



# SAINT ELIZABETH ANN SETON CHURCH

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**October 20, 2024 | Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time**



## 29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Rather, whoever wishes to be great among you will be your servant; whoever wishes to be first among you will be the slave of all." - Mk 10:43-44

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## MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS:

### Saturday, October 19, 2024

4 pm Deceased Members of Magdic & Novotnak Families (Laura Pollock)

### Sunday, October 20, 2024

8:30 am Memory of Ezra Conrad Graves (Joann Guercio)

11:30 am Joseph & Anna Kovac (David & Susan Kovac)

### Monday, October 21, 2024

8:30 am William Charmo (SEAS Parish Family)

### Tuesday, October 22, 2024

8:30 am John Kukta (Kukta Family)

### Thursday, October 24, 2024

8:30 am Joanie Bachorski (Thomas Bachorski)

### Friday, October 25, 2024

8:30 am For the Parish Family

### Saturday, October 26, 2024

4 pm Mr. & Mrs. Jack Curran (Curran Family)

### Sunday, October 27, 2024

8:30 am Irene Passarello (Children, Grandchildren, Great-Grandchildren)

11:30 am Bruce Dean Bayless (Dave Faber)

**CONFESSIONS – SATURDAYS\*** 3 pm – 3:45 pm

\*On 1st Saturdays – Confessions will follow 8:30 am Mass (no confessions at 3 pm)

## MEMORIALS

### St. Peregrine Candle

October 12-25

In Thanksgiving and Blessings  
for Joyce Nemchick  
by Rob and Mary

### St. John Neumann Candle:

October 12-25

Blessings for Father John Moineau

### Altar Bread/Wine:

October 19-25

Richard Colaric

By Bill and Kathleen Bellis

Please pray for the souls of Bernice Bosniak, Virginia Walsh and Daniel Capaccione, and all the faithful departed.

## READINGS FOR THIS WEEK:

**Sunday:** Is 53:10-11/Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20, 22, (22)/Heb 4:14-16/Mk 10:35-45 or 10:42-45

**Monday:** Eph 2:1-10/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4ab, 4c-5/Lk 12:13-21

**Tuesday:** Eph 2:12-22/Ps 85:9ab-10, 11-12, 13-14/Lk 12:35-38

**Wednesday:** Eph 3:2-12/Ps 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6/Lk 12:39-48

**Thursday:** Eph 3:14-21/Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 11-12, 18-19/Lk 12:49-53

**Friday:** Eph 4:1-6/Ps 24:1-2, 3-4ab, 5-6/Lk 12:54-59

**Saturday:** Eph 4:7-16/Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5/Lk 13:1-9

**Next Sunday:** Jer 31:7-9/Ps 126:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 6 (3)/Heb 5:1-6/Mk 10:46-52

## World Mission Sunday



Today is World Mission Sunday. We celebrate this day by remembering the revitalizing mission at the heart of our Christian faith – to bring the Gospel to all! The collection today for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith ensures the work and service of the Mission Church, as it supports priests, religious and lay leaders who offer the Lord's mercy and concrete help to the most vulnerable communities in the Pope's missions. Thank you for your generosity.

## ST. VINCENT DEPAUL

This is SVDP Collection Weekend, October 19 and 20.

(The next collection weekend is November 9 and 10.)

Please donate items **ONLY** on the designated weekends as storage space is limited. The SVDP store is very thankful for all items that they receive, but they are especially in need of **winter clothing for boys, sizes 2T through 12**. Thank you for your generosity and continued support. Contact Julie McNamara for more information at 412-310-1505.



### Called to be True Servants

In looking at what our Liturgy is speaking to us about, we find issues of power, control and manipulation in direct contrast with humility, suffering and service. All of these things are a part of life and at certain periods of our lives we seek them all out. Life as we know it is full of contradictions. We tend to operate on a spectrum of opposing forces. We love and we hate, we are generous and we are greedy, we give and we take. We live out of these extremes every day.

Today, we focus on leadership and what makes a good, honest leader. Jesus tells us that a good leader is one who lives out of the will of God and allows that will of God to be accomplished through them. In our world, people are starving for good servant leaders; people willing to give of themselves for the good of others. Look at all of the campaign advertisements we are exposed to. Those wanting positions of power are always promising to be that “suffering servant” we hear about in the first reading. They are fond of pointing out the faults and weaknesses of opponents, trying to manipulate the vote to swing their way. Once they do get into office, titles and power become more important than the reason why they are there. This is a temptation which can be found with all leadership, whether in government or religion.



