

# St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish



## The Seton Sentinel *The Body and Blood of Christ*

June 22, 2014

Swoyersville, PA

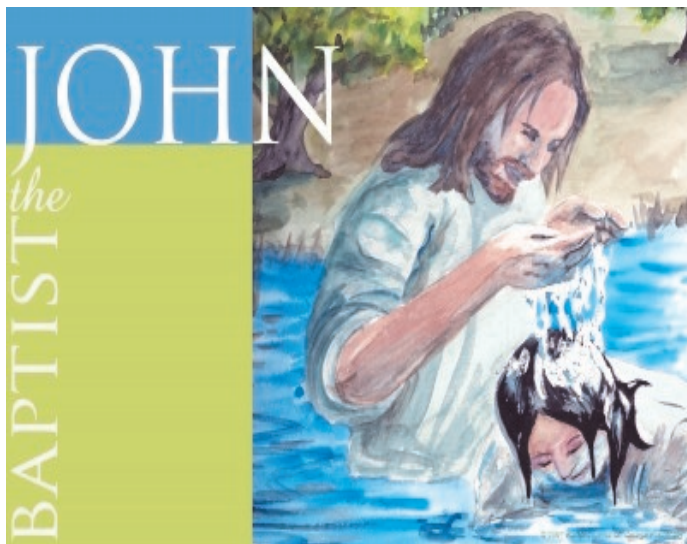
**CORPUS CHRISTI SUNDAY TODAY**

Today, we along with the Universal Church, celebrate the Feast of the Body and Blood of our Lord Jesus Christ. To mark this special day, we will have Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament from the close of the 11:30 a.m. Mass until Benediction and a Special 5:30 p.m. Mass Sunday afternoon. You are encouraged to come by and spend some time with our Blessed Lord, even if it is just for a few moments. Parents and grandparents are encouraged to bring their children and grandchildren for a while so that they can experience this wonderful tradition of the Church. Benediction will be held at 5:30 p.m. and the mass will begin right afterwards. If you can only make Benediction, that would be a great Blessing for you also. There will be time to exit the church before the evening Mass begins. We hope to see as many parishioners here today as possible for this beautiful day of prayer and adoration. The outdoor Procession scheduled after the 11:30 a.m. Mass will **not** be possible due to scheduling conflicts. Adoration begins at the conclusion of the 11:30 Mass.

**CATHOLIC SCHOOL ASSESSMENT**

Our Parish Catholic School Assessment has been raised nearly \$2500.00 per month for 2014-2015. A total of \$107,550.00 is due to the Diocese of Scranton Schools office this fiscal year.

This is a significant increase each month and will be an extra burden to carry for our parish. This is only one of the many assessment increases we are experiencing. Please do what you can to help us cover these expenses.

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

Our Knights of Columbus meet every second Tuesday of the month in the church hall at 7PM. New members are always welcome.

**COOKBOOKS SOLD OUT!**

Thank you for supporting the Cookbook sale. All books have been sold!!! The cost of reprinting and shipping prevents us from re-ordering additional copies. If you have not picked up your reserved/pre-ordered copy, please do so this week. They can be picked up at the rectory office Monday-Friday from 8:30am to 4:30pm. Any books not paid for by June 30th will be sold to supporters on a wait list.

**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL**

Our VBS will be held on Monday-Friday, July 28th to August 1st. Registration forms are available on the tables at the church entrance. Volunteers (7th grade and older) are needed. Please call Mrs. Jankoviak at 287-4587.

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PICTURES & DVD's**

Please pick up your First Holy Communion pictures in the parish office if you haven't already done so. Also, a reminder from ***PHOTOGRAPHY BY JAY***. *St. Elizabeth Ann Seton First Communion Gallery expires the end of June. If there is something else you wanted to order, now is the time!* Also, please pick up your DVD orders at the office.

**CONFIRMATION PHOTOS**

We still have a few confirmation photos not yet picked up. Please do so as soon as possible during normal office hours.

