



MONDAY FEBRUARY 6

Saint Paul Miki and Companions, Martyrs

(Genesis 1:1-19/Mark 6:53-56)

8:30 A.M. Deacon Joseph Checca

TUESDAY FEBRUARY 7

(Genesis 1:20 – 2:4a/Mark 7:1-13)

8:30 A.M. Charlie Ept

WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 8

Saint Jerome Emiliani; Saint Josephine Bakhita, Virgin

(Genesis 2:4b-9, 15-17/Mark 7:14-23)

8:30 A.M. William Pichick

THURSDAY FEBRUARY 9

(Genesis 2:18-25/Mark 7:24-30)

8:30 A.M. John Flesher

FRIDAY FEBRUARY 10

Saint Scholastica, Virgin

(Genesis 3:1-8/Mark 7:31-37)

8:30 A.M. Lillian Dannemiller

SATURDAY FEBRUARY 11

5:00 P.M. Ron Hixon

SUNDAY FEBRUARY 12

FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8:00 A.M. For the People

9:30 A.M. Paul Thoburn

11:15 A.M. Joe Drignat

6:45 P.M. Jessie Oconer

**TO PREPARE FOR SUNDAY LITURGY
FEBRUARY 12, 2017**

SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

FIRST READING: SIRACH 15:15-20

SECOND READING: 1 CORINTHIANS 2:6-10

GOSPEL: MATTHEW 5:17-37



SALT AND LIGHT

Paul tells us that he came not with oratory or philosophy, but simply to tell what God had guaranteed. Paul also wrote that our faith should not depend on human philosophy but on the power of God. He is not anti-intellectual, but he puts “first things first”. Our salvation comes by God’s initiative of love through our crucified Messiah, Jesus. We are also told we are “salt” and “light” before all, meant to change the flavor of the world and show ourselves and others the way in Christ. How goes it with you?

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This Week in our Parish

Sun.	02/05	HOSPITALITY WEEKEND/HH
	9:30am	Kindergarten RE/CI
	12:30pm	SPY Band/Ch
	7:00pm	Rosary and Divine Mercy Chaplet/EC
Mon.	02/06	6:30pm Religious Education Gr 1-6/CI
	7:00pm	Handbell Choir/Ch
Tues.	02/07	6:00pm Religious Education Gr 1-6/CI
	7:00pm	Praise Choir/Ch
Wed.	02/08	9:00am Seton Comfort Crew/PAC
	9:30am	Seton Parish PreSchool
	10:00am	Scripture Study/CI-7&9
	6:00pm	Children’s Choir/CI-4/Nursery
	6:00pm	K of C Assembly/CI-7&9
	6:30pm	Bereavement Ministry/CI-B
	7:00pm	Adult Choir/Ch
Thurs.	02/09	9:30am Seton Parish PreSchool
	6:30pm	Boy Scouts/HH
	7:00pm	RCIA/CI-7&9
Fri.	02/10	9:30am Seton Parish PreSchool
Sat.	02/11	8:00am Baptism Class/CI-7
	6:30pm	Valentine’s Dance/HH
Sun.	02/12	PANCAKE BREAKFAST
	9:30am	Kindergarten RE/CI
	5:00pm	SPY Band/Ch
	5:45 pm	Religious Ed. Grades 7-12/CI
	6:30pm	Mass/Ch
	7:00pm	Rosary and Divine Mercy Chaplet/EC
	7:45pm	Religious Ed Grades 7-12

We invite you to join us every Sunday night at 7 pm in the beautiful, new Eucharistic Chapel for a holy hour including the Rosary, the Divine Mercy Chaplet, and quiet meditation time. Jesus is waiting to fill You with His grace, His mercy, His peace, and His love!

FINANCE INFORMATION		
OFFERTORY INFORMATION		
January 2017		Year To Date
January 29, 2017	\$13,098.00	\$698,670.00
BUDGET	\$15,000.00	\$676,500.00
Last Year	\$41,253.00	\$685,133.00
91 Weekly Simplicity Giving Families (EFT)\$2812.00	
210 Monthly Simplicity Giving Families\$25,237.00	
2 Quarterly Simplicity Giving Families....	...\$1200.00	

RENOVATION PLEDGE REMINDERS

If you are not receiving reminders and expect to, or if you would prefer to have your pledges paid automatically through Simplicity Giving, please contact the parish office at 614-833-0482 or via email jbernard@setonparish.com.

