



SAINT ELIZABETH ANN SETON

JANUARY 11, 2026 THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

Saturday, January 10, 2026

4 pm Bob & Kay Cunningham (Family)

Sunday, January 11, 2026

8:30 am For the Parish Family

11:30 am Jean Mundy
(Mary Ann Chismar)

Monday, January 12, 2026

8:30 am Ed Straley (Rose & Chrissy)

Tuesday, January 13, 2026

8:30 am Helen Kresic (Month's Mind)

Wednesday, January 14, 2026

8:30 am Dolly Costello
(Tomasic-Straley-Hensler Family)

Thursday, January 15, 2026

8:30 am Christian, Sebastian, Maximilian
(Mom)

Friday, January 16, 2026

8:30 am Jack & Bernice Wasco &
Stella Rowlands (Vickie & Mike)

Saturday, January 17, 2026

4 pm Deceased Members of the
Barkac Family (Mike & Lois)

Sunday, January 18, 2026

8:30 am For the Parish Family
11:30 am Mary Ann Madden
(Tom Madden, Children & Grandchildren)

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Jennifer Filak, *Principal*

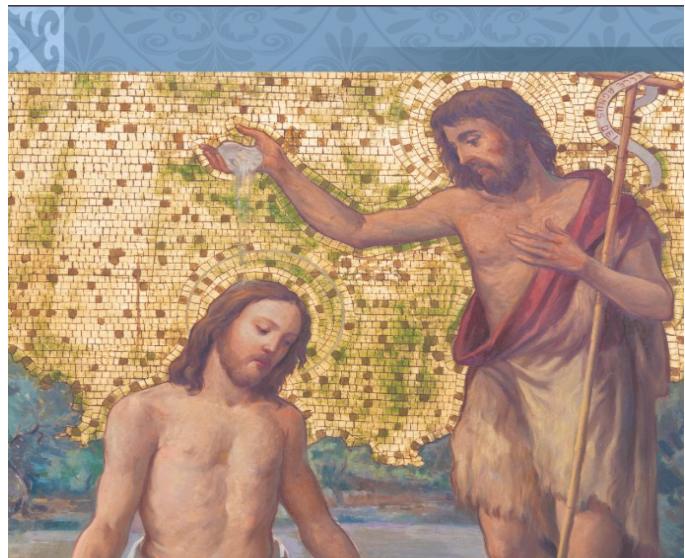
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THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

"Behold, the heavens were opened for him, and he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove and coming upon him." Mt 3:16

Excerpted from the Lectionary for Mass. ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD

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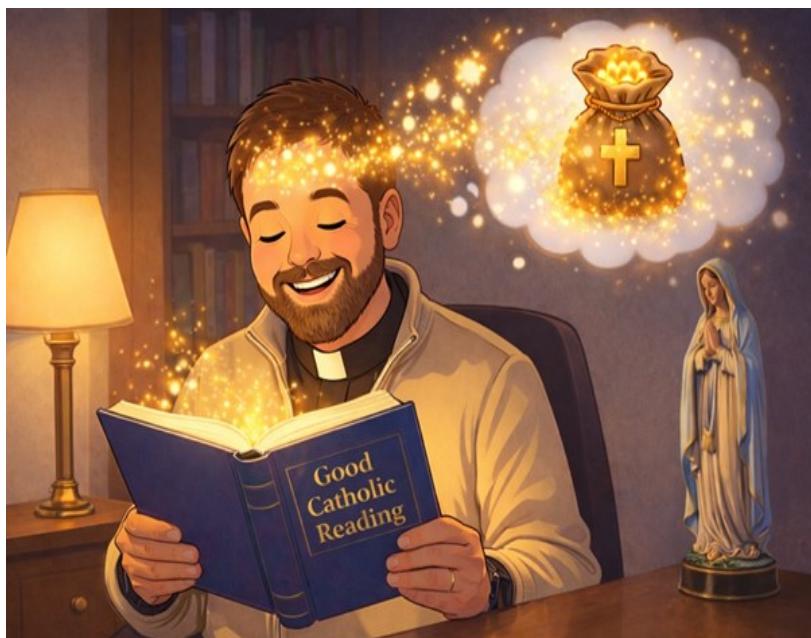
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Words of Faith from Father Jim

Good Catholic reading every day. --I admit that I have never been a “reader.” (Outside of my prayer books) Throughout most of my life, I read books that I *had* too for education requirements and to learn what I needed too. I looked at books as this heavy task of homework...and I always had this tension thinking...” I’m never going to remember all of that! A number of years ago, I realized something; A good Catholic book is not something I am supposed to memorize....it’s a treasure chest. (and) each book that is of value contains within it a certain amount of treasures. A *book treasure* is an insight, a clarity, or a new thing that I didn’t know before that causes me joy to learn! These are priceless!

