



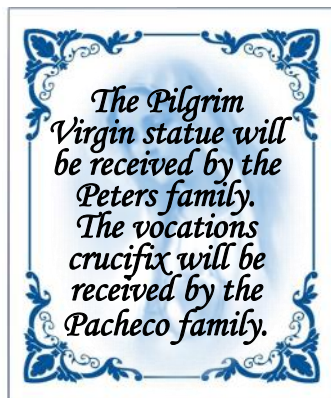
UPCOMING EVENTS

[Seton Live Calendar](#)

- Mar 15 End of the 3rd Quarter
Gym Closes for Play
- Mar 19 Sol. of St. Joseph
Jason Evert Event for HS 9AM
- Mar 20 1st Wellness Wed at lunch
- Mar 21 Boys Retreat 8:20-3PM
- Mar 22 Girls Retreat 8:20-3PM
- Mar 23 Regional Science Fair
- Mar 25 PRO Mtg 7:00
- Mar 26 Spanish Holy Hour 7PM
- Apr 1-5 TECH week for Musical
 - Apr 1 Regular Monday Schedule
 - Apr 2 8:45-3:00 Schedule
 - Apr 3 8:45-3:00 Schedule
 - Apr 4 8:45-3:00 Schedule
Dedication Anniversary Mass
11:20
 - Apr 5 9:30-2:39 Schedule
Musical 7PM
- Apr 6 Musical 7PM
- Apr 7 Musical 3PM
- Apr 10 NHS Inductions
- Apr 12 Musical 7PM
- Apr 13 Musical 7PM
- Apr 18-26 Spring Break
- Apr 29 Classes Resume

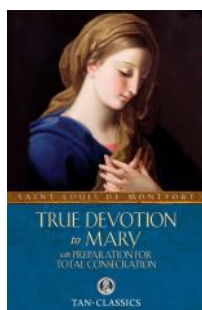
2019/2020 SCHOOL YEAR

- Aug 21 First Day of School
- Dec 20 Last Full Day of 2019
- Dec 20-Jan 2 Christmas Break
- Jan 6 First Day Back from break
- May 29 Last Day of School
- June 1 Class of 2020 Graduation



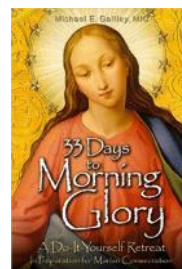
FROM THE DIRECTOR

THANKS TO ALL WHO ATTENDED THE STATIONS LAST WEEK AND FILLED THE CHAPEL TO HONOR JESUS IN HIS PASSION. Thanks also to those who brought food. It was all so good it hardly seemed like Lent.



CONTINUING TO LIVE THIS LENT WITH MARY: This week we will focus on the devotional practice of a Consecration to Jesus through Mary. The best known consecration is the St. Louis de Montfort total consecration. Many of our students, led by Mr. DiVietri, are praying in the chapel daily in preparation for making the consecration on the Solemnity of the Annunciation. Another consecration is 33 Days to Morning Glory, which some

members of the Seton community are making this Lent. I wish to highlight the Consecration to Merciful Love, which combines Marian consecration, St. Therese's Little Way, and the devotion to the Divine Mercy. Earlier this week you received a [Jupiter message](#) with information on this consecration. Preparation will begin on March 26, and we will make the consecration on Divine Mercy Sunday, April 28.



Why Marian Consecration? Because Jesus gave Mary to us as our mother. As she stood with St. John at the foot of the cross, sharing completely in her Son's sufferings, Jesus said to her, "Woman behold your son; son behold your mother." St. John represents all of us. We are being given the gift of Mary as our mother, and if Jesus gives us a gift, we would be more than wise to accept it. We should imitate St. John and take Mary into our homes. Father Michael Gaitley advises us to "take her into our hearts, meaning we should give her all our joys, sorrows, sufferings, and our very selves, so she can bring us to Jesus" (The One Thing is Three; How the Blessed Trinity Explains Everything).

The last clause is key. What is Mary's whole purpose? To bring us to Jesus. The closer we come to her, the closer she will bring us to her Son. In the words of St. John Paul the Great, "In repeating every day 'Totus tuus [totally yours],' and living in harmony with her, one can attain to the experience of the Father in limitless confidence and love, to docility to the Holy Spirit, and to the transformation of self according to the image of Christ." It doesn't get any better than this.

MASSES AND ROSARIES

Monday Mass

All Saints 8:30 AM
Rosary

Tues-Fri 8:00 AM
in the Chapel



Please pray for
Brendan McGuire
(recurrence of
cancer)



Thank
You

Mrs. Rohlena for providing the priests lunch and dinner for Mrs. Carroll and Mr. Westhoff and Fr. Mosmann for saying Mass and Fr. Noah for leading our stations.

