



ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH
LAKE RIDGE, VA

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July 13, 2025 | FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

PARISH OFFICE:

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Parish Office Hours:

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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)

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:

Tues/Thurs All Day Adoration:
9:30am - 8:30pm

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/Wed.....9:30am–12:00pm
Thurs-Sat.....**CLOSED**

PARISH LIBRARY

Sunday.....8:15am–2:00pm
Mon/Wed.....9:00am–8:00pm
Tues/Thurs/Fri.....9:00am–4:00pm

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.

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 (OCIA)

If you are interested in learning more about the Catholic faith or becoming Catholic, please contact our OCIA Director, Catherine Mays at ocia@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 Take place every 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 - A 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 religions 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

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FROM OUR PASTOR



Over the past two years, our parish's FAMILY FAITH FORMATION has grown around small group formation – bringing families together to grow in faith and community. This coming year, we're excited to take the next step by introducing the *Pathways Formation Suite* into Family Faith Formation. *Pathways* is an integrated and family centered formation suite designed to facilitate



a personal encounter with the Trinity and sustain a lifelong development of faith. This intentional process more closely aligns with the example Jesus left us in the Gospel. Jesus met people in their concrete circumstances and gradually led them into the fullness of faith. This process is intended to lovingly support and form parents to confidently take up their rightful place as the primary educators of their children, through at-home and at-church experiences.

With a rich library of engaging, age-appropriate resources and flexible tools, *Pathways* helps make the home the heart of faith formation. It's designed to support families as they learn, pray, and live out their Catholic faith together – at home and within our parish community.

Below are some of the changes this year and other important things of note:

- **Family-centered, parish supported** - therefore we have the hope and expectation that all parish families who have children K-8th grade will be a part of this, regardless of if their children are enrolled in a Public School, Catholic School/Other Private School, or are Homeschooled.
- **Both parents** are expected to register and participate. If need be, a single parent/guardian household will have the option to indicate - 1 adult in the registration.
- The FFF year will consist of **At-Church Sessions** and **At-Home Family Meetings**. At-Church Sessions will be offered on Sundays and Tuesdays. Nursery services for children ages 6 months- 5 years will be available on Sundays only.
- There will **no longer be any fees** for Family Faith Formation.



LEARN MORE

We invite you to come learn more about *Pathways* by scanning the QR Code to the right and coming to our OPEN HOUSE this weekend after all the Masses downstairs in Fellowship Hall. Come and see the beautiful materials, and discover your part in this mission to serve the families of our parish.

May God bless us all with a grace-filled, safe, relaxing and enjoyable summer.

~ Fr. Bashista

WEEKLY REFLECTION

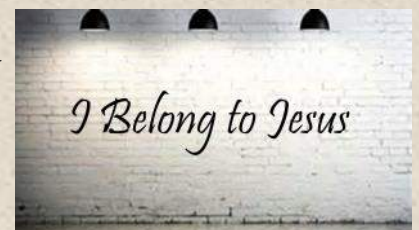
Two Different Worlds

Holiness doesn't consist of you learning certain patterns of reaction that may be called "virtues." Holiness consists in you becoming a new creation because Jesus lives in you, because he is the strength that carries you. The Gospel is the good news that Jesus does everything in your life if you remain in him.

The most important thing in life is to be in Jesus and not in oneself. Life in him and life in ourselves are like two completely different worlds. It is easy for each one of us to judge which of these two worlds we live in.

In spite of these two worlds being as different as night and day, there is only a very small distinction between them. You can, at any time, go from your own world to the world of Jesus. All that is needed is a small, inner movement whereby you let go of the hold you have on yourself. It is enough to sincerely and lovingly pronounce his name, saying: "You, Lord, in me and I in you," or "I belong to you, may your will be done in everything." Doing this will immediately change your inner landscape.

This ought to be your foremost concern: to remain in him, to live in his world. He doesn't want you to live in him only every now and then. He wants you in him *always*.



