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St. Thomas Aquinas (1922-2014)
& St. Elizabeth Ann Seton (1976-2014)

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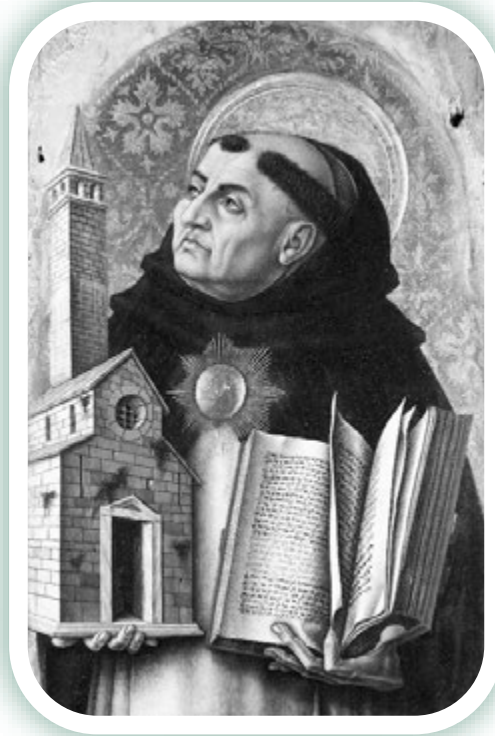
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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil: 4:30 PM
Sundays: 9:00 AM (SETON)
and 11:00 AM (St. Thomas)

Monday-Friday: 8:30 AM
(Chapel at 126 Walnut Ave.)

Holydays: 8:30 AM, 12 noon
AND 7:00 PM
(St. Thomas)



SETON

1200 Park Ave.
Bensalem, PA 19020

PARISH OFFICE

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**CONFESSION
SCHEDULE**

Saturday: 3:30-4:00 PM
(St. Thomas)

Served By:

Rev. David A. Fernandes, Pastor
Rev. Michael J. Lonergan, Pastor Emeritus, (Former St. Elizabeth Ann Seton)
Deacon John J. Gallagher

MARRIAGES

By Diocesan policy, a six month advance notice is required to allow sufficient time for the necessary marriage paper work and preparation. Deacons are permitted to witness marriages which are not celebrated during Mass.

BAPTISMS

First and Third Sundays of the month after 11:00 AM Mass. Attendance at Pre-Jordan class, on the 3rd Tuesday each month at 7:30PM, in the Parish Meeting Room at 121 Belmont Avenue, is a requirement. You must pre-register by calling the Parish Office at (215)788-2989.

PARISH MEMBERSHIP

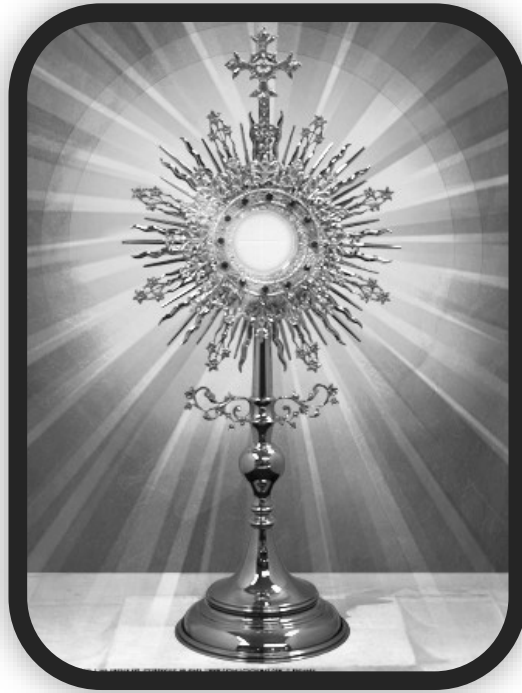
In order to receive the Sacraments of Baptism, First Communion, Confirmation and Matrimony, and/or to receive a Letter of Eligibility to be a Godparent or Sponsor it is necessary for you to be registered in our parish and practice the Catholic Faith. Contact the Parish Office as soon as you move into our parish to schedule a registration meeting. Please call the Parish Office if you move, or change your address or phone number.

PARISH DEVOTIONS

Miraculous Medal Novena: Saturdays after 9:00 AM Mass (Chapel)
Rosary: Weekdays before 8:30 AM Mass (Chapel) and Saturday before 9:00 AM Mass
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: Mondays 9:00 AM -3:30PM with Benediction at 3:30 PM (Chapel)
(September to May)

