

Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish

The Seton Sentinel

32nd Sunday of the Year



November 11, 2012

Swoyersville, PA

APPLE DUMPLING PICK-UPS

Please remember to pick-up your apple dumpling orders **this Monday, November 12th**, at the time you specified: either **11am to 1pm** or **5pm to 6pm** in the school cafeteria.

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

Meeting on Monday, November 12th at 6:30 pm in the parish hall.

DEFIBRILLATOR INSTRUCTIONS

The Holy Name Society has purchased 2 defibrillators, one for the Church and one for the school building. Anyone who would like to learn how to use the defibrillators is asked to come to a brief instructional meeting on Tuesday, November 13th at 6:00pm to 6:30pm in the church hall.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The Knights of Columbus Council #12976 will meet on Tuesday, November 13th, at 7:00PM in the church hall.

ARTS & ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE

The Arts & Environment Committee will meet on Tuesday, November 13th, at 7PM in the Church.



MASS OF REMEMBRANCE

On Wednesday, November 14th at 7:00PM there will be a special Mass of Remembrance for the repose of the souls of those who have died throughout this past year and prayers for their loved ones who grieve their loss. Their names will be called aloud and they will be remembered at this special Mass. All are invited to attend.

SOCIAL CONCERNS COMMITTEE

The Social Concerns Committee will meet on Thursday, November 15th, at 7:00PM in the church hall.



CONFIRMATION MEETING

A meeting to be attended by parents and students who will be receiving Confirmation will be held on Friday, November 16th, at 7:00PM in the church hall.



SOCIAL CONCERNS MINISTRY HOLIDAY HELP

The Holidays are fast approaching and while many of us look forward to this time of year it can be yet another cross for the less fortunate. The Social Concerns Ministry is taking the names of those in need of a **Thanksgiving or Christmas Meal**. Also, the committee wants to reach out to families with children who would not otherwise receive a present at Christmas. If you, or a neighbor or friend is in need this year, please contact the Pastor or our Pastoral Associate, Lori Raymond. All information provided will be kept in strict confidence. Sometimes the people who are most in need live on the same street or are in the same family as we are.

Social Concerns will be accepting Supermarket Gift Cards during November. You can drop them off at the rectory or place them in the Sunday basket if you are able to help. Any amount will be accepted. We will also have the "Christmas Giving Tree" this year with an opportunity to help those in need.

'Lord, when did we see you hungry or thirsty or a stranger or needing clothes or sick or in prison, and did not help you?' Mat 25:44

LECTOR WORKBOOKS

The 2013 Lector Workbooks are ready for all lectors to pick-up in the server sacristy. If yours is not there, please call Lori at the office.

WORD OF LIFE BULLETIN BRIEF

"It's important for our own integrity and the integrity of our country that we stand up today against these and other attacks on our religious freedom. History affords many examples, both before and since America's founding, where restraints on religious liberty presaged the denial of other human rights. By standing up for religious liberty now, we can begin to renew the soul of America and strengthen our nation's commitment to all the rights and freedoms we enjoy as children of God. In so doing, we may also discover in our own lives what it means to be fully human." Most Rev. Charles J. Chaput, O.F.M., Cap., Archbishop of Philadelphia

Christmas Toy/Food Registration



St. Vincent de Paul Kitchen, a program of Catholic Social Services is once again teaming up with local parishes and the United States Marines "Toys for Tots" for this year's Christmas Toy Drive.

Last year, we distributed toys to over 2,000 children in the Wyoming Valley.

This year's registration for Toys and Food for Christmas will be held at Our Lady of Hope Parish, 40 Park Avenue in Wilkes-Barre on:

Mon., Nov. 26th -9am to 11am and 1pm to 3 pm

Tues., Nov. 27th -9am to 11am and 4pm to 6pm

Parents should bring Photo ID/verification of income, social security card for everyone in the household and proof of address with a recent date.

We need donations of Toys!!! ...Toy Donations may be taken to St. Vincent de Paul Kitchen, 39 East Jackson St. Wilkes-Barre, 7 days a week from 7:30a.m. to 1:00p.m.

If you would like to volunteer to help with the distribution please contact Diane Colleran at 570-287-2012.

HAPPY VETERANS' DAY to all of the men and women who serve/served our country. May God bless you for your sacrifice.