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BACK2SCHOOL TAG TREES

July 12–July 27 | Narthex
Final Day to Return Items: August 3

Our parish is collecting new school clothing and school supplies for the children of the St. Margaret of Cortona Transitional & Maternity Housing Program in Woodbridge! To participate, simply take a tag from the tree and follow the instructions on the tag. Please Do NOT wrap your purchases – place them in a bag and attach the tag to the bag. Please include a gift receipt in the bag. All purchases should be left under one of the two pencil trees, located in the Narthex. Questions? Please contact Betty Maher, Director of Human Concerns Outreach at 703.494.4008, ext.105, b.maher@setonlakeridge.org.



THE CHOSEN S4 WATCH PARTY

Tuesdays, July 8–August 26 | 6:30pm - 8:15pm
Ss. Peter and Paul Rooms

Did you miss season 4 of "The Chosen" (or just want a refresher before watching season 5)? Come join us in the Sts. Peter & Paul rooms for a "Chosen" Watch Party on Tuesday nights in July & August, beginning July 8 at 6:30 pm.

We'll watch each episode and the "Round Table" discussions together, followed by thought sharing with each other afterwards. Bring your dinner, snacks, friends and family!

THE RESCUE PROJECT: DISCOVER THE EXTRAORDINARY LOVE OF GOD

Wednesdays Beginning July 23 – September 3

Join us Wednesday evenings as our parish launches The Rescue Project, a powerful and inspiring series created by Fr. John Riccardo, designed to help you rediscover the profound story of salvation and God's incredible plan for your life.

In this series, Fr. Riccardo dives deep into the "why" behind Christianity. Together, we'll walk through the core questions: **Why is there something rather than nothing? What is our purpose? What went wrong in the world?** And most importantly, **What has God done about it?**

A STEP ON OUR PARISH'S CLEAR PATH:

The Rescue Project is an integral part of our parish's Clear Path to Discipleship, which guides individuals through four steps: Connect, Encounter, Grow, Equip. This offering may fall under the Connect/Encounter step, as it is designed to reignite or deepen your relationship with Jesus Christ.

Whether you're taking your first steps in faith or are looking to reconnect, this is the perfect opportunity to encounter God's love and mercy in a profound way. From here, we'll guide you on your journey to grow as a disciple, serve others with your gifts, and share the Gospel with confidence and joy.

To learn more or to register for this series, please scan the QR code below!



BLESSING OF CARS

Saturday, July 26 | 9:45am | In Front of Seton Hall

Coinciding with the Feast Day of St. Christopher, patron saint of travelers, we will be having a Car Blessing after the 9am Mass on July 26! After Mass, simply drive around to the designated area in the parking lot, where one of our priests will be to bless your vehicle. All are welcome to receive this blessing of safety and protection for the journeys ahead!

RESERVE A NICHE IN OUR COLUMBARIUM

As we prepare for the building of our Columbarium, now is the time to consider reserving a niche for yourself or a loved one. Our Columbarium will serve as a sacred space on church grounds for prayer, remembrance, and rest for the faithful departed.

To learn more about the project or to reserve a niche, please contact the Parish Office at 703-494-4008.



EXPERIENCE POWERFUL TRANSFORMATION—ENCOUNTER SCHOOL OF MINISTRY SUMMER INTENSIVE (ONLINE)

Thursdays, July 31 – August 21 | 1:00pm – 3:00pm | via Zoom

The Encounter School of Ministry Summer Intensive program offers powerful transformation through four online classes (one per week) in *Identity*, *Healing*, *the Prophetic Gifts*, and *Inner Healing*, providing an overview of the two-year Encounter School of Ministry online program. Each session draws from the richness of our Catholic heritage and is taught by Encounter School of Ministry Main Campus instructors, including Fr. Mathias Thelen, Patrick Reis, Sarah Kaczmarek, Fr. Patrick Gonyeau and more. Participants will have opportunities to activate their gifts, put the teaching they have learned into practice, and receive prayer ministry. Each year, Encounter helps hundreds of Catholics be renewed in their love of the faith and the Church.

This program affirms our call to live as children of God and gives practical tools to experience the Holy Spirit first-hand. The Encounter School model is centered on Scripture and teachings are vetted by top-notch Catholic theologians and scholars. The transformation you will experience from encountering Jesus will propel you to be disciples and heralds of the New Evangelization!

