

NOVEMBER 25/OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE



# ST. ELIZABETH SETON CATHOLIC CHURCH

## Parish Staff

**Rev. Msgr. John P. Quinn**  
*Pastor (ext. 113)*

**Msgr. Donald J. Gilbert**  
*Weekend Associate*

**Sr. Rosemary Crowley**  
*Pastoral Associate (ext. 125)*

**Paula O'Grady**  
*Office Manager (ext. 123)*

**Jacklynn LaRose**  
*Bookkeeper (ext. 119)*

**Bernadette Berry**  
*Receptionist (ext. 110)*

## Faith Formation Staff

**Gertrude Hammond**  
*Director Grades 1-6*

**Christine Saltzman**  
*Family Faith Director (ext. 112)*

**Carrie Soucy**  
*Director of Comprehensive Youth Ministry (ext. 124)*

**Alex Sullivan**  
*Youth Ministry Apprentice (ext. 117)*

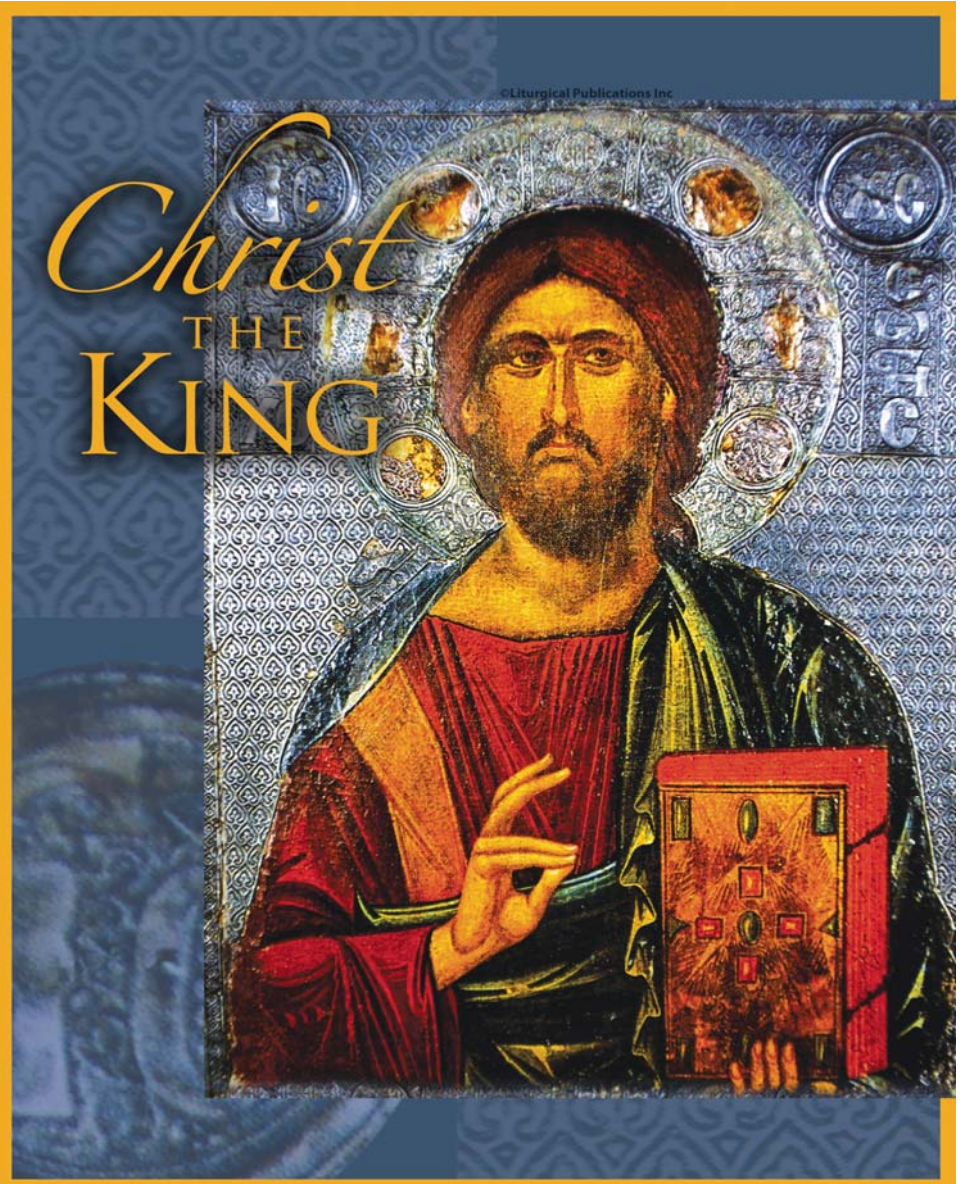
## Music Ministry Staff

**Justin McCarthy**  
*Music Director (488-5505)*

**Kathy Roberts**  
*Choir Director*

**Organists**  
Gerald Leblond (880-8474)  
Justin McCarthy (488-5505)

**Mark Lajoie**  
*9am Contemporary Choir (206-5966)*



St. Elizabeth Seton Parish is a loving, welcoming community of worshippers in the Catholic tradition. Our mission is to share the Good News of Christ through the celebration of sacraments, liturgy, and unconditional service to all. We welcome all visitors to our Parish. We hope that you will experience our love for God and neighbor. If you are new to our community, we are grateful to the Lord for your presence.



