

SETON SENTINEL

August | 20 | 2023

TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

"Then Jesus said to her in reply, 'O woman, great is your faith! Let it be done for you as you wish.' And the woman's daughter was healed from that hour." (Mt 15: 28)

Worship

Intention

Monday, August 21

8:00am Bill Quinn

Tuesday, August 22

8:00am Franklin & Edna Mae Burgess

Wednesday, August 23

8:00am Kristen Curry

Thursday, August 24

8:00am Gloria Gowisnak

Friday, August 25

8:00am Celia Rydzewski

Saturday, August 26

4:00pm Joseph Podskoch

Sunday, August 27

8:30am Lisa Devila

11:00am Katherine Olejnik

5:30pm **Pro Populo**

Requested by

Wife & Family

Joe & Terri Burgess

Harry & Ruth Yekel

Joan Coniglio & Family

Ralph & Barbara Romanowski

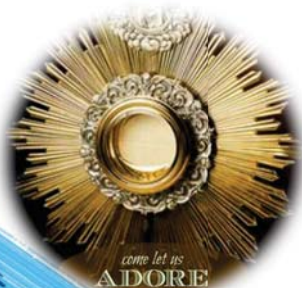
Daughter, Theresa

Ackourey Family

Husband & Children

Prayer

Exposition and Adoration of Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament is held each Thursday from 6:00pm to 8:00pm. Evening Prayer and Benediction conclude the night. All are welcome to come, even just for a quick visit on Thursday evenings here in church.



Special Intentions

SANCTUARY CANDLE INTENTIONS



~~In Memory of **Josephine Condon** offered by Jane & Family

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

RECENTLY DEPARTED

~**Ann Marie Livingstone**~**Margaret Stelma**~

May their souls and all the souls of the Faithful Departed through the Mercy of God rest in peace. Amen.

FLOWERS THIS WEEKEND

~~In Memory of **Josephine Condon** offered by Jane & Family

BAPTISM SUNDAY

Congratulations and God's blessings upon

~**Nolan Fred Johns and Charlie David Johns**~and their family. Nolan and Charlie will be baptized today after the 11:00am Mass.

Parish Staff

Rev. Joseph J Pisaneschi x105

Pastor

Rev. Anthony Urban

Assisting Celebrant

Deacon John Bankus

Deacon John (Jack) Ziegler

Permanent Deacons

Lori Raymond x100

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Chris Calore

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John Sartin

Trudy Brown

Pat Quinn

Betsy Evanoski

Phil Bosha

Office Hours

Monday through Thursday
8:30am to 3:00pm

CLOSED FRIDAY

Weekends and Evenings
by appointment.

Farewell, Father Joe

On Sunday, August 27th, Father Joe will celebrate his "Amen Celebration" with our parish community. Although Father Joe will hopefully celebrate all weekend masses on August 26/27, there will be a special Eucharist at 11:00am, and then a little picnic after mass to celebrate with a social. You **can stop in anytime between 12 Noon and 3p.m.** for the picnic. **Sign-up** sheets are on the tables at the entrance of the church to help us get a count of how much food we will need. Everyone is welcome!!!! Today is the last day to sign-up.

Welcome Father John Chmil!

On Friday, September 1st, Father John Chmil will become the second pastor of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton! We warmly welcome him to our parish as pastor. There will be more about Father in the bulletin in coming weeks to get to know him a little better. Father comes to us from St. Ann in Williamsport where he is presently pastor. He is a native of Ashley.

Knights of Columbus

Our Knights are pleased to announce that we are having an **Induction Ceremony** for new members this **Tuesday, August 22nd at 6:30pm** in our **church hall**. If anyone is still interested in joining our Knights, it is not too late. Please contact Grand Knight Mark Perugini for more information: 570-262-2896

ETHNIC PLATTER DINNER PICK-UP TODAY, Sunday, August 20th
Please remember to pick up your Ethnic Platter Orders today from noon to 2pm in our school cafeteria. **PIROHY FOR SALE: FROZEN PIROHY will be available for sale during our Ethnic Platter Dinner today from noon to 2pm, \$12/dozen, **while supplies last.****

Catholic Choral Society Begins 75th Season

The Catholic Choral Society will begin its 75th year on Tuesday, September 5th, with rehearsals on Tuesday evenings from 6:15 PM to 8:30 PM at the IHM Center at Marywood University. New members are welcome and no auditions are required. The Choral Society is nondenominational and composed of members from Luzerne, Lackawanna, Wayne, Susquehanna, Pike and Wyoming counties. The chorus performs sacred, classical, and secular music at performances in Northeastern PA counties. The Catholic Choral Society's first concert is the annual November Generations Concert on Sunday, November 12th at 4PM when the chorus will host regional choral groups from elementary school through college at the University of Scranton. Additional choral programs are scheduled for the Advent, Christmas and Lenten and spring seasons.



religious education



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION REGISTRATION FORMS

It's getting close to back- to-school time again, and soon Religious Education classes will begin. **NEW REGISTRATION FORMS must be filled out for each student each year.** You may find the registration forms on the table in the church vestibule, online at setonpa.com, or call Lori at the office to request a form, 570-287-6624 ext 100, or email Lori at setonpa@aol.com. Please return forms by September 3rd. You may drop it in the collection basket (notate: Religious Ed on the envelope), US mail, email: setonpa@aol.com, or drop off at office, or slide in mail slot. Classes will begin Saturday, Sept. 30th, (9am to 10:15am) and Monday, October 2nd (6pm to 7:15pm).

