



# ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH  
LAKE RIDGE, VA

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Blessed are  
those who  
have not seen  
and have  
*believed*

JOHN 20:29

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April 7, 2024 | DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

**PARISH OFFICE:**  
12807 Valleywood Drive  
Lake Ridge, VA 22192

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Mon. & Wed.: 9:00am - 8:00pm  
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**CONFSSION SCHEDULE:**  
**Monday:** 7:00pm – 7:45pm  
**Friday:** 9:30am – 10:00am  
**Saturday:** 3:30pm – 4:30pm

**MASS SCHEDULE:**  
Daily: Monday - Saturday: 9:00am  
(Rosary at 8:25am)

**Saturday Vigil:** 5:00pm  
**Sun.:** 7:30am, 9:00am, 10:45am, 12:30pm  
**First Friday Evening Mass:** 7:00pm;  
(7:30pm during Lent)

**EUCARISTIC ADORATION:**  
**Tues/Thurs All Day Adoration:**  
9:30am - 8:30pm  
**Tuesdays Children's Adoration**  
4:00pm - 5:00pm  
**First Friday All Night Adoration:**  
7:30pm - 8:30am (Sat.)

**MOTHER SETON FOOD PANTRY**  
Thursday 12:00pm - 2:00pm

**MOTHER SETON GIFT SHOP**  
Sunday.....8:15am – 2:00pm  
Monday.....CLOSED  
Tues-Thurs.....9:30am – 12:00pm  
\*Friday.....CLOSED  
(\*5:00pm – 8:00pm during Lent)  
Saturday.....4:00pm – 6:30pm

**PARISH LIBRARY**  
Sunday.....8:15am – 2:00pm  
Mon/Wed.....9:00am – 8:00pm  
Tues/Thurs/Fri.....9:00am – 4:00pm  
Saturday.....3:30pm – 5:15pm

# WELCOME TO ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON CATHOLIC CHURCH

## PARISH MISSION AND VISION

Here at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church, it is our mission to grow with and accompany those within our parish boundaries, fostering a community that journeys together in the faith in a way that is personal, purposeful, and prayerful.

## New to the Parish?

Welcome to Seton Lake Ridge! We are excited to connect with you! Please complete your Parish Registration Card by stopping by the Parish Office or online at [setonlakeridge.org/parish-registration](http://setonlakeridge.org/parish-registration).

If you are a returning Catholic, we welcome you home. Everyone is invited to rediscover the gift of our faith and the unique role that each of us has in this family of God!

## Becoming Catholic (RCIA)

If you are interested in learning more about the Catholic faith and becoming Catholic, please contact our RCIA Director, Catherine Mays at [rcia@setonlakeridge.org](mailto:rcia@setonlakeridge.org).

## Baptisms

Holy Baptism is the basis of the whole Christian life; it is the gateway to life in the Spirit and the door which gives access to the other sacraments. At our parish, Baptisms occur every 2nd and 4th Sunday of the month. To register for the required Baptism Workshop and schedule a date for the Baptism, please contact the Parish Office.

## Matrimony – *Congratulations on your engagement!*

Registered Parishioners that wish to be married here or elsewhere, are asked to contact one of the Parish Clergy at least 6 months prior to their intended wedding date to begin the Pre-Cana preparation process.

## Blessings

Sacramental Blessings - Priest will bless Sacramentals Every 1st Saturday of the Month | After 9:00am Mass Near Baptismal Font

*Please Note: Previously blessed items are not to be blessed again.*

## Seeking information about the priesthood, diaconate, or consecrated religious life?

If you are seeking more information about *Holy Orders and Consecrated Life*, please contact one of the Parish Clergy or the Diocesan Office of Vocations (703-841-2514).

## Pastoral Care of the Sick

If there are any parishioners who are hospitalized or homebound, please notify us so that we may best assist and accompany them. **Holy Communion**, the **Sacraments of Penance**, and **Anointing of the Sick** are arranged by the Parish Office. In a danger-of-death situation, call the parish emergency line, 571- 455-0402.

