



# SAINT ELIZABETH ANN SETON CHURCH

A Parish of the Diocese of Greensburg



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Office Hours: Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri 9:00 am-1:00 pm  
Closed on Wednesday

"A Pennsylvania Charitable Trust"

APRIL 10, 2022

| PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

**WELCOME:** New parishioners are most welcome! Please contact the parish office to register.

## MASS TIMES

### WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday - 8:30 a.m.

No Mass on Wednesday

1st Saturday (Healing Mass) - 8:30 a.m.

### WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday 4:00 p.m.

Sunday 8:30 a.m.

11:30 a.m.

## SACRAMENTS

**Confession** -Saturday 11:00 a.m. or by appointment

**Baptism** - To arrange your child's Baptism & Preparation, contact Jen Wilson to schedule.

**Weddings** - Saturdays at 1:30 pm or earlier. The engaged couple should contact the office at least 6 months in advance to schedule.

**Ministry to the Homebound**—To arrange Eucharist for the homebound OR to volunteer as a Eucharistic Minister for the homebound, contact Julie at the parish office.

**Prayer**—The church is open daily 8am-4pm for private prayer.

**Emergency Anointing of the sick:** Call 866-455-0224



## MASS INTENTIONS



### Saturday, April 9, 2022

4:00 pm +Andrew Rupchak (Joe & Marlene Fillar)

### Sunday, April 10, 2022 **Palm Sunday**

8:30 am +Margaret Sukla (Ed Luckasevic family)

11:30 am +Donna Marie Steiner (family)

### Monday, April 11, 2022

8:30 am +Rose Marie Kulha (William & Margaret Meighan)

### Tuesday, April 12, 2022

8:30 am +Robert Moineau (Julie & Bob Henry)

### Thursday, April 14, 2022 **Holy Thursday**

**No morning mass**

**6:30 pm** +For the Parish family

### Friday, April 15, 2022 **Good Friday**

**1:00 pm** +Liturgy of the Lord's Passion

6:30 pm +Stations of the Cross

### Saturday, April 16, 2022 **Holy Saturday**

**8:30 pm** +Vigil Mass for the Parish

### Sunday, April 17, 2022 **Easter Sunday**

8:30 am +For the Parish

10:30 am +For the Parish (*note time of Mass*)

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## LITURGICAL MINISTERS

**April 14, 15, 16, & 17** (Does not reflect recent changes)

**Holy Thursday, April 14: 6:30 pm Mass** Greeter: J. Gazda  
Altar Server: N. Kelly, P. Thornburg EM: K. Campbell, R.  
Lindow Lector 1: K. Lindow Lector 2: R. Martin Cantor: J.  
Perozich Usher: D. Campbell, J. Gergely Sacristan: R.  
Martin

**Good Friday, Fri, April 15: 1:00 pm Passion of our Lord**  
Altar Server: N. Kelly, P. Thornburg EM: R. Lindow, A.  
Peklansky Lector 1: K. Zula, Lector 2: K. Lindow, Cantor: J.  
Perozich Usher: D. Campbell, M. Unnone Sacristan: R.  
Martin

**Good Friday 6:30 pm Stations of the Cross** Altar Server: (2  
needed) Lector: A. Santavicca

**Sat, April 16 Mass Easter Vigil 8:30 pm Mass**—Greeter: (1  
or 2 needed) Altar Server: N. Kelly, A. Gillespie EM: K.  
Campbell, R. Lindow Lector 1: K. Lindow Lector 2: R.  
Martin Cantor: J. Perozich Usher: D. Campbell, J. Gergely  
**Sun, April 17 Mass Easter Sunday 8:30 am Mass**—Greeter:  
P. Yablonsky Altar Server: L. Peters, W. Peters EM: J.  
Butler, G. Butler, A. Peklansky Lector 1: J. Antol Lector 2:  
B. Unnone Cantor: C. Veitz Usher: R. Sabol, M. Unnone, P.  
Yablonsky, L. Veitz

**11:30 am Mass Easter Sunday**—Greeter: S. Kovac, R.  
Denicola Altar Server: P. Thornburg, Z. Hoffman EM: G.  
Henderson, A. Denicola Lector 1: J. Montore Lector 2: D.  
Bayless Cantor: J. Woody Usher: D. Kovac, J. Montore,  
R. Henry, R. Hoffman

## STEWARDSHIP

**March 27, 2022**

Regular Offertory \$5,808.00

Loose Collection \$623.00

Online Giving (OSV) \$2,021.00

**Thank you for your generosity and support!**

## SIGN UP FOR ONLINE GIVING

Our Sunday Visitor Online giving is easy & convenient  
Website Here: <https://www.osvhub.com/stelizabeth-ann-seton-church/select>

## PRAYER REQUESTS

### Home with the Lord

Please pray for all of our faithful departed  
especially for Grace Bindas. May her soul, and all  
the souls of the faithful departed, rest in peace.  
Amen.

