

ST ELIZABETH ANN SETON JANUARY 20, 2019



When the wine ran short, the mother of Jesus said to him, “They have no wine.” And Jesus said to her, “Woman, how does your concern affect me? My hour has not yet come.” His mother said to the servers, “Do whatever he tells you.” - Jn 2:3-5

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Daily Mass - Mon., Tues., Thurs., Fri., 8:00 AM
Rosary - Mon., Tues., Thurs., Fri., 7:30 AM
Communion Service - Wed., 8:00 AM
Saturday Mass - 5:00 PM
Sunday Mass - 8:30 AM & 10:45 AM

Mission Statement

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish is a Christian family of faith which gathers to celebrate each person's unique gifts of time, talent, and treasure. Rooted in the Roman Catholic tradition and following the example of our patroness, we invite all to risk their hearts to follow Jesus and live the Gospel in our homes, schools, workplaces and beyond.

Individual Sacrament of Reconciliation

Every Saturday at Seton 4:00 - 4:30 PM or any other time by request.

Parish Registration

Third weekend every month, after all Masses, or call the Parish Office.

Sacrament of Baptism

Catholics believe that Baptism is the first step to a life-long commitment to discipleship. Whether you are interested in infant, children's, or adult baptisms, please contact our parish office to learn more about receiving this beautiful sacrament.

Sacrament of Matrimony

Pastoral Marriage Preparation requires that the parish priest be notified at least six months to a year before the anticipated wedding date. Before setting a date, one of the parties must be a registered member of the parish and a practicing Catholic.

Baptismal Preparation, Communion to the Homebound and Hospitalization Call the Parish Office.

FOR THE RIDE HOME ~ DO WHATEVER HE TELLS YOU

Today's Gospel was one of the first Gospels that I can recall from my childhood. It is a Gospel that is very familiar to all of us as it tells the story of a wedding, Jesus, His mother Mary and his first miracle! We are especially connected as this Gospel points to our marriage with God so it is fitting that the first sign of who Jesus is occurs at a wedding.

Today on your ride home, take a few minutes to talk with your family or reflect quietly on what Mary says to the servants – **DO WHATEVER HE TELLS YOU**. As well as talking about the story from John's Gospel, think of it in terms of all that Jesus tells us to do. What are some of those things?

Jesus tells us:

Love the Lord your God with all your heart ~

What can we transform in our life to do whatever Jesus tells us to do? Pray more, attend Mass more often, receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation regularly, make God the priority ...

Love your neighbor as yourself ~ What can we transform in our life to do whatever Jesus tells us to do? Bring extra food on the We Share weekend, help at homeless shelters, sacrifice something and give the money to those less fortunate...

Come, follow me and I will make you fishers of men ~ What can we transform in our life to do whatever Jesus tells us to do? Invite someone you know who hasn't been to Mass in a while to come with you, invite a new neighbor to join us at one of our events, be brave in your faith...

Do this in remembrance of me ~ What can we transform in our life to do whatever Jesus asks us to do? During the Eucharistic prayer, pray reverently with Father as he prays aloud, pay special attention during the sacred Eucharistic prayer when Father calls down the Holy Spirit and consecration occurs, receive the Body of Christ and carry it out into the world with you by your actions and words...

This week, remember that we are always at a wedding feast ~ that Mary has asked us, as servants, to do whatever He tells us to do at our daily celebrations. We are called to transform the ordinary into the extraordinary so that the world can see the true Jesus through our actions.

Invited or not, God is present

*Katie Coyne
Co-Director of Child Ministry*

CONFIRMATION RETREAT



Last weekend, 33 teens attended their Confirmation retreat at Cedar Valley Retreat Center in West Bend.



It was a wonderful Spirit-filled weekend for our teens and adults!! We are blessed!

Confirmation Retreat Thank yous: Thank you to the parents (Anne Dettlaff, Judy Flanders, Lue Ann and Tom Koppa, Marija B-Weidman) who volunteered to check in all our teens before going up to the retreat center this past weekend! And...special thanks to the parents (David Stachnik, Chuck Strehlow, Terry Tavera, Bob Weidman) who drove up to the retreat center to stay up all night on Friday and Saturday nights. And a HUGE thank you to our Confirmation Group Leaders (Mike Boinski, Dennis Casey, Mike Erato, Kris and Brian Graf, Alan Holtz, Dan Kasun, and Mary Strehlow) for sharing themselves and their faith life with our parish teens all weekend. We were blessed in abundance this weekend! *Peace, Mickey Holtz, Dir of Youth Ministry*

SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDERLY TIME

SUNDAY PROGRAM OPPORTUNITY!