Website and More Information: <https://encounterschool.org/si-esmo/>

Registration Fee: \$85

Special Discount: Please contact healingministry@setonlakeridge.org for a special 50% Discount Code

Questions: Please contact Erik Lenz at (703) 626-5861 or healingministry@setonlakeridge.org

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS PARISH YARD SALE

Sat., Aug. 2 (7:00am – 7:00pm) and Sun., Aug. 3 (8:00am – 2:30pm) | Upper Seton Hall

Sponsored by our Knights of Columbus, save the date for our Annual Parish Yard Sale! Don't miss out on this opportunity to support our parish and snag some treasures along the way! Proceeds help fund a variety of programs encompassing faith, family, community, and life that the Knights provide to our parish family. For any further questions or inquiries, please contact Joe Pevarnik at 703-608-2050 or via email at joepevarnik@gmail.com.



Looking to donate items? Scan the QR Code to see the full list of acceptable and unacceptable items!

Drop-Off Schedule:

Monday through Thursday July 21-24 and July 28-31, from 6:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. at Seton Hall.

COME, REST IN HIS PRESENCE—TRADITION CONTINUES WITH 40 HOURS DEVOTION

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton joyfully invites you to be part of a powerful tradition of grace and renewal — 40 Hours of Adoration Devotion. This sacred time offers a beautiful opportunity to encounter the Lord, rest in His presence, and open your heart to His transforming love.

We begin with a special Mass on Thursday, August 21, 2025, at 4:30 PM, and continue in uninterrupted adoration until Saturday, August 23, 2025, at 8:30 AM. Whether you come weary, grateful, searching, or simply longing to be near Him — this time is for you. We especially encourage you to consider taking one of the early morning hours, where the stillness invites deeper intimacy with Christ.

Sign up through MSP, by scanning the QR code, or by emailing us at adorers@setonlakeridge.org. Let's come together as a parish family to lift our hearts in worship — He is waiting for you.



JOIN OUR GREETER'S MINISTRY

The Greeters Ministry at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton plays a vital role in creating a warm and inviting environment for all who walk through our doors. Whether it's a friendly smile, a heartfelt "welcome," or simply holding the door open, our greeters help set the tone by making parishioners and visitors feel seen, known, and valued. This simple act of hospitality has a powerful impact — it reflects Christ's love and makes our parish feel like home.

If you feel called to serve in a meaningful yet easy way, consider discerning a place in the Greeters Ministry. Your presence could be the reason someone feels encouraged to return to Mass.

To learn more or sign up, contact Karen Tejada at greeters@setonlakeridge.org or via phone at 703-498-9245.

BETHLEHEM CARVING GROUP

On the weekend of Aug. 30th/31st, 2025, there will be a display of beautiful olivewood handmade carvings from the Holy Land in our church. These carvings are made by the Christians of Bethlehem who use them as their main source of income. These brothers and sisters of ours are enduring hardships especially now because of the volatile situation in their home country.

Christians in the Holy Land used to be more than 37% of the population. There is less than 1% now. As Christians of faith, it is our duty to support our brothers and sisters in Bethlehem. You can support them by purchasing some of these beautiful carvings after Mass. For more information, please contact us at 202-302-5889 or visit www.BethlehemCarvings.org.

FOR CHILDREN



AQUINAS REGIONAL SCHOOL

We are so excited to share that Aquinas was voted *Best Private School in Prince William County* for the second year in a row! This is a testament to the dedication of our teachers and families who make our school amazing!



Aquinas is still accepting applications for the 2025-26 school year with limited openings. St. Elizabeth Ann Seton parishioners may be eligible to receive a tuition discount.

DISCOVER THE NEXT STEPS IN FAMILY FAITH FORMATION: PATHWAYS OPEN HOUSE

Saturday, July 12 (6pm-7pm) and Sunday, July 13 (8:00am – 2:30pm) | Fellowship Hall

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We invite all families – whether you've been part of Faith Formation in the past or are just getting started – to come to our Open House on Saturday, July 12 (6pm-7pm) or Sunday, July 13 (After all Masses). You'll get a chance to explore the Pathways platform, ask questions, and learn how this next step can help your family grow more deeply in faith.

