Ron George; Sean McGarry; Tommy Spagnolo; Rose Baldwin; Thomas Bakie; Ashley M.; Kim Lawless; Maria Nguyen; Vincent Caricchio; Sharon, Mike, Elva; Maureen Dougherty; Karen Sullivan; Esther Quinn; Betty Pierce; Anna O.

For the special intentions of: Karen McConnell; Rita Coleman; The Seton Family.



CLEANING CREW – Team “B” will clean
Fri, Nov 8th at 9:00am.

Readings for next week

Mal 3:19-20a; 2 Thes 3:7-12; Lk 21:5-19 (159)



THE DIOCESE OF WILMINGTON along with Journey with the Bear, St. Kateri Circle and Collette Travel is hosting our second pilgrimage in the USA. The Creator has provided us with such wonderful lands to discover and learn of our Native brothers and sisters. Please sign up by December 30, 2016 to receive a \$50.00 discount per person. For more information please contact Sharon Ward, 302-545-3383 (call or text).



**HISPANIC MINISTRIES
BIBLE STUDY / CLASES DE BIBLIA**

Bible Study is offered in Spanish every Thursday, from 6:45pm – 8:00pm in the DeSales Conference Room.

Clases de Biblia es ofrecida en español todos los jueves, de 6:45pm – 8:00pm en el DeSales Salón de Conferencia



**BUILDING INTERCULTURAL
COMPETENCE (BIC)** is a practical, informative and interactive workshop designed by the US Bishops to build intercultural relationships in parishes

and beyond. Everyone (teens and adults) is invited to attend the next BIC team presentation which will be on Saturday, Nov. 12, at Holy Angels Church in Newark. This lively program will be held in Fremont Hall from 9:30 to 4:30. It will be followed by an optional multicultural parish Eucharist at 5pm. Two of the sessions are in both Spanish and English and Spanish interpreters will be present. Lunch, babysitting, and workshop materials will be provided. Register by going to the diocesan website:

www.cdow.org/bic



ADULT FORMATION

**SAVE THE DATE,
SUNDAY, NOV. 13TH**

- ❖ What is as old as the Roman Catholic Rite and in full communion with the Pope?
- ❖ Who can trace their origins back to the apostle St. Thomas?
- ❖ Which of the 23 Sui Iuris Eastern Catholic Churches has 4.6 million believers?

The answer is the Syro-Malabar Catholic Church: "Catholic by faith, Indian by culture and East Syrian/Syriac/ Oriental in liturgy (Fr. Placid Podipara)." Gather at Seton on Sunday, November 13th, to learn about this vibrant community that worships here twice a month. There will be an educational presentation at 3 pm followed by Eucharistic Liturgy which fulfills our Sunday obligation. A social gathering afterwards with authentic Indian cuisine will be the perfect opportunity to mingle and meet. All are welcome.



QUILT & AFGHAN Tickets are now on sale in the gathering space. State Fair Quilt won first place & the Afghan won third place. Both will be raffled on Dec. 11 at Breakfast with Santa.

MEETINGS OF THE WEEK

Sun 11/06	
9:15am	RE PreSchool (FC)
10:30am	RE Gr 1 & 2 WCC Family Session (Hall)
10:30am	RE WCC Home Study (Hall)
12:00pm	BS #92 Religious Award (103)
4:00pm	BS #92 PLC (Neum)
Mon 11/07	
6:30pm	RE Gr.6-9 WCC Fam Session (Church)
6:30pm	YM Gr 10-12 (Chapel)
6:30pm	CS #92 (FC)
6:30pm	GS (101)
Tues 11/08	
6:00am	Elections (Hall)
7:00pm	Bible Reflection (106)
7:30pm	K of C (Seton)
7:30pm	San Marcos (DeSales)
7:30pm	NarAnon (B)
Wed 11/09	
9:00am	Adoration (Chapel)
6:30pm	RE Gr.1-5 WCC Fam Session (Church)
6:30pm	BS#92 (Neum)
Thur 11/10	
1:00pm	Crochet Group (Hall)
6:30pm	RE Gr.1-5 WCC Fam Session (Church)
6:30pm	Spanish Bible Study (DeSales)
6:30pm	Stephen Ministry (Chapel)
Fri 11/11	
6:00pm	Wed Reh (Church)
Sat 11/12	
10:00am	Men of Faith (Chapel)
12:00pm	RE Catechist in Service (Hall)
6:00pm	Wedding Reception (Hall)
Sun 11/13	
9:15am	RE Preschool (FC)
9:15am	RE Gr 1 & 2 WCC Family Session (Hall)
1:30pm	Special Needs RE (102)
2:45pm	SM RE Classes (FC)
4:00pm	SM Service (Chapel)
5:00pm	SM (Hall)