FUTURE AND PRESENT GREETERS

There will be a meeting for all present and potentially future Greeters at Seton Parish. The meeting will take place in the Library on Wednesday, February 8th, 2017 at 7:00 p.m. Please plan on having one (1) family member to attend to receive updates, sign-up and information regarding this very important ministry here at Seton Parish. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free in contacting me. Lori Cunningham 614.625.6410 or TCunnin1@gmail.com

Sick Relatives & Friends

Joshua Abbarno	Erin Barlay	Elizabeth Becker
Sandy Blamer	Jacob Brewer	Edmond Byers
Norm Cantrell	Stacey Carmen	Richard Carrier
Barbara Cartee	Stacy Cesarz	Kathy Chapman
Richard Colombini	Vincent Colombini	Allison Conover
Debra Cunningham	Sophie Davis	Tracey DelMatto
Barbara Devine	Jorge Dias	Tom Dohar
Colin Donohue	Tom Dryer	Eva Etman
James Farrell	Michael Fiorelli	Othmar Fullenkamp
Rita Gallagher	John Gentile	Mary Getreu
James Glaze	Diane Glazer	Gerardo Gonzalez
Kimberly Hartsell	Mackenzie Hedges	Evelyn Henderson
Maria Hernandez	Ashley Hohman	Brian Holland
David Hoy	Barbara Hufford	Lynn Kartavich
Paul Kinker	Helen Kuhn	Justin Lane
Virginia Lantz	Sister Mary Louis, O.P	Cathy Macioce
Kathy Marofsky	Mary Lynn Marx	Dolores Mason
Sally McAllister	Betty McLaren	Sr. Rosalie McQuaide, CSJP
Barb Metz	Maria Miller	Mary Mitchell
Dianne Moriconi	Frank Moriconi	Scott Mucha
Marsha Murphy	Michael Murtha	Laurie Mullins
Norma Nolen	Jim O'Connor	Sara Stiles Owen
Douglas Paxton	Mary Piek	Dolores Pezzutti
Jordan Quinn	Jennifer Rice	Sr. Janet Richardson, CSJP
Samuel Riega	Dave Riegelmayr	Pam Roberts
Ed Ruef	Owen Saba	James Saling
Jeff Samborsky	Joyce Sanford	Rodolfo Santzo
Charles Semple	Luciano Serraglio	Robert Seymour
David Shaffer	Matt Steele	Adam Stevens
Jerry Stiles	Natalie Volosin	Anna Waddell
Jim Wagenbrenner	John Wagner	Butch Walker
Laura Williams	Rachel Yarbough	Dottie Zahner



ATTENTION WIDOWED WOMEN

Are you interested in getting together with other widowed women for support and company? A Gals and Pals Club may be what you need! Please call Donna Patterson at 740-862-4217.

SETON PARISH BEREAVEMENT COMMITTEE...

...invites you to consider pre-planning your funeral Mass. We have a compiled list of music and readings, as well as pertinent information relating to Catholic burial rites. Please contact the church office to meet with a representative from the Bereavement Committee.

CAN OF THE MONTH: February: Canned Tuna

AVISO IMPORTANTE AL PUBLICO

Quiere usted ser ciudadano Americano? Necesita ayuda para aprobar el examen? Necesita ayuda para leer y escribir en ingles? Yo te enseno gratuitamente! Tel: Bernardo @- 740-862-8262.

Pastor's Reflection

This weekend our second graders with their families received the sacrament of Reconciliation for the first time. It is always a beautiful and moving celebration as these children with their parents and brothers and sisters receive this beautiful sacrament of God's mercy and forgiveness. The children are often a little anxious before they receive the sacrament for the first time, but after they receive it, they are all smiles. Here is where we come to experience God's peace when it is missing in our lives. Here is where we come to receive the grace to face the difficulties and struggles that we all are up against. It is one of the greatest gifts that Jesus has left the church and has guided the church with through the Holy Spirit down through the ages. We have two new reconciliation rooms in our newly renovated church and we are still awaiting the final furnishings for these rooms that should be arriving sometime in the month of February. These should be completed as we enter into the season of Lent.

