

**ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON
PARISH**

FESTIVAL

**THURSDAY • FRIDAY • SATURDAY
5 PM 'til 11 PM NIGHTLY**

JULY 11-12-13

**116 HUGHES ST. SWOYERSVILLE
GAMES — PRIZES — REFRESHMENTS
ETHNIC FOODS**

**Thurs. — JOHN STEVENS' DOUBLESHOT
Fri. — SWEET PEPPER AND THE LONG HOTS
Sat. — HOOPLA BAND**

Everyone Welcome!!

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PARISH STAFF

Pastoral Ministry

- ◆ Rev. Joseph Pisaneschi, V.F.
Pastor
- ◆ Rev. Anthony Urban
Assisting Celebrant
- ◆ Deacon John Ziegler
Permanent Deacon
- ◆ Lorraine Raymond
Pastoral Associate
- ◆ Sister Jane Ellis, IHM
Pastoral Care Minister

Finance Office

- ◆ Monica Salis
Business Manager

Religious Education

- ◆ Sister Marion Tarone, IHM
Director of Religious Education

Music Ministry

- ◆ Margaret Semanek
Director of Liturgical Music
- ◆ Joseph Sabol
Assistant Organist
- ◆ Cora Artim
Youth Choir Director
- ◆ Scott Coates
5:30 PM Mass Musician

Sacristans

- ◆ Christopher Calore
- ◆ Patricia Quinn
- ◆ Betsy Evanoski

Maintenance and Cleaning

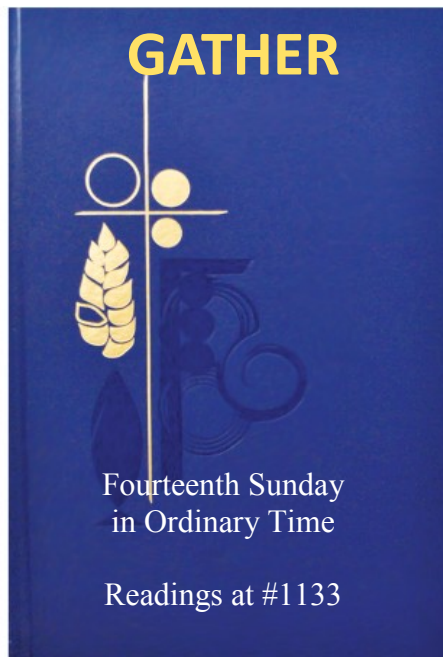
- ◆ Christopher Calore
Director of Maintenance
- ◆ Gertrude Brown
- ◆ Carol Hrobaski
- ◆ Phil Boshia
St. Mary's Cemetery Maintenance

Pastoral Council, Chair

- ◆ Ann Marie Aed

Finance Council, Chair

- ◆ Michael Perhach



NOTICE: All Parishioners and Friends of Seton please place the Blessed Mother statue in the window this Thursday, Friday and Saturday and most importantly, pray that we have good weather for our Festival.

This is It! It's Showtime!

We need all of our parishioners to pitch-in this week for the success of this year's Festival. So much to do before Thursday...We are in need of more Theme Baskets, drop them off at the rectory this week. More 'Spirits' for the Party Time Stand, toys for the children's games, Baked Goods for the Bake Sale (see the nights you are listed to bake). Also, we are still accepting ticket returns now or at the Festival. Drop them off in the collection this weekend, or at the rectory this week or at the Festival itself.

Still some shifts available and help needed for the stands, including games, food and kitchen. See Lori Raymond outside after mass for times available.

Our Festival is always such a good time for everyone and that is because the SPIRIT of SETON shows through each year.

Let's all do our part to make this Festival a huge Success!

Father Joe

FESTIVAL PARKING NOTICE:

Street parking is at a prime around the church grounds. **Please** be sure you are not blocking someone's driveway and **BEWARE** the parking signs. If you are in a no parking zone, tickets may be issued as they were last year and the Church cannot get you out of it. Obey the laws, please, even if you have to walk a little more to get here.

