# ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON PARISH Part of the On Mission for the Church Alive Grouping #210 Carnegie/ Green Tree /Scott — with St. Margaret of Scotland and Ss. Simon and Jude Parishes 330 THIRD AVENUE | CARNEGIE, PA 15106 Phone: 412-276-1011 Web: cgscatholic.org Email: SEAS@SEAScarnegie.org Administrator: Reverend Robert J. Grecco, M.A., M. Ed. Parochial Vicar: Reverend Aleksandr J. Schrenk, M.A., S.T.L. **Parish Chaplain: Reverend Robin Evanish** Fourth Sunday of Easter May 12, 2019

#### **SACRAMENTS**

### Sacrament of Baptism:

For arrangements call 412-276-1011 x 210

# Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick:

Call the parish office for arrangements (before surgery, during illness, etc.)

### Sacrament of Marriage:

Arrangements must be made with one of the priests at least six months before the proposed date of the wedding.

### Sacrament of Penance:

Confessions every
Thursday from
11:00 a.m. to
11:45 a.m. at
St. Elizabeth
Ann Seton.
Saturday from
Noon to 1:00 p.m.
at St. Margaret
& 11:30 a.m. to
12:30 p.m. at
Ss. Simon & Jude.
Also at SSJ on
Tuesday from 6:00
to 6:30 p.m.

#### Age & Illness

If you have a family member who has become seriously ill, homebound, or is in a long-term care facility, please call Tess Keddie 412-276-1011 x221

#### MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS FOR ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON PARISH

MAY 12	FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
4:00 p.m.	Ss. Simon and Jude Church
4:30 p.m.	SEAS   FRANK A. DE ANDREA by the Hindt Family
7:30 a.m.	ST. MARGARET OF SCOTLAND
9:00 a.m.	ST. MARGARET OF SCOTLAND
9:30 a.m.	Ss. Simon and Jude Church
10:00 a.m.	SEAS   JASON BAILEY by Raffaele, Maria, and Sandra Apicella
10:30 a.m.	ST. MARGARET OF SCOTLAND
11:00 a.m.	Ss. Simon and Jude Church
11:30 a.m.	SEAS   PEOPLE OF THE PARISH
MAY 13	MONDAY OF THE FOURTH WEEK OF EASTER
8:30 a.m.	Ss. Simon and Jude Church
12:00 p.m.	SEAS   HAL SIEGEL by The Iorio Family
MAY 14	Feast of St. Matthias, Apostle
9:00 a.m.	St. Margaret of Scotland
7:00 p.m.	Ss. Simon and Jude Church
MAY 15	Wednesday of the Fourth Week of Easter
8:30 a.m.	Ss. Simon and Jude Church
12:00 p.m.	SEAS   KAY NEUHAUSEN by Rev. Robert J. Grecco
MAY 16	THURSDAY OF THE FOURTH WEEK OF EASTER
8:30 a.m.	Ss. Simon and Jude Church
12:00 p.m.	SEAS   GEORGE HOFMEIER, SUZIE, AND CATHY by Harry's Children
MAY 17	FRIDAY OF THE FOURTH WEEK OF EASTER
9:00 a.m.	ST. MARGARET OF SCOTLAND
12:00 p.m.	SEAS   CAROL MENDRZYCKI by the Sals Family
May 19	FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
4:00 p.m.	Ss. Simon and Jude Church
4:30 p.m.	SEAS   DONALD JOHN MACKENZIE by the Hindt Family
7:30 a.m.	ST. MARGARET OF SCOTLAND
9:00 a.m.	ST. MARGARET OF SCOTLAND
9:30 a.m.	Ss. Simon and Jude Church
10:00 a.m.	SEAS   PATRICIA BAXTER by Mom and Dad
10:30 a.m.	ST. MARGARET OF SCOTLAND
11:00 a.m.	Ss. Simon and Jude Church
11:30 a.m.	SEAS   VINNIE MARTIN JR. by Cindy and Gary Marshall
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I Am The Good Shepherd – The image of God as shepherd and his promise to lead his people in safety appears throughout the Bible. It is one of the most tender images of God that we can have as he assures us of his constant care and protection in our lives. This care applies not only to us individually as his children, with the shepherd carrying us in his arms, but also to us collectively

as the Church, with God leading his flock in safety. This repeated promise to shepherd his people is our guarantee that God is in charge of his Church and that he leads us no matter the circumstances. As we journey On Mission for The Church Alive! we may wonder where the Lord is leading us. While it is natural for us to resist change, it is also an opportunity for us to grow in trust of God, our shepherd and guide, that he may transform us and his Church. May we call upon our Good Shepherd to lead us and our parishes in the years ahead. Visit onmissionchurchalive.org to learn more and to stay informed.

