St. Elizabeth Seton Parish is a loving, welcoming community of worshippers in the Catholic tradition. Our mission is to share the Good News of Christ through the celebration of sacraments, liturgy, and unconditional service to all. We welcome all visitors to our Parish. We hope that you will experience our love for God and neighbor. If you are new to our community, we are grateful to the Lord for your presence.
Saturday, February 1
4:30 pm  † Doreen Massarelli
† Paul Robert LeBlanc  7th Anniversary

Sunday, February 2
7:30 am  † Mr. & Mrs. John Somers
† Aurore & Stephen Villeneuve
9:00 am  † James & Theresa Barry
10:30 am † Hilda Stetter
12:00 pm † Stephen Kauffman
† Aline Marchessault

Monday, February 3
7:30 am † The living & deceased members of our parish

Tuesday, February 4
NO MASS

Wednesday, February 5
5:30 pm  † Judy Mehr

Thursday, February 6
7:30 am  † Vincent Froio  1st Anniversary

Friday, February 7
7:30 am † Alice Daly  1st Anniversary

Saturday, February 8
4:30 pm † Connine Bouchard
† Kenneth Lapman

Sunday, February 9
7:30 am † Paul C. Wenger
Julie Kenkel - living intention
9:00 am  † Kimberly Ann Herod
10:30 am  † Clifford & Ginny Patton
† Andrew M. Roy
12:00 pm  † Mary Ann Fasciano - 1st Anniversary
† Donald Kula

Attention Ladies!
The Women’s Guild is hosting a breakfast
Tuesday, February 18th
9:00 a.m.
at Blake’s Restaurant
353 S. Main Street, Manchester
All ladies of the parish are welcome!
Come catch up with friends for breakfast at Blake’s.
We will order and pay individually.
Please reserve your space no later Feb. 16th
Denise Rotier 472-6906
rdmrotier@gmail.com

As I’m sure many of you are aware, one of our Parishioners and our Parish Deacon Candidate, Chris Seiler, is in serious condition after a car accident this week. Please keep the Seiler Family in your prayers!

Pack 511 again is hosting Scouts of all faiths from the parish and community for Scout Sunday, February 9th at the noon Mass.

A Scout is Reverent — as we celebrate the 110th Anniversary of the Boy Scouts of America. Pack 511, now with more than 25 Cubs, has grown every year since our 2014 start. We have recently joined forces with Boy Scout Troop 135 of Sacred Heart Parish in Manchester, to provide a continuum of Scouting. We thank Monsignor Quinn, and the parishioners for their overwhelming support of the Scouting program in our parish. From our fundraisers, to Scouting For Food, to the use of the facilities, your support keeps us going.

For more information about the Cub Scout program (K to 5th Grade), contact Dan Jobin at 674-6269. For more information about the Boy Scout program (Grade 6 +), contact Justan Steichen at (413) 237-0788.

Offertory Collection

Weekend of January 25 - 26, 2020
Envelopes (596) $12,963.25
 Loose $ 4,121.00
Grand Total $17,084.25

Weekend of January 26 - 27, 2019 $19,151.20
# Upcoming Events

All members of the parish are cordially invited to the **Knights of Columbus Pancake Breakfast**
this Sunday, February 2nd
after the 7:30, 9:00 & 10:30 am Masses.

Join us for light and fluffy pancakes with warm syrup and mouth watering sausage and bacon along with great tasting coffee, tea and a variety of juices.

## Blessing of the Throats
**Monday, February 3rd**
**Feast day of Saint Blaise**
Following the morning Mass the traditional blessing of the throats will be celebrated.

## Grace Within
(Formerly MOMS Ministry)

All women of the Parish are invited to join us on the first Tuesday each month beginning on Tuesday, February 4th.
We will meet in the Youth Room in the Activity Center from 7 - 9 pm.

We’ll talk about our Faith and the daily readings.
A night to relax and have great conversation with other women of the Parish.
Hope you can make it!

## Seton Club Meeting
The Seton Club will be holding a very important meeting on **Wednesday, February 5th at 7 pm in the Sullivan Room.**

All members are encouraged to attend.