## BULLETIN SUBMISSIONS

All submissions to the bulletin must be sent in using the *Communications Submission Form*. This form can be found on [setonlakeridge.org/bulletins](http://setonlakeridge.org/bulletins), and must be submitted on **Monday, two weeks before the Sunday publication date**. Note: Due to space limitations, submissions are not guaranteed a space.

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**Phone:** 703-491-4447 | **Fax:** 703-492-8828  
[www.quinastars.org](http://www.quinastars.org)

## FROM OUR DEACON

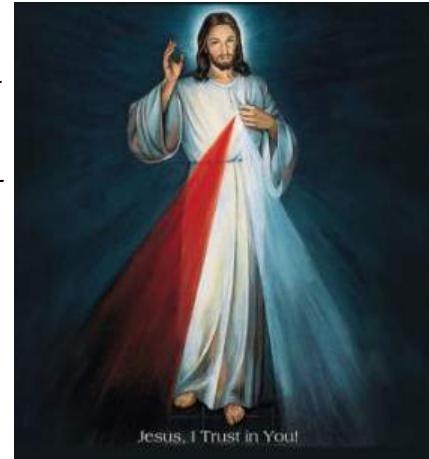


Today we celebrate the Feast of the Divine Mercy, also known as Divine Mercy Sunday. This feast is always celebrated on the Second Sunday of Easter and concludes the Octave of Easter. It is based on the devotion to the Divine Mercy that Sr. Faustina Kowalska, a Polish nun who lived from 1905-1938, reported as part of her encounters with Jesus. Sr. Faustina reported visions and visitations from Jesus and conversations with Him. During these encounters, Jesus asked her to paint the vision of His merciful divinity being poured from His Sacred Heart and specifically asked for a feast of Divine Mercy to be established on the first Sunday after Easter Sunday, so that mankind would take refuge in Him.

According to the diary of Sr. Faustina, the Feast of Divine Mercy receives from Jesus the biggest promises of grace related to the Devotion of Divine Mercy, in particular that **a person who goes to sacramental confession** (the confession may take place some days before) **and receives holy communion on that day, shall obtain the total expiation of all sins and punishment.** That means each person would go immediately after death to Heaven without suffering in Purgatory.

Most Catholics are familiar with the four conditions necessary to receive a plenary indulgence:

1. Sacramental confession
2. Holy Communion
3. Prayers for the intentions of the pope
4. Total detachment from sin, to include venial sin.



It is that 4<sup>th</sup> requirement – detachment from all sin – however, that usually prevents most of us from obtaining the plenary indulgence because we still have attachments to sin. On Divine Mercy Sunday, that condition does NOT apply. God has given us this great gift. He wants so badly for us to receive His mercy that He has, quite frankly, “lowered the bar” on this most special of days and He expects us to take advantage of it.

I hope you will take whatever steps you can to fulfill the conditions to receive the Divine Mercy that Our Lord so very much wants to extend to us, especially on this day. I also encourage each of you to contact your friends and relatives and especially those you know who have been away from the Church to come back to mass and confession so that they too may partake of Jesus’ Divine Mercy on this special feast day.

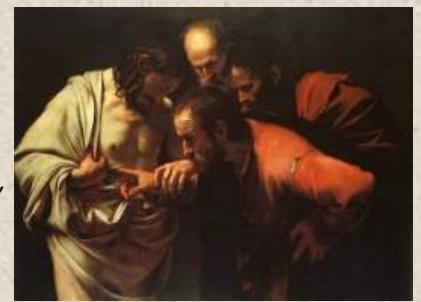
## WEEKLY REFLECTION

### Punishment and Grace At One and the Same Time

When Thomas wants to verify the wounds of Jesus. He does indeed make unreasonable demands. Nevertheless, Jesus gives in to them, which becomes the way he reprimands Thomas.