I am happy to announce that one of our parish seminarians, Joseph Uzar, will be admitted to candidacy for diaconate and priesthood at a ceremony on Tuesday, May 21, at St. Paul Seminary. Congratulations to Joseph and his parents, Joseph & Diana! —Fr. Grecco

Today is the World Day of Prayer for Vocations! Learn more on page 12



#### SEAS PARISH WEEKLY SCHEDULE

#### SATURDAY AND SUNDAY, MAY 11 AND 12

Diaper Drive —Holy Family Hall Genesis Collection —Holy Family Hall

#### MONDAY, MAY 13

10:00 a.m. Ladies of Charity Board Meeting —St. Maximilian Kolbe Room

12:30 p.m. Liturgy of the Hours —Immaculate Conception Chapel 6:30 p.m. Children's Faith Formation May Crowning —Church

7:00 p.m. Bingo! —Bishop Canevin High School

#### TUESDAY, MAY 14

6:30 a.m. Men's Faith Sharing —St. Maximilian Kolbe Room

9:00 a.m. St. John Paul II Home-school Co-op —Bayley Building Classrooms

5:45 p.m. Contemplative Prayer —Immaculate Conception Chapel

7:00 p.m. RCIA —St. Maximilian Kolbe Room

#### WEDNESDAY, MAY 15

12:30 p.m. Rosary to End Violence and Terrorism —Immaculate Conception Chapel

7:00 p.m. Fr. Robin's Bible Study —Bayley Building Classroom #5

7:00 p.m. Contemporary Choir Rehearsal —Ss. Simon and Jude Church

#### THURSDAY, MAY 16

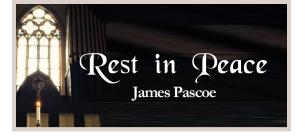
10:00 a.m. PIP Praying with you! —Holy Family Hall until 1:00 p.m.

7:00 p.m. Parish Choir Rehearsal —Church

7:30 p.m. Knights of Columbus Meeting —St. Luke Hall

#### SUNDAY, MAY 19

7:30 a.m. Knights of Columbus Pancake Breakfast —St. Luke Hall until 1:00 p.m. see page 15





This Sunday's
Tabernacle Lamp
burns in memory of
Joe Zychowski
by Janet

#### PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Mon. - Fri. 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

May 5

Regular Collection: **\$7,722** 

Parish Share Gifts: \$9,328

Make a one-time gift, or enroll in Faith Direct! See our website for more information.

Please remember SEAS in your will!

#### FROM OUR ADMINISTRATOR

"No gift to your mother can ever equal her gift to you – life."-Anonymous

A wish of abundant blessings to all mothers on this special day. May you know the protection and counsel of the Virgin Mother and always be honored for your beautiful, unique, and indispensable role in the family. May God grant eternal rest to our beloved deceased mothers. May they bask forever with Mary in the glory of God for all of the selfless good they offered us in this life.

Please do not spend your valuable time on rumors about the closing of a church building. When the time comes to even consider this possibility, there will be a full process accomplished that includes diocesan officials, the pastoral and finance councils of each of our parishes, and interested parishioners at large.

—Fr. Grecco



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# "This is our identity card: God is our Father, Jesus is our brother, the Church is our family. All of us are brothers and sisters, and our law is love."

— Pope Francis

Pope Francis recently said to children receiving their First Holy Communion: "Making your First Communion shows that you want to be closer to Jesus every day, to grow in friendship with him and to lead other people to share in the joy he wants us to feel. The Lord needs you, because he wants to work the miracle of bringing his joy to many of your friends and family members."