It pleases me a great deal to see so many people making use of the Eucharistic Chapel. The Stations of the Cross from the old church will be hung on the walls here in the next week or so. I would ask that you refrain from not bringing personal books, magazines, statues, prayer cards and other devotionals and leaving them randomly in the chapel. The chapel is not a recycling center. These rarely if ever get picked up, and then, if you multiply this by the great number who have been doing this, you quickly see the clutter in no time that this creates. Very simply, the chapel no longer is a prayerful environment that it was created to be. Thank you for your cooperation.

Parish Mission
Treasuring Life
Save the Date
 Sunday, April 2nd – Wednesday, April 5th

Treasuring Yourself
 Treasuring the Other
 Treasuring a Clean House
 Treasuring your Church

The mission will start at 7:00pm each night. Don't miss the Soup Supper on Sunday, April 2nd at 5:45pm prior to the mission. Fr. John Graden and Joanne Kinney will be our facilitators and preachers for the mission.

CATHOLIC TIMES

For a Catholic perspective, the *Catholic Times* weekly newspaper features insightful and informative news from around our diocese, our country, and the world. Sign up TODAY for, or continue receiving the *Catholic Times* for another year, by placing your *Catholic Times* envelope with a minimum donation of only \$17 in the collection basket. Checks should be payable to SETON PARISH. As an evangelization tool, Bishop Campbell encourages every Catholic household to receive the *Catholic Times*. Come enjoy "A journal of Catholic life in Ohio".



Valentine's Dinner / Dance

With Ballroom Dance Instructors

Spiritual Life is hosting a Valentine's Dinner and Dance in Herrmann Hall on Saturday, February 11th. Dinner and music begin at 6:30 with dancing to follow. Only \$20/person. We will have Ballroom Dance Instructors there to demonstrate as well as offer some group lessons. Paul Mitchell will be our DJ and the meal is being catered by Emelio's Catering. Dinner includes pasta, (GF available), meatballs, Italian salad, rolls and soft drinks. Come and join in the fun with your fellow parishioners.

Open to all...married or single. Sign-up in Herrmann Hall after all the Masses, or contact Carol Puhlmann-Schneider 614-638-4408 or cpuhlmann@aol.com.

Father will provide a renewal and blessing of marriage vows for married couples.



Knights of Columbus... We look forward to serving you at our next breakfast on February 12th!

SETON SACRISTANS

Please check in the ministry sign-in area for your 2017 schedule. There will be a basket labeled "Sacristans". Take the one with your name. Thank you for sharing your talent in this ministry.

SETON VOICE

If you enjoy writing, we could use your help with the parish newsletter, The Voice! Little experience needed. Please contact Robin Thompson at 614-206-8790 or robint17@gmail.com for more information. We are a quarterly newsletter about and for our parish and we are always looking for contributions. The next issue is a Lenten issue and due in homes in March. If you have ideas, please feel free to share! Thanks!

Catechism Corner

Sponsored by the Spiritual Life Commission

February 5, 2017 – Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

154. What are the characteristics of the people of God?

One becomes a member of this people through faith in Christ and Baptism. This people has for its *origin* God the Father; for its *head* Jesus Christ; for its *hallmark* the dignity and freedom of the sons of God; for its *law* the new commandment of love; for its *mission* to be the salt of the earth and the light of the world; and for its *destiny* the Kingdom of God, already begun on earth.

Weekly Q n A taken directly from the Compendium of the Catechism

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Sign up at flocknote.com/catechism to receive daily emails on the Catechism of the Catholic Church

DON'T THROW THAT OUT!!! RE-GIFT IT!