**Have A Prayer Request Or Need A Pastoral Visit?**

Contact the Parish Office 724-864-6364







## TODAY WE BEGIN HOLY WEEK

*Throughout the world, in every Catholic Church, we will celebrate three great days. Holy Thursday, Good Friday, and Holy Saturday, called the Triduum, is our annual retreat as a community.*

**I encourage you to participate...Make time...Bring your children. These are the days when we tell the full story of how we came to be and who we are as Christians.**

***Holy Thursday*** (6:30 pm ~ *Mass of the Lord's Supper*) is reserved for one celebration of our Lord's Last Supper. We hear the command of Jesus to wash each other's feet, to be humble servants of one another. As servants, we are invited to join in the sacrificial meal that makes present Jesus in this world, in this time and in this place. The Mass of the Lord's Supper ends with a procession of the Blessed Sacrament from the church to the Eucharistic chapel of reserve to signify Christ time in the garden and captivity.



Tradition on this night calls us to return to the church to spend time with Jesus recalling the great sufferings he is about to undertake for us.

***On Good Friday*** (1:00 pm ~ *Good Friday Service*) we remember our Lord's passion and death. Each year we hear the story from Saint John's Gospel. We pray for all the needs of the world and then we are invited to come forward and venerate the cross, showing our gratitude for the suffering of Jesus and uniting our suffering to his.



***Holy Saturday night*** (8:30 pm ~ *Easter Vigil*) is the holiest of all nights of the year. The service lasts longer than most because it is the night we tell our whole story. It begins with the lighting of the Easter Fire and the blessing and lighting of the Easter Candle, a sign of the presence of Christ. All worshipers are given a candle, lit from the one candle. Then the Easter Proclamation is sung, an ancient song so holy it

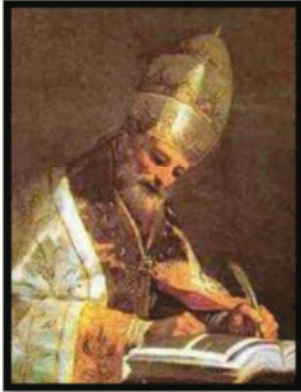
is sung only once a year. It is on this night that new members of the community are baptized, confirmed, and received into our church. We join them in the great renunciation of sin and profession of faith. This service is longer, but it is so filled with imagery and the triumphant proclamation of the truth, that even small children are interested. And if they fall asleep on mom's lap or dad's shoulder—how lovely.



## HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE



## From a sermon by Saint Leo the Great, pope contemplating the Lord's passion:



True reverence for the Lord's passion means fixing the eyes of our heart on Jesus crucified and recognizing in him our own humanity.

The earth – our earthly nature – should tremble at the suffering of its Redeemer. The rocks – the hearts of unbelievers – should burst asunder. The dead, imprisoned in the tombs of their mortality, should come forth, the massive stones now ripped apart. Foreshadowings of the future resurrection should appear in the holy city, the Church of God: what is to happen to our bodies should now take place in our hearts.

No one, however weak, is denied a share in the victory of the cross. No one is beyond the help of the prayer of Christ. His prayer brought benefit to the multitude that raged against him. How much more does it bring to those who turn to him in repentance.

Ignorance has been destroyed, obstinacy has been overcome. The sacred blood of Christ has quenched the flaming sword that barred access to the tree of life. The age-old night of sin has given place to the true light.

The Christian people are invited to share the riches of paradise. All who have been reborn have the way open before them to return to their native land, from which they had been exiled. Unless indeed they close off for themselves the path that could be opened before the faith of a thief.

The business of this life should not preoccupy us with its anxiety and pride, so that we no longer strive with all the love of our heart to be like our Redeemer, and to follow his example. Everything that he did or suffered was for our salvation: he wanted his body to share the goodness of its head.

