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No matter what your present status in the Catholic Church,
 No matter what your current family or marital situation,
 No matter what your current personal history, age, income,
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 belong to us! You are invited, accepted and respected
 here at Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish. We welcome you.
 We want to share our Roman Catholic way of life with you!

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Eucharist

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

Office Hours

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



He went around
 all of Galilee,
 teaching in their
 synagogues,
 proclaiming the
 gospel of the
 kingdom, and curing
 every disease and
 illness among the
 people.

Matthew 4:23

Special Intentions

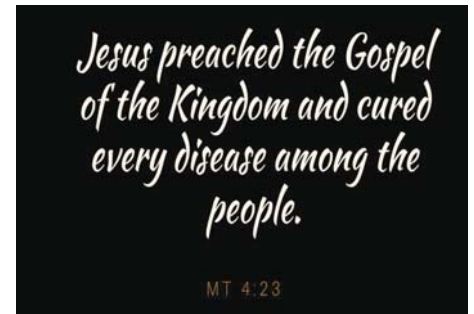
This week's intentions for the Sanctuary Candles are:

~In Memory of **Ray Gustave** offered by wife, Donna & daughters, Hilary & Ashley

~In Memory of all the babies who have been aborted

Baptism Today:

Join us in welcoming~~**Carly Jean Gardner**~~ to the Christian family, through the Sacrament of Baptism, which will be celebrated today after the 11:00am Mass.



Intentions for the Coming Week

		<u>Intention</u>	<u>Requested By</u>
Monday, January 23	8:00am	Jack Romanowski	Mike & Carol Romanowski
Tuesday, January 24	8:00am	Daniel Stefanides Sr.	Marie, Mike, & Family
Wednesday, January 25	8:00am	Monica Silbernagel	Pat Quinn
Thursday, January 26	8:00am	Florence Cadden	Joe Marica
Friday, January 27	8:00am	Edward Evelock	Janice Quinn & Family
4th Sunday of Ordinary Time			
Saturday, January 28	4:00pm	Leona Mitchell	Sotelo Family
Sunday, January 29	8:30am	John & Marie Levitski	Son, Stephen
	11:00am	Catherine & Frank Mucha	Family
	5:30pm	John Paul Kopicki	Dennis Goss & Michael Nye

Today's Music

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

5:30pm

Gathering	138 S	Let us Sing	86 S	We Will Follow
Preparation	85 S	Follow Me	125 S	Before the Sun Burned Bright
Communion	383 B	Servant Song	85 S	Follow Me
Sending	70 S	You Walk Along	500 B	Anthem

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
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
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 Bosha

Weekly Adoration

Join us Thursday evening from 6:00pm to 8:00pm for Eucharistic Adoration in the church, closing with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. All are welcome for some time of quiet prayer and reflection.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

We Celebrate Confession Saturdays from 3:25pm—3:45pm before the 4:00pm Vigil Mass. You may request confession at any time by calling and making an appointment in the office.

Choir Practice

Join our Senior Choir! We are getting set for Lent and Easter and would love to welcome new voices! Practices on Wednesdays at 6:30 in the choir loft. Join us!

Children's Choir Mondays 5:15 pm in the church. All are Welcome!
5:30pm Sunday Choir welcomes students and young adults to sing with us. See Mr. Coates for more information after mass on Sunday.

Lifeline Screening

Friday, January 27, 2023, here at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish church hall.
All 4 screenings for \$149: Carotid Artery Disease, Peripheral Artery Disease, Abdominal Aneurysm, Atrial Fibrillation Call toll free: 1-800-679-5191---Online: LLSA.SOCIAL/HC---or text the word **circle** to 216-279-1607

Religious Education

Children in Grades 1-8

Saturday classes: 9:00am-10:15am Monday classes: 6:00pm-7:15pm

January classes: Saturday: 28 Monday: 23 & 30

February classes:

Saturday: 4,11,25 (no classes on Sat., Feb. 18, Presidents' Weekend)

Monday: 6, 13, 27 (no classes on Mon., Feb. 20, Presidents' Weekend)

Confirmation Students: Please hand in paperwork by March 6th.

1st Holy Communion parents: Please hand in forms as soon as possible

PPC MEETING:

Tuesday, January 24th,6:30pm **Pastoral Council Meeting** rectory)



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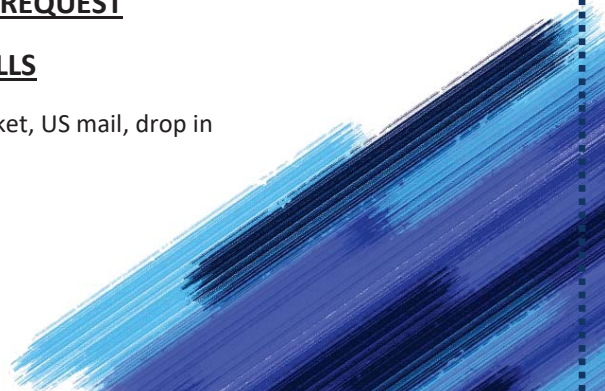
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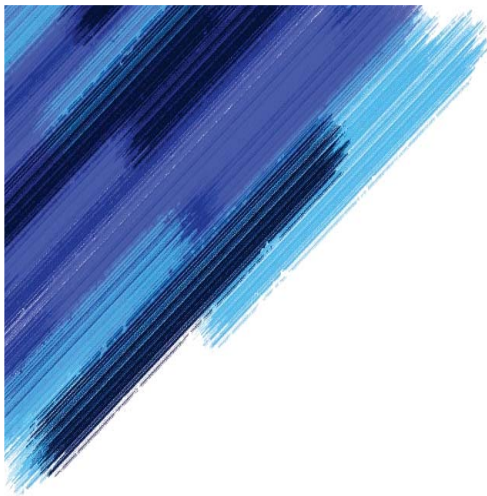
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Begin to break open God's Word in your home by dedicating some family time each week for a brief reading of a Scripture passage, perhaps the Sunday Gospel. Given the hectic and stressed pace of life and our typically overworked schedules, making family time for the Bible reminds us of the need to put God - rst. Gathering around the table of God's Word enriches and strengthens the experience of family as a "domestic Church."

