4th SUNDAY OF LENT March 30, 2025



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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.

<u>Marriages:</u> 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 3/31 9:00 AM (SA) Anthony Capatch by A Friend 9:00 AM (SA) Genevieve Romanchock by Ray Rizzo & Family
- TUE 4/1 12:00 PM (SA) Rodger Berkey by Naz & Linda 12:00 PM (SA) Barbara Leonardis by Dave Pytel
- WED 4/2 9:00 AM (SSCM) David & Maxine Kachmar by Family 9:00 AM (SSCM) IMO Frank Tallyen Sr. by Bill & Janet Jablon
- THU 4/3 12:00 PM (SSCM) John & Mary Ann Pipon by Family 12:00 PM (SEAS At SSCM) Members of the Parish
- FRI 4/4 9:00 AM (SEAS At SSCM) Diane Slatcoff by Patricia Constantino 9:00 AM (SEAS At SSCM) Judie Engbert by Pam Noll-Merlino
- SAT 4/5 4:00 PM (SA) Dick & Janet Murtha by Diane Marsalko 4:00 PM (SA) Mike Soha by Windber Catechetical Center
- SUN 4/6 8:00 AM (SEAS) Diane Slatcoff by Robert & Pam Walko 8:00 AM (SEAS) Nancy Clarr by Family

10:00 AM (SA) Robert N. Costa by Diane Leppert

10:00 AM (SA) Dorothy Stiffler by Niece; Ann & Todd Moyer

12:00 PM (SSCM) Joshua Mock by Jerel & Jean Hudak

12:00 PM (SSCM) George & Anna Palus by Daughters & Family

The Sanctuary Lamp is burning the week of (Mar 24th- Mar 30th) In Loving Memory and Sick of the Parish:

Tarry Marshall (Birth Rem) by Teresa Meier

🕆 IMO John & Rose Orris by Children, John & Kathy

🕆 IMO Victor Partsch (Anniv) by Barbara

† IMO Deceased Members of Barzensky Family by Barbara

Ted & Irene Glosky by Family

Special Intention

Larry Marshall (Birth) by Mom

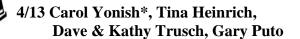
Margaret & Sister JoAn



4/6 Pete Kish 4/13 Palm Sunday

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

4/6 Barb Gabrovsek*, Shannon Mabray, Val Korzi, Rick & Robbin Stormer





WEEKLY COLLECTION

Adult \$ 2479.00 Monthly \$ 370.00

Total \$ 2849.00

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

NEWS FROM OUR PARISH AND AROUND THE DIOCESE STEWARDSHIP REFLECTIONS

March 30, 2025 – 4th Sunday of Lent

For too many of us, Lent is a season of doom and gloom, a time to feel bad about all the ways we are not "measuring up" in our spiritual lives. But this view could not be further from the truth. Lent is a season of refreshment and love, of awakening and rebirth. In fact, the word "lent" comes from the Old English word, "lencten," which means spring. Lent is intended to be a springtime for us in our spiritual lives where all can become new again,

We owe God everything! But let's start by giving Him one little thing. Take even a faltering step closer to Him – go to confession, join in the Stations of the Cross, call a family member or friend you are at odds with and try to reconcile. With just the tiniest bit of spiritual "spring cleaning" we can be sure we will be swept up in our Father's loving embrace and find ourselves feasting in His presence. That is what lent is all about.

LENT SCHEDULE

Stations of the Cross: Thursday at 6 PM April 3 - **SEAS** April 10-SSCM **GOOD FRIDAY-** SA & 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**

<u>EASTER MASSES:</u> Holy Thursday at 7PM (No Daily Mass) SA and **SEAS** Good Friday Passion (No Daily Mass) 2PM -SA 3PM- SSCM Holy Saturday at 8PM SA and **SEAS** Easter Sunday - Regular Mass times.

<u>FIRST FRIDAY</u>: Holy Communion will be taken to the shut-ins of the Parish on Friday April 4th. If you are unable to attend Mass for one month or longer, please call the Parish office.

<u>IN MEMORIAM:</u> Mildred Stopko, a member of our parish, passed away on March 22. Mildred's committal was held at St. John Cantius Cemetery. Please remember Mildred and her family in your prayers. May Mildred and all the Souls of the Faithful Departed, through the Mercy of God, Rest in Peace.

FISH FRY: 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 7th street entrance to our church hall. Please be on time when picking up your order.

<u>LUNCH DELIVERIES</u> 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 7th Street. Leave 7th Street parking for our patrons. Thank You.

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.

<u>CEMETERY NEWS:</u> 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.

RECEIPTS FOR MARCH: \$14442.00

EXPENSES FOR MARCH: \$ 21871.00

ENDING BALANCE FOR MARCH: - \$7429.00