As soon as Jesus enters the closed doors for the second time – and Thomas sees him – it is very evident that it is really Jesus and that he is alive (Jn 20:24-29). Thomas’ demands of proof now look absurd and silly. Still, with unquestionable authority, Jesus encourages him to carry out his pointless investigation: “Put your finger here.”

Most probably, Thomas felt contrite. Sharing, he approached Jesus and felt for the wounds. Jesus has his own way of reprimanding. It is, at one and the same time, punishment and grace.



When Jesus gives in to Thomas’ request, he is thinking also of all those who in the future will be skeptical and have difficulties believing. Through the centuries, many have found consolation and strength to go on because of the disbelief of Thomas which was changed to belief! In the end, everything must serve God’s plan of salvation.

With a fantastic virtuosity God lets our sins and mistakes become blessings in a greater context. Naturally, they can become riches, to ourselves as well as to others.

It is an inexhaustible font of joy and praise to discover how everything works together for good when we let God take care of it.

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## FEATURED EVENTS AND INITIATIVES

### WELCOME TO THE CHURCH!

Congratulations to our newest members of the Catholic Church! For nearly 40 weeks, our RCIA Candidates and Catechumens embarked on a 9 month journey discovering and learning the Catholic faith. With much joy and excitement at the Easter Vigil Mass this past Saturday, through Baptism, Confirmation, and the Profession of Faith, we welcomed 29 of our friends to the Catholic Church.

The journey of faith began with your questions and grows with each Yes you give to God. *Welcome Home!*



### EUCARISTIC ENCOUNTER NIGHT

Tues. Beginning April 9 | 6:00pm – 7:30pm | Fellowship Hall

Strengthen your understanding and encounter with the Eucharist at our Eucharistic Encounter Nights. With the mission to create a space for people to deepen their relationships with Christ and learn more about the True Presence of Our Lord in the Eucharist, each session will consist of a light meal, video, and small group discussion, followed by Adoration in the Chapel at 7:30pm.

Encountering the Eucharist is a deep and personal experience unique to every individual, and whether you regularly spend time with Our Lord in Adoration or seek to, we encourage all to *come as you are*.

**RSVP is required for meal planning purposes.**

Scan the QR code above to register!

### DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY FEAST DAY CELEBRATION

Sunday, April 7 | 3:00pm | Main Church

In her diary, St. Faustina wrote that Jesus told her: "I desire that the Feast of Mercy be solemnly celebrated on the first Sunday after Easter."

Join us in celebrating this great Feast Day, April 7th at 3:00pm in the main church. Our celebration includes:

- Exposition of the Most Blessed Sacrament
- Veneration of the Divine Mercy Image
- Solemn singing of the Divine Mercy Chaplet
- Silent Adoration and Meditation
- Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament
- Eucharistic Blessing and Reposition
- Blessing of Divine Mercy Images

### VOLUNTEERS NEEDED TO PREPARE & DROP OFF FOOD FOR HOMELESS SHELTER FAMILIES

As a member church of the PWC Cooperative Council of Ministries (CCoM), our parish is honored to provide nutritious, balanced dinners for the families residing at the Hilda Barg Homeless Prevention Center (Woodbridge) 2wks each year. Our first week is scheduled for April 14-20, and the shelter is currently operating at capacity housing 10 adults and 16 children, ranging in age from one infant to two teens. Meals prepared should feed 30 adults which is enough to feed the children as well.

This is a wonderful opportunity to teach children compassion for the needy while earning Confirmation or community service hours by shopping for ingredients, helping with food prep, and cleaning up! Contact Betty Maher, Director of Human Concerns Outreach, at [b.maher@setonlakeridge.org](mailto:b.maher@setonlakeridge.org) 703.494.4008, ext. 105 to schedule a date for your family/group/ministry!



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# SCHOOL OF HEALING

2-DAY WEEKEND SCHOOL

ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON FELLOWSHIP HALL  
12807 VALLEYWOOD DRIVE, LAKE RIDGE, VA 22192

PRESENTERS

DR. KERRY MCMAHON, MD      FR. DIOGO ESCUDERO

MAY 3-4

QR code

## ENCOUNTER MINISTRIES: SCHOOL OF HEALING

2-Day Weekend School

Friday—Saturday, May 3-4 | Fellowship Hall | SPACE IS LIMITED!

