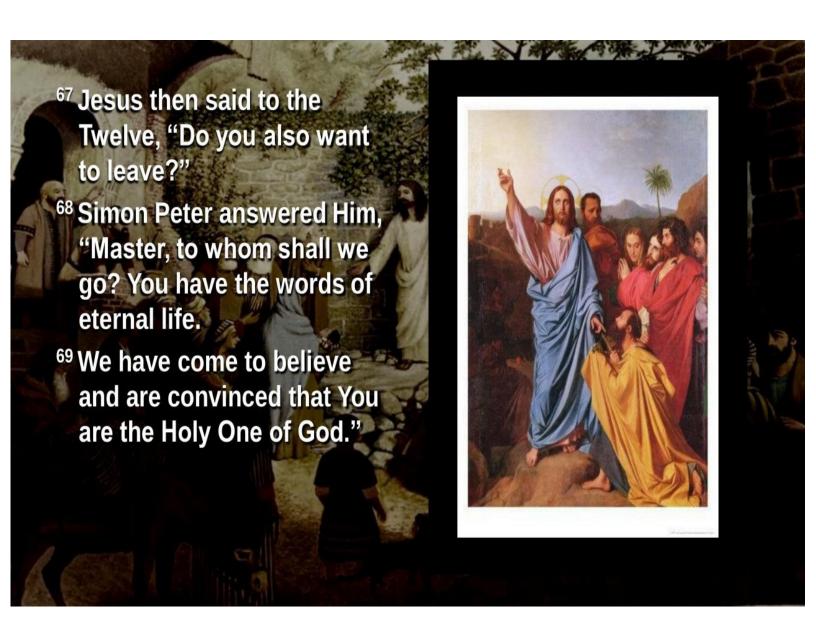
# THE SETON SENTINEL

ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON PARISH





Getting Ready for Another Year of Religious Education CCD Teacher meeting: Wednesday, September 5th, at 6:30pm in the church hall.

<u>CCD classes begin</u> on Sept. 15th for the Saturday classes (9am-10:15am), and Sept. 17th, for the Monday evening classes (6pm-7:15pm). Registration forms are online and on the tables at the church entrance. Return by Sept. 1st.

Reminder: 7th Grade Confirmation Retreat—Sat. October 6th, 9:30am-noon, at St. Ignatius Church, Conlan Hall, Kingston

# Confraternity of Christian Mothers

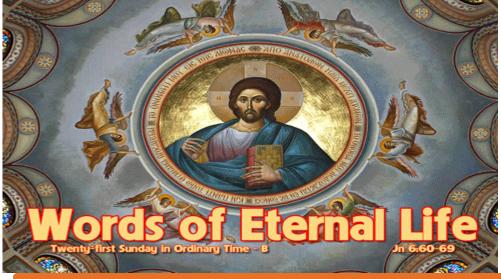
Our Christian Mothers will meet today, Sunday, August 26th, at 2pm in our church hall. New members are always welcome!

#### **HOLY NAME SOCIETY NEWS**

Our Holy Name Society will meet on Sunday, September 2nd, after the 8:30am mass in our church hall. Final plans will be made for our 50/50 Christmas Drawing. New members are welcome!

### **SOCIAL CONCERNS COMMITTEE**

Did you know that Pennsylvania has more confirmed Lyme disease cases than any other state in the U.S.? However, Lyme disease can be prevented by avoiding high risk tick habitat areas, wearing proper clothing & repellent, examining yourself & your pets, & carefully removing ticks once they are found. For more information, please visit the PA Lyme Resource Network at <a href="https://www.palyme.org">www.palyme.org</a>



# **PAROCHIAL 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
- ◆ Sister Sarah Landis, IHM Pastoral Counseling/ Therapy

#### **Finance Office**

Monica SalisBusiness 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
- David Quinn
- Gertrude Brown
- ♦ Carol Hrobaski
- ♦ Phil Bosha

St. Mary's Cemetery Maintenance

### **Pastoral Council, Chair**

Ann Marie Aed

#### Finance Council, Chair

Michael Perhach

# KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



# **Knights of Columbus Fall Chicken BBQ**

Sun. Sept. 16 in our school cafeteria from 11-3.

A Half BBQ Chicken, Baked Potato, Coleslaw, and Dessert.

\$9.00 per dinner

Sign up sheets are on the tables at the church entrance. Tickets will also be available a the door while supplies last.

