



SAINT ELIZABETH ANN SETON

AUGUST 3, 2025 18TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Saturday, August 2, 2025

8:30 am First Saturday / Anointing /

MM + Robert Starr

4 pm William Eastman (Daughter, Barbara)

Sunday, August 3, 2025

8:30 am Theresa Gamret (Rose Luptak)

11:30 am God the Father (Joe Perozich)

Monday, August 4, 2025

8:30 am Peg Ratesic

(Roseann & Jay Cieslewicz)

Tuesday, August 5, 2025

8:30 am For the Parish Family

Wednesday, August 6, 2025

8:30 am Denny Moore

(Vickie & Mike Nolan)

Thursday, August 7, 2025

8:30 am Richard Szurley

(Kathy & Ed Luckasevic)

Friday, August 8, 2025

8:30 am William & Josephine Eastman

(Daughter, Barbara)

Saturday, August 9, 2025

4 pm Albert E. Kolano

(Gene W. Kolano & Family)

Sunday, August 10, 2025

8:30 am Memory of Thomas Michael Guercio

(Joann Guercio)

11:30 am Joe Perozich (Family)

CONFESSIONS – SATURDAYS* 3 pm – 3:45 pm

*On 1st Saturdays – Confessions will follow

8:30 am Mass (no confessions at 3 pm)

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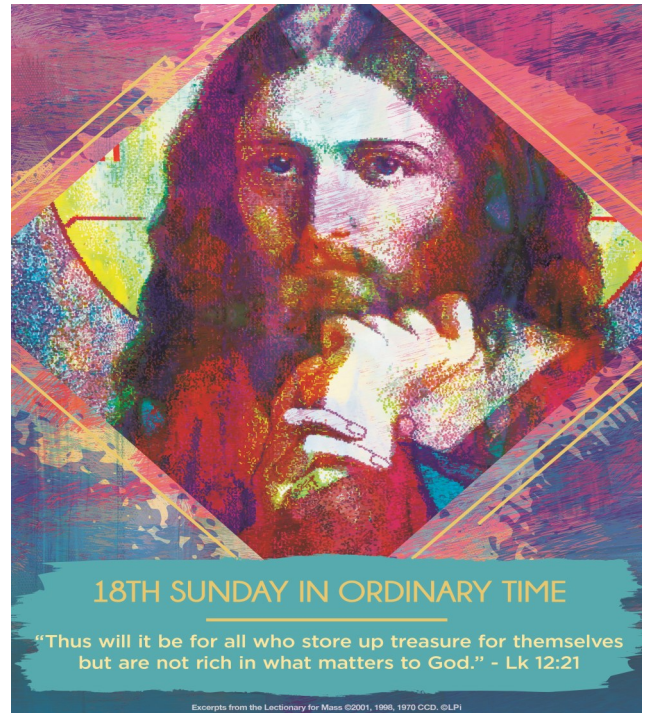
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Father Jim's Message

Exercise your spiritual muscle with the help of the greatest spiritual tool from Our Lady; Queen of Heaven and Earth!

Discipline is a great gift in the spiritual life. Sometimes discipline causes us a negative reaction. We might have flashbacks of all the things we didn't want to do as a child but *had too*, (or) we might think of all the things we really don't enjoy doing currently, *but* do them to maintain a job or family life. Discipline in prayer is on another level. This is what many call *Holy Discipline* and it has a direct effect on our spiritual muscle. This kind is the easiest to neglect, because it's the easiest for our earthly minds to ignore. I want to use the example of a prayer I love (I had to learn to love it) which is the Rosary. I believe it to be the best example of a prayer of holy discipline. My daily recitation of the rosary takes 20 minutes, *only 20 minutes of my day*, and yet I rarely *look forward* to it. It requires a stepping away from all earthly matters, and to my disordered will, it can feel burdensome when I begin it each day. But I can tell you that I am so grateful to the Holy Spirit for helping me to develop this most important habit and exercise of my *spiritual muscle* years ago.



The Holy Rosary of the Blessed Virgin Mary helps me every single day. It's just as important for me today as it was 5 years ago or 20 years in my future and I can't recommend it enough! It's like the perfect spiritual exercise tool for any stage of one's path to God. It stands in direct opposition to the vanities of our human condition and pulls us back toward the path of Life in Christ. It's also perfectly ordered, with a beginning, a middle and an end. (Like a clear walking path of prayer) Have you embraced the gift of a daily rosary recitation yet? If so, praise the Lord! Keep at it! If not, I pray you also receive this most helpful gift in your life! You could start today. Remember, don't overthink your daily rosary, just give yourself over to the blessed mother and simply show up to it--pray it whether you are distracted or focused. It's usually on the second or third decade that I start to experience the fruit of conversion and clarity for the day it provides. This is an even greater gift on distracted days. The only poorly prayed rosary...is the one you or I didn't pray.



When I begin my daily rosary, I love to say something like; "Oh Holy Mother of God, my Mother, Mother of the Church, I love you, I give you the next 20 minutes, please guide me to your Son."