**AUGUST 22ND,
MEMORIAL OF THE
QUEENSHIP
OF THE
BLESSED VIRGIN MARY**



REGINA CAELI QUEEN OF HEAVEN

Queen of heaven, rejoice, alleluia.

The Son whom you merited
to bear, alleluia,

has risen as he said, alleluia.

Pray for us to God, alleluia.

Rejoice and be glad, O Virgin
Mary, alleluia!

For the Lord has truly risen, alleluia.

Let us pray:

O God, who through the resurrection of your
Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, did vouchsafe to
give joy to the world; grant, we beseech you,
that through his Mother, the Virgin Mary, we
may obtain the joys of everlasting life.

Through the same Christ our Lord. Amen.

Welcome to our Parish!

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!

LifeLine Screening in September

Right here at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish Church hall on Thursday, September 21, 2023. Get your special Community Circle pricing by registering one of 3 ways: Call: 1-800-679-5191, online at [LLSA.SOCIAL/HC](https://llsa.social/hc), or text the word "circle" to 216-279-1607

All 4 screenings for \$149: Carotid Artery Disease, Peripheral Arterial Disease (PAD), Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm, & Atrial Fibrillation.

CONFRATERNITY OF CHRISTIAN MOTHERS

Our CCM will meet today, Sunday, August 20th, at 2pm in our church hall. New members are welcome.

PENNSYLVANIA MARCH FOR LIFE, HARRISBURG

Please attend the third annual Pennsylvania March for Life Rally to be held at our State Capitol in Harrisburg, **Monday, October 16, 2023**. Join the many from across our state in praying, proclaiming, and lobbying for the respect of all human life. Hear great Pro-Life Speakers. Bring your own creative Pro-Life Signs. Bus transportation will be available by calling Chris Calore at 570-824-5621.



Today's Music

4,8:30, & 11

Gath 127 B We Are Your People

Prep 128 S Amazing Grace

Com 130 S Rejoice, Be Glad

Send 143 S Go Be Justice

5:30

Gath 317 B All Are Welcome All Belong

Prep 513 B Dwelling Place

Com 92 S Broken for the Broken

Send 437 B Though the Mountains May Fall



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.

NATIONAL DAY OF REMEMBRANCE FOR ABORTED CHILDREN

The eleventh annual National Day of Remembrance for Aborted Children will be held on Saturday, Sept. 9 when pro-life Americans will honor the memory of the nearly 65 million unborn victims of abortion since its legalization in 1973. The event on Sept. 9 will include a Memorial Service for Victims of Abortion to be held at 1:30 p.m. at Mount Olivet Cemetery, 612 Mount Olivet Road, Carverton. The pro-life gathering will take place at Mount Olivet's Wyoming Valley Knights of Columbus "Tomb for the Unborn," located on the top of the hill on the cemetery grounds. During the memorial observance, the Rosary will be recited in remembrance of all aborted babies. All faithful are invited.

OBLATES OF ST. JOSEPH LABOR DAY WEEKEND

The Oblates of St. Joseph will host their 41st annual Labor Day weekend Masses & devotions in honor of St. Joseph the Worker, Sept. 1 - 4 at their chapel located at Route 315, Laflin. Masses will be offered Sept. 1 - 3 (Friday - Sunday) at 12 Noon & 7:00 p.m. This year's guest celebrant & homilist is Oblate Father Gustavo Lopez, a native of Whittier, CA and current parochial vicar at Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish, Bakersfield, CA. A special Mass will be celebrated on Labor Day morning (Sept. 4) at 11:00 a.m. Plan on participating in this weekend of prayer for all workers, the unemployed and the new school year.



Offerings

Weekend of August 5/6, 2023

REGULAR: \$8970.60

DUES: \$3000.00

E-OFFERING (Sunday): \$314.32

E-OFFERING (Dues): \$104.70

DIOCESAN:

Peter's Pence: \$10.00

Care & Education: \$5.00

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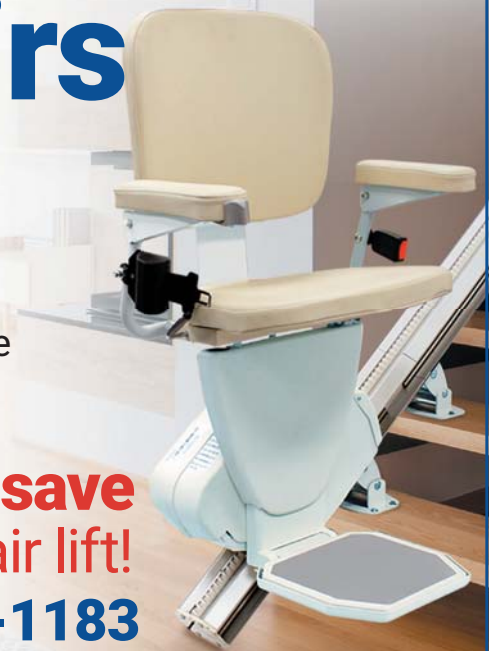
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