# YOUTH CHOIR

All children & youth ages 5 thru 17 are invited to participate in the Youth Choir. It is a wonderful opportunity to grow your children's confidence, poise, & public speaking and acting skills. They learn to cantor, speak publicly, embrace role & character acting, and form great friendships and act in roles of leadership. They learn voice technique and about music...all for free. They participate in an original play each year. Gift your children with this wonderful opportunity. Youth Choir will resume Monday, September 17th, in the church near the baby grand piano at 4:30 until 5:55PM. Masses are at 11:00AM on the First Sunday of the month. Roles will be assigned in early October so please enroll your child early.

# Life Line Screening

Life Line Screening, a leading provider of communitybased preventive health screenings, will offer their affordable, non-invasive and painless health screenings here at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish on Tuesday. September 4th. Five screenings will be offered that scan for potential health problems related to: blocked arteries which is a leading cause of stroke; abdominal aortic aneurysms which can lead to a ruptured aorta; hardening of the arteries in the legs which is a strong predictor of heart disease; atrial fibrillation or irregular heart beat which is closely tied to stroke risk; & a bone density screening for men & women, used to assess the risk of osteoporosis. Register for a Wellness Package which includes 4 vascular tests & osteoporosis screening from \$149 (\$139 with our member discount). All 5 screenings take 60-90 minutes to complete. In order to register for this event and to receive a \$10 discount off any package priced above \$129, please call 1-888-653-6441 or visit www.lifelinescreening.com/



Items needed for the food pantry:

Spaghetti Sauce—Boxed Crackers—
Instant Potatoes—Canned Fruit—
Canned Meat

Boxes are located in the vestibule next to the statues of our Blessed Mother and St. Joseph.

# **SOCIAL CONCERNS**



Fall Craft Show at Seton

# ALLING ALL VENDORS!

The Annual Fall Craft Fair is scheduled for Saturday, November 3, 2018 from 9 –3.

This show features Homemade Crafts, not commercially produced products. For further infor-

mation on becoming a vendor, speak with one of the committee members or visit our website

setonpa.com and click on "Fall Craft Show" button to download a copy of the Vendor Contract.

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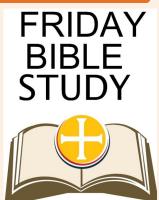
RCIA **Rite of Christian Initiation** for Adults

R.C.I.A.is a program for adults interested in becoming members of the Catholic Church, or coming into full communion with the faith community.

It is especially tailored to:

those who have never been baptized; those who have been baptized Catholic, but never received the sacraments of Eucharist/Confirmation: those who have no church to call their own: those who have been baptized in another Christian church and would like to come into full communion with the Catholic Church. If interested, please call Father Joe.

# **FAITH ENRICHMENT**



BIBLE STUDY will resume on Friday, August 24th in the Church Hall from 6-7pm. Come every week or just when you can and bring along your friends.



# **Community News**

#### TRIDUUM & FEAST OF ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER

The Oblates of St. Joseph Fathers will hold the Annual Triduum & Feast of St. Joseph the Worker. The Triduum (3 days of prayers) will be held on August 31, Sept. 1st & 2nd, at the Oblates Chapel, Rte. 315, Laflin (Pittston), with a mass at 7:00pm, followed by special prayers to St. Joseph. Confessions & the Holy Rosary will precede the Mass. The Feast will be celebrated on Labor Day, Monday, Sept. 3rd, with a Solemn Mass at 11:00am. Serving as celebrant & homilist will be Bishop John M. Dougherty, D.D., auxiliary Bishop Emeritus of Scranton. Everyone is invited to attend. For more info., call 570-654-7542.

#### MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR ABORTED CHILDREN AT MT. OLIVET CEMETERY

On Saturday, September 8, Pro-Life Americans throughout the country will gather at the gravesites of aborted babies & other memorial sites dedicated in their honor for the 5th annual National Day of Remembrance for Aborted Children. Solemn vigils will be held at these sites to commemorate the more than 55 MILLION children who have lost their lives to legal abortion since 1973, and to remind our society of the humanity of the unborn child. When: **Saturday, Sept 8th, 11:00am**; Where: **Mt. Olivet Cemetery,** 612 Mt. Olivet Rd., Wyoming, PA 18644, held at the Wyoming Valley Knights of Columbus Tomb for the Unborn, located at top of hill of cemetery. For more info., Call Ada Magni at 570-693-1338.