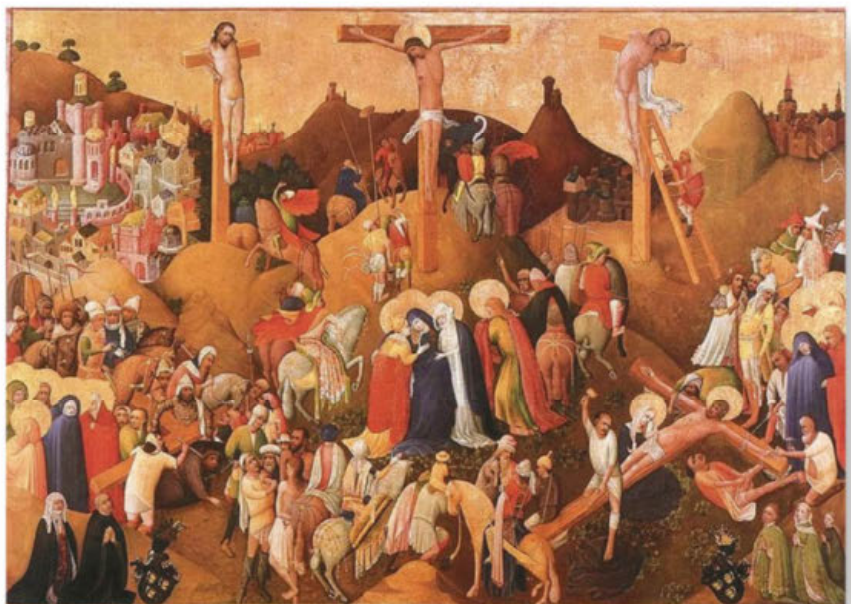
First of all, in taking our human nature while remaining God, so that *the Word became man*, he left no member of the human race, the unbeliever excepted, without a share in his mercy. Who does not share a common nature with Christ if he has welcomed Christ, who took our nature, and is reborn in the Spirit through whom Christ was conceived?

Again, who cannot recognize in Christ his own infirmities? Who would not recognize that Christ's eating and sleeping, his sadness and his shedding of tears of love are marks of the nature of a slave?

It was this nature of a slave that had to be healed of its ancient wounds and cleansed of the defilement of sin. For that reason the only-begotten Son of God became also the son of man. He was to have both the reality of a human nature and the fullness of the godhead.

The body that lay lifeless in the tomb is ours. The body that rose again on the third day is ours. The body that ascended above all the heights of heaven to the right hand of the Father's glory is ours. If then we walk in the way of his commandments, and are not ashamed to acknowledge the price he paid for our salvation in a lowly body, we too are to rise to share his glory. The promise he made will be fulfilled in the sight of all:

*Who ever acknowledges me before men, I too will acknowledge him before my Father who is in heaven.*



## PARISH PRAYER LIST

Please keep the following in your prayers as well as all of our homebound parishioners.



## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord, April 10, 2022

### SUNDAY'S READINGS -

#### First Reading:

I gave my back to those who beat me,  
my cheeks to those who plucked my beard;  
my face I did not shield  
from buffets and spitting. (Is 50:6)

#### Psalm:

My God, my God, why have you abandoned me? (Ps 22)

#### Second Reading:

He humbled himself,  
becoming obedient to the point of death,  
even death on a cross.

Because of this, God greatly exalted him. (Phil 2:8-9)

#### Gospel:

Jesus cried out in a loud voice,  
"Father, into your hands I commend my spirit";  
and when he had said this he breathed his last. (Lk 23:46)



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## READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF APRIL 10, 2022

Sunday: Lk 19:28-40/Is 50:4-7/Ps 22:8-9, 17-18, 19-20, 23-24 [2a]/Phil 2:6-11/ Lk 22:14—23:56 or 23:1-49

Monday: Is 42:1-7/Ps 27:1, 2, 3, 13-14/Jn 12:1-11

Tuesday: Is 49:1-6/Ps 71:1-2, 3-4a, 5ab-6ab, 15 and 17/Jn 13:21-33, 36-38

Wednesday: Is 50:4-9a/Ps 69:8-10, 21-22, 31 and 33-34/Mt 26:14-25

Thursday: *Chrism Mass*: Is 61:1-3a, 6a, 8b-9/Ps 89:21-22, 25 and 27/Rv 1:5-8/Lk 4:16-21

*Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper*: Ex 12:1-8, 11-14/ Ps 116:12-13, 15-16abc, 17-18/1 Cor 11:23-26/Jn 13:1-15

