



## ST. ELIZABETH

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**WEEKEND MASSES:**

Saturday Vigil:

4:00 pm - St. Elizabeth

Sunday Mass:

8:30 am - St. Jules

10:45 am - St. Elizabeth

6:00 pm - St. Elizabeth

**WEEKDAY MASSES:**

Monday, 6:00 pm - St. Jules

Tuesday, 6:30 am - Sisters Convent

Friday, 7:40 am - St. Elizabeth

Holy Days: As Announced

**ADORATION:**

Monday, 4:45 pm - St. Jules

Tuesday, 7:00 am- 5:00 pm - Sisters Convent

**CONFESSIONS:**

Saturday, 3:00 to 3:50 pm - St Elizabeth

Monday, 5:00-5:45 pm - St. Jules

By Appointment

**SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY:**

Couples must contact the parish office concerning pre-marriage preparation at least 6 months prior to proposed wedding date

**SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:**

Expectant parents should contact the parish office for information and preparation requirements.

**CARE OF THE SICK:** Emergency calls are made immediately. Families are asked to notify the parish office concerning parishioners who are seriously ill.

**CHRISTIAN BURIAL:** Families should contact the parish office as soon as possible to make arrangements.

**OFFICE HOURS:**

8:30 am to 3:00 pm, Mon-Tue-Thu-Fri

Closed Wed and 12:00-1:00 pm daily

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## ST. JULES

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My dear brothers and sisters in Christ,

This has been a very sobering week with all the news that has been coming out of southeast Texas and southwest Louisiana due the effects of Hurricane Harvey. They have estimated that over 24.5 trillion gallons of water has fallen over the area. As one article I read put it, "The amount of rain that fell in Texas and Louisiana would have ended the historic California drought, twice over." Truly historic and catastrophic. We know this will take years to recover. Besides the hundreds of billions of dollars the recovery will cost, we cannot forget the human impact as well: deaths; distress to individuals, families, and communities; the emotional, mental, and spiritual challenges. Let us lift this up all in our prayers and continue to pray for all those impacted and those responding to this disaster.

Along with our prayers, we can find ways to help those who are in need. First, the diocese will be having a special collection in all Churches next weekend. Checks should be made out to either St. Elizabeth or St. Jules Church. I will also be listing on our Church website ways you can contribute directly to specific diocese that have been effected. I have links to help the areas of Corpus Christi, Victoria, Beaumont and Galveston-Houston. I am waiting to hear from some priests in Houston if there are specific ways that we can help them. I will let you know if there is anything specific that we can do.

Switching to back home, I am grateful to all who were able to come out and help with our clean-up day at St. Jules. As someone said it looked like we cleaned out a city block. Some parishioners did not realize how many closets and storage we had on site. I even learned of a new closet! While we did get rid of old items and trash, we did find some hidden treasures that we hope to use once again or some items to auction at Allons Manger to help with the continued upkeep of St. Jules and St. Martin. Here is a group photo of most of the people who came out to help. A few people had to leave before lunch.



God Bless and have a blessed week! - Fr. Matthew

**22<sup>nd</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**  
**SEPTEMBER 3, 2017**

## STEWARDSHIP REPORT

August 26 - 27, 2017

	St. Elizabeth	St. Jules
Offertory	\$2,476.00	\$2,913.00
Special Collections	\$135.00	\$155.00

### PLEASE PRAY FOR

Toni Schiambra Marchese, Victoria Rodrigue, Leroy LeBlanc, Donna Witty, Bev Meyer, Rita Charlet, Holly Reynolds, Joe Michalik, Craig Louviere, Brenda Landry, Harvey Giroir, Sheila Scioneaux Bourque, Mary Sanchez, Sonny Rodso

### PRAYER INTENTIONS

A common feature of our weekly bulletin is our Prayer List. Please call the office or email [office@sesjchurch.com](mailto:office@sesjchurch.com) with your request to add names to the list or to remove them in the future. We have begun a new policy to remove the names on the list for 2 months. Also, please let us know if you have had a prayer request answered.

