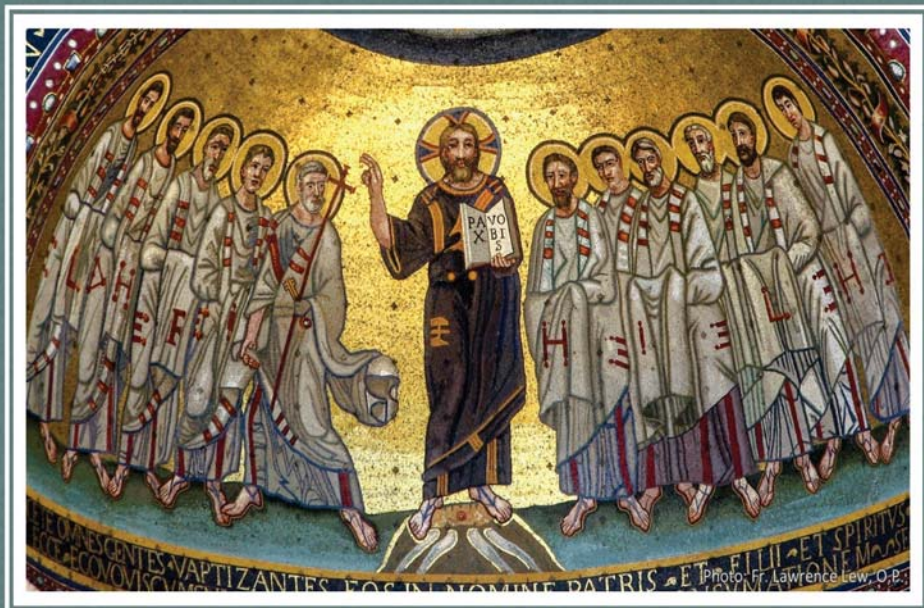


SETON SENTINEL

September | 29 | 2024

TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



“There is no one who performs a mighty deed in my name who can at the same time speak ill of me. For whoever is not against us is for us.” Mark 9:39-40



Donate now at
AnnualAppeal.org,
call (570) 207-2250 or
click this QR code



“By coming together to support Catholic ministries throughout the Diocese of Scranton, we are helping, and working in unity, to bring hope to tens of thousands of people facing the greatest need!”

- Bishop Joseph C. Bambera

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton
116 Hughes Street
Swoyersville, PA 18704
570-287-6624

Eucharist

Monday-Tuesday-Thursday &
Friday 8:00am
No Mass on Wednesday
Saturday 4:00pm (vigil)
Sundays 8:30am, 11:00am &
5:30pm

Connect with us:



Confessions:

Saturday 3:30-3:45pm or you
may call Fr. Chmil for an
appointment



Worship

Intention

Monday, September 30

8:00am Terry Jankoviak

Tuesday, October 1

8:00am Janet M. Kubicki

Wednesday, October 2

No Daily Mass

Thursday, October 3

8:00am Eugene Mully Sr.

Friday, October 4

8:00am JoAnne Podwika

Saturday, October 5

4:00pm Edward, Irene, & Edward S. Evelock

Sunday, October 6

8:30am Jesse Jude Joyce

11:00am Frank & Catherine Mucha

5:30pm **Pro Populo**

Requested by

Family

Joe & Terri Burgess

Children

Pat Smith

Jane, Karyn, & Janine

Mother, Brother, & Sister

Family



ROSARY FOR VOCATIONS--The Rosary will be prayed for vocations after daily mass.

Prayer



**ADORATION OF
THE
BLESSED
SACRAMENT**

**Please join us on
Tuesday evenings from 5pm to 7pm
in the church. Come spend a few
minutes or longer with Jesus in the
Blessed Sacrament.**

SANCTUARY CANDLE INTENTIONS

~~In Memory of~~ **Walter & Ann Levanda** ~~offered by Family

~~In Memory of~~ **John J. Parini & Michael J. McClernon**~~ offered by Family

PRAY FOR ALL THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

~ **Barbara DeCinti**~ **Robert "Bobby" Gaydos**~ **Florence Resetar**~

~~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~~ **Terry Jankoviak**~~ offered by Family

~~In Memory of~~ **Walter & Ann Levanda**~~ offered by Family

BAPTISM SUNDAY

CONGRATULATIONS and GOD'S BLESSINGS UPON

~~**Isabella Ann Liguori**~ and her family. Isabella will be baptized by water and the Holy Spirit after the 11am mass today.