**SAINT ELIZABETH ANN SETON,  
PRAY FOR US!**

## SUMMER FESTIVAL 2014

Our festival dates for this year are **July 10, 11, & 12**. Just a reminder that we are accepting non-perishable items & other donations at this time. Thanks to all who have already so generously donated supplies. Right now we have enough paper towers and aluminum foil. We are in need of **napkins, paper plates, ketchup, butter, margarine, 9x9 and 3-section styrofoam containers**. We are also asking for small toys that can be used as prizes at the children's game stands. These can be purchased at a local dollar store, etc. They need not be expensive, but must be new. We appreciate whatever you can do!!! **Items can be brought to the parish office Monday-Friday from 8:30-4:00, or you can leave them on the enclosed back porch after hours.**

### KOUNTRY KITCHEN

Buckets for the Kountry Kitchen Stand are due back next weekend. You may also bring items to fill a bucket in a bag, if you did not take a bucket. (**Note:** If you took a bucket, & for some reason cannot fill it, please return the empty bucket.)

### THEME BASKETS

For our Theme Basket Stand, we are asking you to create baskets with a value of at least \$35. Suggested themes are Baker's Basket, car care, beach, hair care, seasonal, pet supplies, etc. More than one family can work together to create a basket. Please have the basket wrapped & ready for display, with a list of items contained in the basket. Please call Doreen Dougherty at 696-4270 or Elaine Lipinski at 288-9831 to let them know if you will make a basket & your theme as soon as possible. ( We are also accepting cash donations, & we will make the basket for you.)

### Party Time Stand

We are accepting donations of alcoholic beverages (wine, whiskey, brandy, etc.) for our Party Time Stand. Please drop off at the rectory.

### Festival Food Preparation Dates:

#### **PIGGIE-MAKING:**

Monday, July 7th 8:30-1:00

Tuesday, July 8th 8:30-1:00

#### **Construction of Stands: THIS WEEK**

**Pull out lumber/equipment: Sunday, June 22nd after 11:30am Mass.** For set up information, call Kathy Breznay at 283-1677.

#### **Erecting Stands—THIS WEEK:**

Monday, June 23rd 9am-3pm

Tuesday, June 24th 9am-3pm

Wednesday, June 25th 9am-3pm

Thursday, June 26th 9am-3pm

Friday, June 27th 9am-3pm

#### **Dismantling/ Clean-up:**

Sunday, July 13th 12:30-4pm

Monday, July 14th 9am-3pm

Tuesday, July 15th 9am-3pm

Wednesday, July 16th 9am-3pm

#### **STAND SPONSORS**

If you or the company you work for would like to sponsor a stand at our festival, the cost is \$50.00 to \$125.00. This is a great inexpensive form of advertising. Please contact the parish office for more information.

**SPECIAL RAFFLE:** We are having a special raffle the 3 days of the festival. We are looking for some large ticket items, such as a TV, camera, electronics, bicycle, etc. for this stand. These prizes are needed by June 30th, so we can print tickets.

**BAKE SALE:** Our Confraternity of Christian Mothers sponsor the Bake Sale stand at the festival. All parishioners & friends are asked to contribute. If your last name begins with the letters A-G, you are asked to bake for Thursday, H-R for Friday, and S-Z for Saturday.

#### **VOLUNTEER RESPONSE SHEETS**

Please return the volunteer sign up sheets as soon as possible. Everyone's help is needed to pitch in, even if it is only for one shift. Thank you!!!