### SICK AND HOMEBOUND

If anyone is homebound and would like to have an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion bring them Communion, please call the Parish Office. We are not always aware when a parishioner has become ill and is homebound. It is very helpful when we are notified of this need.

### FLOWER DONATION

#### ST. JULES CHURCH:

Flowers on the altar at St. Jules Church are donated in honor of the 60<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary of Bud and Joyce Bergeron.

#### ST. ELIZABETH CHURCH:

Flowers on the altar at St. Elizabeth Church are donated in memory of J C Landry by the Landry Family.

### PARISH WEBSITE

Don't forget to visit our parish website at [www.sesjchurch.com](http://www.sesjchurch.com). Updated regularly, it's a great way to keep up with parish schedules, programs & activities, daily scripture, articles from the National Catholic Register, videos from Fr. Robert Barron, and much, much more. Add us to your favorites!

### CATHOLIC PILGRIMAGE TO ITALY

Catholic Pilgrimage to Italy/Rome/Monte Cassino/Naples/Pompeii/Amalfi Coast, September 11-20, 2017, \$3799.00 per person including air fare from Baton Rouge, Breakfast & Dinner Daily. Mass daily at the Holy Shrines. For a Flyer or more detailed information please call Cathie or Michael Milano at 1-800-773-2660.

### ST. JULES CEMETERY

There are burial plots available for purchase in the St. Jules Cemetery. If you would like to purchase a plot, please call the parish office at (225) 473-8569.

## FAITH FORMATION/PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION NEWS

The next PSR meeting for K-8<sup>th</sup> will be on Sunday, September 10<sup>th</sup>. It will begin with Mass at 8:30 followed by breakfast for PSR Parents, Students, and Grandparents. After our Fellowship Breakfast we will say the Rosary.

9<sup>th</sup> grade PSR's next meeting will be Monday, September 11<sup>th</sup> at the St. Jules Church Hall following Monday Mass until 8pm. Please make every effort to attend Mass

Any PSR Registration check payments are to be made out to St. Elizabeth Church.

10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> grade will have their next Mini Session at St. Elizabeth Community Center on Sunday, November 5, 2017 from 2pm - 5:30pm. Sponsors are to attend with candidate.

### Fall Formation Program

#### *A Biblical Walk Through the Mass*

Do you understand the meaning behind the parts of the Mass? In his video-based study *A Biblical Walk Through the Mass*, Dr. Edward Sri explores the roots of the words and gestures we experience at Mass and explains their profound significance. In this study, you will come to know and understand the Mass as never before, leading you to a richer, more fruitful worship experience.

Join us for *A Biblical Walk Through the Mass* at St. Elizabeth Community Center beginning Tuesday, September 12<sup>th</sup> from 6:30-8:00 p.m. and continuing every Tuesday for 5 to 6 weeks. There is NO COST for the program. For more information or to register for the study, call the office at (225) 473-8569 or via email: [office@sesjchurch.com](mailto:office@sesjchurch.com).

### A VOCATION VIEW

#### Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time - September, 3 2017

If you wish to follow Him, Jesus said you must deny yourself, take up your cross and follow Him. Are you courageous enough to follow Jesus as a priest, brother or sister? If so, call or email Fr. Andrew Merrick at 225-336-8778, [amerrick@diobr.org](mailto:amerrick@diobr.org)

### OFFICE CLOSURE

The parish office will be closed on Monday, September 4, 2017 in observance of Labor Day.



## HARVEST FESTIVAL - NEWS

### Harvest Festival T-shirts:

We will be selling the Harvest Festival T-shirts before and after each Mass this weekend. Deadline Sunday, September 3<sup>rd</sup>.

### St. Elizabeth Tour:

This year, the Tour of beautiful St. Elizabeth Church will be given on Saturday, September 16<sup>th</sup>, after the 4:00PM Mass. This will allow our workers a chance to attend, and will not take our visitors away from the activities at the Harvest Festival on Sunday.

### Potato Salad:

We are again asking for parishioners to donate 10lbs of potato salad to our Harvest Festival on September 17<sup>th</sup>. Please call or text Diane LeBlanc (985-414-1007) if that's your special way of supporting our fair!