#### SWOYERSVILLE KIWANIS GOLF TOURNAMENT

The Swoyersville Kiwanis Club is sponsoring a Scholarship Open on Sunday, September 9th, 1:00pm, at Wilkes-Barre Golf Club, Wilkes-Barre. The format is captain & crew with a 1pm shotgun start. Cost is \$80/golfer and includes green fees, cart, dinner, prizes, & refreshments. There will be a longest drive hole and 50-50 hole. Proceeds will benefit Youth Academic Scholarships. To register, call Gene at 570-283-1677, or Barb at 570-287-8783. *Deadline to register is September 5th.* 

ST. NICHOLAS BYZANTINE CATHOLIC CHURCH, OLD FORGE, FLEA MARKET Saturday, September 15th, 8am-4pm; Sunday, Sept. 16th, 10am-2pm; and Saturday, Sept. 22nd, 10am-2pm. The event will be held rain or shine at the church hall, 320 Vine St., Old Forge. Antiques, jewelry, household, furniture, children's clothing, toys, & much more! Ethnic food items, baked goods, & refreshments will also be available.

#### **BOY SCOUT TROOP #143 CAR SHOW & FLEA MARKET**

Boy Scout Troop #143, Swoyersville, is sponsoring its 5th annual car show & flea market, on *Sunday, September 23rd* (rain date-Sunday, September 30), from *9am-3pm*, at Hugh B. Hughes Funeral Home parking lot, 1044 Wyoming Ave., Forty Fort. Please join us for a day of live entertainment, food, and raffles. Car sponsors-\$10. Flea market vendors-\$15. Contact Caroline Magistro at 570-288-0294

### BUS TRIP TO DIVINE MERCY, STOCKBRIDGE, MA, FRIDAY, OCTOBER 5th

Bus leaves at 7AM from St. Maria Goretti Church, 42 Redwood Drive, Laflin. Cost is \$67/person (includes snack items, water, bus trip, Shrine fee, & meal at Bogie's in Great Barrington, MA). Contact Cathy Mack, 570-654-6063, for reservations. All events at Mother of Mercy Outdoor Shrine. 11am-Talk on St. Faustina; 1pm-Eucharistic Adoration & Confessions; 1:30pm-Rosary for Life; 2pm-Holy Mass; 3pm-Chaplet & Benediction, Blessing of Religious Articles, Veneration of a First Class Relic of St. Faustina; 3:30-4:15pm Confessions Depart at 5pm; 11pm-arrival at St. Maria Goretti Parish

#### **COUNSELINGS SERVICES OFFERED**

Sister Sarah Landis, IHM, a licensed certified therapist and counselor addresses problems with depression, anxiety, grieving, relationship issues, and many other mental heath concerns. Her office is located at the former Holy Trinity Convent, across from the rectory on Hughes Street. For more information or to contact Sister Sarah directly call the main office and dial extension 124 when prompted.



# Sacrificial Giving

Weekly Offering August 11/12, 2018

\$10,479.87

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.

SAINT ELIZABETH ANN SETON,
PRAY FOR US!



# Getting In-Touch With Seton

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Ext. 130 Deacon Jack

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Office Hours:

Monday-Thursday 8:30 am to 5:00 pm Friday 8:30 am to 3:00 pm

Intention:

Requested By:

# Monday, August 27

8:00 am Catherine Drago Matthew Viechec

## Tuesday, August 28

8:00 am Dolores & Anthony Paratore Sister, Joanne, & Roy Baker

## Wednesday, August 29

8:00 am Margaret Kadish Ron Kadish

Thursday, August 30

8:00 am Joseph Novis Dougalas Family

Friday, August 31

8:00 am Christal & Harry Jacobs Joanne & Roy Baker

### Saturday, September 1

4:30 pm John & Dolores Forgash Eileen & Edward Slavinski

# Sunday, September 2

8:30 am Pro Populo

11:00 am John Novashinski Harry & Ruth Yekel

5:30 pm Frederick Yee Family

# PARISH INTENTIONS

#### Those who have died from our Parish:

Ann Marie Laskowski

# This Week's Vigil Lights:

- In Memory of Ray Gustave offered by wife, Donna
- In Memory of Sister Mary Agnes Zwolenick, OSF, offered by godchild & niece, Fran Krajnak

# **Altar Flowers this Weekend:**

 In Honor of the marriage of Shawn Frazier & Bailey Mizenko

#### **HOLY MATRIMONY**

◆ **CONGRATULATIONS** & Wedding Blessings upon Shawn Frazier & Bailey Mizenko, who were married on Saturday, August 25, 2018.