

# Through the Year with Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton

## JANUARY

- 4, 1821 ✓ **Death** of Mother Elizabeth Ann Seton (47),  
Emmitsburg, MD
- ✓ **Dedication of Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton Church,**  
Shrub Oak, NY
- 9, 1769 Marriage of her parents, Dr. Richard and Catherine  
(Charlton) Bayley, Elizabethtown, NJ
- 12, 1811 Adoption of Sisters of Charity Rule, Emmistburg, MD
- 25, 1794 Married William Magee Seton, of the Scottish Parbroaths,  
St. Paul Church, NYC

## FEBRUARY

- 22, 1796 The Setons and four other New York First Families host a  
Birthday Ball for President Washington, NYC
- Opening of first free school at St. Joseph's
- 28, 1826 Promotion of son, William, to Lieutenant, US Navy

## MARCH

- 12, 1812 Death of daughter, Anna Maria (Annina) (17) dies,  
Emmitsburg, MD; took Sister of Charity vows on  
deathbed.)
- 14, 1805 Reception into the Catholic Church, Ash Wednesday St.  
Peter Church, Barclay, St., NYC.
- 17, 1963 **Beatification: Blessed Elizabeth Ann Seton, Rome**  
✓ **Naming of Blessed Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish,**  
Shrub Oak, NY
- 25, 1805 Reception of Sacrament of Holy Communion, St. Peter  
Church, Barclay St, NYC
- 25, 1809 Acceptance of private, first vows as *Mother Seton*,  
Baltimore, MD

## APRIL

- 1, 1809 Sisters of Charity first appear in religious habit
- 20, 1768 Birth of husband, William Magee Seton, son of William  
Seton, Sr. and Rebecca Curson, NYC

## MAY

- 3, 1795 Birth of first child, Anna Maria (Annina)
- 8, 1777 Death of mother, Catherine (Charlton) Bayley  
(Her sister, Catherine (Kitty), died shortly afterwards)
- 26, 1806 Reception of Sacrament of Confirmation

## JUNE

- 1, 1809 Assumed religious habit (Sisters of Charity)
- 4, 1817 Commissioning of son, William, Midshipman, US Navy
- 7, 1911 Introduction of Cause for Sainthood
- 9, 1808 Departs NYC (never to return) for Baltimore, MD
- 22, 1963 ✓ **Establishment, Blessed Elizabeth Ann Seton  
Parish, at old St. George Church, Shrub Oak, NY**
- 24, 1809 Arrival of the Sisters of Charity at Emmitsburg, MD
- 26, 1823 Death of son, Richard Seton, Captain's clerk, USS  
CYANE, (buried at sea)
- 28, 1800 Birth of fourth child, Catherine (Kit) Charlton

## JULY

- 19, 1813 Pronounced *public* vows with 17 other women and  
founded the Sisters of Charity (*see*: July 31<sup>st</sup>)
- 20, 1798 Birth of third child, Richard Bayley (Dick)
- 26, 1823 Marriage of her father to Charlotte Barclay
- 31, 1809 Foundation date (observed) of Sisters of Charity at  
Motherhouse, Emmitsburg, MD

## AUGUST

- 17, 1801 Death of her father, Dr. Richard Bayley, of Yellow Fever
- 20, 1802 Birth of fifth child, Rebecca Mary (Bec)
- 28, 1774 ✓ **Birth of Elizabeth Ann Bayley (later Seton),**  
second daughter of Dr. Richard Bayley and Catherine  
Charlton. (Her sisters: Catherine and Mary Magdalene)

## SEPTEMBER

- 14, 1975 **Canonization: Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton, Rome,**  
**first native-born saint**
- Presidential Proclamation, *National EAS Day*
- Opening of Paca Street School, Baltimore

\_\_\_, 1808

## October

- 1, 1802 Death of Seton servant, Mammy Huler

## NOVEMBER

- 3, 1816 Death of daughter, Rebecca (14), Emmitsburg, MD
- 6, 1966 ✓ **Dedication of Blessed Elizabeth Ann Seton  
Church and School, Shrub Oak, NY**
- 24, 1796 Birth of second child, William (Will)

## DECEMBER

- 18, 1959 Declaration of *Venerable title*, Rome
- 27, 1803 Death of husband, William, Livorno (Leghorn), Italy