



ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON

April 12, 2026 | Divine Mercy Sunday



PARISH SCHEDULE

DATE	CALENDAR EVENTS	READINGS
Sunday, April 12 th	2nd Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy) 9:00 am Mass 11:00 am Mass 12:30 pm Pre-Baptismal Class 3:00 pm Men's Fellowship Dinner Prep.	Acts 2:42-47 Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24 1 Pt 1:3-9 Jn 20:19-31
Monday, April 13 th	St. Martin I, Pope and Marty 6:00 pm Adoration, Benediction and Confessions 7:00 pm Mass	Acts 4:23-31 Ps 2:1-3, 4-7a, 7b-9 Jn 3:1-8
Tuesday, April 14 th	No Rosary, Confession or Mass 10:00 am Funeral: Edward Van Rossen 7:00 pm Women's Fellowship	Acts 4:32-37 Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5 Jn 3:7b-15
Wednesday, April 15 th	8:00 am Rosary and Confession 8:30 am Mass 5:30 pm Religious Education 7:00 pm OCIA 7:00 pm Choir	Acts 5:17-26 Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9 Jn 3:16-21
Thursday, April 16 th	1:00 pm Mahjong 1:00 pm Craft and Chat	Acts 5:27-33 Ps 34:2 and 9, 17-18, 19-20 Jn 3:31-36
Friday, April 17 th	Parish Office Closed 11:30 am Rosary and Confession 12:00 pm Mass	Acts 5:34-42 Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14 Jn 6:1-15
Saturday, April 18 th	Lifespan Baby Shower 10:00 am Widows and Widowers Meeting 3:00 pm Confessions 4:00 pm Mass	Acts 6:1-7 Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19 Jn 6:16-21
Sunday, April 19 th	3rd Sunday of Easter Lifespan Baby Shower 9:00 am Mass 10:00 am St. Vincent de Paul Meeting 11:00 am Mass: Rocco Henderson & Hadley Schneider Baptisms	Acts 2:14, 22-33 Ps 16:1-2 and 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11 1 Pt 1:17-21 Lk 24:13-35

PARISHIONER ENVELOPE
OFFERTORY

Due to early submission dates for the bulletin, collection totals were not available at time of submission.

Thank you for your continued generosity!

WEEKLY OFFERTORY

Please consider your weekly offertory options, so we can continue to meet our normal expenditures:

1. Online donations
2. Mailing
3. Drop off at Mass



Scan the QR Code!

ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON CHURCH

GOLF *Outing*

Saturday,
June 13th - 8am 2026



4 Person Scramble
18 Holes + Cart

Check-in: 7am

Sanctuary Lake Golf Course
1450 East South Blvd., Troy, MI

HOLE SPONSORSHIPS AVAILABLE!

**FEE: \$ 150/PLAYER
\$600/FOURSOME**

INCLUDES:

- 18 Holes + Cart
- Lunch
- Raffles & Prizes
- Burger Buffet



**REGISTER: ON-LINE WITH CODE OR
ON WEBSITE**

**IN PARISH OFFICE BY CASH/CHECK
PAYABLE TO "SEAS" - REGISTRATION
FORM REQUIRED**



**REGISTRATION DEADLINE :
JUNE 6**

**FOR MORE INFORMATION:
CALL (248) 879-1310**

Right to Life/Lifespan Annual Baby Shower

LIFESPAN'S 37th Annual Baby Shower, benefitting Gianna House in Eastpointe, will continue through the weekend of April 19th. The Baby Shower here at SEAS accepts new baby items and monetary donations. The following items may be donated: sleepers, onesies, socks, receiving blankets, crib sheets, diapers (size 1-4), baby wipes, wash cloths, towels, pacifiers, bottles, bibs, personal hygiene items for baby and gift cards/cash donations. Gifts can be dropped off in the baby crib. Please drop off monetary donations in the Parish Office.

