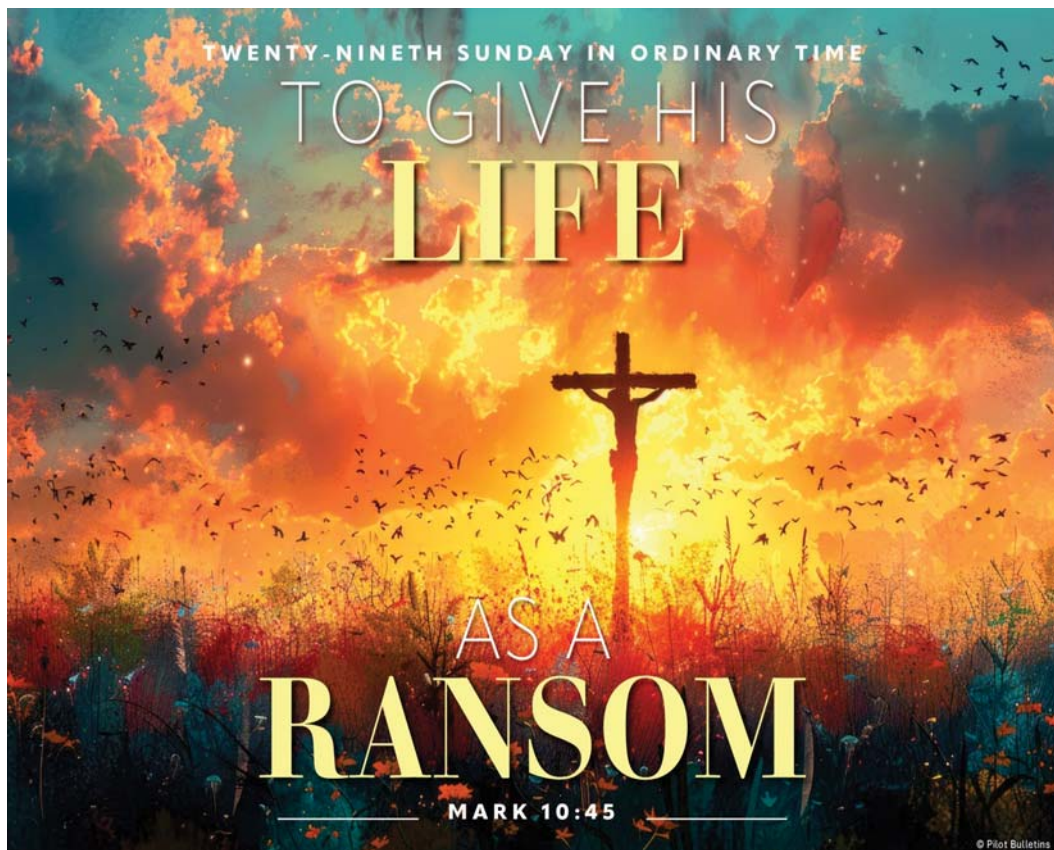


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October |20| 2024



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## *Eucharist*

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Saturday 4:00pm (vigil)  
Sundays 8:30am, 11:00am &  
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## *Confessions:*

Saturday 3:30-3:45pm or you  
may call Fr. Chmil for an  
appointment



# Worship

## Intention

## Requested by

**Monday, October 21**

**No Daily Mass**

**Tuesday, October 22**

**No Daily Mass**

**Wednesday, October 23**

**No Daily Mass**

**Thursday, October 24**

**No Daily Mass**

**Friday, October 25**

**No Daily Mass**

**Saturday, October 26**

4:00pm Ray Gustave

Wife, Donna, & daughters Hilary & Ashley

**Sunday, October 27**

8:30am Michael & Margaret Repak

Daughter, Elaine & husband, Joe

11:00am John & Elizabeth Krulick

Joseph Olejnik

5:30pm Health & Blessings for Marge Salata In Honor of her 100th Birthday

Nieces & Nephews



**ROSARY FOR VOCATIONS--The Rosary will be prayed for vocations after daily mass.**

# Prayer



**ADORATION OF  
THE  
BLESSED  
SACRAMENT**

**Please join us on  
Tuesday evenings from 5pm to 7pm  
in the church. Come spend a few  
minutes or longer with Jesus in the  
Blessed Sacrament.**

