

SAINT ELIZABETH ANN SETON CATHOLIC CHURCH

Dedicated December 11, 1977

755 Highway 49, Tennessee Ridge, Tennessee 37178

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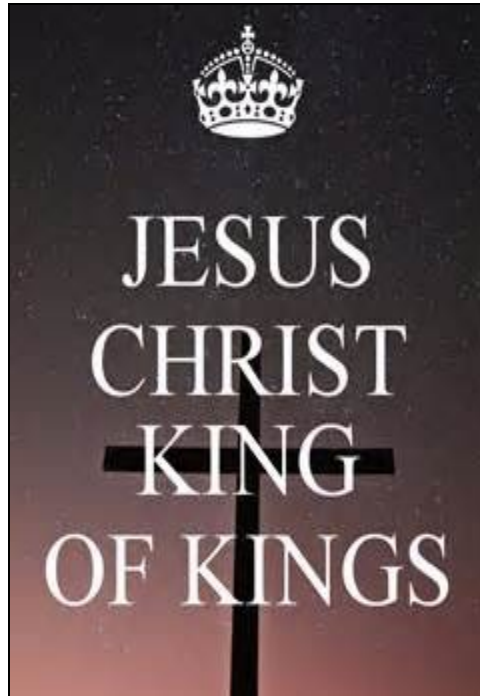
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Holy Mass Schedule

Sunday Mass:

Sunday: 11:30 am

Weekday Mass:

Tuesday: Noon

Thursday: Noon

Reconciliation:

Weekdays before Tuesday and
Thursday Mass.

Also by an Appointment.

12 Hour Adoration:

First Friday of every month
7am to 7pm

Daily Adoration/ Rosary

Mon – Sat 11:00 am to noon
Sunday 10:45

Christ the King

New to the Parish? Welcome! To register as a parishioner of St Elizabeth Ann Seton Church, please contact the office.

Sacrament of Matrimony: Church law directs that Catholics receive marriage preparation and be married in the Church. Please contact the office at least four months prior to the wedding. Advent and lent are penitential Seasons: weddings are discouraged during these seasons.

Sacrament of Baptism: Baptism should take place A.S.A.P. following birth. Expectant parents should contact the office for baptismal preparation.

Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick: Anyone in danger of death or the elderly should receive this sacrament. Anyone anticipating a surgery or a stay in the hospital should request the sacrament before surgery.

Religious Education Classes [CCD]: Is available for Grades Pre-K-10 10:00 am on Sundays in the Fellowship Hall.

The Anniversary of the Dedication of St Elizabeth Ann Seton

*Friday December 11,
Beginning with Mass at 5:00pm
Potluck afterwards*

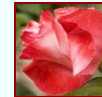
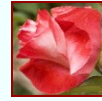


*Our Church was dedicated on
December 11, 1977, 38 years ago.*



Our Lady of Guadalupe Celebration

*Saturday, December 12,
Beginning with a rosary at 7:00,
Mass at 7:30 pm and potluck afterwards*



**Christmas
Craft Fair**

**Saturday, Dec. 5
9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
740 Franklin St.
\$1 admission**

The Immaculate Conception Catholic Church in Clarksville will hold its annual craft fair Saturday, Dec. 5. From 9 a.m. To 3 p.m. In the Family Life Center. The fair features more than 50 craft vendors, a country kitchen, and a bake sale. All proceeds go to fund the ICCCW's projects throughout the year. Numbers have dropped off in recent years and we want to reach a goal of 1,000 in attendance so bring a friend and come out and support this 30-year tradition! There will be some great Christmas gifts.

FREE daily reflections throughout Advent with Father Barron.

Each day, from November 29 until Christmas Eve (December 24), you will receive a short reflection on an advent theme, in either English or Spanish (your choice!).

In addition, you will receive exclusive videos not found anywhere else, giveaways and etc. Sign up at **AdventReflections.com**

THE BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE

In the Book of Remembrance, write in the names of the deceased loved ones and friends you wish to have remembered in prayer during November.

Mass on Thanksgiving will be at 11:00am. We will not have Holy Hour that day.

There will be no CCD next week, November 29. Enjoy your Thanksgiving Holiday.

The office will be closed Thursday, Thanksgiving and Friday November 27.

The Fall arrangement on the altar are in memory of Gene Parrish

A TRUE CHRISTMAS MAKES ADVENT A NECESSITY

**"Stay awake, therefore! You cannot know the day your Lord is coming." —
Matthew 24:42**

The meaning of Christmas determines the importance of Advent and even its necessity. If Christmas is primarily the exchange of gifts, partying, and decorating, then we don't need Advent. However, if Christmas is about the reception of the greatest gift of all, salvation in Jesus (see Rm 13:11), then we need all the preparation God wants us to have. We need every precious moment of Advent. It would be foolish to attempt to start the Christmas season early. Also, if Christmas is about such peace on earth and good will to men (see Lk 2:14) that nations don't even train anymore for war (Is 2:4), then it would require an Advent of life-changing, world-shaking conversions to accept Jesus as our Peace (Eph 2:14) and to become peacemakers (Mt 5:9). Moreover, if Christmas is not about artificial lights on trees as much as about Jesus, the Light of the world (see Jn 1:4), then we need an Advent of illuminating repentance.