Some books may only have 5-10 treasures in them. Others may have a treasure on every page! Don’t let these awesome treasures go undiscovered by you! When you read a book (especially a book about your faith) remember that you are looking for these *treasures*. Write *only the treasures down* when you find them. Develop this skill! This is how you properly read a book; by actively searching for treasures. With this method, you will naturally pay more attention and you will let go of any anxiety you have about forgetting all the “filler words.” You only need to remember the treasures! This understanding helped me to begin **wanting** to read books on my own time for my spiritual improvement outside of my ordinary prayer times! Trust me, it works! Good luck on your next treasure hunt! A priest friend of mine once said, “One sure way to keep the fire of the Holy Spirit burning in your heart is to always be doing some good Catholic reading every day in addition to your prayer life!”



Readings for the week of January 11, 2026

Sunday: Is 42:1-4, 6-7/Ps 29:1-2, 3-4, 3, 9-10/Acts 10:34-38/Mt 3:13-17

Monday: 1 Sm 1:1-8/Ps 116:12-13, 14-17, 18-19/Mk 1:14-20

Tuesday: 1 Sm 1:9-20/1 Sam 2:1, 4-5, 6-7, 8abcd/Mk 1:21-28

Wednesday: 1 Sm 3:1-10, 19-20/Ps 40:2 and 5, 7-8a, 8b-9, 10/Mk 1:29-39

Thursday: 1 Sm 4:1-11/Ps 44:10-11, 14-15, 24-25/Mk 1:40-45

Friday: 1 Sm 8:4-7, 10-22a/Ps 89:16-17, 18-19/Mk 2:1-12

Saturday: 1 Sm 9:1-4, 17-19; 10:1a/Ps 21:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Mk 2:13-17

Next Sunday: Is 49:3, 5-6/Ps 40:2 and 4, 7-8, 8-9, 10/1 Cor 1:1-3/Jn 1:29-34

MEMORIALS

St. Peregrine (January 10 - 23, 2026):

Margaret Ann Drahnak

(Mary Loretta)

St. John Neumann

(January 10 - 23, 2026):

**Special Birthday Blessing on
Mary Hammar** (Vickie Nolan)

ST. VINCENT DEPAUL

The Clothing Collection for SVDP is this weekend, January 10/11.

(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 412-310-1505).

+ *Please pray for all of our faithful departed and their families, especially Helen Kresic who recently died.* +

IMPORTANT

TEMPORARY MASS & CONFESSION UPDATE:

Saturday 3 pm confessions at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton will be on **January 10, January 31, and February 7 ONLY.**

There will **NOT** be an 8:30 am 1st Saturday/Anointing Mass on **Saturday, February 7.**

(our normal Saturday confessions and 1st Saturday schedule will resume late February – watch bulletin.)

Confessions at neighboring parishes

St. Barbara Parish - Saturdays at Noon

St. Agnes Parish - Saturdays at 1:00 pm

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish - Sat. Jan. 24 & Sat. Feb. 7 at 3:00 pm

Sunday Offertory

Weekly Offertory: \$10,541.00

Online Giving: \$3,206.00

Adult & children envelopes and loose money

Online Giving

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.
- Create an ID and password.
- 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!



Donations of water bottles, juice, noodles, crackers, pudding and fruit cups and other snacks items are needed and can be placed in the storage containers in the back of the church.



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

MARY'S GARDEN BRICK SALE - 2 for \$100, or \$60 each. Please complete one of the forms in the back of the church.



Job Opening Full Time Immaculate Conception Cemetery Manager

Full time manager will oversee cemetery operations which include, but are not limited to, overall cemetery grounds maintenance; arrange for footer, head stone, and plaque installations; grave management, which includes being able to coordinate with office personnel and funeral directors, excavating and back filling of graves, opening and closing of graves; opening and closing of the chapels for services, direct funeral processions, and accurately record and file paperwork; grass cutting at cemetery and snow removal at all parish and cemetery grounds; schedule contractors when necessary, and other inquiries. Applicants MUST have a mechanical background, good communication skills, have a valid driver's license, be reliable and be conscientious. Although being Catholic is not necessary for employment, applicants should have an understanding and appreciation of the Catholic faith and its rituals. Applicants are reminded that, if hired, will be employees of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Greensburg. Before starting employment, applicants are REQUIRED to undergo and successfully complete all necessary trainings and obtain all necessary clearances to comply with the Diocese of Greensburg's call to Higher Standards, which include, but may not be limited to, background checks and fingerprinting. The Diocese of Greensburg is an equal opportunity employer. Salary is negotiable based on knowledge, expertise and skill set. Resumes may be submitted electronically to [Immaculate Conception Parish at \[cruby@dioceseofgreensburg.org\]\(mailto:cruby@dioceseofgreensburg.org\)](mailto:cruby@dioceseofgreensburg.org) or via mail delivery to 308 Second St. Irwin PA 15642. The resumes will be forwarded to Father



