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Seton Sentinel

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The Parish of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton



Office Hours

Monday through Thursday
8:30am to 3:00pm.
Weekends and Evenings
by appointment



Eucharist

Monday—Friday 8:00am
Saturday vigil 4:00pm
Sunday 8:30am, 11:00am &
5:30pm

DIOCESE OF SCRANTON
KINGSTON DEANERY

LENTEN HOLY HOUR

with Bishop Bambera

Wednesday, March 29
at 7:00 P.M.

St. John the Baptist Parish
126 Nesbitt St.
Larksville, PA 18651



NATIONAL
Eucharistic
Revival

Special Intentions

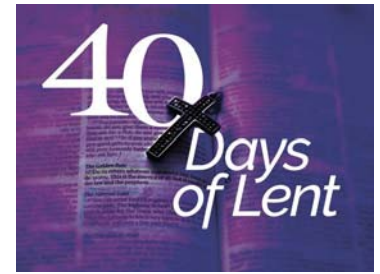


Sanctuary Candle Intentions:

~In Memory of **John Ludwikowski** offered by Mark & Jane

~In Memory of **Nancy Levanda** offered by Family

SAINT ELIZABETH ANN SETON, PRAY FOR US!



Today's Music

4:00pm, 8:30am, 11:00am

5:30pm

Gathering	658 B	I The Lord	24 S	Beneath the Tree of Life
Preparation	511 B	As the Deer Longs	477 B	Shelter me O God
Communion	329 B	I Am the Bread of Life	41 S	I Am the Resurrection
Sending	694 B	We Shall Rise Again	65 S	Glorious In Majesty

Daily Eucharist Intentions

Intention

Requested By

Monday, March 27

8:00am William Desciak

Dottie Powers

Tuesday, March 28

8:00am Michael Kosin

Dolores Gromkoski

Wednesday, March 29

8:00am Thomas Froncek

Family

Thursday, March 30

8:00am Steffie Stefanides

Marie, Mike, & Family

Friday, March 31

8:00am Anna & John Krajnak & Edward & Jackie

Krajnak Family

Saturday, April 1

4:00pm Josephine Condon

Dolores, Jeff, Nathan, & Andy Rozelle

Sunday, April 2 **PALM SUNDAY**

8:30am John Paul Kopicki

Cousin, Anna Mae Venetz

11:00am **Pro Populo**

5:30pm Hugo Hill Kolojejchick-Kotch

Grandparents, Karen & George

Our Parish Staff

Rev. Joseph J Pisaneschi x105

Pastor

Rev. Anthony Urban

Assisting Celebrant

Deacon John Bankus

Deacon John (Jack) Zeigler

Permanent Deacons

Lori Raymond x100

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Sister Mary Beth Makuch, SS.C.M.

Pastoral Outreach Ministry

Music Ministry

Marge Semanek

Director of Liturgical Music

Joseph Sabol

Accompanist

Scott Coates

Accompanist/5:30 p.m. Sunday

Pat Quinn

Office Assistant

Sacristans and Maintenance

Chris Calore

Director of Maintenance

John Sartin

Trudy Brown

Pat Quinn

Betsy Evanoski

Phil Bosh

Lenten Schedule

This Monday is the last date for “The Light is On For You” Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and opportunity for Confession from 5:30pm to 7:00pm (This will take the place of Thursday evening adoration.)

Fridays 7:00pm “Stations of the Cross”

Holy Hour with Bishop Bambara

The Kingston Deanery, that’s our parish and all parishes in our area will celebrate a Eucharistic Holy Hour with our Bishop this Wednesday at 7:00p.m. at St. John’s Church in Larksville. Please try to attend to represent our parish. Details on the front of the bulletin.

Christian Mothers Meeting

Our CCM will meet today, Sunday, March 26th, at 2pm in the School Cafeteria. New members are welcome.

Holy Name Society meeting

Our HNS will meet next Sunday, April 2nd, after the 8:30am mass in the church hall. New members are welcome.

New Link for Online Giving

We have changed over to Our Sunday Visitor Envelopes and Offertory System which includes our online giving option. Unfortunately, if you give online you will need to click on the new link on our website or follow the link below and re-register. The link is:

<https://www.osvhub.com/setonpa/giving/funds>

Step by step directions will follow once you register and if you need help please contact Lori in the office. Thank you for your past online giving, and we hope this is a viable option for you to try or continue in the future. Please note that on our new OSV online giving, there are two options for where you want your donation to go. Click on **CHURCH CONTRIBUTIONS** for regular Sunday offering, and click on **EXTRA CONTRIBUTIONS** for Dues.