A Quote from St. Augustine:

"Why in our fear of not praying as we should, do we turn to so many things, to find what we should pray for? Why do we not say instead, in the words of the psalm: I have asked for one thing from the Lord, this is what I will seek: to dwell in the Lord's house all the days of my life, to see the graciousness of the Lord, and to visit his temple."



READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: Eccl 1:2; 2:21-23/Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14, 17 (1)
Col 3:1-5, 9-11/Lk 12:13-21

Monday: Nm 11:4b-15/Ps 81:12-13, 14-15, 16-17/Mt 14:13-21

Tuesday: Nm 12:1-13/Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 6cd-7, 12-13
Mt 14:22-36 or Mt 15:1-2, 10-14

Wednesday: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14/Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9/2 Pt 1:16-19/
Lk 9:28b-36

Thursday: Nm 20:1-13/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9/Mt 16:13-23

Friday: Dt 4:32-40/Ps 77:12-13, 14-15, 16 and 21/Mt 16:24-28

Saturday: Dt 6:4-13/Ps 18:2-3a, 3bc-4, 47 and 51/Mt 17:14-20

Next Sunday: Wis 18:6-9/Ps 33:1, 12, 18-19, 20-22 (12b)/Heb 11:1-2, 8-19 or 11:1-2, 8-12/ Lk 12:32-48 or 12:35-40

COME AND JOIN the PARISH PICNIC

Meet your Church Family!

Meet Fr. Jim!

Have a meal with some new friends or some old ones!

Play Bingo!

Parish Picnic

will be held on

Saturday, August 2, 2025 from

5:00-8:00 pm (rain or shine) in Mack Hall.

Please sign attendance sheet in the back of church if you plan to attend.

FOOD

Hamburgers, Hot Dogs, Corn, Buns and Drinks will be provided.

PLEASE BRING a cold salad, cold dish, dessert or snack (chips, candy etc.) (We will not be having hot plates this year.)

VOLUNTEERS (with clearances) needed for the picnic.

Please sign **VOLUNTEER SIGN UP** sheet in the back of the church to offer help make the picnic a success. You will still have time to enjoy the picnic with your family. Any and all help will be appreciated.

Please call Mary Loretta Wheeler 724-902-0345 if you have any questions.

BACK-TO-SCHOOL SUPPLIES

Donations of supplies can be deposited in the bin in the back of the church. Filled back packs will be raffled off to the children attending the picnic.

Christian Mothers are donating back packs.

CHILDREN GAMES & PRIZES

GAS CARD RAFFLE tickets will be available for sale (\$5.00 each) after masses the **next three weekends**.

After the
4pm Mass
this Saturday!



MEMORIALS

Sanctuary Candle—August 2-8:

Kmetz, Caruso & Knapp Family
(Gerry Knapp & Becky Caruso)
(Kathy & Ed Luckasevic)

Altar Candles—August 2-8:

Willian & Josephine Eastman
(Daughter, Barbara)



50th Wedding Anniversary Couples!

Bishop Kulick desires to recognize all couples celebrating their 50th Wedding Anniversary during the calendar year 2025. The Jubilarians, their children, relatives or friends should contact the parish office ASAP to register couples for this recognition. The Jubilarians will be invited to join the bishop for a special Golden Wedding Anniversary Mass at Blessed Sacrament Cathedral on **Sunday, September 28, 2025**. Even if personal circumstances may not permit couples to attend, all registered couples will receive a scroll signed by the Bishop to commemorate their anniversary.

2025 Mass Intentions Available

There are a few Mass intention openings in December. Please fill out a form in the back of the church, or stop in the office. Thank you.

The 2026 Mass book will be open sometime in the fall – watch for a bulletin announcement.

SACRAMENTS

Anointing of the Sick

The sacrament is available during Confession hour and after each Mass.

Matrimony

Couples wishing to celebrate the Sacrament of Matrimony must contact the parish office one year in advance of the Wedding.

Baptism

Families of our parish who wish to have their child baptized please email Susan Cheplic skcheplic@dioceseofgreensburg.org to register for Baptism Preparation.

Sunday Offertory

\$6988.75

Thank you for supporting our parish!

Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish offers Online Giving.

- Scan QR Code on the new Pew Cards or QR Code below.
- Click Create a new account.
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- Allow 2 minutes to complete the process.



If you decide to switch to online giving and would like to discontinue your envelopes please contact the parish office. Thank you!

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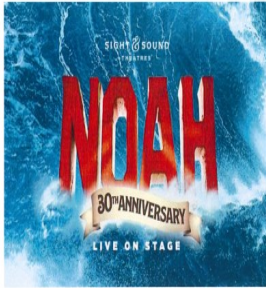
Build your business and help us grow a vibrant faith community!

Sue Novosel from LPI, our bulletin printer, will be securing new ads for our church in the coming weeks. As a valuable member of the business community, we invite you to expand your reach and grow your business with a print ad in our parish bulletin and/or a digital ad featured on ParishesOnline.com.