Jesus promised “These signs will accompany those who believe... They will lay hands on the sick and they will recover.” (Mark 16:17) Jesus has called us to do what he did, and that includes healing the sick. This event is a two-day conference to teach, impart, and activate Christians to be more effective ministers of Jesus’ healing in the world. **Are you going to give Him the chance?** Scan the QR code to learn more about the School of Healing, Conference Schedule, or to Register!



## SPRING BLOCK PARTY

Saturday, May 18 | 1:00pm—9:00pm | Parish Grounds

Mark your calendars and save the date for our Spring Block Party! From good food, friendly competition, and more, we'll have something for everyone in the family to enjoy. All are invited to come and encouraged to bring family and friends along! Food trucks, Outdoor Games and Activities, Live Music and Entertainment, International Tasting, and more!

### Want to get involved?

If you are interested in volunteering for our Spring Block Party or representing your home country in our international food tasting, please contact [t.caldaro@setonlakeridge.org](mailto:t.caldaro@setonlakeridge.org)



Celebrate the Easter season with delicious baked goods from our American Heritage Girls. The bake sale will take place in the Fellowship Hall after all Masses **THIS WEEKEND**. Thank you for your support!



## FROM THE VCC COMMITTEE FAITHFUL CITIZENSHIP

How can we meet the challenge of genuine dialogue and openness to others?

St. Paul gives us a way: Put on “the mind of Christ” (1 Cor. 2:16). Take time away from social media and spend time with Holy Scripture and the Blessed Sacrament.

- Turn off the TV and the podcast, and listen in silence.
- Volunteer at a soup kitchen, a homeless shelter, a crisis pregnancy center.
- Serve the poor, the needy, and the outcast.
- Pray often, letting faith inform your political participation.

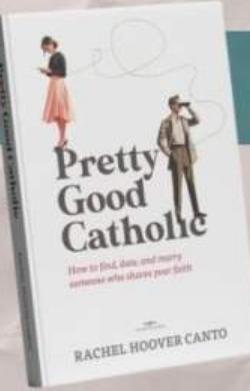


## KRISPY KREME FUNDRAISER FOR WORKCAMP 2024

After Masses April 14, 2024

WorkCamp teens and families will be selling Krispy Kreme donuts after all Masses next weekend to defray costs for attending WorkCamp. The fee for each teen is \$550, and this allows them to spend a week serving others through hard work at home repair and renovation projects for those less fortunate. Your prayers and financial support are tremendously appreciated.

Thank you!



## Catholic Dating Tips:

practical pointers for meeting, dating, and marrying someone who shares your faith



with  
Rachel Hoover Canto

### CDA YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY: CATHOLIC DATING TIPS

Friday, April 12 | 7:30pm | Highline RxR, Crystal City, Arlington

Feeling called to marriage, but frustrated by the awkward Catholic dating scene? Wondering where to meet single young adults who share your faith... or whether you should be open to dating non-Catholics too? Why is discerning marriage so stressful, when it should be fun?

Join us At Highline RxR with Rachel Hoover Canto, author of Pretty Good Catholic: How to Find, Date, and Marry Someone who Shares Your Faith who will share practical tips for Catholic dating that actually work. The presentation will be followed by a Q&A and social!

For more information about our parish group going, please email Katya de Leon at [k.deleon@setonlakeridge.org](mailto:k.deleon@setonlakeridge.org)



### YOUNG ADULTS RETREAT: FINDING CHRIST IN THE VIRTUOUS LIFE

Fri-Sun, May 10-12 | San Damiano Retreat Center

#### *A Well-Ordered Life in Christ*

God's law orders us towards goodness – towards union with God Himself. But God does not only order us from the outside. His grace also transforms us from within, ordering every aspect of our lives towards union with Him, and this is the essence of the virtuous life.

