

# *The Seton Sentinel*

June 12, 2022



*Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity*

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## Welcome Everyone!

*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, background, gender, gender identity or orientation, race, ethnicity or spirituality, No matter what your own self-image or holiness or virtue - You belong to Christ and 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!*

## Father's Day Cards

During the month of June, seven Masses will be said for the living and deceased fathers whose names are submitted on the Father's Day envelopes found on the tables at the entrance of the church. If you are submitting the names of fathers who are living, please take the large envelope, which has a card enclosed that you can give to your father. For fathers who are deceased, please take the small envelope without the card. These can be returned in the collection basket. Father's Day is next Sunday, June 19th.

## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Our Knights of Columbus will meet this Tuesday, June 14th, at 7pm in the CHURCH HALL. New members are welcome.

## SOCIAL CONCERNS COMMITTEE

Our SCC will meet this Thursday, June 16th at 6:30pm in the school cafeteria. New members are welcome.

## THANK YOU FROM RED CROSS

The Red Cross thanks everyone who came out to support their recent blood drive here at SEAS. They collected 26 units of blood that can assist up to 78 patients in need.

A Piano Concert, In Concert with Fr. Denis Wilde, OSA, PhD, Assoc. Director, Priests for Life, to benefit PA for Human Life, Scranton Chapter, at the Chapel in Swartz Center, Marywood Univ., Thursday, June 23rd, 6pm \$20admission--**not sold at door** --call Patrick Williams at 570-587-5567 for tickets.



SAINT ANTHONY OF PADUA  
PRIEST AND DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH

FEAST DAY: JUNE 13

Saint Anthony Bread is a term used for offerings made in thanksgiving to God for blessings received through the intercession of Saint Anthony. Two miracles are attributed to the saint where the petitioners had offered to give bread to the poor if their prayers were answered. It is a practice in some churches to bless and give out small loaves of bread on the feast of Saint Anthony.

Photo: Fr. Lawrence Lew, O.P.

## QUO VADIS DAYS 2022

Quo Vadis Days is happening this summer at Marywood University Sunday, June 19 to Tuesday, June 21. The camp is for Catholic men in High School (who were in 9-12th grade during the 2021-2022 school year) to: Deepen your faith, Learn more about all vocations, and Better discern God's call in your life. The camp features dynamic talks, prayer, games, sports, activities, music, & more. Participants will have the opportunity to meet Bishop Bambera, priests, seminarians, & young adults of the Diocese of Scranton. Register online at: [dioceseofscranton.org/vocations/quo-vadis-days-2022](http://dioceseofscranton.org/vocations/quo-vadis-days-2022) Each participant will need a letter of recommendation from a priest, parish life coordinator, religious education director, or youth minister.

## "In God We Place Our Trust" Concert

On Thursday, June 30 at 7pm, the music ministries of St. John the Evangelist & St. Joseph Mareello, Pittston, will present a concert with the theme, "In God We Place Our Trust". Concert will be held at St. John the Evangelist, 35 William St., Pittston. Special music selections will ask for God's help & guidance as we pray for Ukraine & other hardships. Musicians from these parishes & our community will allow us to lift our hearts & voices in prayer.



## JOIN US ON THE FAIRWAY!

**WHAT:** Diocese of Scranton's 12th Vocations Golf Classic

**WHEN:** Monday June 27, 2022, with shotgun start at noon  
(Captain and Crew)

**WHERE:** Blue Ridge Trail Golf Club, 260 Country Club Drive,  
Mountain Top, PA

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## OFFICE HOURS

Monday—Thursday 8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Friday—*Closed*

Evening and Weekends by appointment

## PARISH MEMBERSHIP

Our Parish warmly welcomes those who are with us each weekend, occasionally, and all who are looking for a spiritual home. Actual membership begins by filling out a Census Form at [setonpa.com](http://setonpa.com) on the link at the top of the page. Once completed, send it to the office and we'll get you on "the official books," as soon as possible.

## SACRAMENTAL LIFE

Baptisms are usually scheduled after the 11:00 a.m. Eucharist on Sunday. 1st time parents are asked to attend a brief instruction class on Baptism. You can contact Lori directly for information.