Sue Novosel, Advertising Rep
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Join us for our annual trip to witness this exciting performance!
Seats are still available!!



Saint Paul Parish invites you to join us for an excursion to Lancaster County's Sight & Sound Theater on Wednesday, September 17, 2025 to experience the on-stage Bible Story, "Noah". We will depart St. Paul's at 10:00AM and return approximately 11:30PM. The cost is \$198.00 and includes transportation, theater ticket, and dinner at Yoder's Buffet. We will stop for a lunch break on the way which will be your expense. The final payment is due by August 17. To register and pay use this link - <https://scholasticatravel.grcoll.co/v2/go/15942a> or the QR code above. We need at least 41 people on the trip to receive the price of \$198. If we have more than 46 people, the price will be reduced!

For more information or questions, call Matt at St. Paul's office at 724 834-6880.

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WEDNESDAY - AUG. 6th

JACKPOT	\$2,500
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GAMES	\$170
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LIMITED SEATING.....arrive early

DOORS OPEN 5:00 - EARLY BIRDS 6:45

111 Raymaley Rd., Harrison City, PA

724-744-7474

Thank you!

724-744-4584

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1 Timothy



SEPTEMBER 14, 2025

COLOR WAR

6pm-8pm @ St. Elizabeth Ann Seton

White t-shirt is part of registration.
THIS IS A WET WAR!
Bring towels!

REGISTRATION FOR TSHIRT IS
DUE AUGUST 17

<https://www.dsvhub.com/stagneschurch/forms/412colorwar2025>



We're raising dough!

QUEEN OF ANGELS CATHOLIC SCHOOL

August 7, 2025

8:00 am to 8:00 pm

8901 Route 30, North Huntingdon, PA

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62nd Annual St. Agnes Bazaar

11400 St. Agnes Ln.
N. Huntingdon, PA

Rain or Shine!

August 1, 2, & 3 2025

Food & Game booths open at 5:00 p.m.

Friday: 5:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.

Saturday: 5:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.

Sunday: 4:00 p.m. to close.



and much
more

\$5,000 Raffle Ticket
Basket Raffle
Ethnic Foods

Freshly made Baked Goods,
Belgian Waffles, Funnel
Cakes, French Fries, Italian
Roast Beef, Chicken Wings,
Lemonade, Kerber's ice cream

Rides

Poker

Bingo

**Beer
tent**

**Games of
Skill and
Chance**

Friday Saturday Sunday

5:00 pm - 10:00 pm
Live Entertainment

5:00 pm - 10:00 pm
Live Entertainment

4:00pm - close
Live Entertainment

Knights of Columbus St Jude Council 9019 - will have their monthly meeting on Monday July 28, 2025, at the St Agnes Convent Building, Fr Gianni Room. The meeting starts at 7:15 with the Rosary. St Jude Council covers the parishes of IC, St Agnes, and St Elizabeth Ann Seton. If you are interested in joining the Knights, or would like to transfer to our Council, please contact Al Borgony at 724-864-3487 or email a.borgony@comcast.net, or you can check out our website at kofc.org and join online.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SUMMER LUNCH TOTES needed for Food Bank distribution in AUGUST

Sign up sheet is on counter. Thank you for your generosity! The next Clothing Collection for SVDP is the weekend of August 9/10. (Please bring donated items ONLY on the designated weekends since storage is limited).

SVDP appreciates all donations! Thank you!
(Questions or concerns please contact Julie McNamara at 412-310-1305).



Summer Lunch Totes

"Summer Lunch Tote" program for the nearly 90 children whose families receive help from the Food Bank.



Sign Up sheets are available on the counter in the back of church so that you can sign up to donate a lunch tote for August.

Please drop off totes in Mack Hall this week.

Sign up to : "Adopt a child" during the summer months of June, July & August for the 90 children who receive help from the Food Bank. Fill a reusable shopping tote with breakfast/ lunch items and bring it to Mack Hall the week of distribution dates. **** For the month of August, please include a \$10-15 gift card for Target or Walmart School Supplies.**

Drop off tote to Mack Hall by the following
dates between 8:30am—1:00pm.

Food Bank Distribution Dates:

August 4 & August 8

August 9

Suggested Items



Cereal Pop Tarts Peanut Butter
Jelly Luncheon Foods Spaghetti
O's Snack Crackers Fruit Cups

Jell-O/Pudding Cups Juice
Microwavable Entrées

Fruit Rollups Gummy Snacks

Any other healthy breakfast or lunch item

QUEEN OF ANGELS CATHOLIC SCHOOL

We are currently looking to fill our substitute teacher list for the school year 2025-2026. If you would like to be added, please send your resume to:

Queen of Angels Catholic School

c/o Ms. Jennifer Filak, Principal

One Main Street North Huntingdon, PA 15642

Or email Jennifer Filak at jfilak@queenofangelssch.org.

She can also be reached in the school office at 724-978-0144.



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