### Country Store:

The Country Store is in need of items such as baby clothes, children's clothes, wooden toys, all hand-made and home-made items, jewelry or any new ideas. Please contact Glenda Daigle (985-369-2111).

### Auction:

The Auction Committee is asking for donations of items, or the money to buy auction items. Please contact Sandy George (985-513-4003) or Linda Aucoin (985-513-2202) to help out with this great event!

### Raffle Tickets:

We are asking each family to sell raffle tickets to help with this year's event. Stubs and money may be returned in any collection or mailed back in the envelope provided. The deadline for raffle ticket is September 9<sup>th</sup>.

### Sweet Booth:

Pie Making Day will be Saturday, September 16, 2017 at the St. Elizabeth Cafeteria. Bring your apron and rolling pin (Don't worry if you don't have one!) We will meet at 8 AM. The sweet dough will be made Friday afternoon. Also pull out those wonderful sweet recipes that have been such a treat each year. You can bring them to the gymnasium the day of the fair. If you can help please call Carla Hernandez @ 225-717-0848. We are also in need of shift workers the day of the fair. Thank You!

If anyone needs service hours or anyone who would like to volunteer for any of the Festival activities, please contact Cathy Theriot at 985-369-6938 or 985-513-1077

## SCHEDULED MINISTERS FOR NEXT WEEK

DATE	TIME	READERS	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION	ALTAR SERVERS	SACRISTANS
9/09/17 St. Elizabeth	4:00 PM	Vicky LeBlanc Norma Blanchard	Connie Bellina, Elenora LeBlanc, Janelle Simoneaux	Ashleigh LeBlanc Louie Viallon VI	Norma Blanchard
9/10/17 St. Jules	8:30 AM	Ehren Oswald Joyce Bergeron	Annette Oswald Ivy Landry	Aidan & Austin Paine, Landon Daigle	Mary Ann Naquin Sandra Landry
9/10/17 St. Elizabeth	10:45 AM	Paula Simoneaux Sandy George	Chris Mattingly, Katelyn Simoneaux, Sister Anija	Brennan Simoneaux, Braden Pujol, Andrew & Austin Thibodeaux	Sister Anija

## ADORATION

**St. Elizabeth:** Every Tuesday, 7:00 AM to 5:00 PM - Sisters' Chapel

**St. Jules:** Every Monday, 4:45 PM (followed by 6:00 PM Mass)

## THE LORD'S HOUSEKEEPERS-SEPTEMBER

**St. Jules:** Mary Ann Naquin & Sandra Landry

**St. Martin:** Elaine Burns

## THE SANCTUARY LIGHT IS DONATED IN MEMORY OF:

**St. Elizabeth:** (Week of September 3) - Carol M. Aucoin

**St. Jules:** (Week of September 3) - Claude Blanchard

## FORMED.ORG

To create your **FREE PERSONAL PROFILE:**

.Go to [www.FORMED.org](http://www.FORMED.org).

.Scroll past first image.

.Under the question "**Does your parish already have FORMED?**" type in our parish access code, **ANM34M**, and click "**SUBMIT CODE**".

Fill out your profile information and click "**SUBMIT PROFILE**".

## GROWING UP GRACEFULLY

Young ladies (8<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup> grade) and their mothers are invited to *Growing Up Gracefully*, designed to give moms the tools they need to help their daughters not only to survive the journey from little girl to young woman, but to become the women God created them to be - *fully alive and full of grace!* Susan Caldwell, MD, CFCMC, and Sarah Denny, MA, FCP, will be presenters at the program, which will take place on Tuesday, September 19, 6:30 - 8:30pm, at Thomas More Catholic Church, Parish Activity Hall, 11441 Goodwood Blvd., Baton Rouge. The cost is \$25 for each mother and one daughter and \$5 more for each additional daughter attending. *Growing Up Gracefully* is being offered by Hope Woman's Clinic, Woman's New Life Center and the Diocese of Baton Rouge Office of Marriage & Family Life. More information and online registration is available at [www.hopewomansclinic.com/growing](http://www.hopewomansclinic.com/growing).