April 1, 2018

Come, Let Us Worship



April 15 - 16 - 17, 2018
40 Hours/ Parish Mission
7:00 PM

Adoration
April 16th and 17th
9:00 AM to 7:00 PM

Father Sy
Congregation of the Mission

St Thomas Aquinas Church
601 Bristol Pike
Croydon, PA 19021

April 1, 2018

*Mass Intentions
for the Week*

Monday April 2, 2018
8:30 AM Enrique Carrillo req by Marta

Tuesday April 3, 2018
8:30 AM Anita Fratantaro req by Tom Carmody

Wednesday April 4, 2018
8:30 AM Jerry Campbell Jr req by Mom & Dad

Thursday April 5, 2018
8:30 AM Dionisio Andres req by Jet Jabla

Friday April 6, 2018
8:30 AM Catherine Pritchard req by M/M Stephen Pritchard

Saturday April 7, 2018
4:30 PM Bill & Ellen Ott req by Eleanor

Sunday April 8, 2018
9:00 AM George Gutherman req by Gutherman Family
11:00 AM NO INTENTION

Weekend Offerings

03/17	4:30 PM	\$ 1,835.00
03/18	9:00 AM	\$ 2,216.00
03/18	11:00 AM	\$ 2,011.00
Mail Ins/Parish Giving		\$ 1,554.00
Debt Reduction		\$ 130.00
Winter Maintenance		\$ 30.00
Other Collections (Parish)		\$ 221.00
Other Collections (Archdiocese)		\$ 1,112.00
Candles & Shrine		\$ 164.00
Poor Box		\$ 17.00

TOTAL for Parish for March 18, 2018 \$8,178.00
TOTAL for Other Collections (Archdiocesan) \$1,112.00

*Thank you for your generosity.
May the Lord bless you.*

Lectors

April 7, 2018
4:30 PM R Fallon & P DeMichele

April 8, 2018
9:00 AM T Marion & R Gutherman
11:00 AM W Scenna & J Kochuvelli

Extraordinary Ministers

April 7, 2018
4:30 PM J Wallover & T Litz

April 8, 2018
9:00 AM L Cinkutis & T Cinkutis
11:00 AM M Kelly & R Kelly

Altar Servers

April 7, 2018
4:30 PM Caleigh Brogan, Meghan Brogan,
MaryRose Okwara

April 8, 2018
11:00 AM Lawrence Gabriel, Chasity Gabriel,
Mason McMahon, Effie McMahon,
Erin Moyer, Kelly Moyer, Nicholas Freer

Sunday Scriptures April 8, 2018

Reading I: Acts of the Apostles 4:32-35 (44B)
Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24
Reading II: 1 John 5:1-6
Gospel: John 20:19-31

Remember In Your Prayers



Our men and women in the military:

Many of our parishioners have family members serving in dangerous assignments around the world. **Please keep them in your prayers.**

Our Sick: Francis Breuer, Stephanie Burris, Kathy Cameli, Bill Campanelli, Tom Carmody, Tama Cary, Dolores DeBeaumont, Linda DeLuccia, Tony DiTommaso, Ruth Donnelly, George Doran Jr., Dolores Doran, Richard Fieramosca, Marcella Ghost, Joseph Hailstone, Jean Hennessey, Bart Houck, Catrina Hudome, Tom Hynes, Luisa Jabla, Janet Jackson, Ruth Lang, Tara Lessard, Duncan Lewis, Angelo & Connie Lombardo, Debbie Lyons, Kathy Maddaloni, Margaret McGrory, Danny McGuire, Gladys McLean, Carletta Minor, Gen Morrin, Richard Powers, Mary Beth Rea, Dawn Marie Rogers, Eileen Ryan, Jimmy Simon, Amanda Tees, John Tobar, Kim Vickers, Jack Williams, Jermaine Williams, Denise Wilson, Elaine Wilson, Erin Wright and all their relatives and friends.

Our Deceased: All the deceased members of our parish and their relatives and friends.

Thank You....

We would like to thank
Harry Heck Jr.
for his donation of the palm trees
In Memory of Harry & Cecelia Heck

Memorial Fund...

We would like to thank
Mary Anne Brown for her donation
In Memory of George Stricker Sr
and
Croydon Seniors for their donation
In Memory of Helen Amato

**St Thomas Aquinas
Lottery Ticket Fundraiser**

The results for March 22nd to March 29th are as follows:

Date	Winning #	Winners
March 20	991	Unsold Ticket
March 21	493	Jeanne Marchiondo
March 22	094	Unsold Ticket

***Due to an early transmission of the Bulletin, the additional winners will be posted in the next Bulletin.*



**On behalf of
Father David Fernandes
Deacon John Gallagher
and the
Parish Office Staff
We wish everyone a
Blessed and Happy Easter**

Parish Calendar of Events

St Thomas Aquinas **Prayer Shawl Ministry** is a combination of prayers and knitting for the ministry of others. We strive to bring God's love to folks in need, through the comfort and warmth of our handmade shawls. Our next meeting will be on **Monday, April 2, 2018 at 7:00 PM** in the Parish Meeting Room. If you cannot attend but would like to make shawls for our ministry, please call Eileen Brown at (215) 785-6132.

The **Knights of Columbus Council #4765** will hold their next General Membership Meeting on **Tuesday, April 3, 2018 at 7:30 PM** in Father Crehan Hall. For information, please contact Wayne Freer at (215) 266-6423.