SETON'S SUMMER FESTIVAL: JULY 11-12-13

PIGGIE-MAKING— Mon. & Tues., July 8 & 9, 8:30am-1pm (& cut vegetables-bring your own peelers and knives)

UPDATE ON FESTIVAL PRODUCT DONATIONS NEEDED: **6"x6" STYROFOAM** containers
STYROFOAM 9" plates
Paper towels
Napkins
Ketchup (no mustard)
Butter (no oil).

KOUNTRY KITCHEN STAND: Hopefully all buckets/items have been returned. But if you still have the bucket/items, please bring to the rectory on Monday.

PARTY TIME STAND: We are accepting donations of alcoholic beverages: bottles of whiskey, wine, brandy, & other spirits. Please drop off at rectory.

CHILDREN'S GAMES: We are accepting small toys for the children's game stand prizes, such as from the dollar stores: inexpensive, but must be new.

THEME BASKETS: We are asking you to create baskets with a value of at least \$35. Suggested themes are Cooking, Baking, Car Care, Pet Supplies, Hair Care, Seasonal, etc. We are also accepting monetary donations, & we will put the basket together for you. Please have baskets wrapped & ready for display with a list of items in the basket. We would like to know if you will be making a basket & your theme as soon as possible. Please call Doreen Dougherty at **570-709-4849** or Elaine Lipinski at 570-288-9831, and let them know.

PLEASE DROP OFF ALL DONATIONS/BASKETS AT THE RECTORY.

Your generosity is greatly appreciated!!!

FESTIVAL RAFFLE TICKETS: Please return all tickets as soon as you can. Drop in collection basket or drop off at rectory, or bring to the Festival.

FESTIVAL VOLUNTEER FORMS are located on the tables at the church entrance, and on our website, setonpa.com Please return as soon as possible. Drop in collection basket or bring to rectory. Thank you!

BAKE SALE STAND: Bakers needed!!! If your last name begins with the letters A-G, would you please bake for Thursday? Letters H-R for Friday, and S-Z for Saturday? Please, NO whipped cream or pudding products due to the heat. Please bring items directly to the Bake Sale Stand before or during the festival. Please note that the Bake Sale run by the Confraternity of Christian Mothers will be CASH ONLY. We cannot accept tickets for the baked goods.

FESTIVAL VOLUNTEERS—We Need You!

If you haven't filled out a volunteer form yet, please see Lori Raymond, who will be outside in front of the church after all masses this weekend with the Volunteer openings that need to be filled. Please stop by and check it out, even if you can offer one shift. Thank you!



SETON VITALS

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday –Thursday 8:30am-5:00pm

Friday 8:30am-3:00pm

Weekend and evenings by appointment

The parish offices are closed on all Holy
Days of Obligation and Federal Holidays

RECONCILIATION:

Saturdays

3:45pm-4:15pm or by appointment

UPCOMING AREA FESTIVALS:

JULY 19-20-21 Exaltation of the Holy Cross Church, 420 Main Road, Hanover Township. BIG TENT BAZAAR, under the tent, rain or shine. Friday, 6pm, Saturday 5pm (mass at 4pm), and Sunday 5pm. Friday: Souled Out (7-11pm), Saturday: OZ (5-7:30pm) & Sweet Pepper & the Long Hots (8pm-midnight), and Sunday: 40 Lb. Head (5-7:30pm) and Flaxy Morgan (8-11pm). For more info., call 570-823-6242

JULY 26-27-28 St. Maria Goretti Church, Laflin. Friday & Sat. (5-10pm) and Sunday (3pm-8pm). Rain or shine under the tents. Friday: Sperazza Band, Saturday: Flaxy Morgan, and Sunday: Sweet Pepper & the Long Hots. Air-conditioned bingo, bake sale, gift card showcase, Vera Bradley showcase, kids games, Water Wars & more. Come out & enjoy!