Come and see how forming faith at home can be meaningful, simple, and deeply rewarding.



FOR YOUTH

DIOCESAN KINGS DOMINON DAY

KD Day: Saturday, July 23

Join hundreds from across the Diocese of Arlington for a day of faith and fun! We will begin the day with Bishop Burbidge as the principal celebrant and homilist of the 9:00 a.m. Mass at St. Mary of the Immaculate Conception in Fredericksburg (optional for those not riding on the Seton buses). After Mass, we will head to Kings Dominion and be ready to go as the gates open! This event is open to anyone in the Diocese of Arlington.

Scan the QR code to register and purchase tickets! Upon registration there will be an option to either ride the Seton Buses with us or drive on your own! All tickets, at a reduced rate, also include Soak City.



FOR MEN

JOIN OUR KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS AND BE A PART OF SOMETHING GREAT!

Are you a Catholic man (18yrs+) looking to deepen your faith, serve your community, and be part of something bigger? The St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Knights of Columbus Council 8183 invites you to join a brotherhood dedicated to making a positive impact through community, church, and family projects!

From supporting our Parish Fall Festival and Spring Block Party to hosting Feast Day Dinners, Pancake Breakfasts, and more, as a Knight, you'll find countless opportunities to get involved! You'll also gain access to a top-rated insurance program to help protect your family. Come grow in faith, give back, and make a lasting difference with the Seton Lake Ridge Knights of Columbus!



In Service to One.

In Service to All.

Connect with our Grand Knight, Joe Pevarnik at joepevarnik@gmail.com

OBEDIENCE AND SPIRITUAL UNION – “LET IT BE DONE UNTO ME”

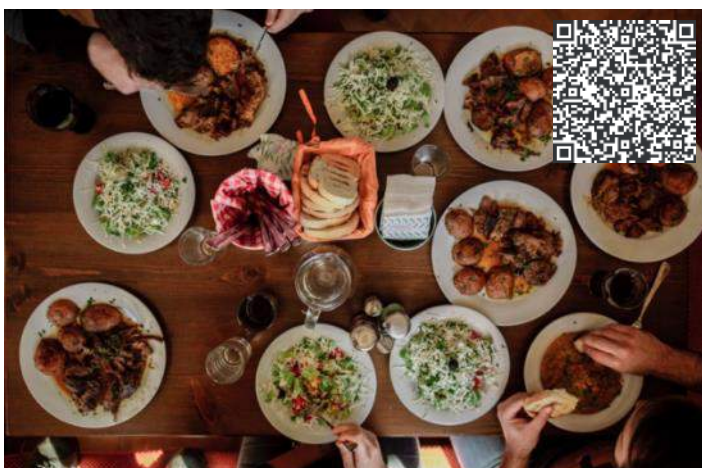
Friday – Sunday, September 19-21 | San Damiano Retreat Center, White Post, VA

In this women’s silent retreat, we will consider the secret to true Obedience; a disposition of Receptivity. Meditating on the nature of a woman's receptive power, we will explore how the feminine gifts of Empathy, Intuition, and Adaptability enable us to listen more deeply in prayer, and to achieve spiritual union, not only with our spouses, but with Jesus Himself.

Mary Stanford, a Professor at Christendom College and author of *The Obedience Paradox: Finding True Freedom in Marriage*, will lead this retreat at the Arlington Diocese's San Damiano Retreat Center in White Post, Virginia. Father John Riley, Spiritual Director at the center will serve those gathering with daily Mass and opportunities for confession. This retreat begins at 6 pm Friday September 19th and concludes Sunday 21st at noon. Retreat cost is \$299, and financial assistance may be available.

For further information, please contact Father John Riley at: john.riley@arlingtondiocese.org

For more information about San Damiano and retreats being offered in the months ahead, please visit www.arlingtondiocese.org/retreat



COUPLES’ POTLUCK FELLOWSHIP

We warmly invite all couples to join us for an evening of connection, conversation, and community at our Couples’ Potluck! Couples of all ages and stages are welcome to come together, share a delicious meal, and strengthen both new and longtime friendships. This night offers a simple but powerful way to pause, be present, and grow together – both as a couple and as part of a supportive parish family.