**CAMP ST. ANDREW  
A RESIDENT CAMP FOR BOYS  
AND GIRLS**

Girls' Basketball (entering grades 5-10)...July 6-11  
 Girls' Basketball (entering grades 5-10)...July 13-18  
 Girls' Traditional Camp (entering grades 3-10)..July 6-11  
 Girls' Traditional Camp (entering grades 3-10)...July 13-18  
 Boys' Basketball (entering grades 4-9)...July 20-24  
 Father/Son Weekend (sons age 6-14)...July 18-20  
 Women's Weekend (21 & older)..... July 11-13

Visit [www.dioceseofscranton.org](http://www.dioceseofscranton.org) , click on Camp St. Andrew under Social Services or visit our Facebook page at [www.facebook.com/campstandrew](http://www.facebook.com/campstandrew) or call 570-342-5556 ext 4

**Mass in Remembrance of Victims of Violent or Tragic Death**

The Diocese of Scranton is offering the annual Mass in remembrance of victims of violent or tragic death. This Mass is offered for the families and friends of those who have died in tragedy, especially through murder, suicide, and accident.

The Mass is scheduled for **Thursday, July 24, 2014 at 7:00 p.m. in Saint Peter's Cathedral, 315 Wyoming Avenue, Scranton.** All persons who have lost a loved one through tragic and traumatic death are invited to this liturgy.

We ask that the names of deceased loved ones are registered on registration forms which are available in the parish office or accessed on the Service and Social Concerns webpage on the Diocese of Scranton's website, [www.dioceseofscranton.org](http://www.dioceseofscranton.org). Questions concerning this Mass may be directed to the Office for Parish Life at 570/207-2213, ext. 1130.

**FORTNIGHT FOR FREEDOM**

As we approach Independence Day, July 4th, the U.S.Catholic bishops are asking us to celebrate the **Fortnight for Freedom: Freedom to Serve.** The theme is a focus on the freedom to serve the poor and vulnerable in accord with human dignity and the Church's teaching. On June 22nd, the beginning of the Fortnight, you are invited to a celebration of the memorial of SS. Thomas More and John Fisher with Evening Prayer at 7PM at St. Ignatius Loyola Church, Kingston. Fr. Alex Roche will speak on the Vatican II document, *Dignitatis Humanae*, which you are encouraged to read before June 22nd. It can be found in the Documents of Vatican II or online.

**Thinking of buying a house?**

The HOME PROGRAM can help you! Learn about Budgeting for your new home, choosing a realtor, credit and credit reports, mortgage process, avoiding predatory lending, and home inspections. Learn the facts before buying! Come to Consumer Credit Counseling Service, 401 Laurel St, Pittston, on Thursday, June 26th, from 6:00pm to 9:00pm. This program is FREE!! Refreshments will be served. Seating is limited. Please call to register: 570-602-2227 ext 220

**COLLECTION REPORT  
JUNE 7/8, 2014**

SUNDAY: \$7187.45	DUES: \$3881.00
LOOSE: \$392.12	ASCENSION: \$82.00
EASTER: \$78.00	
<b>TOTAL: \$11,620.57</b>	
<b>Diocesan:</b>	
Care & Education of Priests: \$171.00	
Catholic Communications: \$666.00	

**May God bless you for your generosity!**

**IMPORTANT NOTICE:**

Please notify the **Parish Social Ministry Office at (570) 763-5160** if you would like a parish representative to visit a family member who is **hospitalized, homebound, or in a nursing home.** In compliance with **HIPAA regulations** (Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act), health care facilities are required to protect the confidentiality and security of health data. Therefore, the only way that the parish can be informed of someone needing assistance is through notification by a family member of friend.

## Liturgical Schedule and Intentions

Twelfth Week in Ordinary Time

### Monday, June 23

8:00 a.m. Lillian Jackloski Dee & Ed Brominski

### Tuesday, June 24 The Nativity of Saint John the Baptist

8:00 a.m. Joseph & Alice Waskey Mark & Mary Ann Kosco

### Wednesday, June 25

8:00 a.m. Antoinette Genanie Daughter, Patricia Krubitzer

### Thursday, June 26

8:00 a.m. Father's Day Intentions

### Friday, June 27 The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

8:00 a.m. Margaret Kaschak Joann Rovinski

### Saturday, June 28 Vigil: SS. Peter & Paul, Apostles

4:00 p.m. Gaydos & Gulla Families Helen Gaydos & Family

5:30 p.m. George J. Shendock Wife, Dorothy, & Sons, George & Bob

### Sunday, June 29 SS. Peter & Paul Apostles

8:30 a.m. Julia Volack Bernadine Podskoch

10:00 a.m. *Pro Populo*

11:30 a.m. Callari Family Steve & Maria Englot

**IN MEMORIAM** Eternal Rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let Perpetual Light shine upon them

~~*Harry Jacobs*~~ May his soul and all the souls of the Faithful Departed rest in peace. Amen.