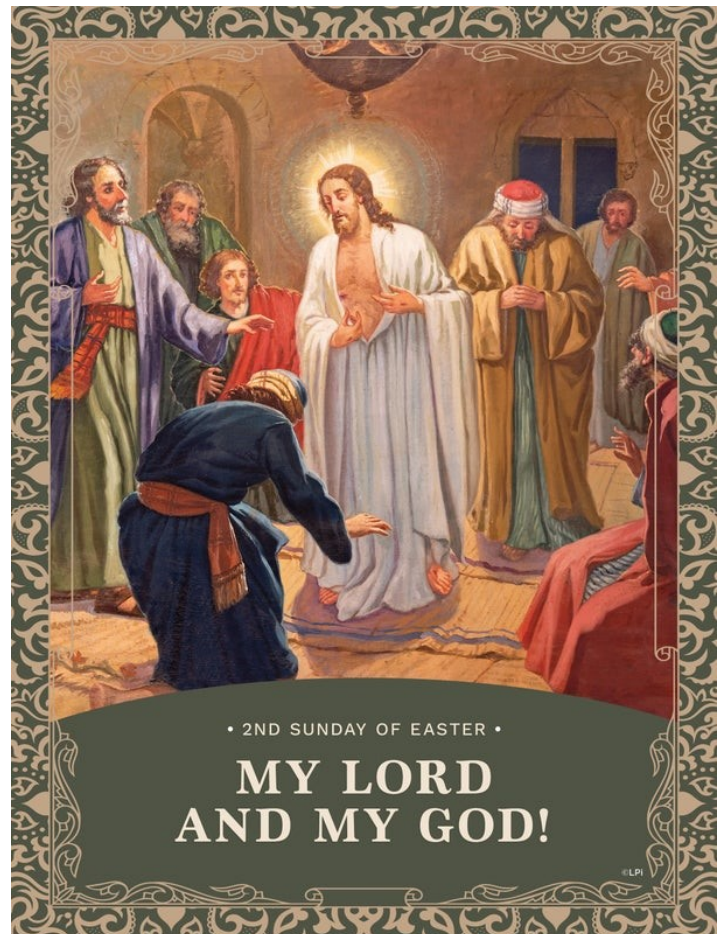
Blessings!



The apostle Thomas found the news that Jesus was alive just too far-fetched to believe. But he didn't first hear the news on the Internet or read it standing in the grocery store checkout line. His friends told him. His fellow apostles told him they had actually seen the Lord with their own eyes. Their testimony was not enough. He needed proof.

The resurrection of Jesus gives us not only hope, but also a reason to be his disciples. We have not seen with our own eyes but, like Thomas, we have a community, the Church, that has relayed the truth to us. This same Jesus now calls us to go forth to spread the Gospel. More unbelievable than that, we have, through the gifts we have been given, a chance to change and even save lives. The day may come that you, moved by this news of the risen Lord, will be an agent of his love to the point where someone will tell the tale that you, a follower of Jesus, actually helped to change his or her life. Pretty unbelievable, right?

Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS
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CSA 2026

As a parish, it is our tradition to begin our annual Catholic Services Appeal (CSA) during Lent. Last year 44% of our families participated in this important work—we are praying all of our families will participate.

So far we have heard from 151 of our 688 families. That is only 22% of our registered families who have responded to this campaign.

There is no gift too small. Your response to this campaign, together with each registered family shows how strong and vibrant our parish community is here at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton.

Thank you, ahead of time, for your prayerful support of this effort.

Join our Community!

Why should you register as a parishioner?

If you are a registered parishioner, and have email, we can communicate with you. We send out parish-wide emails to keep our parishioners informed and updated about upcoming events as well as Mass schedules.

Please, if you attend St. Elizabeth Ann Seton regularly and are not registered, consider doing so in order that we can keep you informed and updated.