Friday: Is 52:13—53:12/Ps 31:2, 6, 12-13, 15-16, 17, 25/Heb 4:14-16; 5:7-9/ Jn 18:1—19:42

Saturday: *Vigil*: Gn 1:1—2:2 or 1:1, 26-31a/Ps 104:1-2, 5-6, 10, 12, 13-14, 24, 35 [30] or Ps 33:4-5, 6-7, 12-13, 20-22 [5b]/Gn 22:1-18 or 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18/ Ps 16:5, 8, 9-10, 11 [1]/Ex 14:15—15:1/Ex 15:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 17-18 [1b]/ Is 54:5-14/ Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11-12, 13 [2a]/Is 55:1-11/Is 12:2-3, 4, 5-6 [3]/ Bar 3:9-15, 32—4:4/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11/Ez 36:16-17a, 18-28/ Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 18-19 [12a]/Rom 6:3-11/Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23/Lk 24:1-12

Next Sunday: Acts 10:34a, 37-43/Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23 [24]/Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8/ Jn 20:1-9 or Lk 24:1-12 or, Lk 24:13-35

Betsy Bachy, Ryan Bisignani, Sheldon Blon, Paul Boulware, Loretta Brkovich, Patty Bulloch, Joseph Campolo, Lucy Caparell, Vincent Cheripka, Beth Cicchino, Wendy Cieslewicz, Shari Coulehan, \*Debbie Crnkovic, Maria DiBiase, Linda Davis, \*Tiffany Catania Donovan, RoseAnn Downey, Taylor Ebert, Kathleen Fairchild, Charles Fazio, Carmen Fennel, Sue Ference, Nancy Flenner, Ginger Flynn, Roger Galket, Mia Gill, Joann Guercio, Theresa Henninger, Regina Hipple, Luna Holt, Ken Horvath, Margie Howard, George Huss, Max Jackowski, Melissa Mathias Karabin, Michael Kaufman, Kelly Klein, Gary Kline, Ed Kohler, Bill Kohler, Ed Koncerak, Randy Kresic, Bernice Krupey, Pam Lapek, Ann Lofstrom, David Machek, Tom Maguire, John Malinowski, Hazel Manclark, \*Helen Matava, Kevin McCabe, McGowan Family, Joy McKnight, Herbert McLaughlin, Tosh Miklovic, Dan Miklovic, Harry R. Miller, James T. Miller, Father John, Doris Montore, Dave Morris, Maureen Nemcsik, Frances Nosich, Carol Ann O'Rourke, Louis Patil, Debby Pazeoski, Karen Piper, Judy Ponitz, Sydney Puckey, Michelle Ratesic, Mickey and Patrick Ratesic, \*Helen Sabol, Kathy Sadusky, Sabrina (Bachorski) Safranski, Giovanna Bernadette Safranski, Maureen Serafin, Dee Simkovic, Todd Shoaf, Daniel Slates,\*John Sokolowski, Mary Anne Sombo, Daryl Stanko, Fr. Len Stoviak, Karen Swenson, Baby Izak Szymczak, John Wilson, Russ Yeager, Joan Yuhas, Michael Yuhas.

To add or remove a name, please call the office.



## Memorial Requests:

April 9-15

Sanctuary Candle: **Jean M. Lynch** (Bill & Kathleen Bellis)

## Saint Peregrine & Saint John Neumann

St. Peregrine:

April 2—15

*Intention for Sean Pollock*

(Mark & Laura Pollock)

Contact the parish office to schedule a Memorial gift or the Votive candles for St. Peregrine or St. John Neumann. The requested donation is \$20 for 7-day memorial gifts, and \$25 for St. Peregrine & St. John Neumann 14 day votives.



**SVDP Clothing Collection:** the next collection weekends will be *April 9/10 & April 23/24*. For more info, contact Julie McNamara at 412-310-1505.

**Dementia Support Group** --- This group is for anyone dealing with a loved one who has dementia. It is an informal, faith-based gathering of caregivers who pray together, share mutual challenges, and learn new ways to cope and know that you are not alone! Dementia Friendly Faith Community Support Group meets on the first Tuesday of the month at 6:30 pm in the Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish Center. **The next meeting date is Tuesday, May 3rd.** For more information, contact Gail Henderson at 412-848-2076 or email her at [gailhend@comcast.net](mailto:gailhend@comcast.net) or contact the St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish office at 724-864-6364.