We are looking for 1-2 enthusiastic, faith-filled people to help us finish the year strong by leading/co-leading a Grade 1 small group on Sunday mornings from 9:30-10:30 AM. If you feel a nudge from the Holy Spirit, please pray on it and let us know! Small group leaders would be responsible for 5-6 kids. Sessions are: February 3, 10, 17, March 3, 10, 24, and 31. For more information or to express interest, please contact Ann Ryan at the Seton website/About Us/Contact Us Page to send an email.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

In an effort to make our weekend liturgies more family-friendly, we offer the Children's Liturgy of the Word program at the **10:45 AM Mass**. Currently, Children's Liturgy is supported by three wonderful volunteers. Can you help us grow? With enough volunteers, the time commitment is about once every 4-5 weeks.

Throughout the Advent and Christmas season, Katie Coyne offered Children's Liturgy at ALL Masses. This has been a dream of ours for a long time. If you'd like to help us continue to make Children's Liturgy possible at the **5:00 PM and 8:30 AM Masses**, please contact Ann Ryan at the Seton website/About us/Contact Us Page to send an email.

Children's Liturgy is a great opportunity for children to hear and connect with God's Word at *their* level. We have materials and a few volunteers...now we'd just like a few more! **Not sure what the Children's Liturgy experience is all about?** We invite you to "shadow" the volunteers at the 10:45 AM Mass to see for yourself. If you are interested or would like more information, please contact Ann Ryan at the Seton website/About us/Contact Us Page to send an email.

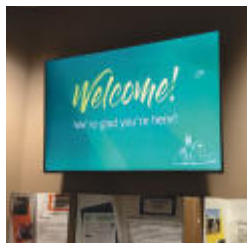
~Ann Ryan, Co-Director of Child Ministry



New Ministry Launched!

We are looking for disciples interested in joining a new **Sound and Video Ministry** that will operate the sound and video technology during Mass. This fall we added cameras within the sanctuary for recording and transmitting video feeds of Mass, and a large screen monitor was installed in the gathering space for sharing announcements and live video feeds. We also replaced the lighting in the sanctuary with more flexible and energy efficient LED lighting. This new ministry team will be responsible for monitoring and controlling the lighting, sound, and video equipment to ensure a positive experience for all parishioners.

If you are interested or want more information about the **Sound and Video Ministry**, please reach out to Matt Schueller at mjschueller@wi.rr.com or (414) 405-4047.



WE SHARE

Thank you to all who faithfully donate food each month. It is humbling to stand and watch so many parishioners bring food to share with those who are in need in surrounding communities. We have begun to bring food into the worship space on our

WE SHARE weekends and we wanted to share with you why that "new" tradition has started.

Your food is an offering, and, dating all the way back to Abraham and Isaac, offerings are placed on or near the altar. To that end, we are asking that when you bring food for a WE SHARE weekend, you bring it right into the worship space as an offering to God in thanksgiving for all that He provides for us. Then, we all become witnesses to need, generosity and thanksgiving! After the 10:45 Mass, we ask that everyone grab a bag or two of food and take it to the west side of Sippel Hall so that our wonderful WE SHARE committee can easily load it and take it to the recipient of the month. God is good.

A wonderful friend reminded me of the following Howard Thurman Poem that I had read about 30 years ago. It is a wonderful reminder to celebrate the gift of Christ in our hearts the whole year. Abundant blessings and Happy 2019 everyone!

When the Song of the Angels is Stilled

When the song of the angels is stilled,
When the star in the sky is gone,
When the kings and princes are home,
When the shepherds are back with their flocks,
The work of Christmas begins:
To find the lost,
To heal the broken,
To feel the hungry,
To release the prisoner,
To rebuild the nations,
To bring peace among people,
To make music in the heart.

By Howard Thurman

~Sue Switalski, Pastoral Minister

NEW SETON MOMS GROUP



We are excited to announce a new opportunity for all moms of young children! Come for a morning of breakfast goodies, coffee, faith-sharing, mom support, and good conversation. Any mom and their kiddos age five or younger are welcome to attend. Please RSVP via email to Ann at the Seton's website/About Us/Contact Us Page.

JANUARY 20, 2019

Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK

Monday, January 21, 2019/Martin Luther King, Jr. Birthday Observed

- 7:30 AM Rosary
- 8:00 AM For the Intention of the Valery Family (John & Bev McCarthy)

Tuesday, January 22, 2019/IDay of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children

- 7:30 AM Rosary
- 8:00 AM †Tom McCarthy (John & Bev McCarthy)
†Erla Bontuyan (Daniels Family)

Wednesday, January 23, 2019/St. Vincent, St. Marianne Cope

- 8:00 AM Communion Service

Thursday, January 24, 2019/St. Francis de Sales

- 7:30 AM Rosary
- 8:00 AM †Chuck Stabenfeldt

Friday, January 25, 2019/Conversion of St. Paul the Apostle

- 7:30 AM Rosary
- 8:00 AM †Henry & Shirley Schnitzler

Saturday, January 26, 2019/St. Timothy & St. Titus/ Catholic Schools Week/Stewardship Weekend

- 4:00 PM Reconciliation
- 5:00 PM †Joyce Pandl (Robert Pandl)
†Doris Trimborn (Ted & Marilyn Raciti)