The need for power that we see in the two apostles, James and John, in wanting positions of honor in Jesus' Kingdom, can be found in all of us. We all strive for those positions of honor and prestige once in a while; there is a part of us that likes the idea of being famous. However, we are reminded that with power and honor comes suffering. We must be willing to “drink of the cup” that Jesus drinks if we are to be true leaders in life. If we are not willing to suffer and give of ourselves, then we are only kidding ourselves. Society dictates to us the importance of winning and being on top, and we are often told that humility certainly doesn't win ball games. So, we are dealing with yet another contradiction in life. On the one hand, Jesus is telling us we need to be servants if we are to be true leaders; and on the other hand, society gives us the impression that we are to win and be on top no matter what it takes.



I have always felt that one of the reasons why Jesus was so very successful and believable is because he never sought after power, titles or honors. He spent his life in true service of others. I think that we are to carry with us the simple message not to turn life into an endless power game. We are called upon to live life, do good, and set ourselves aside for others. In doing so, we will experience the promise of resurrection. Remember that the presence of God can *always be found* in service to others!

**Father Mike**



# *Hem of His Garment*

Healing Ministry

Night of Healing Prayer

Saint Agnes

11400 St Agnes Lane  
Irwin, PA 15642

Sunday, November 3, 2024, 6:30 PM

**Come Experience God's Supernatural Love**

Eucharistic Exposition

Corporate Prayer for Healing

Individual Prayer Ministry

*Fr. Shawn Anderson, OSB*

*and Hem of Garment Team*

Worship Led by Carolyn Cannizzaro

A woman suffering hemorrhages for twelve years came up behind and touched the tassel on his cloak. She said to herself, "If only I can touch his cloak, I shall be cured." Jesus turned around and saw her, and said, "Courage, daughter! Your faith has saved you." And from that hour the woman was cured.

Matthew 9: 20

For More Information contact: Kim Hutchins (412) 817 - 5465    [Hutchins@hssop.org](mailto:Hutchins@hssop.org)  
[www.hemofhisgarment.org](http://www.hemofhisgarment.org)

## Queen of Angels Catholic School's "Pot of Gold" Lottery Calendar

2025 brings us another great "**Pot of Gold**" Lottery Calendar and 365 chances of winning! Proceeds from this major fundraising event are a valuable source of income for Queen of Angels.

Calendars are \$30 each and run from January 1, 2025, to December 31, 2025. 365 prizes totaling over \$13,000 and ranging from \$25 to \$200 are available. The three digit daily number of the PA Lottery 7:00 PM drawing (excludes Double Draw second drawings) will determine the winner.

Last year we sold all 1,000 calendars and raised \$11,000!! This year's goal is to sell all 1,000 calendars again. The success of this annual fundraiser is a direct result of your commitment and dedication. Our lottery calendars make wonderful gifts for the holidays; it's never too early to shop. Support our school and give a gift that keeps on giving throughout the year!

Any questions, please contact Ruth Ann Noblick, Calendar Coordinator, at

[rnoblick@queenofangelssch.org](mailto:rnoblick@queenofangelssch.org). Please note, all winners must be 18 years of age or older.



**\*\*\* Join us for our Open House\*\*\***

at Greensburg Central Catholic Junior-Senior High School Sunday, November 3, at 1 p.m. This is a wonderful opportunity to explore our community where faith and education come together. Take individual tours of our classrooms, meet our dedicated faculty and learn about financial aid options available to families. You'll also have the chance to connect with representatives from our various clubs and sports teams. Don't miss our Fall Concert starting at 3 p.m., where you can enjoy a performance from our talented music program. Bring your family and discover the benefits of a Catholic education. We can't wait to welcome you!

The poster features a background image of two female students in maroon school jackets and white shirts, smiling and talking in a hallway with green lockers. In the top left, the letters 'GCCC' are in large white font, with 'GREENSBURG CENTRAL CATHOLIC' in smaller white text below. In the top right is the school's crest, which is a shield divided into four quadrants with various symbols, topped by a banner that reads 'SOLI DEO GLORIA'. At the bottom, the text 'OPEN HOUSE' is in large, bold, yellow italicized letters. Below that, 'SUN • NOV 3 • 1-3 PM' is in large, bold, white letters. At the very bottom, 'PROSPECTIVE STUDENTS • 7-11 GRADE' is in white, and '>> LEARN MORE' is in yellow.