**Saturday, November 24**

4:30 pm † Alexandria “Sandy” Phillips 1st Anniversary

**Sunday, November 25**

7:30 am † Doris Roberts

9:00 am † Randy Billodeau

10:30 am † George Lamarsh

12:00 pm † Albert & Irene Cardoza

**Monday, November 26**

7:30 am † Patricia Arsenault

† Rose Stevens

**Tuesday, November 27**

NO MASS

**Wednesday, November 28**

5:30 pm † Elizabeth Mascetti

† John Washburn

**Thursday, November 29**

7:30 am † The living & deceased members of the Parish

**Friday, November 30**

7:30 am † Ann Trulik Lucas

† John Turk

**Saturday, December 1**

4:30 pm † Natalie Mehr & Edward Sullivan

**Sunday, December 2**

7:30 am † Mr. & Mrs. John Somers

† Natalie LeRiche

9:00 am † Travis Martin

† Cindy Kupetz

10:30 am † Donna Anctil

12:00 pm † Ralph Suozzo

† Roger & Yvonne LeBlond

**Readings for the week of November 25, 2018**

Sunday: Dn 7:13-14/Ps 93:1, 1-2, 5 [1a]/Rv 1:5-8/Jn 18:33b-37

Monday: Rv 14:1-3, 4b-5/Ps 24:1bc-2, 3-4ab, 5-6 [cf. 6]/Lk 21:1-4

Tuesday: Rv 14:14-19/Ps 96:10, 11-12, 13 [13b]/Lk 21:5-11

Wednesday: Rv 15:1-4/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 7-8, 9 [Rv 15:3b]/Lk 21:12-19

Thursday: Rv 18:1-2, 21-23; 19:1-3, 9a/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5 [Rv 19:9a]/Lk 21:20-28

Friday: Rom 10:9-18/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11 [10 or Jn 6:63]/Mt 4:18-22

Saturday: Rv 22:1-7/Ps 95:1-2, 3-5, 6-7ab [1 Cor 16:22b; cf Rv 22:20c]/Lk 21:34-36

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**Christmas Giving Tree**



St. Elizabeth Seton Parish will once again be sponsoring the “Giving Tree” Program. Christmas trees are adorned with ornaments listing a gift for a needy family in the area. Please take an ornament, purchase the item listed, wrap the gift (unless it states not to) and tape the ornament to the outside of the package with the information showing.

Bring the gift to Mass on the weekend of December 8th & 9th. It is important that the gifts be here by the end of the 12:00 Mass on December 9th as the gifts will be organized that afternoon.

Please share with the less fortunate during the most holy season of the year. Their lives and yours will be enriched.

**PLEASE NOTE:**

There will be no Eucharistic Adoration on Wed., November 28th due to Confirmation Rehearsal.

**St. Martha’s Guild  
November 25, 2018 - Team III**

**Did you know?**

AED Machines (defibrillators) are located in the Vestibule of the church and in the entryway of the activity center.

**Offertory Collection**



Weekend of November 17-18, 2018	
Envelopes (669)	\$17,125.83
Loose	\$ 3,075.26
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>\$20,201.09</b>
Campaign for Human Develop. 2018	<b>\$ 3,483.00</b>
Weekend of November 18-19, 2017	\$19,143.08
Campaign for Human Develop. 2017	\$ 3,808.00



**The Dream Fulfilled....**  
***With God, All Things Are Possible***

Our prayerful hope is that every family in St. Elizabeth Seton Parish will take part in our parish-wide Capital Fund Drive,  
**“The Dream Fulfilled... With God, All Things are Possible”**.

Please prayerfully consider what you can manage without undue burden.  
If you have already returned your pledge card or one-time gift, please accept our most sincere thanks and gratitude for your participation in the campaign.



"The Knights of Columbus will conduct their  
***Keep Christ in Christmas*** religious



**Christmas cards campaign** beginning this **Saturday, November 24th through Sunday, December 9th**. The beautiful cards and religious

messages will instill the true meaning of Christmas, the birth of our Savior, Jesus Christ.

The cards will be available in the **Narthex** after all Masses.

