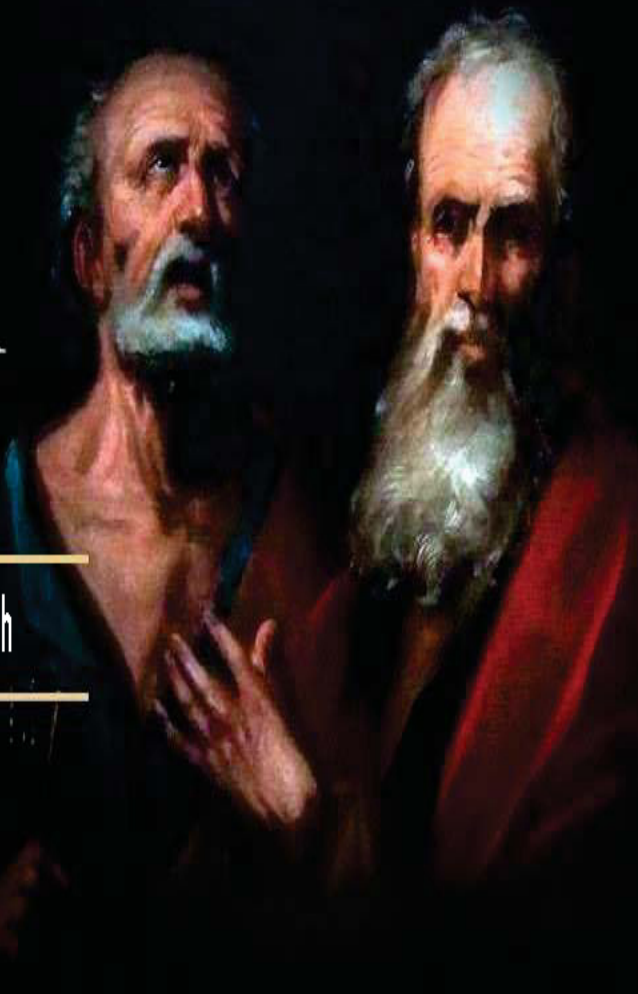


STS. PETER AND PAUL

Sts. Peter & Paul Feast Day is June 29th

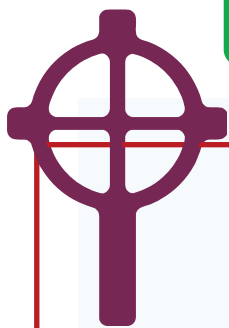


June 28, 2020

SETON SENTINEL

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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PLEASE HELP US WITH OUR STATISTICS AND DATA

Included in last week's mailing was a form that we asked you to fill out and return to us as it will help us significantly update our Parish Census. We are missing lots of information on a good number of people and would like to rectify that at once. Also as the Diocese continues to develop Pastoral Plans for Parishes we need accurate numbers and stats to provide them for discernment of needs. We ask that you take a few moments and fill it out as best you can and get it back to us as soon as possible. Your personal information will be kept confidential. Please do not skip the survey. It is also available to download from our homepage for those who may miss the mailing and for those who wish to join or rejoin the parish at this time.



Father Joe



Have a Happy and Safe 4th of July!!!

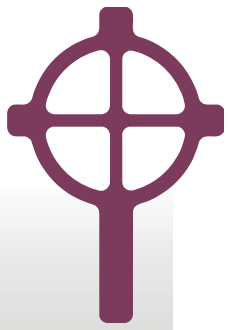
The parish office will be closed on Friday, July 3rd, in observance of the holiday.

Differences

	St Peter		St Paul
<ul style="list-style-type: none">♦ Chosen to work with Him♦ Born in Bethsaida, lived in Capernaum♦ Married♦ Began with love, confidence and faith♦ A simple uneducated fisherman♦ Impulsive		<ul style="list-style-type: none">♦ Not among the disciples or apostles♦ Born in Tarsus of Cilicia and went to Jerusalem♦ Celibate Virgin♦ Began with enmity as persecutor of the Church♦ Well-read, Highly educated, and disciple of Gamaliel♦ Enthusiastic	

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Our office hours are Monday-Thursday, 8:30am-5:00pm and Friday, 8:30am- 3:00pm. Please call for an appointment if you have business to do at the rectory. Masks are required, along with proper hand sanitization. No social calls at this time, please. Essential business only. Thank you.



GFT Scholarships - Attention High School Seniors!

Two scholarships will be offered by the GFT Foundation to members of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish who are looking to continue their education whether it be college, technical or vocational school. The scholarships will be awarded based on merit and need. Guidelines for the scholarship and the application are on our website or can be requested by email at seton.swoy@aol.com. The deadline is **June 30, 2020** for the 2020 fall semester.