Rectory, Set, Cook—Team Seton

The Diocese of Scranton’s efforts to feed the hungry with the project Rectory Set Cook raised \$197,162.01 this year. Thanks in no small part to our own Sandra Snyder. Our Seton Team raised \$6,973.01 for the cause and finished #6 in the competition, and the competition was fierce this year! Special Thanks to Jon Meyer for appearing in the video and bringing much attention to the whole campaign on WNEP-TV and my sister Donna Coccodrilli for masterminding the ravioli making. Thanks also to Jeff Piazza of the Fort Café for hosting the pop-up ravioli sale which helped us raise money for the cause. And most importantly, thank you to all who contributed or supported this endeavor by voting, donating and promoting the event. The project shares the proceeds equally with the parish so our parish will benefit just under \$3,500.00 from Rectory, Set, Cook. Once again,

Thank You to all who made this a success! — — — Father Joe

Religious Education for Children

March classes: Monday: 27

April classes: Saturday: 1, 15, 22, 29 (last class)

Monday: 3, 17, 24, & May 1st (last class)

Today, Sunday, March 26th: 11:00am Mass to 3pm (church hall) 1st Holy Communion Retreat

Saturday, April 1st, 10:30am 1st Penance

Confirmation Students: Please hand in paperwork now.

Mandatory 8th Grade Confirmation class retreat to be held at St. Ignatius Church, Kingston, on **Saturday, April 1st, 11:00am to 3:30pm**, followed by 4pm Mass at St. Ignatius. Information was sent home.

Any questions, please call/text Lori at 570-881-0735. Thank you.

Service hours are available for our students who are still in need of hours. Please call Anna Mae Venetz at 570-287-7655 if you are available to help with the **Holy Name Society Easter Egg Hunt on Saturday, April 1st. (This opportunity would be for 7th grade only, as all of our 8th grade students will be at the Confirmation Retreat at St. Ignatius).** Also, another opportunity for Confirmation Service Hours for both 7th & 8th grades is on **Sunday, April 23rd**, to help our **Social Concerns** with their **Bingo event**. Please call/text Lori Raymond at 570-881-0735 if your child can help.

HOLY WEEK



LITURGY SCHEDULE

Holy Thursday

8:00am Morning Prayer

8:30am Confessions

7:00pm Mass Visitation until 10:00pm

10:00pm Night Prayer

Good Friday

8:00am Morning Prayer

8:30am Confessions

2:00pm Passion Service visitation until 7:00pm

7:00pm Stations of the Cross

Holy Saturday

8:00am Morning Prayer

8:30am Confessions

9:00am Church Decorating

2:00pm Blessing of the Baskets (school gym)

8:00pm Easter Vigil Mass

Easter Sunday Masses: **8:30, 10:00, 11:15am & 5:30pm**

Additional Times for Holy Week Confessions:

4/1 Saturday 3:00pm -3:50pm

4/2 Palm Sunday 4:30pm -5:15pm

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We've Got the Spirit and Are On A Mission

Thank you to all parishioners who have completed and submitted your Commitment Card. For those parishioners who have not yet had the opportunity to submit their card, a final letter will be mailed to you with a personalized Commitment Card. We invite all faithful parishioners to complete a card as our parish goal is 100% participation! You may return your card by:

mailing it to the church using the pre-addressed envelope included with the letter.

or bringing it to Mass next Sunday.

or you may visit our parish website at <https://www.setonpa.com/> and complete an electronic Commitment Card.

All cards need to be returned to the parish by Sunday, April 9.

As a friendly reminder, electronic giving is an **easy, safe** and **secure** way to support St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish. To set-up a recurring weekly or monthly gift or to make a one-time donation directly from your bank account or credit card, please visit our website and follow the instructions.

We are grateful for your support!