Sunday, January 27, 2019/Stewardship Weekend

- 8:30 AM †Joe Elvington (Rita, mother)
†Dorothy Potter (Graf Family)
- 10:45 AM †Living and Deceased Members of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish



READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 20, 2019

- Sunday: Is 62:1-5/Ps 96:1-2, 2-3, 7-8, 9-10 [3]/I Cor 12:4-11/Jn 2:1-11
- Monday: Heb 5:1-10/Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4 [4b]/Mk 2:18-22
- Tuesday: Heb 6:10-20/Ps 111:1-2, 4-5, 9 and 10c [5]/Mk 2:23-28
- Wednesday: Heb 7:1-3, 15-17/Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4 [4b]/Mk 3:1-6
- Thursday: Heb 7:25—8:6/Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 17 [8a and 9a]/Mk 3:7-12
- Friday: Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22/Ps 117:1bc, 2 [Mk 16:15]/Mk 16:15-18
- Saturday: 2 Tm 1:1-8 or Ti 1:1-5/Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 7-8a, 10 [3]/Mk 3:20-21
- Next Sunday: Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15 [cf. Jn 6:63c]/I Cor 12:12-30 or I Cor 12:12-14, 27/Lk 1:1-4; 4:14-21



Welcome to St. Elizabeth Ann Seton

We are happy that you are here!

Sunday, January 20, 2019/DONUT SUNDAY/REGISTRATION WEEKEND

- Counting Team #4
- 9:30 AM Christian Formation Grades K4-6 (Entire Complex)
NO Grades 7-10
- 9:30 AM RCIA (Reflection Room)

Monday, January 21, 2019

- 1:30 PM Staff Prayer (Conference Room)
- 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM Non-violent Communication Practice Group (Matthew/Mark Rooms)

Tuesday, January 22, 2019

- 7:00 PM AA Meeting (Sippel Hall)

Wednesday, January 23, 2019

Thursday, January 24, 2019

- 6:30 PM - 8:00 PM Rebuilding Disciple (St Paul Room)
- 7:00 PM Auction Meeting (Conference Room)
- 7:00 PM Adult Choir Rehearsal (Church)

Friday, January 25, 2019

Saturday, January 26,

- Bulletin Team #4

Sunday, January 27, 2019

- Counting Team #5
- 9:00 AM-2 PM Grades 7-8 NET Retreat (Sippel Hall)
- 9:30 AM Christian Formation Grades 9-10 No K4-6 (Gr. 9, St. Paul Room)
(Gr. 10, Seton Hall)
- 9:30 AM RCIA (Reflection Room)
- 12:30 PM -1:30PM First Eucharist Parent/Child Session (Seton Hall)
- 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM Confirmation (Entire Complex)

In Remembrance

The faith community and staff of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton extend our deepest sympathy, prayers, and support to the family and friends on the loss of:

**Dorothy Marinkovich
Died on January 7, 2019
Grandmother of Victoria Kent**

Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her. May the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

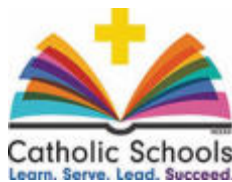
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Catholic Schools Week

Catholic Schools Week begins January 26/27. There will be a special presentation at all Masses from our Seton parish students who attend Holy Apostles!



FROM THE EL SALVADOR MINISTRY

On behalf of the community of Rutilio Grande, the people of El Salvador and the SHARE Foundation, the El Salvador Ministry would like to thank the parish and all the people who have so generously given to the recent Mission Appeal. Because of your continued support, the scholarship students will be able to attend school for another year, the community will have weekly transportation to mass and the micro-credit program has been increased. The popular monthly senior and weekly youth food programs will continue. The computer lab, which benefits the entire community, will function and the community/school gardens will nourish those in need. The UCRES programs (overseen by SHARE) which offer women initiatives, scholarships and youth programs, will be available to surrounding communities. None of this would be possible without your continued support and the support received by the Fare Trade product sales as well as the proceeds from the recent Cookie Walk. We are humbled by your generosity!

MUCHAS GRACIAS ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON PARISH!!!!!!

We are always looking for new members for the El Salvador Solidarity Ministry.
 Call Jackie Konkol at 414-543-5477 for the next meeting date.



**Warm Hearts With Your Home Baked Cookies!
 St. Vincent de Paul Meal Program
 Wednesday January 30th**



Please consider baking a batch of Cowboy Cookies for our upcoming meal program. Recipes are available on the table in the gathering space and on our parish website. Cookies should be brought to our church kitchen in the basement by noon on Wednesday, January 30th. The church office is open from 8:30 to 4:30 weekdays. If this schedule isn't convenient, please call Cindy Schaus at 414-405-4086 or email at rschaus@mac.com to make other arrangements. If you are interested in helping serve our guests, please contact Cindy Schaus. Our guests always appreciate our warm, nutritious dinner!

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