



UPCOMING EVENTS

[Live Calendar](#)

Every Monday and Thursday
Papa Johns Pizza -\$1.50/slice

Dec 13 Religion Mid-Term 9:30 (after Monday Morning mass) -11:30 (Students dismissed after exam)

Dec 15 Christmas Concert 7PM

****PLEASE NOTE****

Dec 16 **Thursday: 3:00 DISMISSAL; Mass at 11:20**

Dec 17 **1:20 Dismissal Last Day before Christmas break**

Dec 18 VEX Event

Dec 20-Jan 2 Christmas Break

Jan 3 Full day of school

Jan 4 St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Feast

Jan 5 1:20 Dismissal

Jan 6 Exam 1 (Period 1) 9:30-11:30

Jan 7 Exam 2 (Period 2) 9:30-11:30

Jan 8 Last Admission Test 9-12

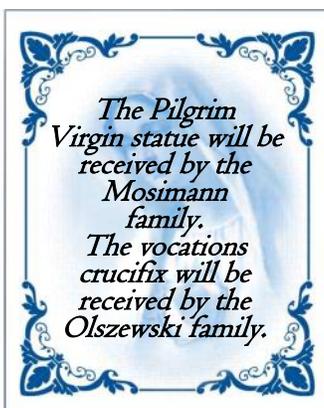
Jan 10 Exam 3 (Period 3) 9:30-11:30

Jan 11 Exam 4 (Period 4) 9:30-11:30

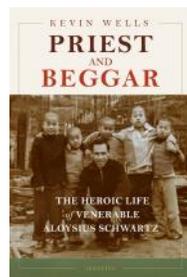
Jan 12 Exam 7 (Period 7) 9:30-11:30



I have a question about...Who do I call?
Click [here](#).



FROM OUR EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, MRS. CARROLL



A GREAT PRESENTATION: Thank you, Becky Irving and the PRO Board for the outstanding talk last Thursday night by Kevin Wells. I will be sending to all our parents a summary of his talk, which had much food for thought. Check out his website at thepriestsweneed.com and take note of the three books he has written. My Christmas vacation reading will include Priest and Beggar: The Heroic Life of Venerable Aloysius Schwartz. You might also like [this inspiring article](#) he wrote about the founder of the school his daughter attends.

A WORTHY CAUSE: Servant of God Jerome Lejeune was a French geneticist, who discovered the genetic cause of Down Syndrome—an extra copy of chromosome 21. Lejeune was a strong Catholic, who always championed the right to life and the human dignity of every single person. His cause for canonization has been introduced. The Jerome Lejeune Foundation USA has established the Thomas S. Vander Woude Memorial Fund for Down Syndrome Research. As most of you know, Tom Vander Woude was a Seton dad, coach and board member, who sacrificed his life to save his son Joseph (who has Down Syndrome). Here is [the link](#) for more information on the Memorial Fund: [JLF USA Launches the Thomas S. Vander Woude Memorial Fund for Down Syndrome Research - Jerome Lejeune Foundation USA](#). This website also has more information on Tom Vander Woude's inspiring story.

"HOT STOVE LEAGUE": [Soul Of A Champion. The Gil Hodges Story](#) is the story of baseball star and Catholic hero, Gil Hodges. This film was brought to life by Seton dad, Kevin O'Malley. Since the production of the film, Hodges has been selected for the Baseball Hall of Fame. It's a little cold for baseball right now, but [this film](#) is worth watching, by you and your sports loving children.

ST. JOSEPH: The official Year of St. Joseph has ended, but our devotion to the virginal father of our Savior should last a lifetime. [Here's an article to inspire growth in that devotion, especially by men.](#)

SUGGESTED READING AND/OR WATCHING:

- ✦ <https://archden.org/in-search-of-a-story/> (The story is in the Scriptures.)
- ✦ <https://ifstudies.org/blog/five-tips-for-a-simpler-more-enjoyable-holiday-season>
- ✦ <https://catholicexchange.com/the-winding-road-to-our-lords-advent>
- ✦ <https://brownstone.org/articles/totalitarianism-and-the-five-stages-of-dehumanization/> (lengthy but intellectually stimulating)
- ✦ <https://ptdiocese.org/pastoral-letter> (why and how all of us need to evangelize)
- ✦ <https://joeschronicals.com/2018/11/24/light-up-the-night/> (about preparing for Christmas, by Joe Gregory, a Seton alumnus and dad, who died of ALS during the COVID shutdown)
- ✦ <https://www.getprinciples.com/the-importance-of-parents-praying-together/>
- ✦ <https://edify.us/video/responding-to-a-world-gone-woke/>

