



## ST. ELIZABETH

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## ST. JULES

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### Rev. Matthew Graham,

**Administrator** pastor@sesjchurch.com

#### WEEKEND MASSES:

Saturday Vigil:

4:00 pm - St. Jules

Sunday Mass:

8:30 am - St. Jules

10:45 am - St. Elizabeth

#### WEEKDAY MASSES:

Monday, 6:00 pm - St. Jules

Tuesday, 6:30 am - St. Elizabeth

Friday, 7:40 am - Sisters Convent

Holy Days: As Announced

#### ADORATION:

Monday, 4:45 pm - St. Jules

Tuesday, 7:00 am- 5:00 pm - St. Elizabeth

#### CONFESSIONS:

Saturday, 3:00 to 3:50 pm - St. Jules

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

By Appointment

**NEW FAMILIES:** Register at parish office.

#### 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

[www.sesjchurch.com](http://www.sesjchurch.com)

#### Director of Religious Education/Music:

Megan Braud (dre@sesjchurch.com,  
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#### Secretary:

Darlene B. LeBlanc (office@sesjchurch.com)

#### Bookkeeper:

Vicky LeBlanc (bookkeeper@sesjchurch.com)

#### Housekeeper:

Sharon Landry

#### SISTERS OF THE CONGREGATION

#### OF THE MOTHER OF CARMEL:

Phone: 985-369-7069

#### ST. ELIZABETH INTERPAROCHIAL SCHOOL

Grades Pre-K through Eighth

Principal: Mrs. Mollie Landry

Phone: 985-369-7402 / [www.sescubs.com](http://www.sescubs.com)

To my beloved parishioners,

It is a great joy for me to be assigned down along Bayou Lafourche to serve these two great parishes of St. Elizabeth and St. Jules. I know there is a lot of history to learn as well as new names. I have heard a lot of great things from Fr. Andrew and many people in Baton Rouge as I prepared to move. It seems a lot of people I talked to have relatives here and look forward to making those connections. This is not my first time coming to this area. I was blessed several years ago to attend and assist at the Palm Sunday Masses during my third year of seminary formation. I also came down to celebrate the Saturday Vigil Mass twice this past year to help out Fr. Andrew.

I am sure many of you would like to know more about your new priest so I thought I would provide you a short biography. You can learn the rest when you listen to my homilies! I was born and raised in Baton Rouge which does make me a city boy. My home parish is St. Jude the Apostle where I also attended their school from Kindergarten to 8<sup>th</sup> Grade. I graduated from Catholic High School in 1999. From there I attended LSU where I earned my bachelor's degree in Chemical Engineering in 2004. For the next five years, I worked as a Process Engineer for Jacobs Engineering Group in Baton Rouge. Then in the summer of 2009, I finally answered God's call and decided to enter the seminary. My first two years of study were at St. Joseph's Seminary College outside of Covington, LA. My final four years of study were at Notre Dame Seminary in New Orleans. I was ordained a priest by Bishop Robert Muench on May 30, 2015 at St. Joseph Cathedral. I had assignments as a seminarian at Our Lady of Peace in Vacherie, Immaculate Conception in Denham Springs, and Our Lady of Mercy in Baton Rouge. The past year I served as the parochial vicar at Christ the King on the campus of LSU.

As for my family, I am the oldest son of Rick and Pat Graham. I have a younger sister, Danielle, who is married and has two girls. They live in Baton Rouge. I also have a younger brother, Ryan, who lives and works in the Houston, TX area.

I guess more will be revealed as time goes on! I am really excited and grateful to be along Bayou Lafourche. Please continue to pray for me as I continue to make my transition and begin this new assignment. Be assured all of you are in my prayers.

God Bless!