The proceeds from the Keep Christ in Christmas campaign will be used to provide support to one of our Diocesan Seminarians.

Questions: Please call Dave at 487-5037.



**CATHOLIC RETREAT FOR MEN**

Saturday, December 15th

10 am - 5 pm

Rev. Edward A. Murphy  
Retreat Director

Holy Mass, Speakers, &  
Exposition of Blessed Sacrament  
Confessions will be available

Cost \$50 - includes hot lunch  
Reservations required

On-line Reservations at [www.betania2.org](http://www.betania2.org)  
Call 508-533-5377 for further information.  
154 Summer Street, Medway, MA

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## UPCOMING EVENTS



### PARISH NURSE PROGRAMS

Sponsored by CMC

**Tuesday, November 27, 2018**

#### Fit Forever Chair Exercise Program

At 9 am in Room 10 of the Parish Activity Center. This program is a free workout at 3 different levels for men & women 55 and older.

#### *Women's Book Group*

We invite all women to join us at our upcoming gatherings:

Thursday November 29th @ 7pm:

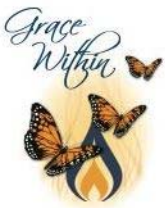
Prepare the Way: Cultivating a Heart for God in Advent  
by Pamela C. Hawkins (2016 edition)

Thursday January 17th @ 7 pm:

Building a Bridge: How the Catholic Church and the LGBT Community Can Enter into a Relationship of Respect, Compassion and Sensitivity

by Father James Martin  
(March 2018 revised edition)

The book group is co-lead by Beth Violette and Geraldine Kelly. RSVP to: [sesbookstudy@gmail.com](mailto:sesbookstudy@gmail.com)



Grace Within's (MOMS Ministry)

next On-Going meeting will be  
On Wednesday, November 28<sup>th</sup>  
from 7 to 9pm. #We will be meeting  
in Room 10 of the Parish Activity

Center. All alumni MOMS are welcome as well as ladies in the parish interested in joining Grace Within. Looking forward to seeing you all!



### Annual Wreath Sale

After all the Masses on Dec. 1st & 2nd  
Beautiful 12" wreaths

Fully decorated \$20, Wreath with Bow only \$15  
Wreath only \$10

Pre-order your wreath to be sure to get the one you want by calling the parish office at 669-7444 or emailing Carrie Soucy at [sescarrie@comcast.net](mailto:sescarrie@comcast.net).

All proceeds go to fund our youth group activities like summer conferences and mission trips.



Will meet on

**Monday, December 3rd  
at 5:30 pm in Room 12 B**



### LADIES OF THE PARISH WOMEN'S GUILD CHRISTMAS BANQUET

**TUESDAY, DECEMBER 11<sup>TH</sup> @ 5:00 PM  
MANCHESTER COUNTRY CLUB**

Let's begin our Christmas Holiday Season by enjoying an evening together! Meal choices are: Turkey Dinner or NE Baked Haddock and includes soup, dessert & coffee. Please send your check for \$33.00 payable to St. Elizabeth Seton Women's Guild to: Claire Dorval, 65 Hawthorne Drive, Unit 311, Bedford, NH 03110 by December 4<sup>th</sup> and note your meal choice on the check.

An unwrapped layette gift for Birthright would be most appreciated. Needed items include: bibs, receiving blankets, neutral colored crib sheets, play outfits in sizes 3 to 9 mos., baby wash & wipes and diapers sizes 4 & 5.

### *Adult Faith Formation Advent with St. Augustine & St. Benedict*

Experience how St. Augustine's famous "restless heart" has become the paradigm for spiritual seekers across the ages. And journey with Bishop Baron as he uncovers the incredible life of St. Benedict the "cave-dwelling kid" who changed the course of western civilization.

Wednesdays, December 5th, 12th, & 19th

Mornings from 10:00 - 11:30 am or  
Evenings from 7:00 - 8:30 pm


Call Sr. Rosemary at 669-7444 to sign up.

### Faith Formation Classes

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
<b>November 25</b> EDGE GR's 7 & 8 1 - 2:30 pm	<b>November 26</b> Grs. 1 - 6 4:15 - 5:15 pm	<b>November 27</b> Grs. 1 - 6 4:15 - 5:15 pm	<b>November 28</b> Grs. 1 - 6 4:15 - 5:15 pm
<b>December 2</b> No Religious Ed. Classes	<b>December 3</b> Grs. 1 - 6 4:15 - 5:15 pm	<b>December 4</b> Grs. 1 - 6 4:15 - 5:15 pm	<b>December 5</b> Grs. 1 - 6 4:15 - 5:15 pm

You're Invited!