Parish Staff

Rev. John J. Chmil

Pastor

Rev. Anthony Urban

Assisting Celebrant

Deacon John Bankus

Deacon John (Jack) Ziegler

Permanent Deacons

Lori Raymond

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

Pat Quinn

Office Assistant

Sacristans and Maintenance

Chris Calore

Director of Maintenance

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.

570-287-6624



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES are now in session for our students in Grades 1-8. Classes are on Saturdays from 9am-10:15am and on Mondays, from 6pm-7:15pm. If you have not yet registered your child, please call Lori at the office : 570-287-6624

Saturday Classes: Sept. 28; October: 5, 19, 26 (closed October 12th, Columbus Day)

Monday Classes: Sept 30; October: 7, 21, & 28 (closed October 14th, Columbus Day)

PARENTS/GUARDIANS OF OUR 7TH GRADE STUDENTS: On Saturday, **October 5th**, there is a **Mandatory Mini Retreat** for all of our 7th Grade students (both our CCD students & those attending Catholic Schools) to be held at St. Ignatius Parish, 339 N. Maple Ave., Kingston, Conlan Hall, from 9:30 to noon. Letters have been sent home to all parents/guardians regarding this retreat. (Our **7th grade Saturday CCD students will not have CCD class that day, but go directly to the retreat**).

PRIESTHOOD SUNDAY: "Whoever is not against us is for us." Pray for your priest. They heard God calling them to the priesthood and chose to serve Christ. Now, they enrich our spiritual well-being everyday in the Name of the Lord. Talk to your priest or reach out to the Vocation Office at 570-207-1452 or email: info@dioceseofscranton.org



CHILDREN'S CHOIR REHEARSAL

Beginning **Monday, September 30th, 5:15 to 6pm**. Gather at the piano in the sanctuary. Hope to see you there!

BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS FOR ST. FRANCIS DAY



On Friday, October 4th, St. Francis of Assisi Feast Day, Deacon John Bankus will bless our pets at 6pm in our "Barking Lot" behind the church and school. Please make sure your pet is on a leash.

HOLY NAME SOCIETY

Our HNS will meet next Sunday, October 6th, after the 8:30am mass in our church hall. New members are welcome.

THANK YOU FROM THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Our KofC thanks everyone who supported their Chicken BBQ dinner last weekend. The dinner was a huge success! See you in the Spring!



SAINT ELIZABETH ANN SETON PARISH
HOLY NAME SOCIETY
 PRESENTS



THANKSGIVING CA\$H RAFFLE

1ST PRIZE.....\$1000.00

2ND PRIZE.....\$400.00

3RD PRIZE.....\$400.00



DONATION: \$5.00



**DRAWING: SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 2024
 AFTER 8:30AM MASS**

You do not have to be present to win. Proceeds benefit Children's Easter Egg Hunt.

Contact Person: Anna Mae 570-287-7655

Tickets can be purchased from HNS members.

Tickets will also be sold *after* Masses in the church vestibule every weekend

CHRISTIAN MOTHERS' RUMMAGE SALE COLLECTION DATES

TO OUR PARISHIONERS: It's time to do some Fall Cleaning by cleaning our your closets, bedrooms, kitchens, garages, etc. We need good, clean items/clothing to sell. Sorry, we cannot accept TVs, computers, furniture, encyclopedias. Bring your items to the School Gym(parking lot side) on the following dates: **Tuesday, Oct. 8th, 9-5pm and Wednesday, October 9th, 9 to 3pm.** See Poster on page 5 for sale dates. **Also, our Christian Mothers will meet today, Sunday, September 29th, at 2:00pm in our church hall.** All rummage sale workers are to attend.



MILITARY VETERANS BREAKFAST SUNDAY NOVEMBER 17TH

The Social Concerns Committee of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish, 116 Hughes St. Swoyersville, will host a complimentary Buffet Breakfast in the church hall for military veterans, their spouse, or caregiver, from 9am to 12 noon, Sunday, November 17th. Breakfast will include scrambled eggs, pancakes, ham, sausage, breakfast potatoes, Danish/desserts, fruit, coffee, tea & juice. RESERVATIONS are required by October 27th, by filling out forms at the church entrance or by calling 570-283-2263 (leave message) starting next weekend October 5th & 6th. Veterans are also invited to attend the 8:30am mass prior to breakfast. Both the church and hall are handicap accessible, and there will be reserved seating for mass.