Fr. Matthew

**SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - JULY 17, 2016**

## HARVEST FESTIVAL NEWS

We are excited to announce the date for our upcoming Harvest Festival on Sunday, September 18, 2016. This is the Third Sunday of September which was chosen as the weekend for the Festival from now on. Many parishioners are already making plans food and activities for this annual event. There will be a cake/sweet sale at all masses the weekend of August 13-14 to earn start up money for the festival. So if you can help with sweets, please volunteer to Glenda Daigle (985-369-2111) or Norma Blanchard (985-369-4000) and check the bulletin each weekend for news and info about the festival. Working together we can make this the best festival yet!

If you would like to volunteer to help with the festival, please call Diane LeBlanc at 985-414-1007. Also if anyone wants to donate an item for the Silent Auction, please contact Jane Guillot (985-369-2497), Karen Dizney (985-513-0030) or Mona Woods (985-513-2666)

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### JOB OPENING (ST. ELIZABETH/ST. JULES)

#### **Coordinator of Evangelization and Formation (Director of Religious Education):**

The purpose of this position is to serve our parishioners by providing leadership and coordination in the evangelization and formation efforts of the parish in cooperation with and under the direction of the pastor in order to more fruitfully and efficiently assist all parishioners in living their baptismal call to holiness and drawing others into the Church through a relationship with Christ. Areas of focus would be evangelization, RCIA, adult formation, religious education, and youth. Experience in teaching, formation, or ministry is preferable. Hourly pay working 20-25 hrs/week. Must be willing to work evenings and weekends when needed. To apply send resume to [dleblanc@sesjchurch.com](mailto:dleblanc@sesjchurch.com) or P. O. Box 38, Belle Rose, LA 70341.

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### SCHEDULED MINISTERS FOR NEXT WEEK

DATE	TIME	READERS	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION	ALTAR SERVERS	SACRISTANS
7/23/16 St. Jules	4:00 PM	Mark Dubreuil Meg Prejean	Lenis & Cathy Theriot	Jacob LeBlanc, Ashleigh LeBlanc, Maddox Blanchard	Robin Guillot Peggy & Samantha Frey
7/24/16 St. Jules	8:30 AM	Jeri Dupre Brady Landry	Alicia Falsetta Robin Landry	Thomas & Meredith Daigle, Jacob LaGrange	Robin Guillot Peggy & Samantha Frey
7/24/16 St. Elizabeth	10:45 AM	Josie Falcon Diane LeBlanc	Chris Mattingly, Katelyn Simoneaux, Sister Anija	Brennan & Ian Simoneaux, Braden Pujol, Andrew Thibodeaux	Sister Anija Mona Woods

## STEWARDSHIP REPORT

July 9-10, 2016

	St. Elizabeth	St. Jules
Offertory	\$2,228.60	\$2,354.00
Improvement	\$115.00	\$8.00
Building Fund	\$250.00	
Catholic Charities	\$85.00	\$201.00