MASSSES AND

ROSARIES

Monday Mass
All Saints 8:30 AM
Rosary
Tues-Fri 8:00 AM
in the Chapel



PRAYER

REQUESTS

Please pray for
Mrs. Lina Mail,
Mrs. Ciskanik's
mom
And for the repose
of the soul of
Valentine Zadnik,
grandfather of
Sophia '22, Made-
lyn '24, Abigail '10,
Catie Ann '12, Eliz-
abeth '14, and Viv-
ian '16



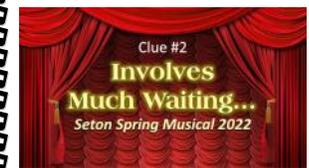
Thank You!

Mrs. Michelle Clune for the delicious staff lunch, Mrs. O'Connor for providing the priests lunch and dinner for Mrs Carroll and Mr. Westhoff, and Fr. Mosimann for saying Mass.

St. Andrew Christmas Novena

Hail and blessed be the hour and moment in which the Son of God was born Of the most pure Virgin Mary, at midnight, in Bethlehem, in the piercing cold. In that hour vouchsafe, O my God, to hear my prayer and grant my desires through the merits of Our Savior Jesus Christ, and of His blessed Mother. Amen.

Seton School proudly announces the Spring Musical for 2022.....



PSAT SCORE RELEASE UPDATE

Your PSAT score reports are now available. You can view your score report online on the College Board website. If you do not already have a College Board account, you can [sign up here](#).

PSAT exam test books were available for pickup at lunch last Wednesday. If you did not get yours, please see Mrs. Guyant in Cenacle. You can use your score reports to see which problems you answered incorrectly in your test books. [Click here for an explanation of how to read your PSAT score report](#): Where do you go from here? Click [here](#) for some great tips from Mrs. Reyes. If you have more questions, please contact Mrs. Reyes at smreyes595@gmail.com.

CONGRATULATIONS TO BOBBY VANDER WOUDE!



The Virginia Chapter of the American Association of Teachers of Spanish and Portuguese announced that **Bobby Vander Woude just scored in the top three in the state on the 2021 National Spanish Exam!** They sent him a certificate and a \$50 prize. This is a tremendous achievement!



ATTENTION STUDENTS: RELIGION EXAMS ARE ON MONDAY, DEC 13!

All Students are expected to go to Mass that Monday before the exam begins. School will be dismissed at 11:30 when the exam ends.

CHRISTMAS GIFTS FOR OUR SETON TEACHERS



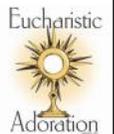
Friendly reminder about donating money for the teacher Christmas gifts. Cash and checks accepted (payable to Seton School) and can be dropped off at the front office. The deadline is Tues, Dec 14. Thank you for considering!

OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE SETON COMMUNITY



Looking for a wonderful Advent adventure for the whole family? Come to Holy Trinity for **Bethlehem walk** and travel back in time to the days when our Lord was born. Tuesday, December 21st and Wednesday, December 22nd 5-8pm. The event is free, but donations are welcome.

Will you spend one hour with Our Lord? Forty Hours Devotion. As we continue through the first year of preparation for the Golden Jubilee, parishes throughout the Diocese of Arlington will celebrate the Forty Hours Devotion—40 continuous hours of adoration before the Blessed Sacrament. The fruits of Forty Hours will be a renewed love for the precious gift of the Eucharist and the graces we need to continue to thrive with zeal and purpose as a diocese. Bishop Burbidge invites you to participate in this beautiful devotion at our parishes for however long you are able to do so—even if for 15 minutes. [Click here for the adoration schedule](#) being held around our diocese. [Click here for an adoration guide](#).



A Catholic Homeschooling family recently moved from New England and their rental fell through. They are looking for an immediate rental with at least 3 rooms. They are enrolled in Holy Trinity HomeSchool Network. Please call 508-471-7950



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