

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.

Oct 9, 2016

THE 28th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

NEW PARISHIONERS

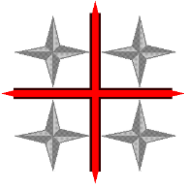
Registration forms available in Gathering Space

Setonprays@comcast.net

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

345 Bear-Christiana Rd. | Bear, DE 19701| Phone: 322-6430 |Fax: 322-6297

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**St. Elizabeth
Ann Seton**



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

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To the Confirmation Class...your parish continues to pray for you, your families and your Catechists as you soon will celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation on Oct. 15th. Thank you for living your Catholic Faith in the world.

To the St. Vincent DePaul Community...your gift of ministry to those in need in our community and area is a blessing to so many. We wish you well on your event this afternoon in the Parish Hall.

To the Kenyan Community of Seton Parish...thank you for your support of our parish and your devotion to the Faith. Your presence in the on-going life of the community is deeply appreciated and needed. Your amazing gift of welcoming Karen and me to visit your beautiful country and people will be a moment in our lives that we will never forget. You have changed our lives for the better as we have experienced life and Church in so many amazing places in Kenya. Thank you so much.

To the People of Seton Parish...what a blessing it is to journey together. We are indeed blest to be one church family, with such great diversity in cultures and expressions of our great Catholic Faith. Together we move forward as a parish, growing in Mass attendance and growing in faith as we learn more, minister well to others and as we continue to be a welcoming parish that is filled with the joy and the presence of God.



THE SAN MARCOS COMM. will continue selling shopping passes for **BOSCOV'S "Friends Helping Friends"** Annual Sale on Tues., Oct. 18th. Passes are \$5 each and are good all day. **Selling Dates:** Sat/Sun Oct 8-9 & Sun Oct 16th. Also available in the Parish Office Mon-Thurs, 8am-4:30pm



CLEANING CREW – Team "D" will clean Saturday, October 15th at 9:00am.

Readings for next week

Ex 17:8-13; 2 Tm 3:14-4:2; Lk 18:1-8 (147)

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, Oct 8	5:00pm	Don Franklin, Jr
Sunday, Oct 9	7:30am	Barbara Sevier
	9:15am	Amy Austin
	11:00am	Richard Louie & Mercita Kane
Monday, Oct 10	8:30am	William M & Frances Cramer
Tuesday, Oct 11	7:00pm	Genevieve C. McDonald
Wednesday, Oct 12	8:30am	Irene Saah (Living)
Thursday, Oct 13	8:30am	Jim Crawford
Saturday, Oct 15	5:00pm	Clint McFatridge
Sunday, Oct 16	7:30am	Luis Benitez
	9:15am	Mario & Michael Russo
	11:00am	Barbara Cichon

PARISH GIVING

ELECTRONIC DONATIONS

TO FIND OUT MORE INFORMATION VISIT:

WWW.PARISH-GIVING.ORG



PARISH STEWARDSHIP REPORT

Offering \$11,891.00

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

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: Jean Caricchio; Mildred Hernandez; John Moran; Doug Lewis; Christopher Mahek; James W. Sutherland.

For those in need of healing: Maureen Dougherty; Karen Sullivan; Esther Quinn; Betty Pierce; Anna O.; Mark Heinemann; Henry Smith, Jr.; Allen Wilkinson; Cheryle Flanigan; Peggy M. Henry; Gary Rullo; Charlotte Walder; Harold Chalfont, Maria Nguyen.

For the special intentions of: Indian Nations to preserve their native lands; The Seton Family



TIME TO GET TUNEFUL AGAIN!

Choir practices for the parish choir have started on Tuesday, September 27th at 7:30 pm in the church.

We have had several choir members leave (age, health, relocation to other states), so we are very much in need of all voices (SATB). Instrumentalists are also encouraged (it would be SO cool to have full brass for Christmas!!!)

NO auditions! If God sends you, we will work with you.
Questions? Call Music Director Pat at 302-229-9454.



SATURDAY MASS ATTENDEES WHO LIKE TO

SING or who play an instrument are invited to attend music rehearsals on Friday evening from 7-8:30 pm and then participate as a music minister in the mass the following afternoon. There is no long term commitment required (although we hope that you will enjoy what you do as part of a collection of folks giving our musical talents back to God so that you would stay for a while!)

Questions? Call /text Pat Maley at 302-229-9454.



THERE WILL BE A MEETING OF FOLKS

interested in the musical life of our parish sometime in late October, probably on a Thursday evening from 7:30 to 8:30pm (or so). Current and interested new singers, choir members, instrumentalists and even folks who want to act as part of our "feedback" teams at each of the masses are invited to come to that meeting and share your thoughts and suggestions for how to move our music programs ahead. We want to design a feedback form that any parishioner can use to record their reflections on the music at a mass.

Questions? Text Pat Maley at 302-229-9454 or e-mail at Trish1225@aol.com



WE ARE GETTING A NEW MUSIC SETTING OF MASS PARTS!!!