Our annual appreciation evening for all of our volunteers who give so generously their time and talents will be held on April 1st. To show our appreciation, we are asking for donations for our door prizes. If you own a business and would like to donate a service or a product you sell, or if you want to earn fuel points by buying and donating gift cards, we would really appreciate your donation. You can drop the items off in the Parish Office or the Religious Education Offices. Questions? Call MJ at 614-833-0485, ext. 225.

Mothers of Ministry at Seton (MOMS Group)

If you are looking for a way to connect with other Moms in the parish, please find us on Facebook (www.facebook.com/groups/setonparishmoms) or email setonmomsgroup@gmail.com to receive a monthly event schedule.



SETON PARISH PRESCHOOL

Preschool Registration for the 2017-2018 school year will be February 1st- 10th for current families enrolled in our program. Previous Seton preschool families and Seton Parish members wanting to enroll for the first time please call the preschool office on Feb. 10th to check for availability. If spots are available past families may enroll on February 14th & 15th from 8:00am to 12:00noon in the preschool office. Current Seton Parish members new to the program can register in the Welcome Center at 7:00 p.m. on February 15th and during preschool office hours starting Feb. 16th until spots are full. The program will open up to the public on February 21st if there are any spots remaining. There is an \$85 registration fee due at the time of registration to hold your spot. Questions or to schedule a tour please contact Dian Fogus 614-833-0482 ext.229 or sppteam@sbcglobal.net

If you have questions about the program, please contact Dian Fogus 614-833-0482 ext. 229 or sppteam@sbcglobal.net.

Religious Education News

DRE: MJ Sobczyk 833-0485, ext. 225 or mjsobczyk@setonparish.com.

On Monday and Tuesday evenings we will be having our Parent Meetings for our students receiving their First Communion. We invite the parents, and siblings, of the children to join us for a meal before the children head off to classes and the meeting begins.

PLEASE RSVP to mjsobczyk@setonparish.com or call 614-833-0485, ext. 225 as soon as possible so that we know how much food to prepare.

We are looking forward to spending this time with you and your family.

Monday evening: Dinner will be served at 5:45pm and the parents meeting will begin at 6:15pm.

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Seton Parish Youth

Seton Parish Youth, it's more than a class it's about a relationship with Christ. SPY offers activities and opportunities for all students in grades 7-12 year round!

ONLINE: www.setonparishyouth.org

Barbara Serrano, Youth Minister

(614)833-0485, ext. #228 bserrano@setonparish.com

SPY THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK:

February 5, 2017 **5th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

"Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father who is in heaven."

MATTHEW 5:16

The generosity of being a good steward of your gifts has a positive effect on people and it is contagious! Good works encourages more good works. Let your light shine! Be careful to recognize that God is working through you and don't put yourself above the people you have been called to help.

SPY ADORATION HOUR: Join us as we take an hour to spend with our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament before school on Friday mornings from 5:30 – 6:30 am!! What better to start the weekend than with Christ!!

NO SUNDAY EVENING RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

February 5, 2017

SPY MASS: Sunday February 12, 2017 6:45 – 7:45

HIGH SCHOOL RETREAT: Mark your calendars now so you don't miss out on the High School Retreat. Friday April 21 – Sunday April 23, 2017 located at the Heartland Retreat Center. More information to follow!!!

National Catholic Youth Conference—Nov. 16-19, 2017—

In a distinctly Catholic setting the National Catholic Youth Conference invites participants to:

- **Encounter Christ.**
- **Experience church.**
- **Be empowered for discipleship.**

Once again we are gearing up for the largest gathering of Catholic youth in the United States, NCYC, November 16-19 in Indianapolis. The theme of three-day event is "Called" NCYC has been described by youth, priests, and other adults as deeply faith-filled, action-packed, and fun! The participants experience inspiring liturgies and prayer experiences, great speakers and entertainment during the conference. Stay tuned for more information.

ADOPT A YOUTH FOR THE National Catholic Youth Conference!!!! PUT OUR STUDENTS at NCYC join us in solidarity by adopting a student. We had a phenomenal outpouring of students interested in participating in NCYC!!! No student is ever turned away due to lack of money; if you would like to support a student to attend for you please contact the youth ministry office.

BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

Boy Scout Troop 1147 is a boy-led and boy-run troop. We meet on Thursdays at 7:00 pm in classroom #5. More information is on our website, www.troop1147.org, or contact Jay Oconer at 614-916-6529.

SETON SAGES

Due to the unpredictable winter weather, nothing is planned for February 2017. We will have a planning meeting at 1pm on February 27th in the library and everyone is welcome!

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS SCHOLARSHIP

Calling any Catholic grade school (grades 4-8) or Catholic high school student whose father or grandfather is a member of the Knights of Columbus Council 11187 (St. Elizabeth Ann Seton). This year's scholarship is \$500. For more information and an application for the scholarship, visit www.kofc11187.org.

SLEEPING BAG MINISTRY

We meet in the Parish Activity Center every Wednesday morning at 9:00am. Come join us! Collection bin is in Herrmann Hall. For more information contact Seton Homeless Comfort Crew Elaine Fairchild 614-864-2637 setonhomelesscomfortcrew@gmail.com.



ST VINCENT DEPAUL SOCIETY

February 5: Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

In the Gospel today, Jesus says, "You are the light of the world," he is calling us to live our Christian vocation in words and deeds. Each one of us is a gift from God, sent to help repair the broken world—and that it is not the task of an instant or of a year, but of a lifetime. Today, many people live in places of such dark desolation and despair that their spiritual condition receives little or no attention, for everything is simply focused on their physical survival. As light bearers, we have been placed in our broken world to expedite the healing of broken lives.

Be a "light" to those living in poverty and in a world of darkness by giving a donation to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul.

Though our collection is at the end of the month, your gifts are welcome any time, please contact our Seton SVDP Conference at (614) 205-2347 or send an email to

info@setonparishsvdp.org. The St. Vincent de Paul donation trucks will also be available March 11th & 12th, May 13th & 14th, August 12th & 13th, and October 28th & 29th

10th Annual Columbus Catholic Women's Conference – Feb 18th 8 AM-4 PM at the Ohio Expo Center's new Cardinal building

Register for the Columbus Catholic Women's Conference! February 18th is fast approaching. Come hear Jeff Cavins, Magnus Macfarlane-Barrow, & Kerri Caviezel. Jeff Cavins is the creator of the Great Adventure Bible Series which many of you are familiar. Any questions, please contact Colleen Thesing @ colleenscupboard@aol.com

STS PETER AND PAUL RETREAT CENTER

Celebrate 2017 while reflecting at the prayerful space of the Sts. Peter and Paul Retreat Center in nearby Newark, Ohio. We provide peaceful setting for meditation, tranquility, reflection and prayer. Private/Semi-Private rooms starting at \$50.00 a night (Sunday-Thursday), breakfast \$6.95, lunch \$8.95 and dinner \$10.95. Call (740)928-4246 or visit our website www.stspeterandpaulretreatcenter.org for reservations.

Winter Book Recommendations

The Seton Pastoral Council has assembled a list of books (and some movies) that have impacted us in some way over the past year. Continuing from last week, here are three more recommendations. Do you have your own suggestions? Share them with us at <http://facebook.setonparish.com/>

Susan Kolb recommends ...
"The Red Tent" by Anita Diamant

An historical novel telling the story of Dinah, daughter of Jacob and sister to Joseph. It is very interesting story of biblical times and the customs of those times. You'll be introduced into the lives of Dinah, Rachel, and Leah; you'll gain insight into how they lived and the customs they lived by. The red tent refers to the tent where the tribe's women stay during their menstruation and birthing, where the women bond, are encouraged, and learn from one another. I found this book to be a good story and history lesson all in one.

Debbie Clegg recommends ...
"He Leadeth Me" by Fr. Walter Ciszek, SJ

Father was born of Polish parents in the USA but wanted to serve in Russia. He studied in Rome where, before WWII broke out, he was sent to Poland. He was captured by Russians and sent to prison and then to a Siberian work camp. He made it back to the State, but for years his family did not know if he was alive. The book is a testament to faithful service and has one the most concise and clear presentations on the will of God to be found. There are those now working on his cause for canonization.