When Christmas means little, Advent means nothing. When Christmas is nothing less than the coming of Jesus in new glory, then Advent is exceptionally important. Christ is most important; Christmas is very important. Therefore, Advent is a necessity.

Obey God in every detail this Advent. Don't start Christmas early, or you may not even have a true Christmas. Have the best and holiest Advent ever.

Prayer: Father, on this first day of the Church year, may I begin a new dimension in my life.

Promise: "Come, let us climb the Lord's mountain, to the house of the God of Jacob, that He may instruct us in His ways, and we may walk in His paths." —Is 2:3

Praise: Praise You Jesus, the Christ Child. You are the risen Lord, the King Who is coming soon!

Looking Ahead:

There will be NO regular monthly Potluck in December, due to the Anniversary of the Dedication to our Church. [potluck] Sign up sheet on door in vestibule.

Mass at the Nursing home for the month of December will be Monday, December 7 at 3:00pm.

Tuesday, December 8, we celebrate The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Mass will be celebrated at 5:00pm **This is a Holy Day of Obligation.**

Mass Intentions

Sunday, Nov 22

Mass 11:30am
Elizabeth Kuchar
By Valerie

Tuesday, Nov 24

Mass noon
Wanda Parrish

Thursday, Nov 26

Mass 11:30
+ Tina Smith
By Michiko

Sunday, Nov 29

Mass 11:30am
+ Gene Parrish
By Wanda

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Nov 22 thru Nov 29

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| Sunday: | Dn 7:13-14 Rv 1:5-8 Jn 18:33b-37 |
| Monday: | Dn 1:1-6, 8-20 Lk 21:1-4 |
| Tuesday: | Dn 2:31-45 Lk 21:5-11 |
| Wednesday: | Dn 5:1-6, 13-14 Lk 21:12-19 |
| Thursday: | Dn 6:28 Lk 21:20-28 |
| Friday: | Dn 7:2-14 Lk 21:29-33 |
| Saturday: | Dn 7:15-27 Lk 21:34-36 |
| Sunday: | Jer 33:14-16 1 Thes 3:12—4:2 Lk 21:25-28,34-36 |

The Celebration of the Eucharist

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| Ministers | Nov 22, 2015 | Nov 29, 2015 |
| Lector | Diane Lill | Diane Lill |
| E.M.H.C | Joan Kupiec | Bonnie Lill |
| E.M.H.C | Bill Resler | Sue Resler |
| Gift Bearer | Schaffer Family | Villarruel Family |

Our Gifts to the Lord

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| Last Weeks Collection: | \$ 534.00 |
| Needed Each Week | \$ 779.00 |
| For the Week: under Budge | \$ 237.00 |
| Year to date: under Budget | \$ 48.00 |

NOVEMBER IS DEDICATED TO THE SOULS IN PURGATORY

ALL OF OUR PRAYER INTENTIONS

For health and recovery of our parish family: **Rosalie Boyd, Dorothy Pezzi, Bob Eberle, CD Merklng, Charlie Schaeffer, Charlene Lipscomb, Ali Gomez, Ann Schaeffer, Wanda Parrish, Marlene Edwards, .**

For all of our Other Prayer Intentions: **Christopher Simpson, Ben Atchley, Laura Hancock, Becky Calinger, Jesse Singleton, Aaron Hilbun, Katsue Stidum, Dolores Chesser, Carolyn Beechum, Lynn Hannah, Kay Harris, Jimmy Lee, Violet Flores, Karen Jabkowski, Juanita Gray, Gary Zumbro, Gerri Warden, Chris McNabb, Anita Kentner, Naomi Sakaguchi, Joe Henicle, David & Carrie Hall, Vicky Shamberger, Jean Mapes, Codi Walker, Deann Miracle, Gene Powell, Joshua Bolton, Callie Jo, Jennifer Gonzales, Judy Grace, Connie Bunio, Fred Finley, Valerie Maisch, Tony Kelleher, Wanda Rye, Jorge Ruiz, Jose Galaviz.**

For the repose of the soul of: **Bonnie Snyder, Billy Dee Ross, Joan Erwin, Will Westerman, Louisa Murga, Ronnie Kreger, Jim Tragessor, Nina Finley, Rita Deharde, Gordon Schaezner, Ryan Arthon, David Backskey, Hazel Laxton, Fred Finnley, angus Crissinger, Colleen Martin, Tina Smith**

For our members at Signature Health Care: **Donald Williams, Llewellynn Jebellion, Marguerite Barnhart, Bobby Waller, Patty Harrell,**
 For the members of our armed services on active duty especially: **Nichell Sauls, Hillary MacLachlan, Jameson Andro, Austin Joiner, Nick Chesser.**

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