Weddings are usually celebrated Saturday at 1:00 pm or on Friday afternoon or evening. Contact Father as soon as possible to reserve the date and complete the necessary paperwork.

## *Eucharistic Adoration*

Join us Thursday evenings from  
6-8 in the church for quiet prayer  
and Adoration. Stop in at anytime  
for any length of time.  
You are welcome here!

## *Offerings*

**Weekend of May 28/29, 2022**

Regular: \$7302.50

Building & Maintenance: \$1785.00

Ascension: \$1711.25

**Diocesan:**

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# Journey OF Faith

HOLY TRINITY SUNDAY

## In Word & Deed

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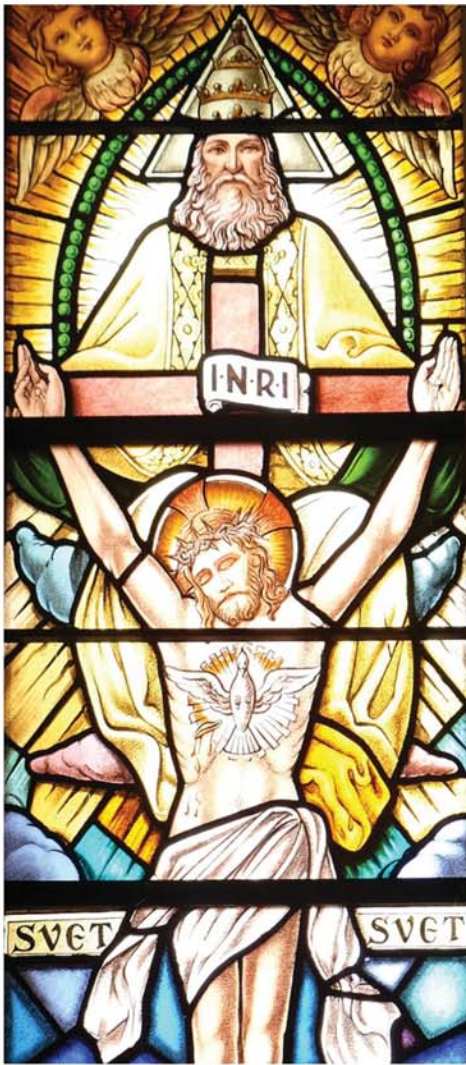
The Apostles have a difficult mission and they will not always be welcome in places they preach. They will face much resistance to the Gospel message, and at times opposing voices will compete for people's attention. The confusion and uncertainty of the times and of the message will need to be addressed. Jesus promises that the Spirit of Truth will guide them to all truth. Shadows of doubt and

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“I saw and understood that the high might of the Trinity is our Father, and the deep wisdom of the Trinity is our Mother, and the great love of the Trinity is our Lord; and all these we have in nature and in our substantial creation.”

—JULIAN OF NORWICH



## FAMILY LIFE:

# TO WALK AS ONE



Picture this: It is Christmas morning and there is a pile of toys that need assembly. Do you read the directions first, or just pull everything out of the box and see what you can do with it? Do you use the picture on the box as a guide, or do you just imagine the toy and put it together as you see it in your mind? The goal helps us decide what is necessary to reach it.

Our understanding of faith and our reflection on the great mysteries of the last few weeks deepen our awareness of God's presence and majesty in our life. If God is the goal, then we measure everything we say and do, every choice and decision, by how it affects us in achieving that goal. The more mindful we are of God in our life, the more likely we are to make

decisions that help rather than hinder our relationship with Him.

So what really guides and directs our life? We learn from the values and ideals we label as important and we should be different because of our beliefs. If they are genuine, they are more than convenient sound bites that make us feel better about ourselves. They are the core of who we are, what we do, and who we will become. Choose your goal carefully and the direction of your life will follow the course you set.

~James Gaffney



# TRINITY SUNDAY

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But when he comes, the Spirit of truth, he will guide you to all truth...He will glorify me, because he will take from what is mine and declare it to you. Everything that the Father has is mine; for this reason I told you that he will take from what is mine and declare it to you.