Join Fr. Steven Oetjen for an exciting young adult retreat at Arlington Diocese's San Damiano Retreat Center in White Post, VA. This young adult retreat will be an opportunity to spend a weekend contemplating the "well-ordered life in Christ," with special attention given to the virtues of fortitude and temperance.

**When:** The retreat begins at 5:00pm on Friday, May 10, and ends at 1:00pm on Sunday, May 12.

**Where:** San Damiano Retreat Center, White Post, VA

**Cost:** Retreat cost is \$285. Financial assistance may be available.

For further information or to register for this retreat, please contact Deacon Mark Maines at

[mark.maines@arlingtondiocese.org](mailto:mark.maines@arlingtondiocese.org) or visit [ArlingtonDiocese.org/Retreat](http://ArlingtonDiocese.org/Retreat).

### ADULT CONFIRMATION

Sunday, May 19 | 2:00pm | Church of the Nativity

If you are a baptized Catholic adult, have received First Communion, but have not yet received the Sacrament of Confirmation, the Church welcomes you to take part in this grace-filled Sacrament. The Mass for the Confirmation of adults in our Diocese will be held on Sunday, May 19, the Solemnity of Pentecost.

- YOU MUST REGISTER. Registration for the Confirmation Mass is open and can be found at the link on the Diocesan website: [arlingtondiocese.org/divine-worship/receiving-sacraments/confirmation-adults/](http://arlingtondiocese.org/divine-worship/receiving-sacraments/confirmation-adults/)
- Registration for the Mass is required and closes on May 1, 2024.



## FOR CHILDREN

### FAMILY FAITH FORMATION SMALL GROUP ANNOUNCEMENTS

Group B Sessions meet today at 10:30 am. Next session dates are as follows: April 21, May 5, and final session is on May 19; Group A Sessions will meet next Sunday, April 14th at 8:45am and 10:30am. Next session dates are April 28 and final session is on May 12. For Grades 1-8, it's time to make sure that the My Catholic Faith Delivered (MCFD) homework/chapters are all completed before the final session. Children may not move onto the next grade level without completing all lessons. Any questions, email your Small Group Facilitator.

### LAST MANDATORY CONFIRMATION MEETING #4

Sunday, April 14 | 4:00pm – 5:00pm | Fellowship Hall

All 8th Graders and their parents must attend. Be sure to turn in the Letter to the Pastor, Service Hours Form and the Sponsor Certificate. Confirmation Rehearsal will be on April 19th from 5:00 pm to 6:00 pm at the Main Church and Confirmation Mass/Reception will be on April 22nd from 7:00 pm-9:00 pm.

### LAST MANDATORY FIRST COMMUNION MEETING #2

Sunday, April 21 | 4:00pm – 5:00pm | Fellowship Hall

All 2nd Graders and their parents must attend. This will be the last meeting before the First Communion Mass/ Reception on May 11, 2024 starting at 11:00 am.



## FOR YOUTH

### YOUTH MINISTRY MONTHLY GATHERING

Sunday, April 21 | 6:30pm – 8:30pm  
Youth Center

All current 6th-12th grade teens in public, private, or home school are invited to join us every 3rd Sunday of the month for our Monthly YM Gathering! We will meet in Lower Seton Hall and begin with snacks and socializing. This is a great opportunity to meet new friends, get to know our adult youth ministers, play games, and dive deeper into your faith!

#### This Month's Topic:

Can Miracles Happen Here in Lake Ridge, Virginia? We will watch a documentary about how a high school was transformed by God's healing miracles and testimonies from students there.

### GO FORTH: CALLED & CHOSEN

Tuesday, May 7 | 10:00am – 1:30pm | All Saints Catholic Church, Manassas

All 8th graders of the diocese are invited to the Go Forth: Called & Chosen event with Bishop Burbidge on Tuesday, May 7, at All Saints Catholic Church in Manassas. The program begins at 10 a.m. and includes a vocations rally, Mass, and lunch, and concludes by 1:30 p.m. All 8th graders must be accompanied by an adult; space is limited to 8th graders and their chaperones. Please arrive early so all can be seated before 10 a.m..