Free Pews

If anyone is interested in free pews from Holy Name-St. Mary's Church, please call the office for information.

Thank You!!!

The Social Concerns Committee thanks everyone who supported our first Spaghetti Dinner. Thank you to all volunteers who baked, helped prepare, serve, and clean up. The committee applauds Mark Perugino for a wonderful job in making our first event successful!

On November 15th, the National Council of Catholic Women will observe a "**Day of Fast & Prayer to End World Hunger**". Since 2007, NCCW members have joined together in fasting & prayer one week before Thanksgiving, asking God to give his children the grace to end world hunger. The Scranton Diocesan Council of Catholic Women is requesting all faithful to participate in this request by attending a daily mass and spend one hour in Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament for this intention. A fast may be donated to your local food pantry or soup kitchen.

Sweet Charity

Once again, Fr. Jim Paisley & his choir, Sweet Charity, are raising money for St. Joseph's Center in Scranton. Fr. Paisley will be signing their CD, "*It's Beginning to Look a Lot Like Christmas*" at The Guild Store, 400 Wyoming Ave., Scranton, on Saturday, November 17th, from 11:00AM -2:00PM. There are 13 songs on the CD, cost is \$15.00. Or you can shop online at www.shoptheguild.org.

Sunday, November 18th:

~PARISH BREAKFAST at Holy Family Parish, Bennett St., Luzerne, from 8AM to 12:30PM in the hall.

~BASKET RAFFLE at Ss. Peter & Paul Parish, 13 Hudson Rd., Plains, in the school hall. Doors open at 12 noon. & serving lunches. \$5.00 donation entitles you to 25 chances for over 100 prizes. Drawings start at 2:30PM

~ANNUAL TURKEY BINGO at St. Leo's/Holy Rosary, 33 Manhattan St., Ashley. Doors open at noon, games begin at 1PM. Admission is \$3.00. Specials, door prizes, & kitchen will be open for food.

~The **Catholic Choral Society** will present the **11th Generations Sing Concert XI** at 7:30PM at St. Peter's Cathedral, Wyoming Ave., Scranton.. No admission charge. Call 587-2753 for more information.

Remember all those who have asked for our special prayers especially the sick, in hospitals, nursing facilities, or at home.

NOVENA PRAYER to ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON

O God, our Father, glorify here upon earth your servant, St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, by manifesting the power of her intercession through the favors I now implore: (intentions) We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen.

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, Pray for Us!

Diocese of Scranton
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 ANNUAL APPEAL 

"Serve One Another"

1Peter 4:10

Thank you to those who have already made the commitment to "Serve One Another."

Bishop Joseph C. Bambera extends his sincere gratitude to everyone who has already made a pledge to the 2012 Diocesan Annual Appeal. Every gift truly matters. If you have not yet made your gift, and need a packet, pledge packets will be distributed at Masses today.

Packets are also available by calling the Diocesan Development Office at 570-207-2250, or online at www.DiocesefofScranton.org.

Regional Youth Ministry

SUMMER MISSION TRIP 2012 BLITZ BUILD
 DUE NOV.10, 2012: \$100 deposit & paperwork
 ANY QUESTIONS CONTACT BRIAN 288-6446



Own the Night Service Project
 Sunday, Nov. 18~~3pm-6pm
 Regional Rec Room
 Kingston
 Sort food for the needy for Thanksgiving

Nov.28-Dec.2 NCCYM Orlando, FL
 Dec 8 NYC Trip 6:45am from St. Ann's Chapel



Dec. 16 Caroling & Hot Chocolate (tentative)
 Jan. 13 Teen Mass, 5PM All Saints, Plymouth

Collections 11/4/12

Sunday Offering: \$7370.50
 Dues : \$1127.00
 Other: \$267.30
 World Missions: \$33.00
 Care & Education: \$1148.00
 Hurricane Sandy Relief: \$2738.90

Thank you for your generosity!!

Maine Saver Giveback Member Application

Name*: _____

Organization Name: **Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish**

Email:

Zip: _____

Birthday: _____

**Required*

We do not rent/sell our customer lists.