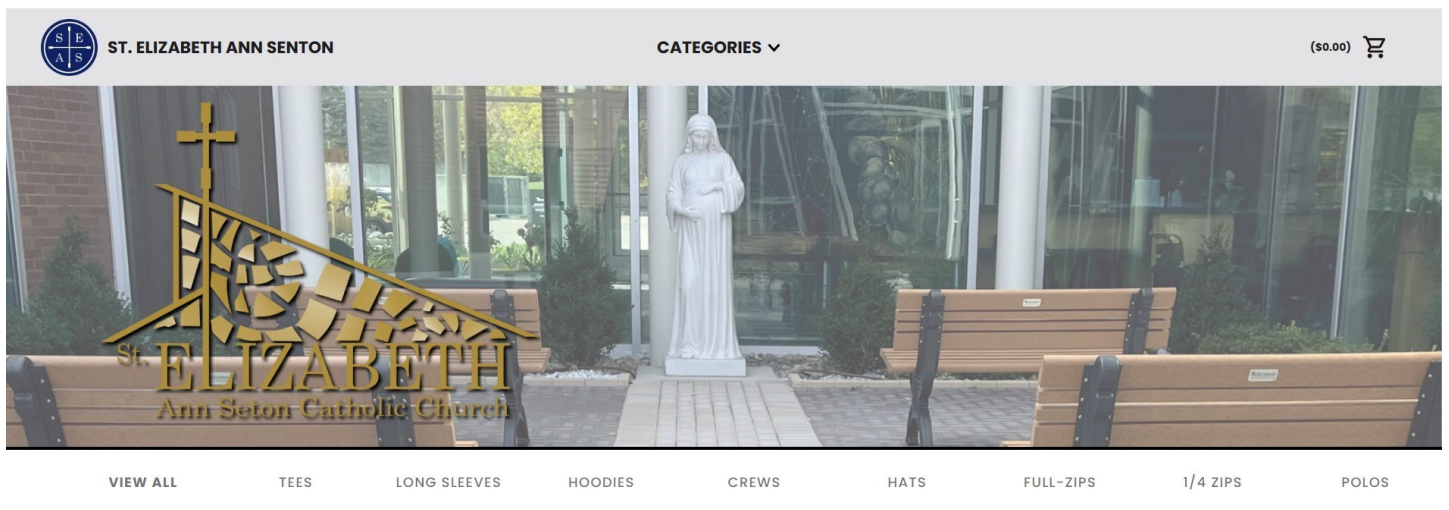
We welcome all to worship with us and invite all to join our parish family.

<https://www.saintliz.org/new-members> or call the Parish Office at 248-879-1310.

NEW SEAS Merchandise Store is Open!

Shirts, sweatshirts, pullovers, and hats with our SEAS logo and various designs are available to purchase! You can find the store front by going to our website at the top of the page that says **“Parish Store”**. Hover over it and click the drop down that says **“Store Link”** which will take you right to the page with our merchandise.

We now have various new and customizable options!



Select a Category

**2nd Sunday
OF EASTER**

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“Put your finger here and see my hands, and bring your hand and put it into my side, and do not be unbelieving, but believe.” Thomas answered and said to him, “My Lord and my God!” Jesus said to him, “Have you come to believe because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and have believed.”
- Jn 20:27b-29

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SACRAMENTS

Weddings:

Please make arrangements at least 6 months in advance.

Contact the Parish Office for more information.

Baptisms:

Baptisms take place during the 11:00AM Mass on the third Sunday of the month. Online baptismal prep is available through “Belonging – Baptism in the Family of God” (Ascension Press), with a follow up meeting on the 2nd Sunday of the month at 10:00AM. Call the Parish Office to register for the online prep program (It is advisable to schedule and complete the prep program before the baby is born).

Confessions:

Saturdays, 3:00 - 3:30 pm; Mondays, 6:00 - 7:00 pm; 30 minutes before Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday Daily Masses; confessions can also be scheduled by appointment.

Deadline for Bulletin Articles:

Friday 4:00 pm (1 week prior)

E-mail abrewer@saintliz.org

Pulpit Announcements:

E-mail rhoppe@saintliz.org by Monday 4 pm

SILENCE BEFORE MASS: A GENTLE REMINDER

A few years ago, Pope Francis called out the common habit of chatting with people before Mass, stressing that this is a time for silent prayer, when we prepare our hearts for an encounter with the Lord. “When we go to Mass, maybe we arrive five minutes before, and we start to chitchat with those in front of us,” the Pope said.

However, “it is not a moment for chitchat.” “It is a moment of silence for preparing ourselves for dialogue, a time for the heart to collect itself in order to prepare for the encounter with Jesus,” he said, adding that “silence is so important.”



DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY



SHRINE OF JESUS
THE DIVINE MERCY



Jesus. I Trust In You

Sunday, April 12th

- **1:00 pm** - Doors Open & Confession begins
- **1:30 pm** - Holy Rosary and Chaplet of Divine Mercy
- **2:30 pm** - Divine Mercy Reflection by Catherine M. Lanni, Foundress and Spiritual Moderator of the Servants of Jesus of The Divine Mercy
- **3:00 pm** - Holy Mass celebrated by His Excellency Archbishop Emeritus Allen H. Vigneron



SHRINE OF JESUS
THE DIVINE MERCY

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Fellowship Opportunities

Women's Fellowship

Our Women's Fellowship meets every 2nd Tuesday of the month at 7:00 pm for a meeting & faith sharing in Shepherd's Hall. Women of the parish engage in social, fundraising, charitable, and Christian Service projects. High School age and up are welcome to attend. For more information, contact Carolyn Plague at cmplague@gmail.com.