For more information or to RSVP contact the Office of Vocations, [vocations@arlingtondiocese.org](mailto:vocations@arlingtondiocese.org) or 703-841-2514 by Tuesday, April 30. *Please Note: 8th graders in Catholic schools will be coming with their classes*



## FOR WOMEN

### SETON SENTINELS MONTHLY GATHERING

Monday, April 8 | 7:00pm – 8:30pm | Fellowship Hall

*Ask anyone about what forgiveness means and you will get a different answer each time.*

What does forgiveness really mean? How can you learn and practice forgiveness as God has forgiven you? As a Catholic, what are your avenues to forgive and move forward? Come join us for a talk on Forgiveness with Deacon Rob.

Each monthly meeting begins with a fun ice breaker, followed by an activity and finishes with a prayer. All women are invited!



## FINDING JESUS WITH ST. THERESE OF LISIEUX: A WOMEN'S SILENT RETREAT

Friday– Saturday, May 10–12 | San Damiano Retreat Center, White Post, VA

St. Therese of Lisieux's spiritual doctrine is easily understood and can be applied in our day-to-day lives. Her counsel can ably assist us in enduring and embracing difficulties in prayer, overcoming scruples, and patiently putting up with challenging people. Join Fr. Jack Riley at the feet of Jesus at Arlington Diocese's San Damiano Retreat Center in White Post, VA, to learn more about this great Saint.

The retreat begins at 5 p.m. on Friday, May 10, and ends at 1 p.m. on Sunday, May 12. Retreat cost is \$285, and financial assistance may be available. For further information or to register for this retreat, please contact Deacon Mark Maines at [mark.maines@arlingtondiocese.org](mailto:mark.maines@arlingtondiocese.org).



### Join our Men's Groups...

That Man is You! (TMIY!): TMIY is an interactive men's program combining the best research from science with the teachings of the Catholic faith and the wisdom of the saints to develop the vision of a man fully alive.....transforming men, marriages, and families. Learn more at [setonlakeridge.org/tmiy](http://setonlakeridge.org/tmiy)

Knights of Columbus: Catholic men (18+) interested supporting the church, community, and family projects are invited to join the Knights of Columbus! To learn more about other areas of involvement our K. of C. has, please visit our website at [setonlakeridge.org/knights-of-columbus/](http://setonlakeridge.org/knights-of-columbus/)

## FOR COUPLES



### SACRAMENTAL ADVENTURES IN MARRIAGE

Friday– Sunday, April 26–28 | St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, Seton Hall

Take your love to new heights and rediscover the sacrament of Marriage with your spouse! Designed to reach couples across the spectrum – from happy and highly motivated to struggling and highly stressed, the Adventures in Marriage retreat aims to help couples better understand themselves and each other!

This retreat is open to couples of all ages and stages, so wherever you are in your marriage, come as you are. **SPACE IS LIMITED!** To learn more or register, please visit: [livethelife.org/aim-virginia](http://livethelife.org/aim-virginia)

### A SPIRITUAL DATE NIGHT

Saturday, April 13

7:30pm – 9:00pm

\$20/couple



Looking to strengthen your marriage and your relationship with Christ?

Come join other Catholic couples for dessert, fellowship, spiritual talk, and reflection! For more info or to register, Scan the QR code or contact Charlie and Leslie McCullough at [cwmccfamily@gmail.com](mailto:cwmccfamily@gmail.com)



## MASS INTENTIONS & READINGS OF THE WEEK

### Sunday, April 7<sup>th</sup>

- 5:00 p.m. Victoria and Curtis Swanson Family  
*Vigil*  
 7:30 a.m. † Cathy Lichay  
 9:00 a.m. For the People of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton  
 10:45 a.m. † Reynaldo Lee-Llacer  
 12:30 p.m. † Charles Reardon