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## Candy Fundraiser

The Women’s Guild will be offering handmade candies for sale after all Masses next weekend, February 8 & 9 ... just in time for Valentine’s Day!

Choose from a wonderful assortment of fudge, brittles, truffles and more! They will make terrific gifts!

Come and join the women's book group!

On Thursday, February 13th from 7 to 8:30 pm we will be discussing,
"River of Fire: My Spiritual Journey" by Sister Helen Prejean.
RSVP to Beth & Geraldine @sesbookstudy@gmail.com

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## Adult Faith Formation

**Wednesday’s March 4th - April 15th**

As Catholics, we profess to believe in the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come, but what exactly does this mean? In this fundamental course, you will explore the origin, context, and meanings of the Christian beliefs about the afterlife in the New Testament, exploring the words of Jesus, the Gospels, the Apostles Peter and Paul and the Visions in the Apocalypse of John.

Mornings 10:00 - 11:30 am
Evenings 7:00 - 8:30 pm

To register call the Parish Office at 669-7444.
Are you interested in being a Eucharistic Minister or a Lector at St. Elizabeth Seton? Training will be taking place in the beginning of February. Call the Parish Office at 669-7444 for more information and to sign up!

**PARISH NURSE PROGRAMS**
Sponsored by CMC

**Tuesday, February 4, 2020**

**Free Blood Pressure Screening and Nurse Consultation**
from 8:30 - 10:30 am
in the Parish Activity Center

**Fit Forever Chair Exercise Program**
At 9 am in Room 10 of the Parish Activity Center. This program is a free workout at 3 different levels for men & women 55 and older.

**PLEASE NOTE: IF SCHOOL IS DELAYED OR CANCELLED THERE WILL BE NO PARISH NURSE PROGRAMS**

**Bereavement Support Group**
Have you or someone you know lost a loved one? Please join us for a 4 week Bereavement Support Group beginning on Wednesday, March 4th. Meetings will be held at 7:00 pm in Room 10 of the Parish Activity Center. No pre-registration is required.

Do you have used books you are looking to donate, OR are you looking for a new book to read?

For the month of February, Hannaford at 605 Mast Rd in Goffstown will donate the money raised for used books to St. Elizabeth Seton Youth for their service trips!

Hannaford at 4 Jenkins Road in Bedford will donate the money they raise for used books from March 1st - 21st!

**The Knights of Columbus is an international Order of Catholic men who are called to lead with faith, protect our families, serve others and defend values in a busy changing world. Msgr. Joseph M. Donahue Council 12988 here at St. Elizabeth Seton will be conducting a membership drive at all Masses this weekend, February 1st & 2nd. If you would like to join today, simply go to KofC.org/joinus and enter our council, 12988 for local information or see one of our Knights at the entrances of the church for first-hand information. Questions: contact Dave at 554-8585 or yeoldknight@comcast.net.**

**SHOPPING SUGGESTIONS:**
Soup  Cereal  Baked Beans  Tuna
Peanut Butter  Jelly  Spaghetti Sauce  Boxed Pasta
Pancake Mix  Canned Fruit  Pudding Mixes
Beef Stew  Juice  Coffee
Canned Meats/ Vegetables  Jello

Please bring items next weekend for the St. Raphael Food Pantry. Your generosity is greatly appreciated!

**Jr. High & HS LENT RETREAT**

WHEN: April 4th 2020 from 11 am to 4 pm
WHERE: St. Anselm’s College in Manchester, NH
WHO: All students in Jr. High and High School
WHAT: A dynamic retreat led by St. Anselm’s college students to learn and experience the Lenten season
Cost $10 per student, contact sesalex@comcast.net for more information, sign up genius to follow!
### Sunday - Wednesday

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### Tween Fun Night

**“FORTIFIED”**
OUR BODIES ARE GIFTS FROM GOD! HOW DO YOU TAKE CARE OF THIS GIFT?
FEBRUARY 2ND
1-2:30 PM
MEET IN THE YOUTH ROOM

Saturday March 7th from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.
SERVICE, LEARNING AND THE MOST FULFILLING TIME YOU’VE EVER HAD BEING HUNGRY
For all High School teens
Registration opens January 31st, 2020
Info packet and forms available at the parish website under youth ministry tab.