SPECIAL SCHEDULE DURING THE MUSICAL TECH WEEK: Because a large number of students are involved in the musical and will have late nights during Tech Week (April 1-5), we will begin school at 8:45 on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday of that week. School will dismiss at 3:00 PM each of those days. Monday, April 1, will be a normal Monday schedule with Mass at 8:30 and dismissal at 2:39. On April 4, we will have Mass at 11:15 to celebrate the third anniversary of the dedication of the chapel. On April 5, we will follow a Monday class schedule, with school beginning at 9:30 and dismissing at 2:39.

RETREATS: Please pray for our students that the retreats next week will bear much spiritual fruit in their souls.



STEUBENVILLE YOUTH CONFERENCE 2019

15 SPOTS ARE STILL AVAILABLE!

There are 15 more spots available for the Steubenville Youth Conference trip (Rising 9-12th grade) on July 12-14. We will be leaving from Seton Friday morning and returning Sunday evening. The conference cost is \$212 plus transportation cost (tbd). If you want to reserve a spot send in \$40 deposit to the main office marked Steubenville Conference. You can find out more information about the specifics of the conference at steubenvilleconferences.com/youth/. For additional questions contact Mary Heisler at maryheis@gmail.com. There will be a meeting on **Wed, March 20 at 6:30 in Faustina** for all those attending. At least one parent should also attend.

"WELLNESS WEDNESDAYS" COMING SOON!

At lunchtime in Faustina, Wednesday March 20th, 27th and April 3rd, 10th. It's free!

Prizes, Games, Challenges: Two lucky participants will win a Fit Bit!

Food - the good, the bad and the ugly? How much sleep do I need? Why am I always hungry?

What's a macronutrient and where are they hiding? Questions about your health? We have answers.

Presented by Registered Dietician Mrs. Geiran and swim coach, Mrs. Dalrymple.

Students, teachers and parents welcome.



Get your official Seton School Pro-Life t-shirt!

Attention Seton Families: In preparation for "**National Pro-Life T-Shirt Day,**" which is Friday, April 12th, Seton School is selling this fun t-shirt to be worn over school uniforms that day!

This shirt will also be the recognizable school shirt worn by Seton students attending next year's March for Life, to which we will travel as a group by bus!

--Prizes will be awarded to the classes with the most participation wearing this shirt on Friday, April 12th --

Please submit the [attached form](#) with payment to the main office.

A MESSAGE FROM THE PRO TREASURER ABOUT PRO POINTS

Have you ever submitted PRO points earned via the form on Seton's website and wonder if they were ever received? Unfortunately, if you never received a response from me, the answer is "no." The good news is that it appears we have resolved the technical issues with PRO points submissions getting lost in cyberspace. The bad news is that I have no idea how many people may have submitted points in the first semester. If you submitted PRO points earlier this school year and never received a response from me, please email me directly at PROpoints@setonschool.net. I aim to respond to all submissions within a week.

As a reminder, each Seton family has an obligation of 100 PRO points for the academic year. There are many ways to earn PRO points (food donations, coaching, helping in the office, volunteering in the arts, the Science fair, clean-up days, etc.). If you need ideas or wonder if something counts for PRO points, please contact Michael Bingham, PRO Treasurer at pro-points@setonschool.net. To enter your PRO points, click [here](#). As always, thank you for your service to Seton School.

SETON RETREATS 2019

Men's Retreat, Thurs, March 21, 8:20 AM – 3:00 PM. Girls do not come to school.

Woman's Retreat, Fri, March 22, 8:20 AM – 3:00 PM. Boys do not come to school.

Bring your lunch. Both retreats will take place on the Seton School campus. Students and Chaperones should bring lunch as there will be no off campus privileges. **Activities dress code**, students will be attending Mass and Holy Hour so they should dress nicely. Clothing must meet all standards of modesty. **Confessions** will be available.



If you feel that God is calling you to the **Franciscan Charism** or you would just like to investigate religious life, then come visit the **Capuchin Sisters**. They will be having a "Come and See" retreat from March 29th – March 31st in Williamsport, Pennsylvania. The Capuchin Sisters of Nazareth is a Catholic Franciscan community of women religious rooted in contemplative prayer and radical poverty. If you have any questions talk with Pamela Medina.