Next meeting: Tuesday, April 14 at 7:00 pm



Men's Fellowship

Our Men's Fellowship meets every 2nd Saturday of the month at 8:00 am for a meeting and faith sharing in Shepherd's Hall. Men's Fellowship is involved in assisting the poor and homeless and supporting the men of the parish. If you would like to join, contact Gary Ward at gward6446@wowway.com.

Next meeting: Saturday, May 9 at 8:00 am



Widows' /Widowers' Group

Our Widows' and Widowers' Group meets every 3rd Saturday of the month in Shepherd's Hall or another agreed upon location. It is a great opportunity for our widowed parishioners to socialize and pray together. For more information, contact Ruth Hoppe at rhoppe@saintliz.org or 248-342-4726.

Next meeting: Saturday, April 18 at 10 am in Shepherd's Hall.



Marian Motherhood: Getting to the Heart of Mary

A monthly gathering for moms of all ages and stages to grow in faith, fellowship, and spiritual support—rooted in Mary's example of love, humility, and strength. We meet on the 4th Saturday of the month (September-May, excluding December) at 9:00 am in Shepherd's Hall. Coffee and light refreshments are provided. Please note: This is a moms-only group. Nursing infants may attend as needed. To learn more, contact Aubrey at alquiza.aubrey@gmail.com

Next meeting: Saturday, April 25 at 9:00 am



Craft and Chat

Welcome Crafters. Let your crafts shine in on Thursday's from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. in Shepherd's Hall. We are making this a simple gathering for anyone who would like to bring their knitting/crochet/hand sewing/embroidery/art, anything that does not require an electric outlet. All are welcome, if you have any questions, please call Grace Vettraino at 248-224-7690.



QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK

1st Reading: In the immediate aftermath of Jesus' resurrection and ascension, the community of believers in Jerusalem experienced much joy and harmony. In what ways do you help build up your faith community?

2nd Reading: With Jesus' resurrection from the dead, Peter can now speak of an inheritance that awaits all believers and will one day be revealed to us. How should knowledge of this upcoming gift impact our living in the present moment?

Gospel Reading: Thomas needed concrete evidence before he would believe that Jesus had risen from the dead. What convinces you that Jesus is risen and alive?

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To Whom It May Concern:

The Macomb County Sheriff's Honor Guard is a volunteer unit comprised of 18 sworn officers from within our agency. Its mission is to honor Law Enforcement Officers who have given their lives in the line of duty and to enhance the professional image of the Macomb County Sheriff's Office and the County of Macomb. The first priority of our unit is to honor and pay respect to fallen officers and their families.

Our members attend funerals and memorials of Law Enforcement Officers who have lost their lives protecting and serving their communities. We also travel at our own expense each May to Washington D.C. for National Police Week to participate in the National Law Enforcement Memorial Service and events.

Events include escorting the surviving family members of fallen officers into the memorial for the yearly candlelight vigil, guarding the memorial wreath, and greeting the survivors at the airport as they arrive at Washington D.C.

This year, we plan on continuing to honor fallen officers by participating in wreath laying ceremonies in remembrance of the day they gave their lives serving their communities.

Our financial support comes solely from Honor Guard Members and donations. We will be hosting our **22nd Annual Pasta Dinner Fundraiser on May 6th, 2026 at Pennas Banquet Hall on Van Dyke, south of 17 Mile Road in Sterling Heights.** We would greatly appreciate any donation that we might receive from you.

Thank you for your time and consideration regarding our request. Feel free to contact Deputy Nicholas Macioce at Nicholas.Macioce@macombcountymi.gov with any questions. If you would like to donate a gift certificate, money, or door/raffle prize, please give us a call and we will gladly pick it up. If you would like to attend our fundraiser, please email or call and we will be happy to deliver your tickets.

We are 501(c)(3) nonprofit tax deductible. A W-9 can be provided to you if needed.

Sincerely,
Nicholas Macioce
Macomb County Sheriff's Office Honor Guard



The poster features a blue background with a white American flag motif at the top. It includes four photographs: a group of officers in uniform, a group of officers in uniform, a group of officers in uniform, and a group of officers in uniform. The text on the poster reads: "Macomb County Sheriff's Office HONOR GUARD 22nd Anniversary Fundraiser". Below the photos is a quote: "In Valor there is Hope". At the bottom, it lists the date, time, location, and ticket information.