Adult chaperones/helpers needed!
Contact sesalex@comcast.net for more information

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### GOD IS DOING A NEW THING.

**JULY 10TH- 12TH**
KINGSTON, RI
AN ENERGETIC, EPIC, LIFE CHANGING 3 DAY CONFERENCE-- ALL HIGH SCHOOL TEENS WELCOME!
REGISTRATION OPEN!
CONTACT ALEX at SESALEX@COMCAST.NET
Jason Evert is a bestselling author of more than 15 books and has spoken to more than one million people on six continents. For more about Jason, please visit chastity.com If you are interest in attending this event, contact Alex at sesalex@comcast.net

ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION
Sign up by March 20, 2020

Bishop Peter A. Libasci invites all couples celebrating an anniversary in 2020 of 10, 15, 20, 30, 35, 40, 45 or 55+ years, to attend the Spring Wedding Anniversary Mass. This celebration will be held on Sunday, April 19th at 2:00 p.m., at St. Joseph Cathedral, Manchester.

To register, please contact the parish office at 669-7444 by March 20th.

The parish office will gather and submit all necessary information. Once registration has been completed by the parish office, all registrants will receive an invitation to this special celebration. Couples celebrating anniversaries of 5, 25, or 50 years will be asked to register later for a fall celebration. To all other married couples, congratulations and we look forward to seeing you at this spring’s Wedding Anniversary Mass!

Parish Activities
Basketball Program...............Jay Brewster (488-1333)
Parish Nurse Program.....Diana Niemann (668-8490)
Knights of Columbus .........Jonathan Fiore (548-3274)
Women’s Guild ...............Lynne Roselius (204-8158)
................................Darlene Sargent (641-1973)
Seton Club.......................Bill Toolin (472-5428)
Cub Scouts.......................Dan Jobin (644-0159)

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
Wednesdays from 6-7 pm
Thursdays from 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m

Coffee, Pastries and Juice (Sept – June)
Available in the Church Hall after the 7:30, 9:00 and 10:30 a.m. Masses. All are welcome.

Fix-It Team
The goal of the Fix-It Team is to keep the home environment a safe and healthy place. If someone is in need of assistance, contact the Parish Office.

Prayer Line
Please call Rosemary at 623-3925 or Lorraine at 472-3020 with special prayer needs.

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Every Saturday from 3:15-4:00 pm, or by appointment

Sacrament of Baptism
Second and last Sunday of every month at 1:30 pm. Call the Parish Office at 669-7444 to schedule

Sacrament of Matrimony
Diocesan policy states that the couple must contact the parish priest at least six months before the intended wedding date, prior to making any other arrangements.

Readings for the week of February 2, 2020
Sunday: Mal 3:1-4/Ps 24:7, 8, 9, 10 [10b]/Heb 2:14-18/Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22-32
Monday: 2 Sm 15:13-14, 30; 16:5-13/Ps 3:2, 3, 4, 5, 6 [8a]/Mk 5:1-20
Tuesday: 2 Sm 18:9-10, 14b, 24-25a, 30—19:3/Ps 86:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 [1a]/Mk 5:21-43
Wednesday: 2 Sm 24:2, 9/Ps 32:1 [cf. 5c]/Mk 6:1-6
Thursday: 1 Kgs 2:1, 4, 10, 12/1 Chr 29:10, 11ab, 11d-12a, 12bcd [12b]/Mk 6:7-13 this is correct
Friday: Sir 47:2 [47b]/Ps 18:31, 47 and 50, 51 [cf. 47b]/Mk 6:14-29
Saturday: 1 Kgs 3:4-13/Ps 119:9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 [12b]/Mk 6:30-34
Next Sunday: Is 58:7-10/Ps 112:4, 5, 6, 7 [cf. 4a]/1 Cor 2:1-5/Mt 5:13-16
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