Please bring a dish to share (homemade or store-bought – we're just happy you're coming!) and join us for an evening filled with laughter, encouragement, and meaningful connection. Whether you've been married for six months or sixty years, there's a seat at the table for you!

Scan the QR code to register both you and your spouse and to sign-up for what you will be bringing!

LIVING THE SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Friday – Sunday, July 18-20

San Damiano Retreat Center, White Post, VA

A retreat for married couples to contemplate the gift of their Sacrament. We will pray individually and together, pondering the graces of Marriage and reflecting on God's promises and presence in the life of a family. We shall also consider how God elevates the capacity of spouses to love each other and their children, and how He makes the home of a family a privileged place of healing and sanctification.

Join Fr. Daniel Hanley, coordinator of the blessed Stanley Rother House of formation at Mount St. Mary's Seminary, at the San Damiano Retreat Center for this unique retreat opportunity.

Retreat cost is \$499. For further information, please contact Deacon Mark Maines at: mark.maines@arlingtondiocese.org.





MASS INTENTIONS & READINGS OF THE WEEK

Sunday, July 13th

5:00 p.m. † Michael, Lillian, and Pearl Lubash
Vigil
 7:30 a.m. † Pat Filiault
 9:00 a.m. † Darius de Leon
 10:45 a.m. For the People of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton
 12:30 p.m. Deceased Members of the Dawson Family

Monday, July 14th

9:00 a.m. The LeBlanc Family

Tuesday, July 15th

9:00 a.m. † Marcelino Rapues

Wednesday, July 16th

9:00 a.m. † Carmen Giandoni

Thursday, July 17th

9:00 a.m. † Merle Banaszak

Friday, July 18th

9:00 a.m. † Eric Lord

Saturday, July 19th

9:00 a.m. † William Wiley Bourne
 5:00 p.m. For the People of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton
Vigil

Sunday:

15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Dt 30:10-14 Ps 69:14, 17, 30-31, 33-34, 36,37
 or Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11 Col 1:15-20 Lk 10:25-37

Monday:

St. Kateri Tekakwitha (M)

Ex 1:8-14, 22 Ps 124:1b-3, 4-6, 7-8 Mt 10:34
 – 11:1

Tuesday:

St. Bonaventure (M)

Ex 2:1-15a Ps 69:3, 14, 30-31, 33-34 Mt 11:20
 -24

Wednesday:

Ex 3:1-6, 9-12 Ps 103:1b-2, 3-4, 6-7 Mt 11:25
 -27

Thursday:

Ex 3:13-20 Ps 105:1 and 5, 8-9, 24-25, 26-27
 Mt 11:28-30

Friday:

St. Camillus de Lellis (m)

Ex 11:10 – 12:14 Ps 116:12-13, 15 and 16bc,
 17-18 Mt 12:1-8

Saturday:

Ex 12:37-42 Ps 136:1 and 23-24, 10-12, 13-15
 Mt 12:14-21

FROM YOUR BUSINESS MANAGER #11

(as of 06/23/2025)

Dear Parishioners: As I sit down to write this entry on June 23rd, I do so with the heat of summer bearing down and the mercury is bursting out of the thermometer with a forecast high of 97 degrees for today and the next 3 days! I therefore thought it appropriate to share a few hot topics with you. First up is Family Faith Formation (FFF) (religious education for the older crew). Father Bashista decided to offer FFF free of cost this year and from now on, for many reasons. When you think about it, it makes perfect sense – forming God’s children to become disciples of Jesus shouldn’t be dependent upon payment – it should be free of charge! Of course, we then rely on our Lord to provide for us and He always comes through: through the generosity of His people. It seems to me that this is a perfect triangle of God’s providence! Further, please note that Parents and all parishioners will have the opportunity to defray the costs of all FFF electronic and print materials through the September 14, 2025 Religious Educations Special Collection, 100% of which ‘stays right here at home.’ Moving now to share a few words on the Fiscal Year 2026 budget which the Finance Council will meet to approve on June 30th. The basic budgeting assumptions include a 3% increase in offertory, 5% increase in Holy Day and special collections, an inflation-based increase of 3% in expenses, a total outlay of \$30,000 for several events celebrating our Parish’s 50th Anniversary...and good news – we’ll have the \$500K CC2021 Phase II construction loan paid off by the end of this November!! I have one final topic to share with you now, in the category of ‘Diocesan News:’ Our Diocese will be sharing an extraordinary dividend of \$100,000, with our Parish and all members of the Diocesan Investment and Loan (DIAL) bank, as of June 30, 2025, which is to be applied in accordance with the wishes of each Pastor. Thank you, Bishop Burbidge!! That’s enough for this update -- in my next I’ll share some good news with you concerning a new Diocesan/Parish endowment.