After spending eight months with Misa Santa Fe, starting in mid-October, the parish will be moving to the Mass of St. Ann (by composer Ed Bolduc). The musicians will be teaching this mass in the time before mass during the next few weeks, and then fully "launching" M.St.A. by the weekend of October 22/23. There will be booklets with the mass parts from the publisher World Library in the pews that weekend and thereafter. We plan to use Mass of St. Ann through the holidays and into 2017. If you want to get ahead of the learning curve, go to YouTube and type in "Mass of St. Ann" - make certain you get the one by Ed Bolduc, and then listen to the 7+minute clip which has all the mass parts. Enjoy!



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS Our next meeting is on Tues, Oct 11th in the Seton CR at 7:30pm. Any gentleman wanting to join the Knights of Columbus, please

contact Al Volpe (302) 449-0967 or any Knight for information.

MEETINGS OF THE WEEK

Sun 10/09	9:15am	RE Gr.1-2 (FC)
	12:30pm	SVDP High Tea (Hall)
Mon 10/10	6:00PM	PARISH OFFICES CLOSED (HOLIDAY)
	6:30pm	50+ Officers (DinRm)
	6:30pm	RE Gr 6-9 (Church)
	6:30pm	YM Gr 10-12 (Chapel)
	6:30pm	CS #92 (FC)
Tues 10/11	6:30pm	RCIA-Child (101)
	7:00pm	RCIA-Adult (Library)
	7:00pm	Bible Reflection (106)
	7:30pm	K of C (Seton)
	7:30pm	NarAnon (B)
Wed 10/12	9:00am	Adoration (Chapel)
	6:30pm	RE Gr.1-5 (Church)
	6:30pm	BS#92 (Neum)
Thur 10/13	1:00pm	Crochet Group (Seton)
	6:30pm	RE Gr.1-5 (Ch)
Fri 10/14		
Sat 10/15	3:30pm	Students w/Bishop (Neum)
	4:00pm	Conf. Parent Meeting (Hall)
	5:00pm	Confirmation Mass (Church)
	6:00pm	Confirmation Reception (Hall)
	6:00pm	Kateri Dinner (Seton)
Sun 10/16	8:00am	K of C Breakfast (Hall)
	9:15am	RE Gr.1-2 (FC)
	9:15am	RE PreSchool (FC)
	1:30pm	Spec Needs RE (102)



AFRICANA 9.0 IS HERE!!! This year's events will include, Mass, Cultural Display, Dinner, Dance, Surprise!!!

DATE: Saturday October 29th

VENUE: St. Elizabeth Ann Seton

TIME: Mass: 5:00PM, Dinner & Activities 6:00-11:00PM

TICKETS: \$20.00

Come ready for a SURPRISE of CULTURAL Display. And Don't forget to put on your Dancing Shoes.



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.



BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND!!!!

The Seton Book Club will be meeting every Thursday in October in the Chapel from 9 to 10:30 am. Discussion will be led by Sr. Redempta. **Book title:** "Rediscovering Jesus" by Matthew Kelly

Religious Education

OLGA MATIAS-DIR OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION-Ext 102
office@setonparish.net



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

REGISTRATION – Have you registered your child for Religious Education? We **must receive** your

child's registration form **prior to his/her first day or evening of class** for your child to be placed in a class. Registration Forms are on line, in the RE hallway and in the Gathering space.

Religious Education Classes begin as follow:

Sunday Pre-school-

Sunday-Oct. 16th, 4 & 5 yr. olds 9:15-10:15am

2016 Confirmation Program

*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.



FOR ALL ELIZABETH ANN SETON YOUTH AND FAMILIES:

After the 11 o'clock mass on Sunday the 16th, come to the Neumann and Seton conference rooms for a time to ask priests, deacons and sisters... What's it like to be priests, deacons and sisters in the church! It will be a fun time to get to know the consecrated of our parish, and at the end of our time together, winners of a raffle will get to pie someone in the face...Who will get pied in the face??? Come for this fun time to see!



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

***SCOUTING NEWS – In remembrance of the 15th anniversary of the September 11th tragedy, members of Boy Scout Troop 92 and their Leaders recently traveled to Stoystown, Pennsylvania to visit the Flight 93 memorial. Because many of the Scouts were not even born when the attacks took place, it was a real educational opportunity for them. Learning how the 40 passengers and crew aboard Flight 93, diverted a possible attack on the U.S. Capital, gave them a great sense of pride. While it was a long ride to the memorial, they highly recommend that others take the trip as well.



***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



BIC – BUILDING INTERCULTURAL CONNECTIONS

Next Wilmington Diocesan Training Conference will be at Holy Angels Church, Newark, DE on Sat. November 12, 2016 from 10:00am – 6:00pm (to include mass) BIC provides an opportunity for participants to attain a foundational level of understanding in intercultural relations and communications skills. We are looking for volunteers that are fluent in Spanish/English to help with translation at this conference. If you are able to volunteer please contact: msanitawood@verizon.net

**SAINT MARK'S HIGH SCHOOL
IMPORTANT FALL ADMISSIONS DATES:**

- **8th Grade Prep Course** for the High School Placement Test (HSPT), offered on October 8th and November 5th from 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
- **Fall Open House** on Sunday, October 30th from 12:30 – 3:30 p.m.
- **Spartan for a Day** for 8th Grade students, beginning October 4th and offered, Tuesday – Friday.
- **8th Grade HSPT at Saint Mark's**, offered December 3rd at 8:00 a.m. or December 4th at 12:00 p.m.