Macomb County Sheriff's Office
HONOR GUARD
22nd Anniversary
Fundraiser

"In Valor there is Hope"

DATE: WEDNESDAY, MAY 6, 2026
TIME: 5:00PM - 8:30PM

LOCATION: PENNA'S OF STERLING
38400 VAN DYKE
STERLING HEIGHTS, MI 48312

TICKETS: Tickets available pre-sale or at the door
Adults \$15
Children & Seniors \$10
Sgt. Howell : 586-307-9364

PASTA DINNER, RAFFLES, 50/50, DOOR PRIZES

Mass Intentions

Monday, April 13, 2026

7:00 pm Gerardo D'Augustino (req. by the Maciejewski Family)

Tuesday, April 14, 2026

No Mass

Wednesday, April 15, 2026

8:30 am Special Intention (req. by M. Zylka)

Thursday, April 16, 2026

No Mass

Friday, April 17, 2026

12:00 pm For the Souls in Purgatory (req. by Natali Asic)

Saturday, April 18, 2026

4:00 pm Frank & Helen Schaffran (req. by Mary Schaffran)
Charlotte Wong (req. by Bernie Komraus)

Sunday, April 19, 2026

9:00 am St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parishioners
11:00 am Douglas Kramer (req. by SEAS Parish)
Ronald Paske (req. by Family)

**Candles can be purchased
in the parish office anytime
during regular weekday and
weekend hours.**



This is a gentle reminder that if you would like to have an intention said for a specific date, please call the office ahead of time. Our Mass intentions fill up very quickly and we are allowed only two per Mass. It is best to schedule special intentions months in advance of the date. Thank you for understanding.

**If you wish to have a Mass intention
said for a loved one, please call the
Parish Office at 248-879-1310**

Prayer List

Please continue to pray for the sick and suffering.

Laura Arkils, Dick Beltramini, Robin Beltramini, Dorothy Blake, Scott Breeding, Bridget Chebowski, Melanie Chronowski, Josh Hamilton, Jane Hime, Phoebe Hulse, Luke Juricic, Darnell Kelsey, Shirley Kesteloot, Patricia Kramer, Dorothy Lawson, Agnes Mecoli, Dana Miller, Fr. Norm Nawrocki, Nancy Olsen, Tom Olsen, Marie Pietila, Dr. Randy Reher, Rita Sherwood, Caleb Upton, Annette Vedder, Therese Warger, Cathy Webb, Fr. Steve Wertenan. *Please call the parish office or email secretary@saintliz.org if you would like to add a loved one to the prayer list.*

Please pray for those serving in our armed services:

Lorenzo Garcia, United States Marine Corps
Matthew J. Panella, United States Navy
Joseph T. Berry, United States Navy
Lt. Anna Hanson, United States Navy
Evan Paul Holland, United States Marine Corps
John M. Barnett, United States Marine Corps
Evan Shawver, United States Army Reserves

Matthew Falardeau, United States Marine Corps
Erin Freedom Hawtin, United States Army
Edward Alsip, United States Marine Corps
Sarah Alsip, United States Marine Corps
David Miller, Jr., United States Army
Jeffrey Schuele, United States Marine Corps
Justin Schade, United States Marine Corps
Trevor Ulewicz, United States Army

Lord God, Almighty Father, Creator of mankind and Author of peace, as we are ever mindful of the cost paid for the liberty we possess, we ask You to bless the members of our armed forces. Amen.

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church Mission Statement

*Proclaim the good news of Jesus Christ. He was born, lived, died, and rose to save us from our sins.
We will make His good news known through worship, education, and service.*



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Parish Office Hours:

Monday

10:00 am to 12:00 pm and 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm

Tuesday, Wednesday, & Thursday

9:00 am to 12:00 pm and 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm

Closed on Friday

Saturday—2:30—5:30 pm

Sunday—8:00 am—12:30 pm

Mass Online on our YouTube Channel: Saint
LizAnn
at [https://www.youtube.com/channel/
UC6UjXb7NfhMogdTGmGVcbfA](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC6UjXb7NfhMogdTGmGVcbfA)

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(248) 879-1314

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Mass Schedule:

Sunday Masses

Saturday 4:00 pm;

Sunday 9:00 am and 11:00 am

Weekday Masses

Monday evenings 7:00 pm

Tuesday and Wednesday mornings 8:30 am

Friday 12:00 pm (Labor Day
to Memorial Day)

Confessions:

Saturdays, 3:00 - 3:30 pm or during the week
by appointment.

Mondays, 6:00—7:00 pm

30 minutes before Tuesday, Wednesday, &
Friday Daily Masses