Knights of Columbus Donations for Vocations- Dollars for Collars - St Jude 9019 Knights of Columbus will be collecting for Vocations on January 17-18 after all masses. All monies collected for vocations are in support of our Seminarians in the Greensburg Diocese. Last year we collected \$4,300 from the Parishes of Immaculate Conception, St Agnes, and St Elizabeth Ann Seton. From that total last year we gave \$2,000 directly to Designated Seminarians studying for the Priesthood in our Diocese. The remainder was donated to the Diocesan Fund that pays for educational costs. This year we are supporting three seminarians, Tyler Randolph, Ryan Scavnick, and Matteo Arcara. Tyler and Ryan are members of Immaculate Conception Parish. Thanks for supporting this worthy cause.

There are several February and March 2026 Mass Intention dates (mostly weekday) available – please fill out a form or contact the office if interested in checking available dates.

CHRISTIAN MOTHERS

No January Meeting – next meeting will be Thursday, February 26, 2026 at 1 pm in Mack Hall. Mark your calendars!

HAPPY NEW YEAR!!

We joyfully welcomed through the Sacrament of Baptism Charlotte Johnson, Max Carson, and Amelia Leber at the 8:30 AM Mass (pictured below) Mirabella Guerrieri at the 11:30 AM Mass (pictured to the right)



Christmas Decoration Removal Immaculate Conception Cemetery

If you wish to retain your Christmas decorations from your loved ones graves, please remove the Christmas decorations by March 2, 2026.



GRIEF SHARE SUPPORT GROUPS

Two Grief Share groups are available:

- Sunday evenings at I.C.
- Thursday afternoons at St. Agnes

Grief Share support group will be held at Immaculate Conception in the Children's Liturgy Room on Sunday from 4:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. beginning January 25, 2026. Contact Gerri Dornin at 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 p.m. - 2:30 p.m. Contact Audrey Quintan at audreyquintan@comcast.net to register or for additional information. You are welcome to start attending at any point, as each session is "self-contained."



Catholic Schools United in Faith and Community

Queen of Angels Catholic School - With the New Year on the horizon, Queen of Angels Catholic School is preparing for a new celebration of Catholic Schools.

National Catholic Schools Week (CSW) is an annual celebration of Catholic education in the United States. CSW has traditionally been held the last week in January. We want to help showcase what makes Catholic schools the best when families are looking to find the right school for them. This year we will celebrate January 25-31, 2026. This year's theme is Catholic Schools: United in Faith and Community.

SAVE THE DATE



SOUPer Bowl Saturday

Saturday, January 17, 2026 following 4pm Mass



Join us for a fun and flavorful evening of homemade soups! Parishioners are invited to donate a crockpot of their own favorite soup, along with a written copy of the recipe to be shared. Admission is \$10 at the door, and guests should bring their own soup mug.

Sign-up sheets for soup donations and event volunteers are available in the back of the church.

Come enjoy great food, warm fellowship, and support our parish!

Contact Julie McNamara at 412-310-3105 with any questions.



Toddler Two Program

This "Toddler Time" Parent/Child Program is designed for children and their parent or caregiver to come together to play and learn.

A typical session will include: Exploratory Play, Arts & Crafts, Circle Time (a gentle introduction to group time) and Snack. The session is led by Pre-K teacher Mrs. Bucklew

Details

WHO: 2-3 year old children with a parent or caregiver (Must be 2 before session starts)

WHERE: Queen of Angels Catholic School

SESSIONS AVAILABLE: Each session is 8 weeks
Fall- Oct 13/15- Dec 8/10 (no session Nov 26th or Dec 1st)
Winter- Jan 5/7- March 9/11 (no session Jan 19/21 or Feb 16/18)
Spring- March 23/25- May 18/20 (no session April 1st or 6th)

Cost per session: \$100 for 1 day per week or \$175 for 2 days per week. Checks should be made payable to Queen of Angels Catholic School.



REGISTER TODAY!



FISH FRY 2026

After Christmas, there are only 54 days until Ash Wednesday on February 18!

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN VOLUNTEERING FOR THIS YEAR'S FISH FRY,
PLEASE COMPLETE THE ONLINE FORM BY SCANNING THE QR CODE
WITH YOUR MOBILE DEVICE'S CAMERA AND CLICKING THE LINK THAT
APPEARS OR BY VISITING THE LINK BELOW.



Or visit www.surveymonkey.com/r/SEASFish2026

Contact Fish Fry Chair Julie McNamara at 412-310-1505 with any questions