We, who have grown up in the Church, do we take our Holy Communions for granted? Do we recognize that our coming to Mass can (should?) indicate that we want to be closer to Christ? Do we understand that spending (investing) this kind of time on a weekly, or more frequent, basis can result in deeper friendship with him? And do we realize that we can share our joy with others by leading those in our daily lives to him?

As our priests cannot be doing the work of evangelization in our offices and workplaces and homes, because they are not there, God wants to use us as His mediators, connecting those in our corners of the world with the Lord, and with the grace which is available in abundance through thoughtful participation in Holy Eucharist and in Christian Community.

"Remember too, that Jesus is always there, waiting for you."

— Pope Francis

Congratulations to all who recently celebrated their First Holy Communion!



# May Crowning

Monday, May 13 . 6:30 p.m. with the children of the parish.

MUSIC BY THE CONTEMPORARY CHOIR.

It's an evening of prayer and reflection. Come and pray with us as the choir leads our meditations through the Glorious Mysteries of the Rosary. Our Second Grade Class will form a procession on behalf of the parish, and crown the image of our dear Blessed Mother.

We will also take this opportunity to pray for the children as we send them off for the summer!

All are invited! courtesy of the Knights of Columbus

#### RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

It's that time again to begin a new series of <u>Inquiry</u> Sessions for adults who have never been baptized. Our readings from the Acts of the Apostles show us how the apostles began to evangelize and bring converts into the life of Jesus Christ. These important beginning sessions now are to allow one to take the time in learning and being formed in the liturgical life of the Church.

Non-Catholics, who want to know more about the Catholic faith and also Catholics, who still need First Communion and Confirmation to complete their Sacraments of Initiation, are invited to enter and be a part of this preparation.

All are most welcome to call Dee Fitzsimmons in the RCIA office at 412-276-1011, extension 225, to investigate this exciting and informative RCIA process of Inquiry.

#### WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

Pray to the Lord of the harvest to send laborers into his harvest.

-Mt. 9: 38

Today, May 12, 2019, is World Day of Prayer for Vocations. In our Carnegie-Greentree-Scott Parish Communities, we have many activities supporting vocations to the priesthood and religious life. In one parish, the faith formation students send cards to the seminarians in formation in the Diocese of Pittsburgh at the beginning of the school year, Christmas, and Valentine's Day. Two of our parishes are dedicated to praying a litany for priests prior to one weekday mass a week. One parish has a traveling chalice that is taken into homes to serve as a visible reminder to pray for vocations. We also have active "31 Clubs" where members sign up for a specific date on which they pledge to pray a rosary for vocations to the priesthood every month. These are just a few of the ways our communities support vocations to the priesthood and religious life.

Many from our parishes have answered the call to the priesthood and religious life. There are at least 6 living religious sisters and 17 living priests who grew up in SEAS, SMOS, or SSJ. We are also blessed with young people currently discerning vocations and currently in formation.

On this day, and as often as possible, please take a moment to thank our Clergy Team: Fr. Grecco, Fr. Alek, Fr. Robin, Fr. Jerome, Deacon Kevin, and Deacon Jim, for the sacrifices they make to serve and guide us closer to Jesus Christ. Thank God for the blessing of their faithful ministry daily.

If you would like to join our 31 Club, please contact Nancy at (412) 298-4137 or Carol at (412) 965-5770.

Please consider clipping out and praying this prayer daily:

O God, hear our prayer and let our cry come unto You. Bless our Diocese of Pittsburgh with many vocations to the priesthood, diaconate, and religious life. Give the men and women You call the light to understand Your gift and the love to follow always in the footsteps of Your Priestly Son.

Amen.

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At SEAS, each Faith Formation class "adopts" a

seminarian from outside the parish, as well as our two parish seminarians. They have been instructed to pray in their classrooms for these men. Each child is given a bookmark with the pictures of the 3 men; there is also a poster in the classroom. The children are asked to remember the seminarians in their daily prayers as well.

We also send cards to all the Religious who originated from the parish. Pictured here are

two bulletin boards on the second floor dedicated to this mission of vocation awareness, the third (above), is our "31 Club" bulletin board. Carol Dlugos spearheads all of this, and has comprised a large scrapbook with all of the correspondence from this ongoing project. It is amazing! See it for yourself today in Holy Family Hall! Many, many thanks to Carol for the numerous hours spent to make this all happen!





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## Remembering our Mothers this weekend.