RUMMAGE SALE



SPONSORED BY
CONFRATERNITY OF CHRISTIAN MOTHERS of
ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON PARISH
116 HUGHES STREET
SWOYERSVILLE

in SCHOOL GYMNASIUM

MONDAY, October 14: 9am-5pm

TUESDAY, October 15: 9am-3pm

\$2/Bag Day

BAKE SALE~~~~REFRESHMENTS
HOAGIES, HOT DOGS, WIMPIES



SACRAMENT OF HOLY MATRIMONY

CONGRATULATIONS and God's blessings upon

~~Justin Coyne & Liz Koch~~

who were married on Saturday, September
29th.

"Over the years, the FDA has bent the law and shown disregard for women's health when it comes to chemical abortion. In 2000, mifepristone was first approved using an "accelerated" review process that is supposed to be only for new drugs that treat serious illnesses and are better than existing treatments. But pregnancy is not an illness, and abortion drugs are riskier than surgical abortion." USCCB, Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities, "Abortion Pills: The Basics"

WEEKLY OFFERINGS

WEEKEND OF SEPT 14/15, 2024

REGULAR: \$9388.22 DUES: \$383.00

ASSESSMENT: \$391.00 Assumption: \$30.00

DAY'S WAGE: \$1733.00

BUILDING & MAINTENANCE: \$1733.00

DIOCESAN:

Care & Education of Priests: \$134.00

Ways to Give:



Online: www.setonpa.com



Mail to: St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish
116 Hughes St.,
Swoyersville, PA 18704

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton ,

Pray for us!

CATHOLIC MEN'S CONFERENCE, OCTOBER 5, 2024

All men are invited for the Ninth Annual Catholic Men's Conference. This year's theme is "Come Follow Me". The event will be held at Holy Redeemer High School, 159 S. Pennsylvania Ave., Wilkes-Barre, on Saturday, October 5th, from 8am to 3pm. Nationally known speakers will be: Deacon Harold Burke-Sivers, John Edwards, Father Bill Casey, and concluding with Mass offered by our own Bishop Joseph Bambera. These informative talks are conducive for fathers and sons, clergy, and men of every age.

Admission can be acquired by mailing \$40.00. Students are \$15.00. Priests, Deacons, and seminarians are free. Morning coffee and box lunch included.

Mail to: "Be A Catholic Man", PO Box 669, Wyalusing, PA 18853 (Please write 'Men's Conference' on the check memo and include your contact info, email, and Parish). Online registries: www.BeACatholicMan.com
For more info., call 570-721-0872.

28th ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION OF THE WYOMING VALLEY KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS "Tomb of Unborn"- Respect Life Sunday, October 6th at 2:00pm. Prayerful commemoration at the Knights' Tomb of the Unborn, located at the top of Mt. Olivet Cemetery, Carverton. Fr. Thomas Petro, chaplain of Greater Pittston Knights of Columbus Assembly 948, will celebrate the Order for Visiting a Cemetery, followed by the recitation of the Glorious Mysteries of the Rosary. All Knights of Columbus of the Wyoming Valley and area faithful are invited to attend.

WINE ME UP N PAINT....The Swoyersville Kiwanis Club will hold a Wine Glass n Bottle Painting Event right here in our church hall on Sat., October 5th at 6pm. Doors open at 5:30pm Cost is \$25/person & includes 1 wine glass or bottle along with painting supplies. Those attending will enjoy the evening with free wine tasting from Bell House Winery & accompanied treats. **You must be 21 to attend.** Attendees may bring additional snacks/beverages. Water & soda will be provided. Reservations required: call/text April at 570-849-6027, or email: swoyk1951@comcast.net Payment at the door. Space is limited.

HOLY YEAR 2025 PILGRIMAGE

Pope Francis has announced 'Pilgrims of Hope' is the theme for the Holy Year 2025. A Holy Year, or Jubilee, is a time of pilgrimage, prayer, repentance, and acts of mercy, based on the Old Testament tradition of a Jubilee Year of rest, forgiveness, and renewal. Bishop Joseph C. Bambera will lead a Pilgrimage to Italy and Rome from Aug. 31-Sept. 9, 2025, in celebration of the Holy Year. The trip will include a Papal Audience, Masses celebrated daily at various Basilicas and Cathedrals, a unique opportunity to visit the Scavi, a tour of the necropolis under St. Peter's Basilica culminating at the tomb of St. Peter, and much more. For more information, including a day-by-day itinerary, visit the Diocese of Scranton website at dioceseofscranton.org.



BE THE CHANGE. HELP CHANGE A LIFE. GIVE BLOOD. COMMUNITY BLOOD DRIVE

Here at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church Hall, 116 Hughes St., Swoyersville. Friday, October 18, 2024, from 12pm to 5pm. Please call 1-800-733-2767 or visit RedCrossBlood.org and enter: SEASP to schedule an appointment.