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CASH BINGO

April 23, 2023

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton
116 Hughes St. - Swoyersville
Doors Open – 12:00 PM
BINGO Play – 1:00 PM
Entrance Fee - \$25.00

(15) Regular Games: \$100

(4) Special Games: \$200

Coverall: \$500

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Basket Raffles / Lunch

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MONDAY, April 17 : 9am-5pm

TUESDAY, April 18 : 9am-5pm
\$2/Bag Day

BAKE SALE~~~~REFRESHMENTS
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It is the policy of the Diocese of Scranton to report any allegation of sexual abuse of a minor to law enforcement. If you are a victim of sexual abuse committed by a priest, deacon, religious or lay employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Scranton, you are encouraged to immediately report the matter to law enforcement. If any priest, deacon, religious, lay employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Scranton has cause or reason to suspect that a minor has been subjected to any form of abuse, including child sexual abuse, the matter will be reported to law enforcement.

It is also the policy of the Diocese to adhere to all civil and state regulations. In accordance with the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania's Child Protective Services Laws, reports of suspected child abuse should also be made immediately by phone to the 24-Hour Child Abuse hotline (ChildLine) at 1-800-932-0313 or electronically at www.compass.state.pa.us/cwis. To this end, the Diocese is equally committed to adhering to the norms of the Code of Canon Law and to upholding the tenets of the USCCB Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People, which includes supporting victims of sexual abuse in their pursuit of emotional and spiritual well-being. As such, information regarding an allegation of sexual abuse of a minor should also be reported to the Victim Assistance Coordinator Mary Beth Pacuska at 570-862-7551.

Christian Mothers Spring Rummage Sale Collection Dates

TO OUR **PARISHIONERS:** Time to do some Spring Cleaning by cleaning out your closets, bedrooms, kitchens, garages, etc. We need good, clean items/clothing to sell. **Sorry, we cannot accept TVs, computers, furniture, or encyclopedias. Bring your items to the School Gym** (parking lot side) on the following dates: **Tuesday and Wednesday, April 11th and 12th from 8:30am to 5pm.** (Sale dates are Monday & Tuesday, April 17 & 18, 9am-5pm)

SOCIAL CONCERNS CASH BINGO \$\$\$\$

Sunday, April 23rd in our school gymnasium. Doors open at NOON, & games begin at 1pm. Parking is available in our lot located on the corner of Warsaw & Sidney Sts. Admission is \$25 & includes 4 cards for 15 regular games, and 3 cards for each of the four specials and coverall. Prizes are \$100 for regular game, \$200 for each special, and \$500 for coverall. Additional cards & daubers will be available for purchase. Door prizes will be awarded. Tickets can be purchased the weekend before the event in the church vestibule before & after masses on April 15 & 16. Seating is limited to 250.

Lunch, Bake Sale, Basket Raffle, and 50/50 drawing will also be featured.. Proceeds will benefit the committee's mission of helping those in need in the parish & the local community.

BLOOD ANALYSIS WELLNESS PROGRAM

Saturday, April 15th, here at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton church hall, 6am-10am. Over 30 tests will be done to assist in early detection of conditions such as coronary, kidney, or liver diseases, anemia, diabetes. Complete panel is done for the low cost of \$42. Additional tests are available for an additional fee. No CASH-- **Checks or money orders only** will be accepted for testing and made payable to: AMBA Wellness Program. A \$5 handling/processing fee is payable to Swoyersville Kiwanis Club. Appointments & personal physician authorization are required. Call 1-800-234-8888, M-F, 8:30am -5pm for appointment or more info.

BINGO

St. Robert Bellarmine Parish (St. Al's Church) 143 West Division St., W-B

Altar & Rosary Society BINGO will be held on Sunday, April 16th in the cafeteria.

Doors open at 12Noon \$15.00 per person 10 games, 4 special games included in price.

Food/Beverages will be available for purchase.

Collection Report

Weekend of March 12, 2023

Regular: \$13,037.00

Dues: \$1210.00

Assessment: \$756.00

Ash Wed.: \$15.00

Diocesan: Churches in Eastern Europe: \$35.00

Ways to Give:



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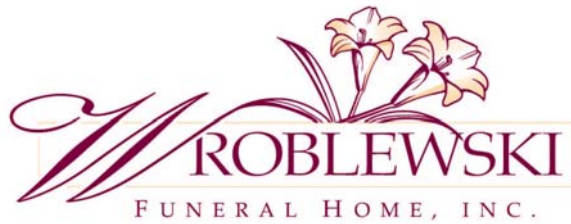
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