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS Anyone interested in becoming a Knight contact Grand Knight Albert Volpe at (302) 449-0967 or any Knight. It is a very rewarding fraternal organization. There WILL be a meeting on

November the 8th in council chambers at the regular time of 7:30pm. The next meeting after that will be a 1st and 2nd degree. There for we must conduct all of our regular business on the 8th



SETON 50 + GROUP - "THANKSGIVING NIGHT" The November meeting of the 50+ Group will be at 6:00 P.M. on Friday November 18. The 50+ Committee will provide the Main Course - Turkey. Those who attend will be asked only to bring either a dessert or a side dish. If your last name begins with the letters A through L, please bring a Side Dish; if your last name begins with the letters M through Z, please bring a Dessert item. The food you bring should be enough to provide 8 portions. After dinner, our speaker will be Dr. Gerald Culley. His topic will be "Making Life" (Can science build a living cell?).



COMING ATTRACTIONS: DECEMBER 16 - Our Annual Christmas Dinner will be at 6:00 P.M. After dinner, we will be entertained by "The Songbirds" Vocal Group with songs of the season. The 50+ Committee will provide a wonderful Dinner catered by Trattoria di Napoli.

To help us plan well for this occasion and order a sufficient quantity of food, please contact either Fran Giegrich 327-0292 or Rudy Macalisang 595-4651 **PRIOR to December 14**. Let us know if you are going to attend. The dinner is free to 50+ members who have paid their dues for 2017. Non-members and guests who wish to attend are asked to pay a nominal charge of \$10.00 to help defray the cost of this wonderful dinner. Dues payments must be received by our Treasurer Rudy Macalisang prior to December 18.

Note: Anyone who admits to being 50 years of age (or more) is eligible to become a member of the 50+ Group. It is not required that you be a parishioner of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church. The above activities will be held in the Parish Hall on Route 7.



LITURGY COMMITTEE Just a reminder to all Lectors to please pick up your workbooks in the Meditation Hallway.

Religious Education

OLGA MATIAS-DIR OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION-Ext 102

Religious.education@setonparish.net
Whole Community Catechesis Family Sessions –Sunday 11/6, Monday 11/07,

Wednesday 11/09, Thursday 11/10. These sessions are during your child’s regularly scheduled RE class and are to be attended by both you and your child. If you are unable to attend due to any serious scheduling conflict it is vital that you arrange for an adult family member to attend in your place, or contact the RE office. Students who attend 1st and 2nd grade on Sunday morning are asked to join the Home Study session at 10:30am in the Parish Hall on that Sunday



PLEASE DIRECT QUESTIONS REGARDING SCOUTING TO SHARON BUTLER AND/OR FR. ROGER.

*****SCOUTING NEWS** – Due to conflicts in November, Troop 92 had to celebrate

Thanksgiving early this year. At their recent campout, the boys competed in a Patrol cooking contest where the “Atomic Turtles” Patrol took the grand prize. Afterwards the Troop prepared a “Trash Can Turkey” as part of their Thanksgiving feast. In case you’re wondering, they placed a wooden stake in the ground and covered the area below it with aluminum foil. They placed the turkey on the stake and covered it with a brand new aluminum trash that was purchased for the occasion. Charcoal was used as a heat source, placed on top of and at the base of the can. After about 3 hours, the turkey was cooked to perfection!