For a full list of admissions dates or to register for an event, visit the Saint Mark's Admissions web-page at www.stmarkshs.net/Page/Admissions.



**PILGRIMAGE TO SOUTH DAKOTA, ROSE BUD INDIAN RESERVATION AND ST. FRANCIS MISSION
JULY 7-13, 2017**

Journey with the Bear, St. Kateri circle 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 sister. Please come join us in a special travel presentation on October 18th at 6:30 p.m., in the Seton Conference Room in the Formation Center, St. Elizabeth Ann Seton church 345 Bear Christiana Road, Bear, DE. 19701. Highlights of the trip will be discussed. Please contact Sharon Ward, 302-545-3383 for more information.



NATIVE AMERICAN LITURGY

Sunday, October 16, 2016 at 10 AM
St. Joseph's Church
1012 French Street, Wilmington, DE
A light lunch will be provided following Mass.

A response is required ahead of time for planning purposes.

Everyone is welcome!

Contact: Sharon Ward (302) 545-3383, wsward2@verizon.net

Or Gail Rando (352) 445-2350 gailvets2@gmail.com

BISHOP'S ANNUAL WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

Bishop Francis Malooly invites all couples celebrating their 5th, 10th, 15th, 20th, 25th, 30th, 40th, 45th, 50th wedding anniversary, or any anniversary beyond 50th, to the Annual Wedding Anniversary Mass at **2:00 PM on Sunday, October 23, 2016** at St. Joseph's, Middletown, at 371 E. Main Street, Middletown, DE 19709. There is no cost to you, however **reservations are required**. Please make your **reservations by October 15** by filling out the information below and returning it to the Office for Marriage and Family Life, 1626 N. Union Street, Wilmington, DE 19806 or ljackson@cdow.org.



SETON 50 + GROUP - "Halloween" The next meeting of the 50+ Group will be at 6:00 P.M. on Friday October 21, 2016 in the Parish Hall. Please wear the costume of your choice. After dinner, those people in costume can parade around the Hall and then we can vote on who has the "best" costume.

This is a "POT LUCK" dinner. If your last name begins with the letters A through E, please bring a Main Dish; if your last name begins with the letters F through O, please bring a Side Dish; if your last name begins with the letters P through Z, please bring a Dessert item. The food you bring to the "POT LUCK" dinner should be enough to provide about 6 to 8 portions.

New members are always welcome. So, if you are age 50 or more, please consider joining us on October 21.



SETON GOES TO THE THEATRE ~ Everyone is cordially invited to sign up for a GROUP RATE to see the CHRISTMAS SHOW at the CANDLELIGHT DINNER THEATRE in Arden. We are planning to attend the Sunday afternoon Matinee on NOVEMBER 27. The cost for dinner and the show is normally \$59.00, but if enough people sign up in advance, the ticket price drops to \$49.00. This event is sponsored by the Seton 50+ Group, but everyone is welcome to participate whether you are a member or not.

Take advantage of this opportunity to see a wonderful show. If you are available and would like to see the Sunday afternoon matinee at the CANDLELIGHT DINNER THEATRE on November 27, please contact Rudy Macalisang at rmacalisang@comcast.net or by calling 595-4651. The Theatre can only hold a limited number of seats for us for a limited time, as this Christmas show usually is completely sold out. Please check your calendar and sign up with Rudy by October 17. Thank you.

THE CROCHET (knit & sew) GROUP would like anyone to donate clean yarn, 4-ply machine wash & dry. Anyone can come! We meet weekly 1:00-3:00pm in the Parish Hall. For more information, call 302-449-0967.



CATHOLIC CHARITIES TO BENEFIT FROM FIRST BISHOP'S 5K RUN/WALK Sat, Nov 19, 2016

10 am to 2 pm, Bellevue State Park, 800 Carr Rd, Wilmington
Saturday, November 19, 2016 is the first running of the Bishop's 5K Run/Walk for the benefit of Catholic Charities. The race will kick off at 10 am at Bellevue State Park, 800 Carr Road, Wilmington, 19809. Following the run/walk, race participants, family, and friends are invited to take part in a fun event.

To learn more about the Bishop's 5K, and learn how you can sponsor this first time event, visit Catholic Charities website at cdow.org/charities.

To register for the race and the post-event celebration, visit bishops5k.com.

Did you know that one out of every 10 residents of the Diocese receive at least one service each year from Catholic Charities? The first Bishop's 5KRun/Walk will bring attention and resources to assist Catholic Charities in its continuing efforts to reach out to underserved areas of our Diocese.