### Monday, April 8<sup>th</sup>

- 9:00 a.m. † Maura Vergara

### Tuesday, April 9<sup>th</sup>

- 9:00 a.m. Deceased Members of the Jeannot Family

### Wednesday, April 10<sup>th</sup>

- 9:00 a.m. † Murvin and Margaret Witherel

### Thursday, April 11<sup>th</sup>

- 9:00 a.m. † Edward Roman

### Friday, April 12<sup>th</sup>

- 9:00 a.m. † Kelly McGaughey and Noah Ryan Roseberry

### Saturday, April 13<sup>th</sup>

- 9:00 a.m. † Frank and Mildred Pauselli  
 5:00 p.m. For the Souls Dying Today  
*Vigil*

## REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

**The sick of our parish family:** George Connaughton, Bill Malus, Dotti Clark

**The deceased of our parish family:** Frank Hawkins

### Sunday:

### Sunday of Divine Mercy

44 Acts 4:32-35 Ps 118 2:4, 13-15, 22-24 1 Jn 5:1-6 Jn 20:19-31

### Monday:

### The Annunciation of the Lord (S)

Is 7:10-14; 8:10 Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 11 Heb 10:4-10 Lk 1:26-38

### Tuesday:

### Easter Weekday

Acts 4:32-37 Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5 Jn 3:7b-15

### Wednesday:

### Easter Weekday

Acts 5:17-26 Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9 Jn 3:16-21

### Thursday:

### St. Stanislaus (M)

Acts 5:27-33 Ps 34:2 and 9, 17-18, 19-20 Jn 3:31-36

### Friday:

### Easter Weekday

Acts 5:34-42 Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14 Jn 6:1-15

### Saturday:

### St. Martin I (m)

Acts 6:1-7 Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19 Jn 6:16-21

*Key: Memorial (M), Optional Memorial (m), Feast (F), S (Solemnity)*

## COLLECTIONS FOR FEBRUARY 2024

Collection (Average Weekly)	\$ 31,138.25
Capital Improvements	\$ 6,315.00
Poor Box	\$ 850.00
Votives	\$ 1,988.96
Flowers	\$ 245.00

### Special Collections

Arlington Catholic Herald	\$ 3,713.00
Central/Eastern Europe	\$ 3,519.00
Black & Indian Missions	\$ 3,088.00

**Thank you for your generous donations!**



## CAPITAL CAMPAIGN 2021

### Capital Campaign 2021 (CC2021) Extension.

The Parish reached a total Extended Campaign pledge amount of \$1,172,298. The combined pledge amount for the 'original' Capital Campaign and Extended Campaign is \$4,644, 406. Thank you to all for your generous contributions!

If you have questions on the status of our Capital Campaign, Legacy of Faith, please contact me at your convenience via e-mail at [r.yates@setonlakeridge.org](mailto:r.yates@setonlakeridge.org) or phone at 703-494-4008. God bless!  
 Robert Yates, Business Manager

*Dear God, we place our worries in your hands.  
 We place our sick under your care and humbly ask that you restore your servants to health again. Above all, grant us the grace to acknowledge your will and know that whatever you do, you do for the love of us.*

*Amen*

## THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

**Daily Rosary:** Mon-Sat | 8:25am–8:55am | Main Church

**Daily Mass:** Mon-Sat | 9:00am–9:30am | Main Church

**Sat. Vigil Mass:** 5:00pm | Main Church

**Sun. Masses:** 7:30am, 9am, 10:45am, 12:30pm | Main Church

### Sunday, April 7<sup>th</sup> - Sunday of Divine Mercy

8:00am–9:00am	Praise and Worship Choir	Music Room
9:00am–11:30am	RCIA	Seton Hall
10:30am–12:00pm	Family Faith Formation Group B	Fellowship Hall
10:30am–12:00pm	Adult Formation	St. Mary Room
12:15pm–1:15pm	Logistics Meeting	Main Church
3:00pm–4:00pm	Divine Mercy Celebration	Lower Seton Hall
6:30pm–8:00pm	YM Girls Bible Study	