**Stations of the Cross** will be held on Good Friday at **6:30 pm**.

*"We Adore You, O Christ, and we praise you; because by Your holy Cross, You have redeemed the world".*

**Parish Office**— The Parish office will be closed on Good Friday & Easter Monday, April 15 to 18th, so that our parish staff may enjoy time with their family. It will reopen on Tuesday, April 19th.



**Ministry to the Homebound**— We are in need of volunteers who are willing to take communion to the homebound. You do not have to be a commissioned Eucharistic Minister - but training as well as clearances are required. Our homebound parishioners truly appreciate staying in touch with their parish family and being able to receive our Lord in Holy Communion. If you are interested, contact Julie at the Parish Office.

### Blessing of the Easter Basket



The blessing of the Easter Food Basket has been a cherished Catholic ritual for centuries among families of Eastern European origin and adopted by people of all ethnic backgrounds who enjoy this richly symbolic custom.

On Holy Saturday, families would prepare their Easter Baskets to be later blessed at church. After Easter Sunday's Resurrection Mass, the family and guests would share this blessed fare and exchange good wishes. The Christian significance of Easter is symbolized in the foods used for the Holiday feast. Baskets are lined with a white cloth and decorated with ribbons and greenery to symbolize Spring, renewal, and the Resurrection.

Traditionally, the baskets would include: decorated hardboiled eggs (representing Christ's Resurrection), lambshaped butter or sugar (representing Christ as the "Lamb of God"), bread (symbolic of Jesus as the "Bread of Life"), ham (symbolic of great joy and abundance), sausage (symbolic of God's favor and generosity), smoked bacon (symbolic of the overabundance of God's mercy), some prefer lamb (representing Christ as the "Lamb of God"), salt (symbolic of prosperity and justice and to remind us "You are the salt of the earth"), cheese (symbolizes the moderation Christians should have at all times), horseradish & pepper (symbolic of the Passion of Christ and the bitter herbs of the Passover). A white candle is often inserted into the basket to represent Christ as the "Light of the World." Lastly, the basket is cover with linen symbolizing the covering of Christ's shroud.

This deeply rooted tradition is as richly symbolic as it is heart-warming. Children are eager to help prepare and decorate the family basket and later, proudly carry it into church on Holy Saturday for the blessing. Some families with small children have their "little-ones" carry their very own decorated basket filled with fruits, a chocolate bunny or some other treat to be blessed. The foods included within any basket can be easily personalized.

Please join us with your unique baskets for a brief blessing on **Holy Saturday at noon** as we share this beloved tradition with our parish family.

## SAINT ELIZABETH ANN SETON

### PRAYER TO SAINT MICHAEL

*Saint Michael, the Archangel, defend us in battle; be our defense against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly host, by the power of God, thrust into Hell Satan and the other evil spirits who prowl about the world for the ruin of souls. Amen.*

**GLORIA** - Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us, . For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

### NICENE CREED

I believe in one God,  
the Father almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth,  
of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,  
the Only Begotten Son of God,  
born of the Father before all ages.  
God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God,  
begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father;  
through him all things were made.  
For us men and for our salvation  
he came down from heaven,

*and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary,  
and became man.*

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate,  
he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures.  
He ascended into heaven  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again in glory  
to judge the living and the dead  
and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,  
who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified,  
who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church.

I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins  
and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead  
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

*Join us as we sing Praises to our Lord  
Today's Hymns found in the Breaking Bread Hymnal  
**April 9/10 Palm Sunday***

