

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Parish

Richmond, IN

24th Sunday in *Ordinary Time*

"In just the same way, I tell you, there will be rejoicing among the angels of God over one sinner who repents." Luke 15:10

The Lost Son

The Lost Sheep

The Lost Coin





St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish

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235 S. 5th Street Sunday Worship: 10:00 am - English	720 North "A" Street Sunday Worship: Saturday - 5:00 pm Sunday - 1:30 pm (Spanish)	815 W. Main Street Sunday Worship: Sunday 8:00 am

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24TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SEPTEMBER 11, 2022

HOLY MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS

Saturday 9/10	SM	5:00pm	Mary Coddington
Sunday, 9/11	HF	8:00 am	Dr. Adrian Villarin
Sunday, 9/11	SA	10:00 am	Michael Silva
Sunday, 9/11	SM	1:30 pm	For the people of S.E.A.S.
Monday, 9/12	SA	8:15 am	Communion Service
Tuesday, 9/13	HF	7:00 pm	Poor Souls in Purgatory
Wednesday, 9/14	SM	8:15 am	Bernadette Witte
Thursday, 9/15	HF	8:15am	Communion Service
Friday, 9/16	SA	8:15 am	Charlene Phillips
Saturday, 9/17	SM	5:00 pm	Richard Kelley
Sunday, 9/18	HF	8:00 am	Dr. Jose Clemente
Sunday, 9/18	SA	10:00 am	John Houser
Sunday, 9/18	SM	1:30 pm	Ana Nava Gaytán

This Week's Liturgy: - September 12 - 17

MON	12	Weekday [24], SA
TUE	13	ST. JOHN CHRYSOSTOM, Bishop, DOC., HF
WED	14	EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS, SM
THU	15	Our Lady of Sorrow, HF
FRI	16	SS Cornelius, Pope & Cyprian, Bishop, Martyrs ,SA
SAT	17	Weekday [24], SM

Stewardship report: September 4, 2022

Sunday/Holy Day	Sept. 4	10,694.00
Online giving	Aug. 29-Sept. 4	2,854.08
Spanish	Sept. 4	283.00
Total		13,831.08
Budget weekly		19,038.46
Needs of the Parish	Sept. 4	321.00
Whitewater Pro-Bono	Sept. 4	434.00



Evangelize 3:16
Preaching the Kerygma today

**Evangelization 3:16 will resume in
September on the 11th, 18th, 25th.
Please call the Catholic Office to sign-up!**

Please Pray!
Mary L. Vogelgesang, Jan Wright, Jan Benson, Jane Brandley, Arthur Bell, Jackie Wiwi, Keith Fessler, Ann Melle, Nathan Gethers, Bill Ritz, Dorothy Fuller, Mike Pappin, Gary Criss, Mary Maddox, Jenny Weller, Carolyn Fisher, David Fisher, Mark G. Gibson, Mary Parker, Greg Boyce, Howard Turner, Rex Grubbs, Shaun Witte, Jim Hodge, Greg Boyce, Betty & John Dilley, Lynn Morey, Tammy Matthews, Kate Knight, Diana Hart, Trudy Mays, Mary Fox, Stephanie Celich, Steven Valsak, Mandi Baker, Jason Baker, Carol North and Officer Seara Burton

Adoration & Confession	Holy Family	5:30 - 6:15 pm
Weekend Mass attendance	August 28	763
Weekend Mass attendance	September 4	713
Weekly Confessions	Tuesday - Friday	13

Sin Makes You Stupid!

Years ago, there was a TV game show titled “Are You Smarter than a 5th Grader?” Questions taken from elementary school textbooks tested contestants for prize money.

Once, a Nobel Prize winner won \$1 million dollars. However, many failed and had to admit they were “not smarter than a 5th grader.”

The Archdiocese of Indianapolis has Catholic standards for 5th Graders (and all grades). Many are basic like the Sign of the Cross, Hail Mary, and the Lord’s Prayer. Fifth-graders are expected to know the Ten Commandments and the 7 Sacraments. After learning the Corporal and Spiritual Works of Mercy in 3rd and 4th grade, students will next learn the Fruits of the Holy Spirit and Prayer to the Holy Spirit. Are you smarter than a 5th Grader at Seton?