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### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

will be collecting old or worn USA flags. There is a box in the back of the church.

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### LUNCH BAGS FOR KIDS

Please continue to donate nutritious snack items for the kids' lunch bags distributed at the monthly Food Bank.

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### ATTENTION SENIOR CITIZENS!

What are you doing on Wednesday afternoons? Come join us at Emerald Club at St. Agnes Resurrection Hall from noon to 4 p.m. We socialize, enjoy a coffee and donut, pray the rosary, have a short meeting and then play cards or games. Interested? Call Elena Marra 724-201-7488

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### CHRISTIAN MOTHER'S & LADIES GUILD

Our next meeting is scheduled for October 24, 2024, at 6:30 p.m. in Mack Hall. All ladies of the Parish (single, married or widowed) are invited to join. Dues are \$10.00 per year.

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### THANK YOU!

THANK YOU to the volunteers who helped make the Craft Show a success! Without you, the show could not have happened. Also, THANK YOU to all who attended and purchased items from the vendors. They were happy with the attendance .

### GRIEF SHARE SUPPORT GROUPS

Grief share support group will be held at Immaculate Conception in the Children's Liturgy Room on Mondays from 6:00 pm to 7:00 pm beginning September 30. Contact Gerri Dornin at [gdornin@comcast.net](mailto:gdornin@comcast.net) to register or for additional information. You are welcome to start attending at any point, as each session is "self-contained."

Grief share support group will be held at St. Agnes in the Bertolina Room in the Faith Formation Center (Old Convent), Thursdays from 1:00 pm to 2:30 pm beginning October 3. Contact Audrey Quinlan at [audreyquinlan@comcast.net](mailto:audreyquinlan@comcast.net) to register or for additional information. You are welcome to start attending at any point, as each session is "self-contained."

## The Melchizedek Project

### Discernment Group for Young Adults 18+

*An afternoon of prayer, discussion and fellowship*

Join us if you are interested in learning how to discover God's will for our life and are open to learning more about the priesthood.

**SUNDAYS  
3:30 PM**

**SEPTEMBER 1**

**OCTOBER 13**

**NOVEMBER 10**

**DECEMBER 1**

**Saint John de La Salle Parish**  
497 Athena Drive  
Delmont, PA 15626

**PRIESTLY VOCATIONS**  
DIOCESE OF GREENSBURG

For more information or to register for an event go to **GreensburgPriest.org**

ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON & IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

Come join us for a night of fun with good friends and great food!

## CASH BASH

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton and Immaculate Conception  
**CASH BASH**  
**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2024**

**CANCELED**

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p.m. \$200 7:30 p.m. - \$300 8:15 p. \$200  
p.m. \$300 7:30 p.m. - \$750 p  
6:45 p.m. - \$200 7:45 p.m. - \$300 8:45 p.m. - \$1000  
Food, beer, and soda are included in ticket price ~ BYOB ~ Must be 21 to attend

**WATCH FOR AN UPCOMING RAFFLE SOON!**

We only have 250 seats available. Buy early to ensure a seat!

For questions or to reserve a table, please contact

Lori Anselmino 412-877-9566 or [lanselmino924@gmail.com](mailto:lanselmino924@gmail.com)

### **PASTORAL AND FINANCE COUNCILS**

Over the past few months, I have talked about starting up our councils. If you expressed an interest with me, or if you are interested in being a part of these councils, I am going to have a meeting on **Monday, October 21st, at 6:30 pm, at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church.** Since this will be a general introduction of what the councils do and are responsible for, I will invite people from both Elizabeth Ann Seton as well as Immaculate Conception to come if they are interested.

### **HURRICANE HELENE AND HURRICANE MILTON RELIEF**

As we continue to pray for those affected by Hurricane Helene and Hurricane Milton, including those who may still be without power or water, or have lost their homes, we ask that you please take a moment and consider making a donation to them through Catholic Charities USA.

These hurricanes have impacted many in the Southeast. Please know that 100% of your donation goes toward those in need.

Please give today and help restore hope. To connect and donate you can go to: [donations@CatholicCharitiesUSA.org](mailto:donations@CatholicCharitiesUSA.org). You can call 703-549-1390 or go to <https://www.catholiccharitiesusa.org/>