### PLEASE PRAY FOR

Pat Fontenot, Al Ladner, Danny Traigle, Rita Charlet, Dolores Yoder, Annie Russo, Brent Tauzin, Alice Woods, Susan Grier, Chris Roques Matassa, Benjamin Coty, Johnny Blanchard, Vivian Giroir, Dolly Gaspard, Emmett Greene, Dalton Alleman, Michael Rivere, Brenda Blanchard, Carolyn Rice, John Yoder, Ken Reynolds, Anita Acosta, Marie Bergeron, Joe Rivet, William "Beagle" Dupré, Robbie Bourg, Carrie & Michael Patureau, Camille "Boddie" Esneault, Harry Yoder, DeDe & Steve Fitzgerald, George Waguespack, Michael Pizzolatto, Trudy Coupel, Reese Aubin Landry, Gaynell Airhart, Harvey Giroir, Lenora Simoneaux, Janet Landry, Vin Bruce, Louise Fremin, Luke Giroir, Lois Sanchez, Gunnar Landry, Michael Cire, Edwina Lagattuta, Jeanette Beard, Nolbert Prejean, Mary Margaret Bains, Gerry Landry, Eric Watts, Linda Green, Dianna Andras, Lynette Martinez, Kim LeBrun-Flores, Loretta Foret, Karen Breaux, Tammy Riggs, Jean Lake, Janet Merritt, Percy Falcon, Jr., Russell Rivere, Jr., Brenda Landry, Mr. & Mrs. Jerry Theriot, Erick Spears, John Harris Savoie, Lucy Mae Dupre', Helman Ackman, Joyce Cavalier, Mimi Barton, Kelly Landry, Patti Campbell, Travis Quinn Norsworthy, Lorraine Giroir, Emily Landry, Kathleen Rousseau, Gary P. Landry, Jim Looney, Sue Chenvert Blanchard, Daniel Giroir, Mary Williams, Brayden Patureau, Pearl Aucoin, Loyce Daigle LeJeune, Nicole Owers, Brett & Dalee LeBlanc, Mike Thibodeaux, James Patureau, Marjorie Thibodeaux, Joey Boudreau, Mary Randazzo, Timothy Randazzo, Corrine Sanchez, Eric Hue, Elzie Rivere, Betty Rodrigue, Lauren Lapeyrouse Guidry, Sharon Fortenberry, Gloria Rivet, Merry Antoon, Tom Simoneaux, Jordan Domingue, Chasely Rose Diez

### CATHOLIC WOMEN'S INFERTILITY SUPPORT GROUP

You're Not Alone - Are you and your spouse currently experiencing the pain of infertility or the inability to maintain a pregnancy? There is support available! Come join us for a Catholic Women's Infertility Support Group, now being offered on the 2nd Wednesday of every month, 7pm - 8pm at St. George Catholic Church, 7808 St. George Drive, Baton Rouge. For more information, contact Julie at [stellajuliedot@gmail.com](mailto:stellajuliedot@gmail.com).

## FAITH FORMATION/PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION NEWS

First Eucharist pictures can be picked up at the St. Jules office Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, or Friday between 8:30 AM and 3:00 PM (closed 12:00 PM-1:00PM for lunch).

All children and adults who will need to prepare for the Sacraments of First Eucharist and Confirmation must register at the Parish Office prior to the start of the 2016-2017 school year.

You may begin registering for K-8 and High School PSR. Registration forms can be found on the website at [www.sesjchurch.com](http://www.sesjchurch.com) - CLICK FAITH FORMATION - CLICK PSR - CLICK PSR REGISTRATION FORM 2016-2017. These can be turned in with registration fee to the office at St. Jules by drop off or mail.

### A VOCATION VIEW

#### 16<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time - July 17, 2016

We are like Martha. There's plenty to be anxious about, but only one thing is required of us. For five minutes today be like Mary; rest with Jesus and ask Him what he requires of you. If you feel the call is genuine, call or email Father Matt Dupré at 225-336-8778, [mdupre@diobr.org](mailto:mdupre@diobr.org), or visit [www.diobr.org/vocations](http://www.diobr.org/vocations)

### VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL SUMMER 2016

*Ascension of Our Lord/St. Francis* is having "Following Jesus, the Light of the World" on July 18-22 from 9AM - 12PM. Contact Susan Jumonville for information on how to register or volunteer to help. High school teens are welcome for service hours.

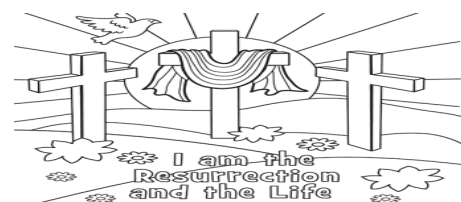
St. Anne Church is having "Cave Quest" on July 25-29 from 9am - 11:30am. Contact St. Anne Church at 985-369-2130 or 985-369-6656 for information and how to register. Registration begins on June 1, 2016.

### ST. JULES CEMETERY

There are now 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.