Choose a comfortable and quiet place in the home, away from the distractions of television and ringing telephones. Read the passage aloud, and then allow some time for the family to reflect on and share its meaning together. Since Sacred Scripture is the "speech of God as it is put down in writing under the breath of the Holy Spirit" (CCC, no. 81, quoting Second Vatican Council, Dei Verbum, no. 9), this time dedicated to reading puts your family into living communication with God. Remind everyone gathered that this family activity brings them to a living encounter with Christ, who is present as the Word among them.

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FEAST OF THE HOLY SPOUSES will be held at the Oblates of St. Joseph Chapel, Route 315, Lafin, on Sunday, January 22, 2023 with a special Mass at 3:00 pm. This annual celebration honors the spousal role of the Blessed Virgin Mary & St. Joseph exalting the sanctity of marriage and family life within our modern world. This Feast was officially approved by the Vatican for the Congregation of the Oblates of St. Joseph in 1989. Celebrant and homilist for this year's celebration is Rev. Jeffrey D. Tudgay, Judicial Vicar of the Diocese of Scranton and Pastor of St. Peter's Cathedral. The public is invited to attend and a social will follow the Mass. For more information, contact the seminary office at 654-7542.



The **Swoyersville Kiwanis Club** is currently conducting a Heart Cake Pop Sale now through January 28, 2023. Delicious and decorated these Heart Shaped Pops, your choice 3 chocolate and 3 white or all white or all chocolate will be in a gift box ready for that someone special for Valentine's Day. Pops are \$15 per order but quantities are limited so place your order early. Pop orders can be taken by any Kiwanis members or call/text Mary at 570-301-7551 or email swoyk1951@comcast.net. All orders must be placed and paid in full by January 28th. Orders will be available for pick up on Sunday, February 12th and Monday, February 13th at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton School Cafeteria from 5 to 6 PM. Delivery is available on orders of 6 or more to one location or talk to any Kiwanis member for assistance. Proceeds benefit community and children's projects & programs. For more details on Kiwanis check us out on Facebook or Instagram.



Father Joe is at it again! This year he's taught by his sister, Donna Coccodrilli, to make the Pisaneschi Family Ravioli secret recipe with WNEP-TV and our own Jon Meyer. All to help feed the hungry and to benefit St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish. Log on to watch and learn the recipe — you are sure to get a smile or two at the antics and mishaps! Vote for our kitchen crew — early and often (you can vote as many times as you wish) Last year our parish was in the top 10 of the diocese!

Follow the link on our website or on our facebook page to access the videos. Also available at dioceseofscranton.org



Collection Report

For the weekend of January 7/8, 2023

Regular: \$8121.12

Dues: \$3234.00

Assessment: \$777.00

Christmas (additional): \$3019.00

Holy Days: \$108.00

Flowers: \$20.00

Building & Maintenance: \$20.00

LENTEN PIEROGI SALE: Sacred Heart of Jesus Church, Dupont, will take orders on Saturday, Jan. 28, 3-5pm & Sunday, Jan. 29, 8-11:30am in the church hall. PHONE ORDERS WILL NOT BE TAKEN. Cost is \$12/dozen, Potato or Cabbage. Pierogi distribution will begin at the start of Lent. Pay when you pick up--CASH ONLY.

HOLY HOUR, hosted by Order of Alhambra, Sunday, January 29th, at 2pm at Christ the King Chapel, King's College campus, 31 W. North St., Wilkes-Barre, led by Fr. James McGahagan, chaplain.

NIGHT AT THE RACES: St. Monica Church, West Wyoming, Friday, February 3rd, church hall. Admission: \$10. Doors open at 6pm. Food, beverages, raffles baskets, & more. Call Tom Tomsak for reservations: 570-237-2188. Tickets are also available at the door.

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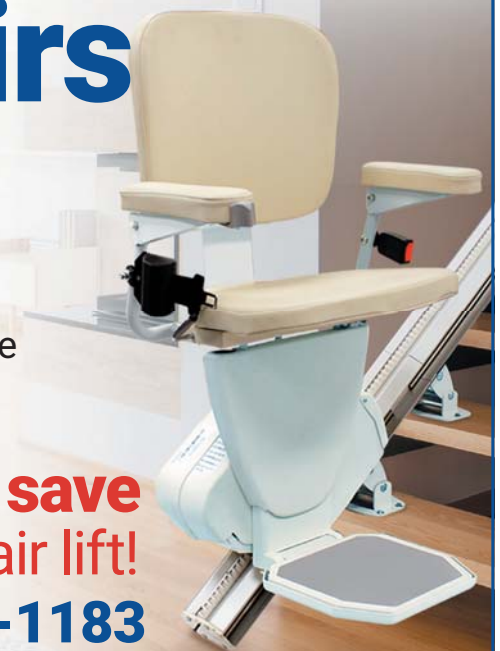
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