The Seven Sisters Apostolate is a national organization that prays for priests. For one year, each of the Seven Sisters commits to taking a designated day of the week and promises to pray in front of a tabernacle for one hour during the day. For more information visit: sevensistersapostolate.org

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, Pray for us!



Oct. 26-27, 2024

Boston Marriott Quincy Hotel

Don't miss these speakers!

Come & listen to our faith-filled Catholic speakers whose lives were dramatically changed - even when things were hopeless!

Graces abound this weekend - and they are there for YOU! The Boston Marian Conference is coming soon - spread the word and bring a friend!

FEATURING

- Bishop Robert P. Reed
Bishop Cristiano Borro Barbosa
Ivan Dragicevic, Tony Melendez,
Peggy Stanton, Roy Schoeman,
Fr. Jason Lewis, Nikki Kingsley,
Fr. Sinisa Ubiparipovic,
Fr. Michael Della Penna,
Artie Boyle, Monét Souza,
Colleen & John Willard,
Mark Carey*

Entire Weekend Event Just \$225

Online Ticket sales are open and seating is limited, so ACT NOW!



October, 26-27, 2024
Boston Quincy Marriott Hotel
1000 Marriott Drive, Quincy, MA

Scan the QR code or visit bostonmarianconference.org

A Help Button Should Go Where You Go!

To be truly independent, your personal emergency device needs to work on the go.

MobileHelp® allows you to summon emergency help 24 hours a day, 7 days a week by simply pressing your personal help button. Unlike traditional systems that only work inside your home, a MobileHelp medical alert system extends help beyond the home. Now you can participate in all your favorite activities such as gardening, taking walks, shopping and traveling all with the peace of mind of having a personal alert system with you. MobileHelp, the "on-the-go" help button, is powered by one of the nation's largest cellular networks, so there's virtually no limit to your help button's range.

No landline? No problem! While traditional alert systems require a landline, with the MobileHelp system, a landline is not necessary. Whether you are home or away from home, a simple press of your help button activates your system, providing the central station with your information and location. Our trained emergency operators will know who you are and where you are located. If you're one of the millions of people that have waited for an alert service because it didn't fit your lifestyle, or settled for a traditional system even though it only worked in the home, then we welcome you to try MobileHelp. Experience peace of mind in the home or on the go.

GET OUR SPECIAL OFFER NOW:

- ✓ **FREE EXPEDITED SHIPPING***
- ✓ **FREE ONE MONTH SERVICE***
- ✓ **50% OFF AUTO FALL DETECT***
- ✓ **plus FREE EQUIPMENT TO USE!**



Unlike "stay-at-home" emergency systems MobileHelp protects you:

Places where your Help Button will work	MobileHelp®	Traditional Help Buttons
At Home	✓	✓
On a Walk	✓	✗
On Vacation	✓	✗
At the Park	✓	✗
Shopping	✓	✗

MobileHelp Features:

- Simple one-button operation
- Affordable service
- Amplified 2-way voice communication
- 24/7 access to U.S. based emergency operators
- GPS location detection
- Available Nationwide

OUR BEST OFFER EVER!
From **\$19.95*** /month



MobileHelp

1-855-444-3698



*For a limited time - promotions available for select systems and subscription plans, please call for specific details. Offers are valid for new customers and for the first year of service and cannot be combined with any other offers. \$19.95 is the monthly subscription price for a MobileHelp Classic (at home only) system. There is a one-time \$49.95 processing fee to activate the plan. Equipment shown is the MobileHelp DDD kit home and on the go system available at a higher monthly cost. Most equipment is included at no cost while actively subscribing and must be returned upon cancellation. Free one month of service valid with purchase of Annual plan and includes month 12 at no additional charge. Refer to terms and conditions for specific details. Depending on the promotion chosen, you may receive an additional savings of \$5.50 off the \$11 retail price of Fall Detection service. After first year, Fall Detect pricing reverts to discounted price of \$8.25/month when combined with MobileHelp Connect Premium. Fall Detection does not detect 100% of falls. If able, users should push their help button when they need assistance. Fall detection is not intended to replace a caregiver. MobileHelp is a registered trademark, patented technology. Correct GPS location may not always be available in every situation on the cellular network at all times. Expedited shipping offer is for Annual plans made prior to 3 PM EST Mon-Fri. Expedited shipping is standard 2-day - no deliveries on Saturdays/Sundays or to Hawaii or Alaska. Shipping delays may occur due to situations beyond our control. PFC-SPAC20250511658 BMBP-01045 Rev. 1

WINDOW NATION

EXCLUSIVE MONEY SAVING OFFER

0 | 0 | 0%
DOWN | PAYMENTS | INTEREST

FOR 2 YEARS

AND

**BUY 2 WINDOWS
GET 2 FREE!**

SERVICE
99.5%
of our windows are installed right the first time, requiring no follow-up service.

