

What is Seton Family?

We at Seton Family are women and men who want to follow in the footsteps of Jesus, bringing His message of love, mercy, and compassion to our day and time. We share God's love, mercy and compassion by seeing Christ in each person we serve and in each person who accompanies us on our journey of faith. We have an abiding love for the poor and realize that what we do to the least of our brothers and sisters we do to Christ himself. We realize that we lay members of the Church, the Body of Christ, are a vital part of carrying out the mission of the Church, the mission that Jesus handed on to us. We come together as people with kindred spirits to support and encourage each other in this endeavor.



Are you near one of these locations?

- Greensburg, PA
- Pittsburgh, PA (Brookline and Bethel Park)
- Pittsfield, MA
- Jacksonville, NC
- Tucson, AZ

Be the guest of a group to see if Seton Family is right for you. If you are not close to any of these locations, think about becoming part of a group that will meet by Zoom or Skype.



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*Responding to the call
of discipleship*



Vision & Purpose

We, the laity, are called to an active indispensable role in the Church to bring the Good News of the Gospel to every facet of life in our world. Seton Family supports us in taking on this essential role. As members, we understand that Baptism unites us to Christ in a remarkable way and we want to grow as vital members of Christ's body, the Church. Seton Family members respond to Jesus' call to a life of discipleship in a spirit of prayer and service shaped by Setonian-Vincentian tradition. This spirituality sharpens our awareness of situations that need the loving presence of Jesus and nourishes a response to be that presence for others, especially the poor, marginalized, and powerless.



"How I view life, my approach to life, and the values that have taken root in my life, all find wonderful companions in Saints Vincent de Paul, Louise de Marillac, and Elizabeth Ann Seton."

The Setonian-Vincentian spiritual tradition in the Church began with Saints Vincent de Paul and Louise de Marillac in 17th century France. This spirituality calls us to honor our Lord Jesus Christ as the source and model of all charity. It compels a profound concern for all people, their dignity, their rights, their holy humanity, and their eternal destiny. Elizabeth Ann Seton embraced the Vincentian pattern of life, prayer and service to guide her as she established the Sisters of Charity in 19th century America. This spirituality is especially devoted to the poor and vulnerable among us.



Family Values

Learning—exploring topics that prepare us for active, conscious participation in Christian life and deepen our understanding of the Word of God.

Prayer—seeking the heart of God who dwells in the deepest part of us, to bring us into solidarity with all in need of God's love and compassion.

Community—building a bond among us that supports and encourages us in bringing faith "front and center" in our lives.

Apostolic Spirit—seeing life itself as a ministry, a gift of self to others as God works through us to be Good News in their lives as well as in our own.

