

SAINT ELIZABETH ANN SETON CATHOLIC CHURCH

Dedicated December 11, 1977

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WELCOME

In following the footsteps of our Lord and Savior, we are all called to "love one another" and so the faithful gathered here dedicate themselves to that very rule. Following the commandment of Jesus Christ to love one another and to spread the Good News to the world, we welcome all who enter and wish to become part of our parish family

FEBRUARY 12, 2012

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Business office hours 9:00am-5:00pm Monday-Friday
Church Open from 9:00am-5:00pm Monday-Saturday

"May the most just, the most high, the most amiable will of God be ever loved, adored, and accomplished."

Mother Seton's Favorite Prayer

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ADVERTISING

We will be selling spots in the Bulletin, this will help defray the cost of the publication. If you would like to buy a spot or know of anyone who would like to advertise, please contact the office.

MARDI GRAS

Mardi Gras which was scheduled for Tuesday, February 21, 2012, has been cancelled

ASH WEDNESDAY

Mass on Ash Wednesday, February 22, 2012, will be at 12 noon.

RCIA: Thursday, February 16, 2012, 6:30 p.m.

Sister Mary Andrew
"God's Revelation"

ATTENTION

**PARISH PASTORAL/
FINANCE COUNCIL
MEETINGS**

Meeting will be held Tuesday, February 28th after 6 p.m. Mass. Anyone who is interested in being a member of a Committee and Parishioners who would like to come to the meeting are welcome. Any questions, please contact the office.

NO CONFESSION
No Confessions on Saturday,
February 11th and February 18th
Will have Confession Feb. 25th

FLORAL DEDICATION
If you would like to remember
your loved ones by donating
flowers for the Altar, please
contact the office.

YOUTH GROUP
Wednesday,
February 15th
6:00—7:30 p.m.

**PRAY FOR AN END TO
ABORTION.**

LIGHTHOUSE DISPLAY CD
of the week "The Fourth Cup"
By: Dr. Scott Hahn

SILVER ANGELS
Silver Angels is a division of Signature HealthCARE of Erin under the direction of Robin Lyle. The program will allow employees to go into the home and provide services such as Personal Care, House-keeping, Meal Delivery, Life Line and Companion Care. The Program is for lower income clients. If a person qualifies for Medicaid, and can qualify for Home and Community Based Services, they can get assistance to help with payment. This is a great Program due to the fact that it helps keep people in their home longer. (See Bulletin Bd

AMERICAN RED CROSS
American Red Cross in Houston County needs help in setting up shelters in preparation for disasters in the area. Contact Jonathan Butcher at 931-721-2232, 931-289-3932 or 931-721-4008.

Registration is now open for the Catechetical Formation Spring Sessions, sponsored by the Diocese. The program is designed to help you grow in your love and knowledge of the Faith while providing practical suggestions for handing it on to others. For more information, brochures are available in the parish/school offices. Agenda and registration are on the diocese web site

www.dioceseofnashville.com.
SPRING SESSION:(Choose one
February 18 Good Shepherd
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February 25 Aquinas College
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From Our Pastor



Thoughts from the Narrow Way

Believing and trusting in God's mercy may seem easy enough ...for others. But it can be difficult to accept ...for myself! Why? Maybe my own unworthiness seems greater than that of others. "Surely God can forgive them ... but me?" It is important to remember that God has no favorites; His eternal and merciful love encompasses all, and is *greater* than my unworthiness! It is a proper act of true humility for one to cry out to God for mercy, admitting his own sinfulness. God surely hears the cry of a humble soul, as He did the cry of the leper: "Moved with pity, he stretched out his hand, touched him, and said to him, 'I do will it. Be made clean'." (Mk 1: 40-45) Do not be afraid to cry out humbly to our Lord for mercy in times of sorrow and despair. He will be 'moved with pity', He will 'stretch out his hand', and He will 'touch you' in the depth of your being ...because He loves you!

May God bless you with His peace,

Father Michael

Confessions
on Saturday at 11 a.m.

Which angel struggled with the devil over Moses' body?
Ans: Michael

Which of the seven angels was sent to help cure Tobit?

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Week 02-05—02-12-2012
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FOOD AND OTHER ITEMS ARE NEEDED FOR THE PANTRY.

The Celebration of the Eucharist		
Ministers	February 12	February 19, 2012
Lector	Bill Resler	Sue Resler
E.M.H.C. I	Susan Hahn	Joan Kupiec
E.M.H.C. II	Bonnie Lill	Ted Hudson
Gift Bearer	Wanda Parrish	Susan Hahn

Mass Intentions	
Sunday, February 12, 2012	
11:30am	+Dylan Whitaker By: Tim Arthon Fam
1:00 pm	NO MASS
Tuesday, February 14	
6:00pm	NO MASS Communion Serv.
Thursday, February 16	
6:00 pm	+Jimmy Edwards By: M/M J. Edwards
Sunday, February 19	
11:30 am	+Dylan Whitaker By: Tim Arthon Fam
1:00 pm	NO MASS

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- February 12 — February 19
- Sunday: Lv 13:1-2, 44-46
1 Cor 10:31—11:1
St. Mark 1:40-45
- Monday: Jas 1:1-11
St. Mark 8:11-13
- Tuesday: Jas 1:12-18
St. Mark 8:14-21
- Wednesday: Jas 1:19-27
St. Mark 8:22-26
- Thursday: Jas 2:1-9
St. Mark 8:27-33
- Friday: Jas 2:14-24, 26
St. Mark 8:34—9:1
- Saturday: Jas 3:1-10
St. Mark 9:2-13
- Sunday: Is 43:18-19, 21-22, 24b-25
1 Cor. 1:18-22
St. Mark 2:1-12

February is the month devoted to The Holy Family.

Stewardship Weekly Budget		
Weekly Budget	02/05/2012	Income
\$1872.00		\$2,468.08
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