SATISFACTION
96%
customer satisfaction on clean up & safety in over 150,000 homes.

SELECTION
1500+
locally-made, custom styles and options to choose from.

Call (855) 919-2625

*Offer Valid on Potomac and ComfortSmart Models. 4 Window Minimum. Cannot be combined with any other offer. Excludes labor. Based on 10 Georgetown model, Double hung/slider windows with standard installation. Subject for Credit Approval. Offer Ends 12/31/24. MA HIC #197968





Aaron W. Pietryka, *Licensed Supervisor - Parishioner*
 Thomas B. Wiedlich, *Licensed Director - Parishioner*

570-287-8541 | 1442 Wyoming Avenue, Forty Fort, PA
www.wroblewskifuneralhome.com

BONNER

FIND NEW ROADS™
 NEW 287-2117
 USED 288-0319
 694 Wyoming Ave., Kingston, PA
www.bonnerchevrolet.com

Holy Trinity
 Off of Warsaw Street
 &
St. Mary's
 Off of Brook Street
Cemeteries
 †
 Lots Available
 Interest Free
 payment plans

Please call the Parish Office for more information at 287-6624

B *Bednarski*
Funeral Home
 168 Wyoming Ave.
 Wyoming, PA
570-693-3851
Funeral Directors
 Joseph Bednarski
 Jacqueline Bednarski

First Catholic Slovak Union
FCSU Financial® **NEW MEMBERS WELCOME!**
 Annuities • Life Insurance • IRAs
 Wealth Transfer
Get \$10,000 term life insurance for \$14
 Find the rate that is right for you!
 • 8 Year Flex Annuity or IRA **4.75%**
 • 6 Year Fixed Annuity or IRA **5.00%**
 • 2 Year Annuity **4.50%**
www.fcsu.com
 Martha Zavada: (570) 954-3771

Call for Hours and Reservations
 Open Tues-Saturday
- Family Atmosphere
- Made from Scratch Menu
- Reasonable Prices
- Large Portions!
 258 Charles St. Luzerne, PA
www.andyperuginos.com
570-288-5337

WHEELS THAT HEAL!

 Donate your car & make a positive difference in the lives of those affected by breast cancer.
 • 24-hour free pick up • Running or not
 • 7 days a week • Se habla espanol
 • Maximum tax deduction

Memorial Ads Available **617-779-3771**

AD SPACE AVAILABLE
 617-779-3771

Call now 888-412-5794

DENTAL Insurance
 Get help paying big dental bills
Get your FREE Information Kit
 from Physicians Mutual Insurance Company.
1-888-404-1939
Dental50Plus.com/Seton
Product not available in all states. Contact us to see the coverage and offer available in your state. Contact us for complete details about this insurance solicitation including costs and limitations. This specific offer is not available in CO. Call 1-800-969-4781 or respond for a similar offer. In WV: To find a provider in the network visit us at <https://www.physiciansmutual.com/web/dental/find-dentist>. Certificate C250A (ID: C250E); Insurance Policy P150; Rider Kinds B438/B439. In CA, CO, ID, KY, ME, MD, MA, MI, MO, NV, NJ, NC, ND, VA: Includes Participating Providers and Preventive Benefits Rider. Certificate C254/B465 (PA: C254PA); Insurance Policy P154/B469 (GA: P154GA; OK: P154OK; TN: P154TN). 6323

Frank Grontkowski Monuments Inc.
 Established in 1942
 Family owned & operated

DEDICATED TO MEETING YOUR MONUMENT NEEDS
570-822-5574
grontkowskimonuments.com

C&B
Landscaping Tree & Construction LLC
570-217-6944
Call for your FREE estimate today!
 • Tree removal • Cabling
 • Tree pruning • Tree diagnoses
 • Emergency storm damage • Tree planting
 • Stump grinding • Excavating
 • Land clearing • Snow plowing
Follow Us

HUGH B. HUGHES & SON, INC.
Funeral Home
 Michael W. Harrison, Supervisor / President
 Daniel R. Harrison, Funeral Director
570-288-9341
 1044 Wyoming Ave.
 Forty Fort, PA
Traditional, Cremation & Pre-arranged Funerals
 Visit our website at hughbhughes.com • Online condolences now available