MAINESOURCE

FOOD & PARTY WAREHOUSE

Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish is a participant in the MaineSource Food & Party Warehouse GiveBack Program. Once you become a member (just fill out the form at no cost to you) and begin to shop at MaineSource, the Parish receives rebates and you receive coupons and special offers. Recently we received a rebate for \$232.00. Please fill out the application and return it in the collection basket or drop it off at the rectory. If you are already a member, MaineSource has asked if you would reapply to replace your old GiveBack Card. Your old card will expire on December 31, 2012. Thank you in advance for your help.

Mass Intentions

Monday, November 12th

8:00 a.m. Andrew & Anna Mattie Daughters, Ann & Marge

Tuesday, November 13th

8:00 a.m. All Souls' Intentions

Wednesday, November 14th

8:00 a.m. Agnes Kester Brother, Edward Stofko

7:00 p.m. Mass of Remembrance

Thursday, November 15th

8:00 a.m. Leo Venetz Wife, Anna Mae

Friday, November 16th

8:00 a.m. Al & Stella Satkowski Joe & Pat Flannery

Saturday, November 17th (Vigil, 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time)

4:00 p.m. Geraldine Skolnick Pauline Dougherty

5:30 p.m. Paul P. Oravec Betsy, Rich, & Michael Evanoski

Sunday, November 18th 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30 a.m. Mary E. Tobias Son, John

10:00 a.m. Margaret Mandell Husband, John G. Mandell, Sr.

11:30 a.m. *Pro Populo*

In Memoriam

Eternal Rest Grant unto them, O Lord.....~Joan Dougherty~ Raymond Yale



Altar Flowers:

~In Memory of Leo Venetz by Wife, Anna Mae

November 17-18 Presider Schedule

4:00 pm Fr. Pisaneschi

5:30 pm Fr. Urban

8:30 am Fr. Pisaneschi

10:00 am Fr. Pisaneschi

11:30 am Fr. Urban

Scripture for the week of November 11, 2012

11	SUN	1 Kgs 17:10-16/Heb 9:24-28/Mk 12:38-44 or 12:41-44
12	Mon	Ti 1:1-9/Lk 17:1-6
13	Tue	Ti 2:1-8, 11-14/Lk 17:7-10
14	Wed	Ti 3:1-7/Lk 17:11-19
15	Thu	Phlm 7-20/Lk 17:20-25
16	Fri	2 Jn 4-9/Lk 17:26-37
17	Sat	3 Jn 5-8/Lk 18:1-8
18	SUN	Dn 12:1-3/Heb 10:11-14, 18/Mk 13:24-32

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Weekend Eucharist

Saturday 4:00 and 5:30
Sunday 8:30, 10:00 and 11:30



Weekday Eucharist

8:00

Parish Staff

- Rev. Joe Pisaneschi Pastor
- Rev. Mr. George Mochin Jr. Deacon
- Brian Williams Regional Youth Minister
- Monica Salis Business Manager
- Lori Raymond Pastoral Associate
- Terry Jankoviak Director of Faith Formation
- Marge Semanek Director of Music
- Cora Artim Children's and Contemporary Groups
- Joseph Sabol Assistant Organist
- Phil Bosha Maintenance
- Chris Calore Maintenance

Baptism

Expecting parents are asked to contact the Parish Office as soon as possible to register for a short session in preparation for their child's Baptism. The Sacrament is celebrated bi-monthly after the 11:30 a.m. Mass on Sundays.

Confirmation

The Sacrament will be celebrated in 2014 by one of the Diocesan Bishops. Children must be consecutively registered in our Religious Education Program to be eligible to receive.

Matrimony

Couples planning to get married are asked to contact the parish office as soon as possible to reserve a date and begin the paper work necessary.

Holy Orders

Any man who feels called to Ordained Ministry of the Church, either Priesthood or Diaconate is asked to contact one of the Priests or the Deacon.

Penance

Is celebrated Saturday from 3:15 p.m.-3:50 p.m.
Other times by request.

Anointing of the Sick

To receive the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick, please contact the Parish Office.

If you or a relative or friend is admitted to a hospital, nursing home, or is homebound. Please contact the Parish Office for a Pastoral Visit. Holy Communion is brought to those who request it on First Fridays.

Office Hours:

Monday—Friday 8:30-4:00
Closed Holidays and Holy Days

Direct Contacts

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