**Gathering: #138 All Glory, Laud, and Honor**

**Presentation of Gifts: #150 O Sacred Head, Surrounded**

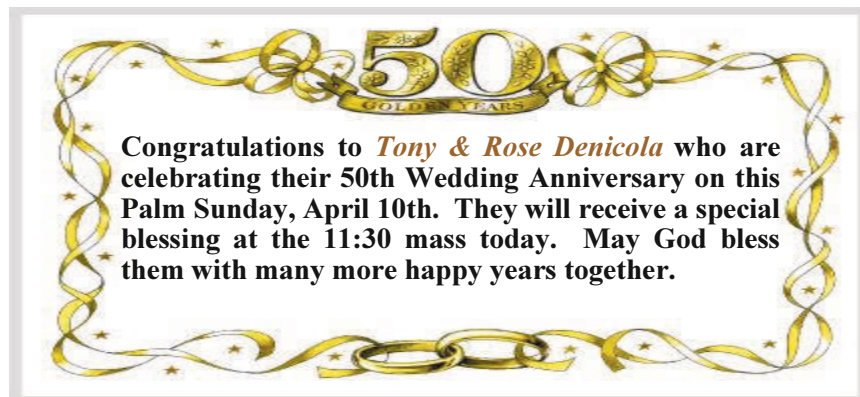
**Communion: #503 We Remember**

**Closing: #715 Lift High the Cross**

**Hosanna to Our King!** (Prelude song at 8:30 am mass only)

Hosanna, sing hosanna! hosanna blessed is He  
hosanna, sing hosanna , hosanna blessed is He!

1. He rides through Jerusalem savior is He,  
palms we wave to adore! Little donkey carry our King,  
Hosanna let us all sing!
2. Wave our palm branches high, hosanna to our King!  
we sing our praise to You, Jesus our King,  
hosanna let us all sing!



*With the joy of Baptism, we welcome into the family of God, **Olivia Lorena Gutierrez**, daughter of Juan & Ariana, who was baptized on April 3rd. We offer our love and best wishes to Olivia and her family.*





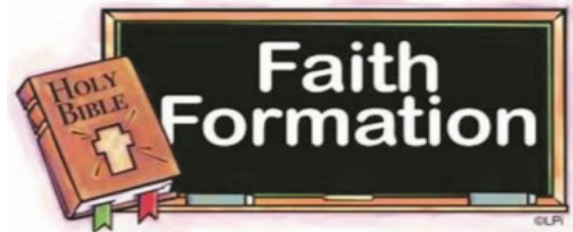


## Angel's Corner

**Queen of Angels Catholic School** - Congratulations to Clare Katona who was awarded the Student Spotlight Award at the fourth annual *A Celebration of Catholic Schools Breakfast* on March 24, 2022 at Stratigos Banquet Centre. This award is in recognition of exceptional student achievements. Clare is in the 4<sup>th</sup> grade and is pictured with her parents, Jean & Kevin Katona, her principal, Ms. Jennifer Filak, and her pastor and Chair of the Board of Trust Administrators at Queen of Angels Catholic School, Father John Moineau. We are so proud of you, Clare!



**Early Bulletin Deadlines**—please note that due to the upcoming Holy Week/Easter Season there are early deadlines. Contact Julie at the office if you plan to submit an article.



### Grades 1-5:

All Sacramental Preparation students preparing for First Holy Communion have a parent child workshop on April 3rd from 12:30-3:30 PM. Lunch will be served. This is a requirement for all children and parents who will receive the sacrament of the Eucharist on April 30.

Faith Formation continues on April 10th. Please join us for 8:30 AM mass beforehand and class afterwards!

*Please keep our students who will receive First Holy Communion on April 30th in your prayers!*

### Grades 9-12:

412 Youth High School Ministry - Join us Sundays during Lent at 6 PM in the Youth Building for *The Second Greatest Story Ever Told; Divine Mercy*. This series explores how God worked in both the World Wars and where the Divine Mercy devotion came from. All students in grades 9-12 are invited!

*~Jen Wilson, DRE & SYM Coordinator*

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*Immaculate Conception*

**EASTER EGG HUNT**

**16TH APRIL**

**AFTER THE BASKET BLESSING (11am) IN THE LOWER LOT**

**AGES 2-10 WELCOME! BRING YOUR OWN BASKET**

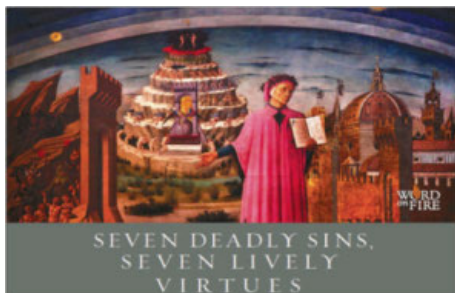
**SNACKS AND PRIZES WILL BE PROVIDED**

No registration necessary. In the event of rain, Egg hunt will be in Our Lady's Plaza. Contact Susan with questions [skcheplc@dioceseofgreensburg.org](mailto:skcheplc@dioceseofgreensburg.org)

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## SAINT ELIZABETH ANN SETON



Deacon Jeff invites you to join him on **Monday evenings during Lent at 6:30 pm in Mack Hall** at Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton Church

Fifth Session: Avarice and Generosity (4/4/22)

Sixth Session: Gluttony and Asceticism, Lust & Chastity (4/11/22)

**INVITE A FRIEND, A NEIGHBOR OR ANOTHER PARISHIONER TO JOIN YOU!**

### Around the Diocese

**Fish fries, Lenten dinners scheduled around the Diocese**

Greensburg: Our Lady of Grace Parish, 1011 Mount Pleasant Road, Fridays, 11 a.m.-1 p.m. and 4-7 p.m.