May God bless you and God bless America :)

Robert Yates, Business Manager (703-494-4008;
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REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

The sick of our parish family: Garland Vance, Justin Reyes, Mary Helen Binder, Freddie Reichard, Irena Kulczycki, Sophia Gomez, Laura Reagan, Kathleen Murray

The deceased members of our parish family:

Eknani Calayag, Erlinda A. Caballo

COLLECTIONS FOR JUNE 2025

Collection (<i>Average Weekly</i>)	\$	32,262.10
Capital Improvements	\$	4,931.00
Poor Box	\$	1,447.00
Votives	\$	2,391.21
Flowers	\$	1,716.88

Holy Days and Special Collections

Catholic Communication Campaign	\$	2,708.00
Peter’s Pence	\$	4,941.11
Ascension	\$	2,611.00

Thank You!

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, July 13th -

8:00am – 2:30pm	Family Faith Formation Open House	Fellowship Hall
10:30am – 11:45am	Nursery	Nursery
6:30pm – 8:30pm	Youth Ministry Boys Bible Study	Lower Seton Hall

Monday, July 14th

8:30am – 12:30pm	Vacation Bible School (VBS)	Seton Hall
10:00am – 12:00pm	Seton Crafters	Trinity 3
7:00pm – 8:00pm	Al-Anon	St. Paul Room

Tuesday, July 15th

8:30am – 12:30pm	Vacation Bible School (VBS)	Seton Hall
9:30am – 8:30pm	All Day Adoration	Chapel
9:30am – 10:30am	Blue Army Devotion	Chapel
6:30pm – 8:15pm	The Chosen Watch Party	Ss. Peter and Paul Room
6:30pm – 8:30pm	Reach More Training	Bayley's Cellar
7:00pm – 8:30pm	Pre Catechumenate	Fellowship Hall
7:30pm – 9:00pm	Facility Committee	Office Conference

Wednesday, July 16th

8:30am – 12:30pm	Vacation Bible School (VBS)	Seton Hall
9:30am – 11:30am	Divine Mercy Cenacle	St. Mary Room
6:30pm – 8:30pm	Mother of Joy Prayer Group	St. Paul Room
7:00pm – 8:30pm	Knights of Columbus Meeting	Upper Seton Hall

Thursday, July 17th

8:30am – 12:30pm	Vacation Bible School (VBS)	Seton Hall
9:30am – 8:30pm	All Day Adoration	Chapel
9:30am – 10:45am	Divine Mercy Holy Hour	Chapel
12:00pm – 2:00pm	Mother Seton Food Pantry	Fellowship Hall

Friday, July 18th

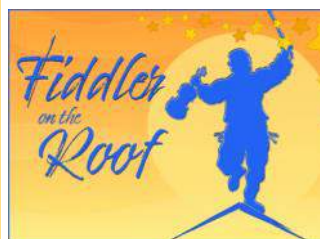
8:30am – 12:30pm	Vacation Bible School (VBS)	Seton Hall
9:30am – 12:00pm	Mom's Group	Nursery
10:00am – 11:30am	Legion of Mary	Trinity 3
3:00pm	Divine Mercy Chaplet	Main Church

Saturday, July 19th

9:30am – 11:30am	Women's Summer Book Study	Bayley's Cellar
9:45am – 11:00am	Knights of Columbus Exemplification and Reception	Chapel/Fellowship Hall
6:00pm – 9:00pm	Young Adults Movie Night	Bayley's Cellar


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