Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish

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Dear Parishioners,

I am happy to present you with this year's Parish Annual Report titled "thanksGIVING for God's Blessings." I am so thankful for the blessings that the Lord has bestowed upon this faith community, and you will see many of those blessings in this publication.

With gratitude to our volunteers, be sure to take a look at the many ways our parishioners are dedicating their time and talents to strengthening our faith community, like our homebound ministry, ministry to the poor, new men's group and grief share that provides comfort and spiritual healing in the difficult times of life! This report also includes a complete ministry listing so that you can join the efforts of the parish to serve those in most need of God's Mercy!

With gratitude to our parish staff, take notice of the work they have been doing to light a fire for Christ in the hearts and minds of our parishioners. You may have heard that a National Eucharistic Revival is underway, which means our staff members are part of a grassroots effort to share the gift of the Eucharist. They are helping to build the foundation for the future of our Church!

With gratitude to each of you who attends Mass, offers prayers, participates in events and

donates to the parish, take a look at the many ways you impact the culture and vitality of our parish. When you attend Mass, take note of the newly paved parking lots and handicapped accessible spots. We have also finished the DLA projects of the renovated bathrooms in Mack Hall and the confessional. I am proud that we have accomplished these projects that make our campus more beautiful and welcoming to all who visit!

Living a life rooted in gratitude requires us to express our thanks. And so I ask you, with prayerful consideration to your current situation, to make a year-end gift to our parish to show your gratitude for the good work being done here. Or if you are able, perhaps you will increase your weekly or monthly offertory as a part of our annual "Take the Next Step" program (see below) as a show of thanks for the blessings God has bestowed upon you.

Yours in Christ, Father John

TAKING THE NEXT STEP!

As you begin your discernment process, please consider the following steps: 1) your current offering; 2) consulting the sacrificial giving guide below; 3) moving a percentage or dollar amount forward; and 4) promising yourself to maintain this new level.

Current Household Income					Weekly Gift to the Parish (Rounded to the nearest \$)							
Hourly	Weekly	Monthly	Yearly	1%	1.5%	2%	2.5%	3%	3.5%	4%	4.5%	5%
\$4.80	\$190	\$835	10,000	2.00	3.00	4.00	5.00	6.00	7.00	8.00	9.00	10.00
7.20	290	1,250	15,000	3.00	4.00	6.00	7.00	9.00	10.00	12.00	13.00	14.00
9.60	385	1,665	20,000	4.00	6.00	8.00	10.00	12.00	13.00	15.00	17.00	19.00
12.00	480	2,085	25,000	5.00	7.00	10.00	12.00	14.00	17.00	19.00	22.00	24.00
14.50	575	2,500	30,000	6.00	9.00	12.00	14.00	17.00	20.00	23.00	26.00	29.00
16.75	675	2,915	35,000	7.00	10.00	13.00	17.00	20.00	24.00	27.00	30.00	34.00
19.25	770	3,335	40,000	8.00	12.00	15.00	19.00	23.00	27.00	31.00	35.00	38.00
24.00	960	4,165	50,000	10.00	14.00	19.00	24.00	29.00	34.00	38.00	43.00	48.00
29.00	1,155	5,000	60,000	12.00	17.00	23.00	29.00	35.00	40.00	46.00	52.00	58.00
33.50	1,345	5,835	70,000	13.00	20.00	27.00	34.00	40.00	47.00	54.00	61.00	67.00
38.50	1,540	6,665	80,000	15.00	23.00	31.00	38.00	46.00	54.00	62.00	69.00	77.00
43.50	1,730	7,500	90,000	17.00	26.00	35.00	43.00	52.00	61.00	69.00	78.00	87.00
48.00	1,925	8,335	100,000	19.00	29.00	38.00	48.00	58.00	67.00	77.00	87.00	96.00
57.70	2,308	10,000	120,000	23.00	35.00	46.00	58.00	69.00	81.00	92.00	104.00	115.00
72.10	2,885	12,500	150,000	29.00	43.00	58.00	72.00	87.00	101.00	115.00	130.00	144.00

Become an Intentional Disciple

Enter into a deeper relationship with Christ and your brothers and sisters of the parish by attending one of these upcoming events:

- December 20 Advent Penance Service, 6:30 PM
- Bible Study, ongoing
- Eucharistic Conference date TBD







Parish Financials	2	022-23	20)21-22	20	020-2
Offertory	•	524,180	\$	520,934	\$	486,854
Other Ordinary Income (monthly collections, votive candles)		7,338		9,815		12,432
Extraordinary Income (bequests, donations, fundraising, interest, rental income)		39,117		36,545		18,514
Diocesan Lenten Appeal Refund		49,550		35,312		38,31
Other Non-Assessable Income (Includes withdrawal from savings for parking lot)		252,554		35,901		72,266
Special Collections		17,472		24,544		26,47
Total Income	\$	890,211	\$	663.051	\$	654.858
Expenses				, , , ,		, , ,
Administration		\$ 133,691		\$ 122,364		\$ 132,54
Church		50,214		53,849		35,130
Rectory		4,843		4,510		3,000
Education and Ministry		113,987		97,164		70,37
General Expenses		166,557		140,929		161,97
Special Collections		16,279		24,391		26,47
Extraordinary Expenses (Parking lot and AC)		383,033		212,607		250,94
Total Expenditures		868,604		655,814		680,44
Net Operating Income (Loss)	\$	21,607	\$	7,237	\$	(25,584

Our Parish by the Numbers:



Registered Households

2023: 1,260 2022: 1,223 2021: 1,193

Current Single Member Househol





Baptisms 2023: 10

2022: 20 2021: 10

Weddings

2023: 0 2022: 1 2021: 2





Funerals 2023: 35 2022: 10 2021: 32

New to Our Parish



Bishop Larry J. Kulick has blessed us with the assignment of Father Louiegene Valdez from the Diocese of Bangued in the Philippines! Father Louiegene (pronounced *La We Gin*) was ordained Dec. 5, 2012, and has served in various capacities over the past 11 years. He has

been assigned as a parochial vicar, teacher and spiritual advisor in the seminary as well as the chancellor to the Bishop. Father Louiegene asked for permission to come and serve in the United States, and his Bishop granted him the opportunity to serve here in the Diocese of Greensburg.

I am so excited to have the opportunity to share my priesthood and my beloved parish with him! If you have not had the opportunity to greet him at the parish picnic, please do so after Mass on Sunday. Thank you, Father Louiegene, for coming to serve our parish!

Giving With Gratitude

We are excited to showcase our new Giving QR Code. Please scan it to make a year-end gift or to increase your offertory.





BY MAIL:Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish

200 Leger Road North Huntingdon, PA 15642



IN PERSON:

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM



ONLINE: seasnh.org

Our Ministries:





- Altar Servers
- Music Ministry
- Children's Choir
- Ministry to the Homebound
- Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion
- Religious Formation
 Leaders and Youth Ministry
 Leaders
- Lectors
- Greeters
- Ushers
- Children's Liturgy of the Word Leaders
- Christian Mothers
- Knights of Columbus
- Senior Outreach
- Fundraising Event Volunteers
- **Beautification Committee**

We really do need volunteers to support our parish, specifically servers, lectors, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, ushers, greeters and catechists. Please call the parish office today at 724-864-6364 so we can walk you through the process of becoming a volunteer.