COURSE SCHEDULING FOR 2019-2020

has begun! The **Rising Junior Class of 2021** was given a scheduling presentation and workshop on Tues during their English class. Vocational, career, and educational goals were addressed to ensure students select the courses they need to reach their goals. Parents of Rising Juniors should discuss the courses selected and recommendations presented. Please make sure you select 1st, 2nd, and 3rd choices next to any elective classes. If you have additional information that would be helpful in scheduling, such as plans to take a course over the summer, etc. please mark that in the appropriate subject area. Completed forms (including parent signature) for the Class of 2021 are due to the front office on **Mon, March 18th**. Forms for Rising Seniors are past due. If you have not submitted your form, please do so today. If you requested an individual meeting with our guidance counselor, these are being scheduled and will take place later this week. Please see the schedule outside the front office.

New this Year! In addition to the paper copy, students can select the courses they want online on their Jupiter Ed account. **How?** Once logged into your JE Account, switch to **Seton School 2019-2020** (in the upper-left hand side of the screen). Click on the **Course Requests** tab. You will then find all the courses you can take listed. Check on the courses you want, to include your 1st/2nd/3rd choices if applicable and ensure your parents confirm your selections. **Thank you for helping us in entering the data!**

Scheduling workshop for Rising Sophomores and Freshman will take place within the next two weeks. Lookout for an email. To view the course scheduling form, please click [here](#). To view descriptions of the new courses being offered, click [here](#).



THE WIZARD OF OZ TICKETS ON SALE NOW!

Take advantage of our early bird special! If you purchase tickets before March 20th you can buy everyone in your immediate family a ticket for only \$30/family! Click on the [order form](#) and turn it into the front office.

AD CAMPAIGN UPDATE

We have raised just over \$67,000 for the ad campaign and hope to reach our goal by the end of next week! If your family has not submitted your required contribution of \$350, please do so as soon as possible. Also, a date has been set for the Dress Down Day for the Sophomore Class for having the highest class sales. It is scheduled for Tuesday, April 2. Additional information coming soon!



FOREIGN EXCHANGE STUDENT PROGRAM.

A very organized and well intentioned group has contacted Seton hoping to include us in their extensive foreign exchange student program. We want parents and students to reflect on whether or not they would like to be a host family. All of the exchange students would be Catholics coming from France for six weeks to enrich their faith. If you are interested please contact the office by April 1st. There is a contract that makes clear the responsibilities of both the students and the host family. The program has successfully worked at smaller Virginia Catholic Schools.



WIN A SPECIAL WIZARD OF OZ 75TH ANNIVERSARY HARDBACK EDITION! PURCHASE TICKETS FROM MRS CAROLLA FOR \$1 EACH IN OFFICE LOBBY DURING LUNCH HOUR MARCH 15, MARCH 19, APRIL 2, AND THE PRO MEETING MARCH 25. Click [here](#) for the flyer.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE SETON COMMUNITY

There will be another **retreat for girls on Saturday, March 16** at **Seton School**. The theme of the retreat is "**Real Love**". The retreats will be held from 1:00PM to 5:00PM and will be run by Regnum Christi Consecrated women and missionaries. For more information click [here](#) or to RSVP for these great retreat opportunities contact Mrs. Erin Atkinson (703-753-8537).

CLASSIFIED

WANTED: Men of VALOR! Men of VIRTUE! Men of COURAGE, PURITY and HONOR! Men who are looking for a MISSION. Would you like to look back someday upon your life and feel deeply happy inside your soul, to know you spent part of it while young and in high school or college, or after college, performing a great act of charity for a family in need for a time? We, a Catholic family in Warrenton, VA, have 3 young sons with varying stages of Autism, hungry to learn, to explore, and to live all the wonderful experiences of a healthy young man's life, who need assistants, those young men who will take them places, show them the world, show them how to play different sports, how to interact with others, how to eat properly, how to speak, how to build things, how to swim, ride a bike, bang a nail into a board, how to serve others, how to be a friend, how to do chores, play with animals, etc. . . Our young sons are 13, 11, and 8 years old. You won't be making an enormous amount of money at \$11.97/hr, but the benefits will only be felt more and more profoundly as you grow as adults, and you will never regret the experience. We will train you 100%. We will help you build your resume as well. Part- or full-time, commitment preferred. We look forward to interviewing you. Our email is cjandij2004@gmail.com. God bless you

LOST: A black Rawlings Heart of the Hide Baseball Glove was left in the gym on Friday. If you found it, please turn into the front office. Glove belongs to Danny Albus and the glove should be labeled inside.

Renaissance Montessori School, a local Catholic Montessori environment, is now accepting applications for Fall 2019. They have spots available for toddlers and preschoolers ages 1-4 as well as a few openings for grade 7. See the [flyer](#). Schedule a visit to RMS here: <https://www.renaissancemontessorischool.org/schedule-a-visit>.