## SANCTUARY CANDLE INTENTIONS



~~In Memory of~~ **Frank & Veronica Savage** ~~offered by  
Daughter & Family

~~In Memory of~~ **Andrew & Rosemarie Selensky**~~ offered  
by sister, Gerry

## PRAY FOR ALL THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

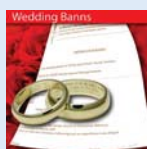
~~**Robert Prushinski**~~

May his soul and all the souls of all the Faithful Departed, through the



## FLOWERS THIS WEEKEND

~~In Memory of~~ **Jankoviak Family Members**~~ offered by  
Family



## UPCOMING WEDDING

Saturday, October 26, 2024, 1:00pm:

~~**Alexander Temple & Kayla Menta**~~

## Parish Staff

Rev. John J. Chmil

### **Pastor**

Rev. Anthony Urban

### **Assisting Celebrant**

Deacon John Bankus

Deacon John (Jack) Ziegler

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Lori Raymond

### **Pastoral Associate/Director of Religious Education**

Sister Mary Beth Makuch, SS.C.M.

### **Pastoral Outreach Ministry**

### **Music Ministry**

Marge Semanek

### **Director of Liturgical Music**

Joseph Sabol

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Scott Coates

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Pat Quinn

### **Office Assistant**

### **Sacristans and Maintenance**

Chris Calore

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John Sartin

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Betsy Evanoski

Phil Bosha

## Office Hours

Monday through Thursday  
8:30am to 3:00pm

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### **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES**

Classes are for students in Grades 1-8. Classes are on Saturdays from 9am-10:15am and on Mondays, from 6pm-7:15pm. If you have not yet registered your child, please call Lori at the office: 570-287-6624  
**Saturday Classes: October: 26 Monday Classes: October: 21, & 28**  
For the **month of October**, in honor of St. Francis of Assisi, patron saint of animals, the students in our Religious Ed. classes are asked to bring items to donate to the Blue Chip Farm Animal Rescue in Dallas. All pet items are needed, but on top of their list are cleaning supplies, dog leashes, wet cat food, dog food, treats, etc. A box is placed by the CCD office on the 3rd floor of the school for the donations. Thank you!

**“What do you wish for me to do for you?” Listen closely to your heart. Is God calling you to consider a vocation to the priesthood or religious life? Let the grace of prayer encourage you. Talk to your priest or reach out to the Vocation Office at 570-207-1452 or email: [info@dioceseofscranton.org](mailto:info@dioceseofscranton.org)**



### **CHILDREN'S CHOIR REHEARSAL**

**Mondays from 5:15 to 6pm.** Gather at the piano in the sanctuary.

### **DIOCESAN ANNUAL APPEAL**

The Appeal has begun. Envelopes are on the tables at the church entrance, if you haven't already donated. If you already received a letter in the mail, please respond. Gifts of any size are welcome and participation is important. God bless you for your kindness. **Please see the report on page 5.**

### **Christmas Pirohy-Making**

We will be making Christmas pirohy on Saturdays, October 19 and 26. Ballers come at 7am and pinchers at 8:15am. Pirohy sale will be in December and sales date announced in November. **7th & 8th grade students: this is a great opportunity to earn service hours. If you can help us, please report to the cafeteria at 9am to volunteer.**

### **NOVENA FOR THE POOR SOULS IN PURGATORY**

Next weekend, on the tables at the church entrance, we will offer Free booklets (while supplies last) for you take and pray the “Novena for the Relief of the Poor Souls in Purgatory”. Please take one and pray the Novena. All Souls' Day is November 2nd.



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**3<sup>RD</sup> PRIZE.....\$400.00**



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**DRAWING: SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 2024  
 AFTER 8:30AM MASS**

You do not have to be present to win. Proceeds benefit Children's Easter Egg Hunt.

Contact Person: Anna Mae 570-287-7655

Tickets can be purchased from HNS members.

Tickets will also be sold *after* Masses in the church vestibule every weekend

**MILITARY VETERANS BREAKFAST SUNDAY NOVEMBER 17TH**



The Social Concerns Committee of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish, 116 Hughes St. Swoyersville, will host a complimentary Buffet Breakfast in the church hall for military veterans, their spouse, or caregiver, from 9am to 12 noon, Sunday, November 17th. Breakfast will include scrambled eggs, pancakes, ham, sausage, breakfast potatoes, Danish/desserts, fruit,

coffee, tea & juice. RESERVATIONS are required by October 27th, by filling out forms at the church entrance or by calling 570-283-2263 (leave message) starting next weekend October 5th & 6th. Veterans are also invited to attend the 8:30am mass prior to breakfast. Both the church and hall are handicap accessible, and there will be reserved seating for mass.