If it is difficult to remember the Great Commandment, then pray Matthew 22:37-39 with all your heart, all your soul, and all your mind. For the New Commandment reflect on John 13:34 with love for others. And if the Beatitudes are confusing, then meditate with imagination on Matthew 5:3-10. Contemplating the Scriptures will help Catholics to be more attentive to God’s will.

Memorization of these key prayers and practices is not easy for 5th graders (or anyone else). Knowing prayers do aid in the struggle for Faith and open hearts to God’s grace. The prize is not simply money but chance to be a saint. And failure in this test is not merely public shame. It may lead to Matthew 7:13 destruction.

Sin makes you stupid! St. Paul put it this way: “Although they knew God, they did not honor him as God or give thanks to Him, but they became futile in their thinking and

their senseless minds were darkened.” (Rom. 1:21).

The Catechism concludes, “For those who receive the Sacrament of Penance with contrite heart and religious disposition, reconciliation “is usually followed by peace and serenity of conscience with strong spiritual consolation.” Indeed the Sacrament of Reconciliation with God brings about a true “spiritual resurrection,” restoration of the dignity and blessings of the life of the children of God, of which the most precious is friendship with God (1468).”

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) seeks to prepare people to say “yes” to eternal truths. Not simply to be able to pass a test, but to fall in love with the eternal lover, Jesus. Through graces of the Holy Spirit, the RCIA team will share the scriptures, teachings, liturgy and reason to enable those on this journey to be more perfectly configured to Christ. Our RCIA team of Dr. Joseph Moriarity, Beth Van Der Burgt, Laura Elstro, Evelyn Miller, David & Peggy Rokosz, Vicky Roosa, Dr. Sam Krutz and Father Sengole invites everyone to come and see that the Catholic worldview is not just a way of thinking, but the path to true happiness. Please pray for our RCIA team.

Yours in Christ,

Dr. Sam Krutz



If you are Interested in the Catholic Faith?

Please contact the Catholic Office to set an appointment with Fr. Sengole Gnanaraj at 765-962-3902.

Parish Council Representatives: Fr. Sengole Gnanaraj, Mary Lynn Lineback (new), Jody Marsee, Vera Crowl, Laura Elstro (new), Sam Krutz (new), Vince Punzo (new), Art Clark, Edward Martin, and Marty Johnson (new). The council also includes representation from Parish Finance Council, Faith Formation Commission, Youth Council and Seton School Commission.



Parish Director of Religious Education Position Open [Full-time]

Our parish is in need of a full time Director of Religious Education. Responsibilities include managing the Sunday Morning Religious Education program, sacramental preparation, parish missions, faith formation and events during liturgical seasons (Advent, Lent). Interested and qualified candidates please submit your resume to frsengole@setoncatholics.org —or drop off at the parish office. We are looking for a person of good standing with the Catholic Church, committed to work for the Church.

A degree in Religious Studies is preferred.

Bible Study

Bible Study begins Monday, September 12th at 7:00-8:15pm at Holy Family Church. We will be studying the book of John. If you have any questions or need transportation, please contact Cheryl Kitchin at 765-969-3945 or Lynn Lineback at 765-993-1840. Bring a friend.

2nd Collections

9/11/2022 - Catholic University of America

9/18/2022 - IWIN (Indiana Women In Need)

Thank you for your continued support!

Parish Pictorial Directory

We are currently accepting family photos to include in our new directory. You may email your quality, digital photos (landscape orientation appreciated) to Karen Ruhl at kruhl@setoncatholics.org or drop off at the church office. Original, printed photos will be scanned and returned. Deadline for submission is Friday, September 30th.

Directories will arrive approximately 8 weeks after the final proof is approved.