### 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!



## 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-JULY

**St. Jules:** Robin Guillot, Peggy & Samantha Frey

**St. Martin:** Elnora LeBlanc

## THE SANCTUARY LIGHT IS DONATED IN MEMORY OF:

**St. Elizabeth:** (Week of July 17) - Children Come Home

**St. Jules:** (Month of July) - Children Come Home

## FORMED.ORG

New on formed: HAPPINESS

Hosted by Fr. Robert J. Spitzer, this program features interviews with well-known psychiatrists, celebrities, New Testament scholars, physicist, and priests as they uncover the deeper answers to life's most profound questions.

To create your **FREE PERSONAL PROFILE:**

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

## SUPPER & SUBSTANCE FOR MARRIED COUPLES

Please join us for an evening of fun and spiritual nourishment at our first Diocesan-wide Supper and Substance event for married couples on Saturday, July 30<sup>th</sup> from 7-10pm at Premier Lanes in Gonzales. \$65 per couple includes food, a live band, and open bowling lanes. There will be a witness by David and Kate Dawson. There will be a cash bar. Arcade and bumper car packages are also available. Register online at [www.MFLDiobr.org](http://www.MFLDiobr.org). If you have any questions, please contact Jason and Emily Froeba at 225-620-5291 or [emilyfroeba@yahoo.com](mailto:emilyfroeba@yahoo.com).

## ATTENTION: ALL SOUTHEASTERN UNIVERSITY STUDENTS

St. Albert Catholic Student Center is located on campus at 409 W. Dakota Street (next door to Cardinal Newman Hall). Let us be your "home away from home" while you are here. See our website to join your Catholic Student Association or to contact us: [www.stalbertselu.org](http://www.stalbertselu.org).

## 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.

## MASS INTENTIONS

### Saturday, July 16

4:00 PM - St. Jules - Charles Malarcher, Gloria Dupuy Landry, Bully Dupuy, Lena Landry, Alma & Paul Daigle, Sr., M/M Albert Aucoin, M/M Louis Daigle, Virgie & Camille "East" Esneault & Heidi Callegan, Pete & Petey Simoneaux, Chickie Alleman, Giroir, Simoneaux, & St. Germain Families, Walton & Anita Landry, Joan Newchurch, Elise Cerami

### Sunday, July 17

8:30 AM - St. Jules - Lawrence E. Bergeron Sr. Family, Anthony R. Grisaffe Family, M/M Eneaux Blanchard, Audrey Sedotal, Boomy & Phil LeBlanc, Marguerite & Neil Landry, Gilbert Blanchard, Anita Sedotal, Joan Newchurch, Burt Dominique

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

### Monday, July 18

6:00 PM - St. Jules - Mr & Mrs Paul Cancienne, Sr.

### Tuesday, July 19

6:30 AM - St. Elizabeth - Intentions of the Holy Father

### Friday, July 22

7:40 AM - St. Elizabeth - Virgie Esneault

### Saturday, July 23

4:00 PM - St. Jules - For the People of the Parish

### Sunday, July 24

8:30 AM - St. Jules - Adam & Marie Bergeron and deceased families, Albert & Lellia Richard and deceased families, Shelby, Lucita & Judy Lewis, Gilbert Blanchard, Joan Newchurch, Burt Dominique

10:45 AM - St. Elizabeth - Jimmie & Connie Barrient, Eves & Mary St. Germain, Virgie & Camille "East" Esneault & Heidi Callegan, Pete & Petey Simoneaux, Chickie Alleman, Robert Coston

## ST. ELIZABETH FOOD PANTRY

If you would like to volunteer to help or would like more information, call Mona Woods (985)269-6825.

## WELCOME GATHERING

The St. Elizabeth/St. Jules Ladies' Altar Society will be hosting welcome receptions after each Mass the weekend of July 30 & 31. If you would like to offer your services to assist in welcoming Father Matthew to the St. Elizabeth/St. Jules family, please call Mrs. Patsy Daigle at 225-473-3082 or Ms. Norma Blanchard at 985-369-4000. Any offering is very much appreciated.

