



St. Elizabeth Ann Seton

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Dear St. Elizabeth Ann Seton & St. Andrew Family,

Blessings to you and your family on the Feast of St. Patrick.

Our parish staffs have been working to address the spiritual needs of our parishioners and community during this challenging time, especially in light of yesterday's state-wide mandate from the bishops of Ohio to suspend all public Masses through Easter Sunday.

We are fully committed to celebrating the goodness of our Lord together as a community of faith and serving you and your family. We are continuing to create new ways and opportunities to connect with you during this time and will be communicating those to you as those plans are finalized.

Following are tentative schedules for both parishes:

- **Sunday Mass** – St. Andrew parish will be livestreaming Sunday Mass at 8:00am on Sunday mornings, Seton hopes to have this capability soon. All livestreamed Masses will be saved and able to be viewed at a later time if you are unable to watch it live at 8:00am.
 - [Click Here to Watch the St. Andrew Livestream](#)
- **Weekday Mass** – We will be livestreaming all weekday morning Masses, Seton hopes to have this capability soon. The current schedule is:
 - Mondays at 8:00am at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton – Link available soon.
 - Tuesdays at 7:30am at St. Andrew – [Click Here to Watch](#)
 - Wednesdays at 8:00am at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton – Link available soon.
 - Thursdays at 7:30am at St. Andrew – [Click Here to Watch](#)
 - Fridays at 8:00am at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton – Link available soon.
 - Saturdays at 7:30am at St. Andrew – [Click Here to Watch](#)
- **Church** – Our church doors will be open for those seeking quiet prayer and reflection time during the following hours, but please know the times may change:
 - St. Elizabeth Ann Seton (Monday – Friday): 9:00am – 7:00pm
 - St. Andrew (Monday – Friday): 9:00am – 4:30pm

“The first end I propose in our daily work is to do the will of God,
secondly, to do it in the manner He wills it, and thirdly, to do it because it is His will.”

-Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton



- **Parish Office** – Both parish offices will be available to take calls and receive emails from 9am – 1pm, Monday through Friday. To visit the office or to meet face-to-face with a staff member, you must first make an appointment. To reach the parish office, please call 513-831-3353 (St. Andrew) or 513-575-0119 (St. Elizabeth Ann Seton).
- **Weekly Envelopes & Online Donations** – We humbly ask that you remember that our parishes depend on your weekly financial support. For your convenience, we have several options available to you:
 - **Online Donations and/or Electronic Fund Transfers** – You can make an online donation to either parish using the links below. If you would like to set-up an Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT) in place of turning in your weekly envelopes, please call the Parish Office.

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton

[Click Here to Make a Donation](#)

OR

Call the Parish Office at 513-575-0119.

St. Andrew

[Click Here to Make a Donation and/or Set-Up an EFT](#)

OR

Call the Parish Office at 513-831-3353.

- **Weekly Envelopes** – If you prefer to turn in your weekly envelope, we kindly ask that you mail your envelope to the Parish Office:

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church
5890 Buckwheat Rd.
Milford, OH 45150

St. Andrew the Apostle Catholic Church
552 Main St.
Milford, OH 45150

- **Stations of the Cross** – Friday evening Stations of the Cross will not be publicly offered at this time. We are exploring the option of livestreaming, and will certainly let you know if/when this is available.
- **Confessions After Stations of the Cross** – Cancelled.
- **Eucharistic Adoration** – You are welcome to come in during the hours when the church is open to spend time in prayer before our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament.

- **Confessions** – Confessions will continue to be heard on Saturdays at both parishes. Given the current situation, and to promote the health of both the priest and penitent, confessions will be heard behind a screen only and a face-to-face option will not be offered. Confession times are as follows:
 - St. Elizabeth Ann Seton: Saturdays from 3:30pm – 4:30pm
 - St. Andrew: Saturdays from 4:00pm – 5:00pm

We also have several other upcoming opportunities for Confession that will remain scheduled:

- “The Light is On For You” on Tuesday, March 24 from 7:00pm – 9:00pm. Offered at both parishes.
- St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Monthly Confession - Wednesday, April 1 from 7:00pm – 9:00pm.
- St. Andrew Monthly Confession – Tuesday, April 7 from 7:00pm – 9:00pm.

Please keep our world, our country and our community in your prayers. From the prayer of St. Patrick’s breastplate, “Christ be with me, Christ within me, Christ behind me, Christ before me, Christ beside me, Christ to win me, Christ to comfort and restore me, Christ beneath me, Christ above me, Christ in quiet, Christ in danger, Christ in hearts of all that love me, Christ in mouth of friend and stranger.”

God bless you,
Fr. Michael Cordier
Pastor