HAPPY ANNIVERSARY, FATHER JOE!

This Tuesday, June 30th, is Father Joe's 19th Anniversary of his ordination to the Priesthood. We want to wish him a very happy and blessed anniversary! Thank you, Father Joe, for being a devoted servant who helps so many, and for being a compassionate pastor who encourages and comforts! Congratulations, Fr. Joe!

HAPPY WEDDING ANNIVERSARY!

Also, on Tuesday, June 30th, Deacon Jack and Karen Ziegler will celebrate their 47th Wedding Anniversary. May God bless you always!

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I cannot express my gratitude to all those who continually support our parish in the midst of this pandemic and crisis. Your generosity has been overwhelming! We are so fortunate to have such kind parishioners who are thinking about our parish and meeting the challenges of our weekly needs. You have shown that you truly love our community and church and you believe in the mission of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish.

As some of you are making your way to church, and others are not ready at this point, we appreciate the efforts you make to continue to contribute to the needs of the church. Whether it be in the basket, the mail, through the door slot, on-line, or any other way. We thank you for getting it to us.

We have not been reporting the weekly collection as it does not come in all at one time, but in the variety of ways mentioned and throughout the weeks. We hope to be reporting the weekly totals as we slowly come back to church.

If you are considering e-giving, you may log on to setonpa.com and use the electronic giving option. Scroll down and look for this link and follow the instructions:



Thank you for your past kindness and any consideration of this request..

If you are not able to contribute at this time, know that your prayers are just as important for our parish. We need you help, both spiritually and financially. If you find that you are in need during this time, please contact me as we are here to do whatever we can to assist you in procuring needed resources. **Father Joe**



ST. PAUL CENTER *By Dr. Scott Hahn*
FOR BIBLICAL THEOLOGY **To Find Our Lives**

13th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Cycle A)

2 Kgs 4:8–11, 14–16 Ps 89:2–3,16–19 Rom 6:3–4,8–11 Mt 10:37–42

The Liturgy this week continues to instruct us in the elements of discipleship. We're told that even the most humble among us have a share in the mission Christ gives to His Church.

We're not all called to the ministry of the Apostles, or to be prophets like Elisha in today's First Reading. But each of us is called to a holy life (see 2 Timothy 1:9; 1 Thessalonians 4:3)

At Baptism our lives were joined forever to the cross of Christ, as Paul tells us in today's Epistle. Baptized into His death, we're to renounce sin and live for God in Christ Jesus.

We are to follow Him, each of us taking up our personal cross, as Jesus says in today's Gospel. That doesn't mean we will all be asked to suffer a martyr's death. But each of us is called to self-denial, to the offering of our lives in service of God's plan.

Jesus must be elevated to first place in our lives—above even our closest bonds of kinship and love. By Baptism, we've been made part of a new family—the kingdom of God, the Church. We are to proclaim that kingdom with our lives, bringing our fathers and mothers, and all men and women to live as “little ones” under the fatherhood of God and the kingship of the Holy One.

We do this by opening our hearts and homes to the service of the Lord, following the Shunnamite woman's example in today's First Reading. As Jesus tells us, we're to receive others—not only prophets, but also little children, the poor and the imprisoned—as we receive Christ himself (see Matthew 18:5; 25:31–46).

As we sing in today's Psalm, we are to testify to His favors and kindness in our lives.

We're to hold fast to the promise—that if we have died with Christ, we shall also live, that if we lose our lives for His sake, we shall find our reward, and walk forever in His countenance.

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REMEMBERING AT EUCHARIST



Monday, June 29

6:30 am Alberta Wawer Son, Felix

Tuesday, June 30

6:30 am Intention of Presider

Wednesday, July 1

6:30 am Leonard Kolojejchick Family

Thursday, July 2

6:30 am Dorothy Wolinsky Sister, Rita Lemonowski & Family

Friday, July 3

6:30 am Paul Blaski Peggy James & Family

Saturday, July 4

5:00 pm Robert Coniglio Aunt Geri Hovan

Sunday, July 5

7:00 am *Pro Populo*

9:00 am Edward Harkins SEAS Parish Staff

11:00 am Baker & Robedda Families Roy & Joanne Baker

5:30 pm Adolph & Mary Jarensky Beverly & Nikolas Moranski

Sanctuary Candles



This Week's Sanctuary Candles

1. In Memory of Frank & Catherine Mucha offered by Rick & Diane Frusciante
2. Special Intention offered by Elaine Mikolosko

ALTAR FLOWERS



~~In Memory of Stanley Kudey offered by Wife & Children

~~In Memory of Alberta Kolojejchick & Charlotte Romanowski offered by sister, Mary Ann Romanowski



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