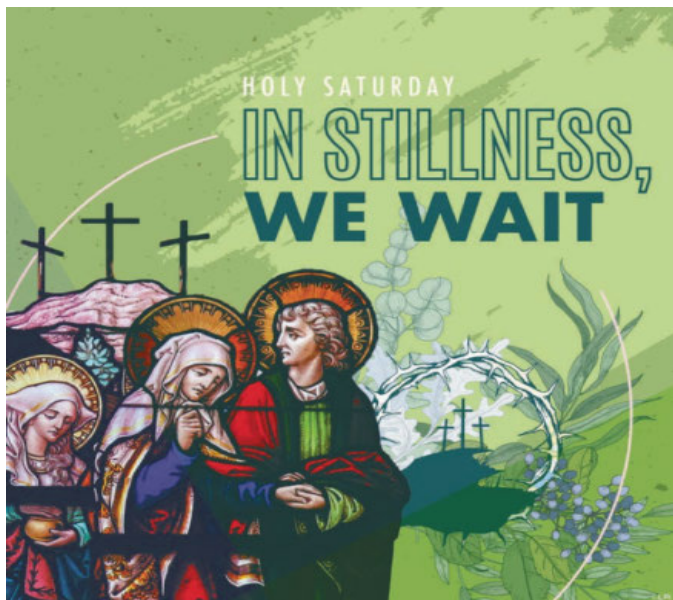
Drive-thru only, Information: 724-836-8157



Greensburg: St. Bruno Parish center, 1729 Poplar St., Fridays, 4-7 p.m. and Good Friday, 2:30-7 p.m., Drive-thru takeout only, Information: 724-836-0690

Jeannette: Sacred Heart Parish school cafeteria, North Seventh St., Fridays (including Good Friday), 4-7 p.m. Takeout only (call 724-527-9940 after 2 p.m.)

North Huntingdon: St. Agnes Parish, 11400 St. Agnes Lane, Fridays, 2-7 p.m., Takeout only, Information: 724-863-2626 or [stagneschurch.info](mailto:stagneschurch.info)



**NCYC trip**—Noah Kelly will be attending the NCYC trip in November and will be traveling with the St. Barbara youth group. This Easter Egg event is to raise funds for their trip.

**ST. BARBARA YOUTH MINISTRY PRESENTS:**

# EASTER EGG MY YARD

25 Eggs for \$20  
50 Eggs for \$35  
75 Eggs for \$50  
100 Eggs for \$65

Eggs will be filled with nut free candy and/or small toys and hidden in your yard between 7-11pm on Saturday, April 16 by St. Barbara's very own Easter Bunny Helpers.

*Return form to the office or collection basket by April 13 or Register online at:*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address for Eggs: \_\_\_\_\_

Total Enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ # of Eggs



### Parishes seek director of religious education

The parishes of St. Edward, Herminie, and Seven Dolors, Yukon, are looking for a faith-filled, energetic, organized, practicing Catholic who has a passion for developing the faith of parish youth and young adults and making them disciples. Responsibilities include, but are not limited to: plan and direct the parish Faith Formation/Youth Ministry programs (grades 1-12); coordinate sacramental preparation for First Holy Communion and Confirmation; coordinate Vacation Bible School and Bible studies; and provide additional ministries to all aspects of the parishes. Those interested are asked to contact Father Vincent Concepcion at [stedward@DioceseofGreensburg.org](mailto:stedward@DioceseofGreensburg.org).