### Sanctuary Light Intentions

~In Memory of Anna Duzen offered by daughters, Paula Matthews & Donna Gustave

~In Memory of Frank & Catherine Mucha offered by Family



### Celebrant's Schedule

June 28-29

4:00pm Fr. Urban  
5:30pm Fr. Pisaneschi  
8:30am Fr. Pisaneschi  
10:00am Fr. Urban  
11:30am Fr. Pisaneschi

### Scripture for the week of June 22, 2014

22 SUN Dt 8:2-3, 14b-16a/1 Cor 10:16-17/Jn 6:51-58  
23 Mon 2 Kgs 17:5-8, 13-15a, 18/Mt 7:1-5  
24 Tue Is 49:1-6/Acts 13:22-26/Lk 1:57-66, 80  
25 Wed 2 Kgs 22:8-13; 23:1-3/Mt 7:15-20  
26 Thu 2 Kgs 24:8-17/Mt 7:21-29  
27 Fri Dt 7:6-11/1 Jn 4:7-16/Mt 11:25-30  
28 Sat Lam 2:2, 10-14, 18-19/Mt 8:5-17  
29 SUN Acts 12:1-11/2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18/Mt 16:13-19



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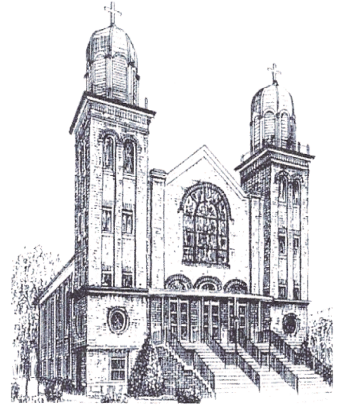
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## Weekend Eucharist

Saturday 4:00 and 5:30 p.m.

Sunday 8:30, 10:00, and 11:30 a.m.

## Weekday Eucharist

8:00 a.m.

## Reconciliation

Saturdays: 3:15 p.m.-3:45 p.m.

or anytime by request.

## Parish Staff

- Cora Artim Children & Contemporary Groups
- Phil Boshia Maintenance
- Chris Calore Maintenance
- Sister Jane Ellis, IHM Parish Social Minister
- Terry Jankoviak Director of Faith Formation
- Rev. Joseph J. Pisaneschi Pastor
- Lori Raymond Pastoral Associate
- Joseph Sabol Assistant Organist
- Monica Salis Business Manager
- Marge Semanek Director of Music
- Rev. Anthony Urban Weekend Celebrant

**Welcome to our Parish!**

Actual Parish Membership begins by contacting the parish office.

## CELEBRATING THE SACRAMENTS

### Baptism

Expecting parents are asked to contact the Parish Office as soon as possible. The celebration of the Sacrament is held after the 11:30 a.m. Mass on Sundays.

### Confirmation

The Sacrament will be celebrated for 8th grade students next spring.

### Matrimony

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

### Holy Orders

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

### Anointing of the Sick

To receive the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick, please contact the parish Priest, day or night. When someone is very ill please do not wait to call the priest. With the priest shortage there is no guarantee that a priest will be available at the last minute, even in the hospitals.

### Direct Contacts

Office of Social Ministry (Sr. Jane) 570-763-5160

Faith Formation Office: 570-287-4587

Father Joe's email: fatherjoey@aol.com

Bulletin Deadline: Friday for the next weekend's bulletin