Aaron Christy recommends ...
"Mere Christianity" by C.S. Lewis

It is impossible to overstate how tremendously powerful this book has been for me. Transcribed from radio broadcasts that he did during WWII, this book presents a beautiful, smart, and well-constructed defense of Christianity. It is not a theologically heavy book, but instead one that is grounded and almost conversational in style. It builds itself from a foundation of why there are "right" and "wrong" moral choices and why we are inclined to pick one. From there, he builds why evil exists, the necessity of Christ, and the sheer importance of Christianity on a personal level. If you find yourself struggling to express the importance of your faith to others or if you find yourself questioning your own faith, I cannot recommend this book enough. It is not only a graspable book, but one that can be transformative in your life and those that surround you.

World Marriage Day Celebration: Sunday, February 26th – 1:00-4:00 p.m.

All married couples are invited to the Diocesan Celebration of World Marriage Day, Sunday, February 26th from 1:00-4:00 PM at Immaculate Conception Church, 414 E. North Broadway, Columbus. Deacon Harold Burke-Sivers will be the speaker. There is no charge for the event but space is limited. Kindly RSVP by February 13th at <http://familylife.colsdioc.org> or 614-241-2560.

MINISTER SCHEDULE: February 11/12

5:00pm Mass Coordinator: Frank Piper
Servers: Adam Groene, Pailyn Groene, Emma Simone, Jack Simone
Lectors: Kathy Pione, Tim Pione
EMHC: Judy Barmess, Linda Barnett, Barb McAllister, Dave McAllister, Christopher Reale, Barbara Russell, Sally Simone, Barbara Smithberger, Larry Taylor, Penny Taylor
Greeters: Deborah Hickman, Tony Pahls, Mary Patton, Barbara Smithberger
Welcome Center: Cindy Drees

8:00am Mass Coordinator: Rick Kuhn, Russ Ridgeway
Servers: Grace Jones, Victoria Loberg, Toni Patterson, Matthew Wilson
Lectors: Dee Machinski, Louis Sandor
EMHC: Debbie Clegg, Cheryl Hopkins, Debbie Kitsmiller, Hannah Kitsmiller, Carolyn Koblinski, Susan Kolb, Adam Nowocin, Erin Ridgeway, Eleanor Samborsky, Carol Schmidt, Linda Strait
Greeters: Nicki Barwick Brenda Carter, Betty Crock, Carolyn Koblinski
Welcome Center: Dennis and Diannia O'Connor

9:30am Mass Coordinator: Gerri Kingera, Colleen Thesing, Jim Thesing
Servers: AJ. Glanzman, Anna Glanzman, Isaac Glanzman, Julian Oconer
Lectors: Richard Petersen, Nancy Price
EMHC: Mark Abbarno, Cindy Adams, David Adams, Paul Caravano, Dave Lauzau, Kim Lauzau, Bill O'Connell, Carol O'Connell, Jeffrey Oconer
Greeters: Sherry Bentley, Ashwin Briggs, Josie Conforti, Diane Hare
Welcome Center: Terry Black
Nursery: Tom Abbitt, Kollene Luckuch
CLOW: PreK-1: Becky Brockwell, Shawna King
Grades 2-4: Krista Miller

11:15am Mass Coordinator: Wayne Patterson, Danielle Sillings, Michael Sillings
Servers: Adam McVicker, Joseph Oler, Emma Sillings, Cesar Tobon
Lectors: John Kmiec, Linda Rainey
EMHC: Dee Anderson, Christina Brown, Joanne Butcher, Marcia Gimeson, Nelda Humphries, Tristan Koenig, Joseph Koesters, Kelly Koesters, Peg McVicker, Sandra Stewart
Greeters: Bernard Holland, Carole Holland, Marcus Valdez
Welcome Center: Maureen Patterson
Nursery: Not Available
CLOW: PreK-1: Kim Kerschner, Jon Kerschner
Grades 2-4: Barbara Hacht

Collection Counters: Team #9 Rich Stover, Carol and Jesse Pope, Bill and Brenda Burton, Bill and Carol O'Connell

*Looking for Nursery volunteers: Please call the Parish Office at 614-833-0482 if you are interested.