*John 16:13-15*

## In Word & Deed

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fear will be overcome with the light of knowledge and faith. They will not be left alone.

What guides your life? What has the greatest influence? Where do you spend your time? What voice rises above all the others to influence your decisions, form your values and inform your conscience? Media has an

agenda and it is not your well-being. But the Spirit of Truth guides us all. Listen closely. In the depths of your soul and in whisperings in your heart, you know what God asks of you and what you need to do to be closer to Him. Listen carefully to the voice that leads to life!

~James Gaffney

# Eucharist Schedule and Remembrances

## Monday, June 13

8:00 a.m. Vince Krajnak

Rick & Betsy Evanoski

## Tuesday, June 14

8:00 a.m. John, Mary, & John Olejnik Jr.

Remakus Family

## Wednesday, June 15

8:00 a.m. Elaine Smith

Cousin, Christine

## Thursday, June 16

8:00a.m. Lorraine Drost

Terri & Joe Burgess

## Friday, June 17

8:00 a.m. John Viercinski

Mike, Marie, & Family

## Saturday, June 18

4:00 p.m. Father's Day Intentions

5:30 p.m. Father's Day Intentions

## Sunday, June 19 *Corpus Christi*

7:00 a.m. *Pro Populo*

9:00 a.m. Father's Day Intentions

11:00 a.m. Father's Day Intentions

5:30 p.m. Father's Day Intentions

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## INTENTIONS AND PRAYERS

### *Sanctuary Candles*

~In Memory of *Louis Michaels* offered by Michaels Family

~Blessings and Guidance for our *2022 High School Graduates*

### *RESTING IN THE PEACE of CHRIST, the Recently Departed*

~~*Margaret Ann Aciukewicz*~~*Stella Miscavage*~~

### *Flowers this Weekend*

~ In Memory of *Thomas Chirkot* offered by wife, Wanda & Children

## BAPTISM SUNDAY

~Congratulations & God's blessings upon ~~*Hudson Jack Ruseskas*~~ and his family. Easton will be baptized by water and the Holy Spirit today.



### MOST HOLY TRINITY

The mystery of the Holy Trinity is the central mystery of the Christian faith and life. God reveals himself as Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. The doctrine of the Trinity includes three truths of faith.

First, the Trinity is One. We do not speak of three gods but of one God. Each of the Persons is fully God. They are a unity of Persons in one divine nature.

Second, the Divine Persons are distinct from each other. Father, Son, and Spirit are not three appearances or modes of God, but three identifiable persons, each fully God in a way distinct from the others.

Third, the Divine Persons are in relation to each other. The distinction of each is understood only in reference to the others. The Father cannot be the Father without the Son, nor can the Son be the Son without the Father. The Holy Spirit is related to the Father and the Son who both send him forth.

All Christians are baptized in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. The Trinity illumines all the other mysteries of faith.

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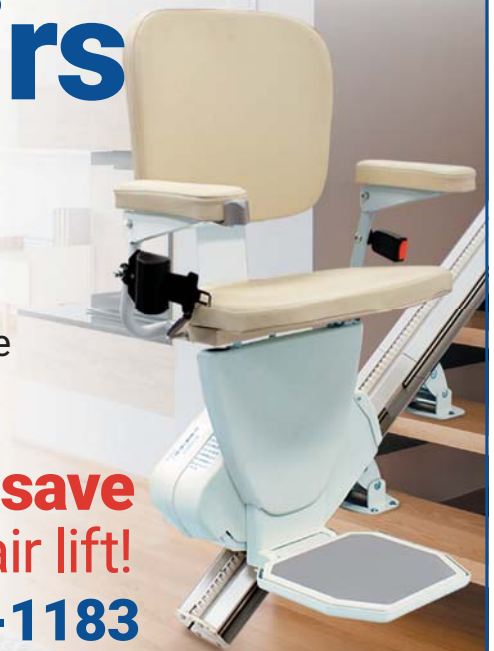
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