**SOCIAL CONCERNS BABY SHOWER TO BENEFIT PRO-LIFE CENTER**



The SCC will sponsor a baby shower for the Pro-Life Center, Wilkes-Barre, to coincide with the end of the nine-month Spiritual Adoption Program for the unborn. Items will be collected on the weekends of **October 19/20 and 26/27**. We will have a **playpen placed near the Reconciliation Room for donations**. The Pro-Life Center provides assistance to many families who need help providing for their children. The most critical need is for **diapers (sizes 3, 4, 5, and 6) and baby wipes**. Also needed are: Baby care products such as baby wash, shampoo, diaper cream, bottles, teething rings, sippy cups, etc. New or gently used clothes from Newborn thru 24 months/2 Toddler. New or gently used blankets, crib and pack & play sheets, towels, and washcloths. New or gently used Pack & Plays, high chairs, car seats (less than 4 years old), jumpers, & swings.

## SETON KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CARE & SHARE PROGRAM

**This is a good opportunity for our 7th & 8th grade students in our Confirmation Program to earn service hours:** We need LOTS of volunteers to help us distribute neighborhood DOOR KNOB HANGERS on Saturday, November 9th. Come at 9am to our CHURCH HALL. Then on Saturday, November 16th, come at 10am to the SCHOOL CAFETERIA, if you can help us collect the non-perishable food donations. (Parishioners, friends, & neighbors: look for the door knob hangers on your front doors. The groceries will be picked up from your homes on November 16th, & then will be brought back to our school cafeteria to be packed & ready for our needy families for Thanksgiving & Christmas distributions. If you or someone you know in our parish or local area is in need of groceries for the holidays, please call Lori Raymond at the rectory. All calls are confidential.

Also, our Knights of Columbus are looking for new members:

### BECOME A "KNIGHT" BEFORE CHRISTMAS

Our Knights of Columbus are having a MEMBERSHIP DRIVE. We will be having a very informal "Meet-and-Greet" in our church hall on Friday, November 22nd, at 6pm. All men 18 years of age and older, are encouraged to come down & meet the guys! You will be surprised at how many men you will know. So, please join us for this informal non-committal -get-together, and find out what and who the Knights are all about. It will be a great time. Refreshments & Pizza are being served. Any questions, call/text Grand Knight, Mark Perugino, at 570-262-2896. Hope to see you there!

#### 2024 FESTIVAL REPORT

GROSS INCOME: \$216,102.86  
EXPENSES: -87,967.86  
NET PROFIT: \$128,135.00

#### DIOCESAN ANNUAL APPEAL REPORT 9/28/2024

DAA 2024 Goal: \$55,801.00  
Total Committed: \$18,210.00  
% to Goal: 32.63%  
Balance to Achieve Goal: \$37,591.00

#### WEEKLY OFFERINGS

##### WEEKEND OF October 5/6, 2024

REGULAR: \$7990.86  
DUES: \$3141.00  
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**MAY GOD BLESS YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!**

## Ways to Give:



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Mail to: St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish  
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**St. Elizabeth Ann Seton ,**

**Pray for us!**

## MASS OF REMEMBRANCE

We will have a Mass of Remembrance on Friday, November 15th, at 6pm, for those buried from our parish from **All Souls' Day 2023 to All Souls' Day 2024**. The name of your loved one will be called out loud, and a family member can come forward to receive a flower in memory of your loved one. Cake & coffee/tea will be served in our hall after Mass. **If your loved one passed prior to November 2023, and you would like to have them remembered at this mass, please let us know by filling out the form below and return by October 30th:** ↓

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PLEASE HAVE MY LOVED ONE REMEMBERED AT THE **MASS OF REMEMBRANCE ON NOV. 15TH:**

NAME OF DECEASED: \_\_\_\_\_

Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

How many will attend light reception in church hall after mass? \_\_\_\_\_

Please return by October 30th: drop in collection basket, drop off at rectory office, US Mail, or email: [setonpa@aol.com](mailto:setonpa@aol.com)

**MURDER MYSTERY:** The Swoyersville American Legion Auxiliary will be hosting a Murder Mystery Death of a Gangster Dinner Party on November 2, 2024, at 6:15pm. Tickets for the event are \$60.00/person and a cash-bar is available. Tickets can be purchased via Venmo: @Tami Orlando-1 or at the Legion which is located at 259 Shoemaker St by October 20th. 1920's attire encouraged. Limited tickets will be sold. Join us for a Gatsby Time!

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