Our beautiful flowers were lovingly donated in honor of...

Henriette Biniak

by Helen Frischmann

Godmother, Lorraine Hennemuth

by Tim and Justin

**Eleanor Massini** 

by the Marodi Family

by the Frank Shimatzki Family **Godmother, Norma Rose** 

Raco and Shimatzki Mothers

by Mary Catherine Rose

and in memory of...

Margaret Andrejasik

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by Amy N. Corpuz

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by Philomena Bruno

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by Elizabeth Dziadura

Mary Anne Koziak

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Vivian Kukuruda

by Mr. and Mrs. Jeffrey Harshman

Sophie and Anna Maksa, and Mary Bugay

by Mary Ann and Shu Shu 3

Viola "Honey" Marodi

by the Marodi Family

**Antonette Miller** 

by the Miller and Allen Families

Josephine Monteleone

by the Miller and Allen Families

Anna Mox and Mary Mox

by Family

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by Shirley Papakie

**Margaret Remensky** 

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Saturday, June 8th at the 4:00 p.m. Mass at Ss. Simon and Jude Church





### It's Parish Festival Time! Our grouping will have several festivals this year!

So SEASers, let's go!

Come on over to St. Margaret's and help out!

Drop this Parishioner Request Form in any collection basket in our grouping!

Festival dates are June 5- June 8!

#### PARISHIONER VOLUNTEER REQUEST FORM

If your child needs service hours they are welcome to volunteer as well, please just let us know they are a minor so we are sure to put them in a booth that is age appropriate.

Volunteer Name:	Age (if under 18)				
Contact Phone Number:					
Email Address:					
Please indicate your availability:					
Wed., June 5 <sup>th</sup> 5:30PM-10:30PM	Fri., June 7 <sup>th</sup> 5:30PM-11:30PM				
Thurs., June 6 <sup>th</sup> 5:30PM-10:30PM	Sat., June 8th 5:30PM-11:30PM				
*If you are interested in volun	teering for either of the following days,				
lifting and carrying will be required. (Trucks are a plus!)					
Set up (Sun., June 2 <sup>nd</sup> 12:30PM	(I)) Tear down (Sat., June 8th 10:45PM)				
*You will be notified close:	to the dates about volunteer times.				

Any questions, email <u>tashaleslie2485@gmail.com</u> or call 412-889-1713.



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#### FAITH FORMATION NOTE

Just a reminder that Student Assessments will be distributed after the May Crowning on Monday evening. If you are unable to attend, they will be available at the Parish Office for two weeks, beginning May 20. They will not be mailed. You may also call the Religious Education Office to make other arrangements: 412-276-1011 ext. 222.

#### TOLDEN FLGERS

Join us for the

#### Quaker Back-Road Sampler Tour Wednesday, June 12, 2019

With treats and samples from...
White House Fruit Farm Market (doughnut, bag of apples, cider)
Catalpa Grove Farm Market (a fruit slush and whoopie pie)
Der Dutch Complex (Amish cookie for the road)
plus

- ♦ A Pontoon Boat Ride of Lake Guilford with Brown Bag Lunch
- ♦ Tour of the Quaker Museum and Church
- Family Style Dinner and Shopping at Der Dutch Complex

Cost is \$102. Must be paid in full by May 14 Call Don Cain: 412-279-0885

#### FESTIVAL OF PRAISE FOR VOCATIONS

Come to praise God for the four men to be ordained to the priesthood and the two men to be ordained to the transitional diaconate on June 23 at 7:00 p.m. at St. Paul Seminary! Bishop Zubik and Father Michael Ackerman will preside over a holy hour and time of adoration. Mirella Brun del Re will lead praise. There will also be opportunity for confession and a light reception.

#### 210 Parish Choir Schedule

May 12	9:30 a.m.	Ss. Simon & Jude		
May 19	10:00 a.m.	SEAS		
May 26	10:30 a.m.	St. Margaret		
June 2	10:00 a.m.	SEAS		
SEAS Contemporary Choir Schedule				
May 11	4:30 p.m.	SEAS		
May 19	9:30 a.m.	Ss. Simon & Jude		
May 26	10:00 a.m.	SEAS		
June 2	9:30 a.m.	Ss. Simon & Jude		

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