### Monday, April 8<sup>th</sup> - The Annunciation of the Lord (s)

9:45am–11:00am	Eucharistic Revival Meeting	St. Mary's Room
10:00am–12:00pm	Seton Crafters	Trinity 2,3
4:30pm–5:30pm	RCIA Interview	Trinity 1
7:00pm–8:00pm	Al-Anon	St. Paul Room
7:00pm–8:30pm	Seton Sentinels Monthly Gathering	Fellowship Hall

### Tuesday, April 9<sup>th</sup> - The Annunciation of the Lord (s)

9:30am–8:30pm	All Day Adoration	Chapel
9:30am–10:30am	Blue Army Devotion	Chapel
4:00pm – 5:00pm	Children's Eucharistic Holy Hour	Chapel
6:00pm–8:00pm	Eucharistic Encounter Night	Fellowship/Chapel
7:00pm–8:00pm	WorkCamp 2024	Bl. C. Acutis Youth Center

### Wednesday, April 10<sup>th</sup> - Easter Weekday

9:30am–11:30am	Divine Mercy Cenacle	St. Mary Room
9:45am–10:30am	Wednesday Bible Study	St. Peter Room
1:30pm–3:30pm	Lumen Christi Drama Club	Upper Seton Hall
6:30pm–8:30pm	Mother of Joy Prayer Group	St. Paul Room
6:30pm–8:30pm	Knights of Columbus Benefit Night	Upper Seton Hall
7:00pm–8:30pm	Task Force Meeting	Office Conference

### Thursday, April 11<sup>th</sup> - Easter Weekday

9:30am –8:30pm	All Day Adoration	Chapel
9:30am–10:30am	Divine Mercy Cenacle Holy Hour	Chapel
12:00pm–2:00pm	Mother Seton Food Pantry	Fellowship Hall
5:00pm–6:00pm	Children's Choir Rehearsal	Music Room
6:00pm–8:00pm	Trail Life USA	Upper Seton Hall
6:00pm–7:30pm	American Heritage Girls Troop Meeting	Lower Seton Hall
7:00pm–8:30pm	Thursday Bible Study	St. Mary Room
7:00pm–9:00pm	Traditional Choir Rehearsal	Music Room

### Friday, April 12<sup>th</sup> – Easter Weekday

9:30am–12:00pm	Moms Group	Nursery
9:45am–11:30am	Friday Morning Faith Sharing	Sts. Peter and Paul Rooms
3:00pm–3:30pm	Divine Mercy Chaplet	Chapel

### Saturday, April 13<sup>th</sup> - St. Martin I (m)

7:00am–9:00am	That Man is You! (TMIY!)	Fellowship Hall
10:00am–11:30am	Legion of Mary	Trinity 3
10:00am–11:00am	RCIA Interview	Trinity 1



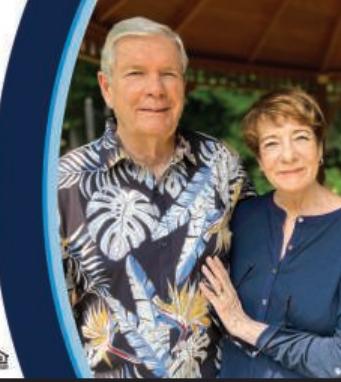
### LOSE SOMETHING?

Stop by Fellowship Hall after Mass or anytime between April 5 and April 12 to take a look through our Lost and Found box. The box will be out until Friday, April 12 at 3:00pm. All items that are not claimed, will be donated.

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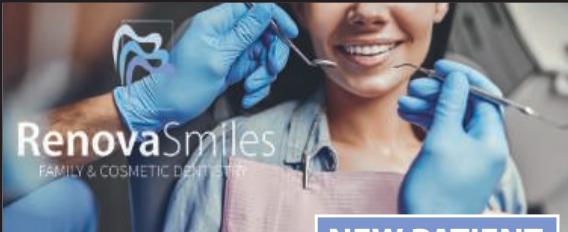
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