**Children's Christmas Party**  
**Saturday, December 1, 2018**  
**1-3pm In the Church Hall**



At this annual event there will be:

- 🍷 Games
- 🍷 Activities
- 🍷 A special visit from you know who
- 🍷 Preparing our gifts for the birth of Jesus

To help plan for supplies, receive special instructions and to make sure Santa has a little something for each child. Families **please sign up** by calling the parish office 669-7444  
**NO LATER THAN**  
**Wednesday, November 28th**

Please keep our Confirmation Candidates in your prayers as they are sealed with the Holy Spirit, next Sunday, December 2nd!

**Next EDGE**  
**Annual Christ the King Service Event**  
**Sunday, November 25th**  
**1:00 - 2:30 pm**  
Parish Activity Center

Celebrating and preparing for Advent! This is a service/social event. Open to all Jr. High School Youth.

**Register now for the Pilgrimage to the 2019 March for Life!**  
in Washington, DC



Thursday, January 17th - Friday, January 19th

*Lets join together for this exciting and spiritually important experience as we witness to the Gospel of Life!*

If you are interested please contact Carrie Soucy at [sescarrie@comcast.net](mailto:sescarrie@comcast.net) or 669-7444 x 124

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For eligible purchases at AmazonSmile, the AmazonSmile Foundation will donate 0.5% of the purchase price to our Youth Ministry programs  
**St. Elizabeth Seton!**

**PRAY FOR THOSE  
WHO PROTECT OUR  
FREEDOM AND LIBERTIES....**

- Major Todd White –Marines –Luke AFB, Phoenix
- Capt. Michael W. Dutile - Army - Fort Lewis
- David Breton - Afghanistan
- Richard Grant - Persian Gulf
- LT Moira Molloy-US Navy HSC 3-  
San Diego, CA
- P01 Matthew Levasseur - US Navy, San Diego, CA
- LCpl Emmanuel Carrera - USMC Marines  
Miramar/ Asia
- Pvt. Christopher Curley - Army - Fort Hood
- Corporal Geoffrey Gallo - Marines -  
Okinawa, Japan
- Lt. James Jorgensen - US Coast Guard -  
Portsmouth, VA
- Major Jonathan Paynter - Army
- LCDR Kenneth Stein - Naval Intelligence
- Adam White, Army, El Paso, TX
- Brady Lamoureux, Luke AFB - Arizona
- Matt St. Laurent - Army - Washington DC
- Thomas St. Laurent, - Army - Georgia
- SPC Ryan P. McLellan, Jr. - Army
- Adam White - Army - Afghanistan
- Artie Murphy - 1st Lt - USMC - Persian Gulf
- Kyle Maglio - Sr. Airman - Middle East



**Summer 2019 Trips:  
Adults Needed!**

It is time to start planning our annual Summer service and conference trips for teens. These trips are only possible because adults volunteer to serve as leaders, chaperones and drivers. If you are interested in being part of these experiences for our youth, please contact Carrie Soucy at 669-7444 x124 or [sescarrie@comcast.net](mailto:sescarrie@comcast.net).

**IS FOOD A PROBLEM FOR YOU?**

Do you eat when you're not hungry? Do you go on eating binges for no apparent reason?

Is your weight affecting the way you live your life?

**OVEREATERS ANONYMOUS**

NO DUES - NO FEES -NO WEIGH –INS - NO DIETS

We have Fellowship Meetings on Tuesdays, & Thursdays at 5:30 pm in the Church Hall (lower level) & Wednesdays in the Sullivan Room.

Contact Pat at 289-8476 or Jane at 674-6540 with any questions.

*(Not affiliated with any private or public organization)*

**Parish Activities**

- Basketball Program.....Jay Brewster (488-1333)
- Parish Nurse Program.....Diana Niemann (668-8490)
- Knights of Columbus .....Michael Pitaro (714-4100)
- Women's Guild .....Cathy Lodico (714-9054)  
.....Bobbie White (471-9095)
- Seton Club.....Bill Toolin (472-5428)
- Cub Scouts.....Dan Jobin (644-0159)

**Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament**

Every Thursday from 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m

**Coffee, Pastries and Juice (Sept – June)**

Available in the Church Hall after the 7:30, 9:00 and 10:30 a.m. Masses. All are welcome.

**Fix-It Team**

The goal of the Fix-It Team is to keep the home environment a safe and healthy place. If someone is in need of assistance, contact the Parish Office.

**Prayer Line**

Please call Rosemary at 623-3925 or Lorraine at 472-3020 with special prayer needs.

**Sacrament of Reconciliation**

Every Saturday from 3:15-4:00 pm, or by appointment

**Sacrament of Baptism**

Second and last Sunday of every month at 1:30 pm. Call the Parish Office at 669-7444 to schedule

**Sacrament of Matrimony**

Diocesan policy states that the couple must contact the parish priest at least six months before the intended wedding date, prior to making any other arrangements.