JULY 26-27-28 St. Joseph's Center Summer Festival on the campus of Marywood University. Friday & Sat. (4-10pm) & Sunday (noon—8pm). Booths: It's a Wrap, General Store, Holiday Hut, Bounce House & Giant Slide, Mini Golf, Bingo, Soccer Shoot, Potato Pancakes, Funnel cake, pizza frittata, porketta, fresh squeezed lemonade, ice cream. Sunday afternoon entertainment, and \$10,000 cash raffle (call for tickets 570-207-6656)

SAINT ELIZABETH ANN SETON, PRAY FOR US!

Thank You!

As our parish closed the Fiscal Year on June 30, 2019, we found ourselves in the red with the Diocesan Schools and the Diocesan Assessments to the tune of almost \$40,000.00 (about 2 months of assessments). We appealed to our [Holy Name Society](#), [Confraternity of Christian Mothers](#), and [Altar Guild](#) and raised \$12,000.00 toward the bills. A mere Thank you is not sufficient for all your efforts to help us in this cause. We did manage to make the rest payments on time so that our parish would not appear in the red with the Diocese. These assessments are due each month and total over \$20,000.00 each month. We rely on our collections, the Festival, and other fund-raisers to be able to pay our way through the year.

Weekly Offering

June 22-23, 2019

\$7753.00

Love and generosity start here at home. We are grateful for your faithful stewardship which sustains the life of our parish, supports our outreach and ministries, as well as maintains the level of staffing needed to put our mission into action. Thank you for your gift of treasure and commitment to do God's work here at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton.





ONLINE GIVING

Is now available in association with



myEoffering

www.setonpa.com

WHAT IS myEoffering?

myEoffering is a service we've teamed up with to give you the ability to send your offerings online in the same way that many of you already pay bills and purchase products. We chose to use myEoffering because they are part of a trusted, Christian family-owned company, who have been serving the needs of churches for nearly 100 years. Their product is solid, secure, easy, and convenient.

WHY SHOULD I USE myEoffering?

Many of you already pay for most of your purchases electronically, whether online or with a credit or debit card. So we have decided to offer this service as a convenience to you - you can stop writing checks or having to remember to bring cash every Sunday. Simply log in to our service and set up your offering. You can set the donations to match your pay periods, and even send your one-time donations to the special offerings we may have from time-to-time. This new service allows you to give any amount, at any time, from home or on the road, with your computer or even your mobile device. Now you can control how and when you give your tithes.

HOW DOES IT HELP?

Online giving is the future. In the lifetime of our young people, we will see electronic payments overshadow traditional methods of paper payments. In order to position ourselves to continue doing the work of God in the future and to make it as convenient as possible to be a cheerful giver to God's work, we have decided to offer online giving to you. In addition to easier access to giving and more engagement with young stewards, online offering has many benefits for the church. It allows us to more easily track contributions for budgeting. It saves us from manually tracking those contributions every week. It saves us from large fees on check processing and allows us to more accurately forecast expenditures and needs.

HOW DO I SIGN UP?

Signing up is as simple as going to our church website listed above and look for the green computer mouse icon. That button will take you to the myEoffering page for our church. Simply sign up and begin giving online today! Or scan the code to the right with your mobile device to get started now.



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Sanctuary Candles



~In Memory of Lou Michaels
offered by Family
~In Memory of Rita Mesaros
offered by A Friend

Sick, Hospitalized, Homebound?

Please contact Lori at the parish office if you or someone you know is homebound, hospitalized or in a long term or short term care facility. We want to keep track of all our parishioners and minister to the sick and aging the best we can, and we need to know their location to do that. Thank You.

Remembering

Monday, July 8

8:00am Roseanne Pagarelski Harry & Ruth Yekel

Tuesday, July 9

8:00am Joseph Rollman Wife, Jeanne & Children

Wednesday, July 10

8:00am Alice Maletta Sister, Jeanne & Family

Thursday, July 11

8:00am Richard & Ruth Olejnik Jean Brunges

Friday, July 12

8:00am Frank & Betty Saypack Sister, Theresa, & Susan

Saturday, July 13

4:30 pm William Schaeffer Dolores Kovaleski & John

Sunday, July 14

8:30 am James Connell Wife & Children

11:00 am John Charney Wife, Theresa, Children, & Grandchildren

5:30 pm **Pro Populo**



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