*****Girl Scouts is coming to St. Elizabeth Ann Seton!** ***

At Girl Scouts, girls are always counting down to the next adventure they’ll go on together. With us, you’ll make a bunch of new friends and have

a ton of new experiences that show you how exciting the world is, and how awesome you are, over and over again. Girls who would like to join and adults who want to be leaders can attend our meetings here at the church on **Mondays from 6:30pm-7:30pm in Room 101**. For questions, please contact Christine Flexer at Christine.Flexer@comcast.net

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church & Malvern Retreat House
Invite You To A:



TONY MELENDEZ
SPECIAL PERFORMANCE
MONDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 2016
7pm-8:30pm

Tony is a Nicaraguan American guitar player, composer, singer, and songwriter, who was born without arms and plays the guitar with his feet.



In 1987, Meléndez sang "Never Be the Same" while playing the guitar in a special performance for Pope John Paul II. The Pope was visibly moved by Tony's performance. Currently, Tony and his band have a busy concert schedule.

Other performances:

- Strand Capitol Theater, York, PA, Nov 18
- Malvern Retreat House, Malvern, PA, Nov. 20

These concerts are made possible by:

BE INSPIRED

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church
345 Bear Christiana Rd.
Bear, DE 19701
malvernretreat.com



Tickets for 11/21 concert: \$10
For tickets contact:
Fr. Roger DiBuo at
302-322-6430 ext. 112



**THE YOUTH MINISTRY (WWW.SETONYOUTHMINISTRY.COM)
WILL BE PARTICIPATING IN OPERATION SHOEBOX THIS YEAR
AND THEY NEED YOUR SUPPORT.**

Please help them collect the following items to send to the many soldiers who are away from their loved ones during the Christmas season.

***The drive will run from
November 12 through November 27.***

You may leave your items in the gathering space in the Operation Shoebox space.

OPERATION SHOEBOX is an outstanding organization that started locally and has expanded its mission across the country. Supporting Operation Shoebox is one small way we can show our gratitude to those who make sacrifices for our nation and thank them for protecting our freedoms.



The troops love receiving instant coffee, personal hygiene items, prepaid phone cards, stationery, jerky, and more. A comprehensive list is below:

Candy (heat resistant)/Twizzlers/ Gum	Hairbrushes
Throat lozenges/cough drops	Hand Lotion
Writing Paper and Envelopes/Pens/Pencils	Hand Sanitizers (waterless)
Toothbrushes/Toothpaste/Floss/Mouthwash	Nail Clippers
Coffee (instant) and Coffee Creamer / Sugar packets	Q-Tips
Gatorade/Powdered Drink Mixes/Tea Mixes (sweet)	Razors (disposable)
Oatmeal (instant)/ Cereal (in small boxes)	Shampoo
Ramen Noodles-any flavor/ Tuna Kits/ Ravioli (pop top cans like Chef Boyardee)	Sunscreen
Bars (CLIF or Balance)/ Granola Bars	Tissues (heavy duty – i.e. Puffs)
Beef Jerky	Tylenol (individual packets)
Girl Scout Cookies	Plastic spoons
Pop-Tarts	American Flags (small)
Canned Fruit (pop top cans)	Gallon size Baggies (with zip lock)
Playing Cards/Board Games/Checkers (travel size)/Chess (travel size)/Crossword Puzzles	Disposable Cameras
CDs/DVDs new and used	Flashlights (mini/mag lite, extra bulbs, lots of batteries)
Sudoku books/Books (novels, short stories)/Magazines	Fans (battery powered – small – with extra batteries)
Baby Wipes	Fly Strips
Feminine Hygiene Products (for female soldiers)	Fly Swatters
Travel size body wash	Pre-Paid Phone Cards
Nose spray	Shoe Insole Cushion
Eye Drops	Socks (cushioned white calf high)
Deodorant	Thanksgiving food items
Foot Powder	Small unbreakable holiday decorations
	Christmas stockings

THANKS FOR YOUR SUPPORT!