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**PARISH OFFICE HOURS**  
**M-TH 8 AM – 12 NOON**  
**all other times, by appointment**

**St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church Mission Statement**

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church, as a Parish family, comes together in faith and unity as Christ’s Church. Our mission is to reflect the greatest and the first commandment taught to us by Jesus – “You shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind.” And the second is like it: “You shall love your neighbor as yourself.” (Matthew 22: 37-39)

**Baptisms:** Celebrated on Sundays. Parents must be registered, active members of the parish for two months prior to Baptism. Parents and Godparents are required to attend a Baptismal Preparation class prior to Baptism. Please call the office to make arrangements.

**Marriages:** Couples planning to marry are to contact the office nine months prior to the date of the marriage. The Catholic party must be registered, active members of the Parish.

**WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE**

- MON 3/17 9:00 AM (SA) Rodger Berkey by Barb Starchville**  
**9:00 AM (SA) Thomas Stewart by Family**
- TUE 3/18 12:00 PM (SA) Antonette Sadvari by Mike Spinelli**  
**12:00 PM (SA) Jim, Lorrie & Carm by Family**
- WED 3/19 9:00 AM (SSCM) Mary Dolan by Daughter, Kathleen Matey**  
**9:00 AM (SSCM) Paul Mayket by Family**
- THU 3/20 12:00 PM (SSCM) Paul Katch by Edie Vitez**  
**12:00 PM (SEAS At SSCM) Sick of the Parish**
- FRI 3/21 9:00 AM (SEAS at SSCM) Edward J. Pruchnic by Connie & Edwarda**
- SAT 3/22 4:00 PM (SA) Lou Delgross by Dom McCuch**  
**4:00 PM (SA) Michael Spinazzola by Sister, Mary Fisher & Family**
- SUN 3/23 8:00 AM (SEAS) Diane Slatcoff by Ron & Jeanne Walko**  
**8:00 AM (SEAS) IMO John & Rose Orris by Children, John & Kathy**  
**10:00 AM (SA) Anthony DiLoreto by Jay & Pat Shaffer**  
**10:00 AM (SA) Joanne Felix by John, Jr and Zach Zanke**  
**12:00 PM (SSCM) Helen Khula by Dawn & Monty McDannell**  
**12:00 PM (SSCM) Sister Mary Louise Pepon OP by Stephanie & Tom Walker**

**The Sanctuary Lamp is burning the week of (Mar 10<sup>th</sup> - Mar 16<sup>th</sup> ) In Loving Memory and Sick of the Parish:**

- † IMO Galen Head by Sister-in-Law  
† IMO Jason Sager by Aunt Jenny  
† IMO Joe Zaczek by Friend, Jenny Borovicka

3/23 Val Korzi

3/30 Gary Puto

**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS**

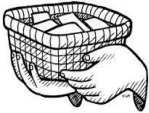
3/23 Robbin\* & Rick Stormer, Tina Heinrich,  
Dave & Kathy Trusch

3/30 Gary Puto\*, Robert Seese, Pat Balogh,  
Irene Blair, Jackie Fetchko

**WEEKLY COLLECTION**

Adult	\$ 2654.00
Monthly	\$ 384.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 3038.00</b>

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY AND  
CONTINUED SUPPORT OF OUR PARISH!**



# NEWS FROM OUR PARISH AND AROUND THE DIOCESE

## STEWARDSHIP REFLECTIONS

**March 16, 2025 – 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Lent**

In last week's Gospel, we followed Jesus into the desert where He fasted and prayed. This week, He leads us up a mountain to witness His Transfiguration. Why these experiences? Because he is preparing us to go with Him in a few short weeks to a hilltop, Golgotha, where He will lay down His life for our sake – and finally He will take us to an empty cave where He triumphed over sin and death once and for all.

Jesus perfectly understands our humanity. He knows we need to experience times of self-denial and testing, in order to arrive at mountain-top moments when we see and feel His glorious presence in our lives. The reason for all of our fasting and prayer and almsgiving during lent is to be reawakened to all God has done for humanity and to all that He has done for each of us personally. While there is nothing sinful in complacency in our daily routine, as Christian stewards we are called to so much more!

We need to train ourselves, or allow Jesus to train us, to say 'Yes' to His will and to offer our lives back to Him. In doing so, we too become 'transfigured.' This is what it means to live fully awake; this is a stewardship way of life and it is glorious indeed.

### LENT SCHEDULE

<b><u>Stations of the Cross</u></b> :	Thursday at 6 PM	March 20_ SSCM	March 27- SA
	April 3 - <b>SEAS</b>	April 10-SSCM	<b>Good Friday-</b> SA And SSCM

There will be Eucharistic Adoration every Friday of Lent following the 9am Mass until 11am at SSCM.

**PENANCE SERVICES** : There will be penance services at 6 PM April 2-SA April 9-**SEAS**

**THE CATHOLIC MINISTRIES DRIVE:** The Catholic Ministries Drive begins throughout our diocese this weekend. This year's theme "FOLLOW ME" (Mt 16:24), invites us into a deeper relationship with Christ, as we share his mission of love and service, proclaiming the Good News to all.

Our Catholic Ministries Drive supports 10 ministries throughout our diocese, which all fall into one of our three main focuses of evangelization, serving those in need, or formation of our priest and deacons. Our parish target for 2025 is \$18,800. Thank you for your continued support.

**FISH FRY:** Good News, we have been able to resolve our help issues and will be resuming our Fish Frys beginning March 7th. **TAKE OUT ONLY!** This year you may place an order by phone or order in the church hall. Placing an order by phone gives you your choice of a pick-up time. You will receive an order # with your chosen time slot, **please be on time** as your order is prepared for you at that time. **When ordering by phone please be patient and listen to the entire prompt. (814) 467-7191 #4.** During our fish fry, our phones at times can be very busy. The office phone **will not** be answered during our **Fish Fry Hours** and **any messages left will not be returned.** Phones will be answered in the church hall beginning at 9:00 am on Fish Fry Fridays. Pick-up will be at the (**big brown doors**) at the 7<sup>th</sup> street entrance to our church hall. Please be on time when picking up your order.

**LUNCH DELIVERIES** will be offered to our local businesses in **the Windber area only!** Deliveries are from: 11:30am – 1:00 pm. Minimum order is \$35.00. For prep & scheduling, **all orders** must be received by 10:00am on Friday, No Exceptions!!!

**FISH FRY PARKING:** All volunteer workers, please use the church parking lots during our fish fry's. **Do not** park on 7<sup>th</sup> Street. Leave 7<sup>th</sup> Street parking for our patrons. Thank You.

**FISH FRY HELP:** An overwhelming response to our call for help! Without you (our volunteers), nothing moves forward. **Thank You** to all who volunteered throughout the week!

**PARISH MASS INTENTIONS & SANCTUARY LAMPS:** At this point in time, there are open dates for Mass Intentions for April 2025 and May 2025. Intentions should be placed in an envelope with the stipend, name and phone number and placed in the collection basket or by stopping by the parish office. We ask that you not call the parish office with mass or sanctuary requests.

**CEMETERY NEWS:** In preparation for the upcoming growing season, please have your gravesite(s) cleaned up of any seasonal decorations and/or personal items by April 1st. **We are not responsible to clean up your personal areas on your gravesite(s). Remember, no plastic, metal or glass of any kind may be put on your gravesite(s) regardless if your personal area is bricked off. No items will be saved!** Thank you for your cooperation with this safety matter.