# 2022 Penance Service, Holy Week & Easter Schedule



## COMMUNITY PENANCE SERVICES

Tuesday, April 5..... 6:30 p.m.  
Immaculate Conception, Irwin  
Wednesday, April 6..... 6:30 p.m.  
St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, N. Huntingdon  
Thursday, April 7..... 6:30 p.m.  
St. Agnes, N. Huntingdon

*Please see parish bulletin for additional confession schedules.*

## 2022 MASS SCHEDULES

	<u>St. Agnes</u>	<u>Immaculate Conception</u>	<u>St. Elizabeth Ann Seton</u>
<b>Holy Thursday, April 14</b> Mass of the Lord's Supper	7:00 p.m.	6:30 p.m.	6:30 p.m.
<b>Good Friday, April 15</b> Stations of the Cross Liturgy of the Lord's Passion Divine Mercy Stations of the Cross & Veneration Tenebrae	12:00 noon 1:30 p.m. 3:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. —	— 12:00 noon 3:00 p.m. 8:00 a.m. 7:30 p.m.	— 1:00 p.m. <u>6:30 pm</u> —
<b>Holy Saturday, April 16</b> Divine Mercy Blessing of Easter Baskets Easter Vigil	11:30 a.m. 12:00 noon 8:30 p.m.	— 11:00 a.m. 8:30 p.m.	— 12:00 noon 8:30 p.m.
<b>Easter Sunday, April 17</b> Masses	7:15 a.m. 9:00 a.m. 11:15 a.m.	7:00 a.m. 8:30 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 11:30 a.m.	8:30 a.m. — 10:30 a.m.

*I have been crucified with Christ and the life I live now is not my own; Christ is living in me. I still live my human life but it is a life of faith in the Son of God who loved me and gave Himself for me.*

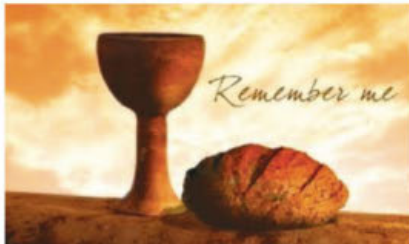
~Galatians 2:19 – 20



## HOLY WEEK 2022 begins with

### Palm Sunday (April 10)

Regular Mass times are Saturday at 4:00 pm, Sunday at 8:30 & 11:30 am. Today's readings show how quickly the cries of "Hosanna!" become "Crucify Him".



### Holy Thursday (April 14)

Join us for the **Mass of the Lord's Supper** on **Holy Thursday at 6:30 pm**. Following Mass, there will be **Eucharistic Adoration before the Blessed Sacrament until 11:00 pm**. Come spend some quiet time of prayer and adoration before the Lord.

### Good Friday (April 15)

**Good Friday is a day of Fast and Abstinence.** **Fasting** involves eating only one full meal that day, with two smaller meals possible. Those between the ages of 18 and 59 inclusive are bound to **FAST**.

**Abstinence** means not eating meat or meat products. All Fridays during Lent are days of Abstinence. Abstinence is to be observed for everyone over the age of 14.

**The Liturgy of the Lord's Passion** (also known as the Mass of the Pre-sanctified) **will be held at 1:00 pm on Good Friday**. This is not a Mass at all but an old name for the Good Friday service which includes Communion "presanctified" (consecrated the night before). Good Friday remains the only day of the year without a celebration of the Eucharist ("The Eucharist - Jesus - has died").

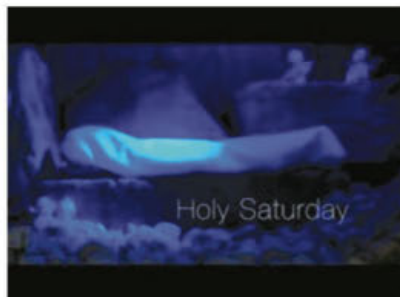
**Stations of the Cross**—6:30 pm.



### Holy Saturday (April 16)

#### Blessing of the Easter baskets—Noon

**Vigil Mass**—Did you know..... Easter is so special that we even have to wait for the heavens to be just right. It happens once a year on the first Sunday after the first full moon after the first day of Spring. The Easter Vigil is a special Mass that is the start of Easter. It begins after sunset when it's dark on the night before Easter Sunday. This is the night when the Church baptizes adults.



During the Vigil Mass, we recall God's saving actions throughout history. There are as many as seven readings from the Bible. They recall the seven days of Creation, the Israelites crossing the Red Sea, the prophets pointing the way toward the Messiah, and Christ's Passion, death, and Resurrection.

**The Vigil Mass here at SEAS begins at 8:30 pm.** We hope that you will be able to join us for this very special liturgy.

### Easter Sunday, April 17

The **Easter Sunday Mass** schedule is **8:30 am and 10:30 am**.

Please note the change in Sunday Mass time for Easter Sunday.





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