Catholic University of America

This weekend, the Archdiocese will be taking up the National Collection for the Catholic University of America. Catholic University is a national research university with over 5,700 undergraduate and graduate students in more than 250 academic programs in the heart of Washington, D.C. By giving to the collection, you are supporting future Catholic leaders, both religious and lay, who are being formed by an exceptional, faith-rooted education and the University's various research and training initiatives that support dioceses and parishes in responding to the most pressing needs of their faithful. The Catholic Project - an initiative that brings together clergy and laity to address the challenges that the Catholic Church faces in the U.S. by contributing education, formation, research, events, and media, a master's program in Ecclesial Administration and Management, and a credentialing program that prepares recent graduates to serve as campus ministers, are a few examples how the University is serving the Church and nation. Please give generously. Scan the QR code or visit:

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Knights of Columbus Family of the Month



Congratulations to the Byrum Family for their example of promoting the Holy Family: Jesus, Mary and Joseph to the young people of our community. The Knights of Columbus family-of-the-month program promotes and supports the development of strong and vibrant families by recognizing the good work being done every day in the homes of our neighbors. Recognized families outwardly exhibit strong ties of love and faith, exemplifying Catholic family values and making meaningful contributions to their parish. Again, Congratulations to the Byrum Family!

Enrollment Coordinator [Part-time Position] Open

Seton Catholic School is looking for a candidate who can direct and coordinate enrollment at Seton Catholic School. Persons who would like to apply for this position should be qualified to work with people and should have a working knowledge of computers. This position also involves coordinating Indiana voucher programs, scholarships and other student-related programs State and the Archdiocesan.

Interested candidates, contact Jane Brack (jbrack@setoncatholics.org) or Kim Becker (kbecker@setoncatholics.org).

Religious Ed. Job Opening

St. Anne and St. Elizabeth parishes are seeking a Coordinator of Religious Education. Candidates must be fully initiated, practicing Catholics in good standing and an active participant in the Church.

This individual will develop and implement faith formation programs for pre-K through 12th grade which includes, but not limited to, preparing students to receive First Reconciliation, First Holy Communion and Confirmation. The position will also oversee Youth Ministry and Adult Faith Formation for the parish including, but not limited to, parish missions/retreats, small groups and evangelization opportunities for the parish and community.

For a detailed job description, contact Fr. John Hall, 765-529-0933. Cover letter, resume, references and a letter of good standing from your pastor can be mailed to Father John Hall, 102 N. 19th St., New Castle, IN 47362. Resumes are being accepted

YOUTH MINISTRY

Questions about Youth Ministry or Confirmation?

Contact Krista Falcone at
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CONFIRMATION MEETING



6th Grade
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September 11th in
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Hall
after the 10:00am
Mass

2022

JOURNEY OF THE HEART



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BLOOD DRIVE

Please prayerfully consider donating blood if you are able!

WHEN: Friday, September 16, from 10AM-2PM

WHERE: Seton Catholic High School (Chuck Mosey Memorial Gym)

WHY: Giving blood is practically painless,
takes about an hour and can save up to three lives!

SIGN-UP: Call 765-965-6956 or email: jmatthews@setoncatholics.org
to reserve your donation time. https://www.donortime.com/donor/schedules/drive_schedule/64429



Seton Catholic Schools is participating in an ongoing project with Primex and Centerville H.S. Green Club collecting plastic caps. The caps will be recycled into park benches for our school/parish campuses and community. If you'd like to help, please read the specifics below and drop off your CLEAN caps at the back of church in the box labeled Seton Catholic Donation Box.

GOT CAPS?

BRING THEM* IN!

*CAPS ACCEPTED

TWIST ON: milk, medicine, drinks, laundry liquids, etc...



SNAP ON: butter tubs, coffee, yogurt, etc...



FLIP TOP: ketchup, dish soap, hand sanitizer, etc...



YAY! Together, we filled our first "gaylord" full of caps and look forward to them being recycled into a bench by our friends at Primex...

UNACCEPTABLE CAPS

- NO metal caps
- NO pumps
- NO fast food lids (includes deli lids)
- NO lids with rubber coverings

Please contact Marilyn Dolesh with questions@ 765-962-5010. Thanks for your support!

E-WASTE RECYCLING coming again in November! Stay tuned for more details...



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