The **Women's Bible Group** meets every other Thursday at **7:00 PM** in the Parish Meeting Room. Their next meeting will be on **Thursday, April 5, 2018**. They are discussing the book "*Perfectly Yourself*" by Matthew Kelly. For more information, please contact Marie Kelly at (215) 788-3331.

The Ladies of the Knights of Columbus are hosting **Designer Bag Bingo** on **Saturday, April 7, 2018** in Father Crehan Hall. Tickets are \$25.00 per person. See details on next page.

The **STA Conference of St Vincent de Paul Society** will hold their next meeting on **Wednesday, April 11, 2018 at 7:00 PM** in Father Crehan Hall. For more information, please call (267) 554-7109.

Bucks County Scottish American Society will be hosting their **Tartan Day—Ceilidh 2018 Dinner** on **Saturday, April 14, 2018 at 5:30 PM** in Father Crehan Hall. Tickets are \$30.00 per person. See details on next page.

We hope you can join us for our next **Church Breakfast** on **Sunday, April 15, 2018 from 8:00 to 11:30 AM** in Father Crehan Hall. Cost is \$5.00 per person.

We hope you will join us for our **40 Hours/Parish Mission** on **April 15, 16, 17, 2018 at 7:00 PM** in the Church. Our speaker will be Father Sy from the Congregation of the Mission.

The next **Pre-Jordan Class** will be held on **Tuesday, April 17, 2018 at 7:30 PM** in the Parish Meeting Room. Parents and Godparents must attend. For questions or to confirm your attendance please contact the Parish Office at (215) 788-2989.

SETON Seniors & Curran Travel Inc presents All Star Productions "**Best of Broadway**" on **Wednesday, April 18, 2018**. \$100.00 per person. Trip includes: Departure from St Elizabeth Ann Seton at 9:00 AM, Sit down luncheon, one hour open bar (beer & wine), and The Matinee Performance of "Best of Broadway" at Doolan's in Spring Lake, NJ at 11:00 AM, Depart for home approximately 3:30 PM. For information and reservations, contact Betty Keller at (215) 638-1594.

Separated/Divorced Support Group will meet on **Thursday, April 19, 2018 at 7:00 PM** in Father Crehan Hall. For more information, please contact Peg Duffy at (215) 788-1947.

Please join us for our **Church Social** on **Sunday, April 22, 2018 at 12 Noon** in the Church Hall. If you would like to donate baked goods, you may drop them off at the Parish Office or contact Connie Lombardo at (215) 781-2318.

St Thomas Aquinas Parish will be hosting our Annual **Volunteer Appreciation Dinner** on **Saturday, April 28, 2018 at 5:30 PM** in Father Crehan Hall. See details on next page.

April 1, 2018



Hosted by
The Ladies of the Knights of Columbus

Saturday, April 7, 2018

*Doors open at 5:30 PM
Games start at 7:00 PM
Raffles, 50/50, Door Prizes*

*St Thomas Aquinas
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121 Belmont Avenue
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*\$25.00/per person
(must be 18 yrs of age or older)*

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in the Parish Office*

*For information/tickets, contact
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Marie Kelly at (215) 788-3331*

Tartan Day—Ceilidh 2018 Dinner

Bucks County Scottish American Society

Presents

Music and Story

about the Jacobite Rising

By Charles Zahm

*The Caledonia Highland Dancers will open
the ceremony before dinner*

Saturday, April 14, 2018

5:30 PM

St Thomas Aquinas

Father Crehan Hall

\$30.00/per person

(children under 12 free)

*Basket Raffle & 50/50 chances
will be sold at event*

For tickets or information contact

Pam Hynd (267) 770-1131 or

Dennis McAllister (215) 632-2384



St Thomas Aquinas Parish

cordially invites you

to the

Volunteer Appreciation Dinner

on

Saturday, April 28, 2018

at 5:30 PM

Father Crehan Hall

Dinner is BYOB

*Invitation is extended to volunteer
and a guest*

Please RSVP on or before April 20, 2018

to Roseann

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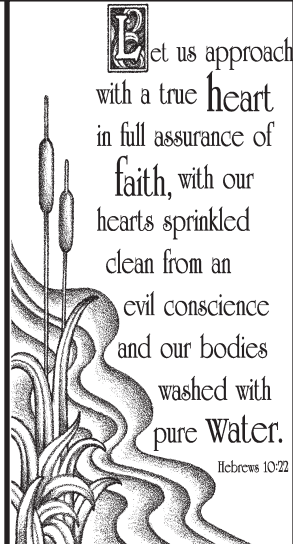


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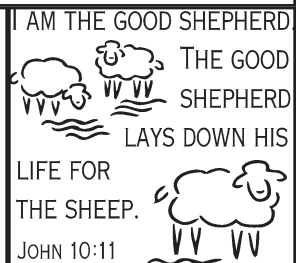


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