## NEWLY BAPTIZED!!

*"People were bringing even infants to him that he might touch them."* Luke 18:15

Congratulations to the newest member of the Church who was baptized this past weekend:

Casey Paul Arvel Jr., son of Casey Arvel Sr & Sydnie Arvel

Lila Kate Cavalier, daughter of Bharat Moonkissoo Jr. and Kelsey Breaux

If you are expecting or just recently had a child, please call the Church Office (225-473-8569) and talk to Angelle Blanchard about arranging a baptism. Parents and Godparents who have not attended a baptismal seminar in the last 3 years are required to do so. The seminar lasts approximately one hour and will be scheduled upon request.

## MASS INTENTIONS

### Saturday, September 2

4:00 PM - Giroir, Landry & St. Germain Families, Pete & Petey Simoneaux & Chickie Alleman, Alma & Paul Daigle Sr., Mr & Mrs Paul R LeBlanc, Claude Crochet Family & Robert LeBlanc Family, Lloyd Dugas Sr. & Jenny Templet, Dr & Mrs Julius W Daigle & Brett Batulis, Lucy Landry Giroir, Gail Ann Giroir, Penny Comeaux

### Sunday, September 3

8:30 AM - St. Jules - For the People of the Parish

10:45 AM - St. Elizabeth - Sam Klack, Albert & Bernice Comeaux, Roy Martinez, Anite Woods, Maria Russo, Annie Russo

### Monday, September 4

6:00 PM - St. Jules - World Peace

### Tuesday, September 5

6:30 AM - St. Elizabeth - Departed Souls of CMC Sisters

### Friday, September 8

7:40 AM - St. Elizabeth - Father's Intentions

### Saturday, September 9

4:00 PM - St. Elizabeth - Pete & Petey Simoneaux & Chickie Alleman, Charles Malarcher, Alma & Paul Daigle, Sr., Dolores & Rene Poirrier, Albertine Giroir & Family, Jerry, Justileon & Lena Blanchard, Lucy Landry Giroir, Annie Russo

### Sunday, September 10

8:30 AM - St. Jules - Raymond & Doris Blanchard, The Anthony Grisaffe Family, The Lawrence Bergeron Sr. Family, Mr & Mrs Eneaux Blanchard, Audrey Sedotal, Thomas J and Erna B Richard, Joan Newchurch, Thelma Bergeron, Tommy Nickell Jr., Maria Russo, Cleve Landry, Gilbert Blanchard, Rita Rousseau, Anna Mae Charlet, Annie Russo

10:45 AM - St. Elizabeth - For the People of the Parish

## SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 9 - 4PM MASS INTENTIONS

Louis & Marie Dupre', Adolph & Marie Rousseau, Marcellin & Adele Rousseau, Roy & Agnes Rousseau, Thomas & Agnes Marie Hymel, Starla Hymel, Harding Alleman, Carolyn & Roy Rousseau, Jr., Jeff Rousseau, Roger Rousseau, Eric Rousseau, Alvin & Anna Rousseau, Frances & Delmar Crochet, Amos & Wilma Richard, Edward & Vera Whalen, Simone & Edward Whalen, Jr., Michael Whalen, Britt Whalen, Elward & Sonya Voisin, Kenneth & Cory Ragsdale, Edward & Tommy Dugas, Carl Faust, Alger & Violet Crochet, James Crochet, James Breland, Sherry Breland, Horace Robertson, Creighton Aguiard, Eugene & Hazel Aucoin, Jeanette Aucoin, Joseph Grisaffe, Cullen & Alma Landry, James & Camille Reavis, James Bullock, Jackie & Crystal Landry, Brent Landry, Emmett Landry, Julius Theriot, Elaine Theriot Fastring & Holt Fastring, Emile & Bobby Duhon, Addie & Mabel Rousseau, Reuben Sedotal, Harold & Alma Rousseau, Wanda Blanchard, Courtney Banta, Arlene Rousseau, Clarence & Hilda LeBlanc, Jewell LeBlanc, Alcee & Leanna Schexnaydre, Kelly Schexnaydre, Murphy & Icy LeBlanc, Douville (D.L.) & Elda Guillot, Glenn Henderson, Earl & Angelina Rousseau