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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

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ST. ELIZABETH INTERPAROCHIAL SCHOOL

Grades Pre-K through Eighth

Principal: Mrs. Mollie Landry

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Dear Parishioners,

Last Saturday, October 8th, we held a Mass at the St. Elizabeth Community Center for those who cannot regularly attend Mass with us on the weekends. In the context of Mass, we celebrated the Anointing of the Sick for those requesting it. I also brought a 1st Class Relic of Blessed Francis Xavier Seelos for veneration and we offered up a prayer at the end of the Mass to ask for his intercession. Following the Mass, we had a wonderful lunch and some fellowship. I want to extend a big thank you to Ms. Norma Blanchard for helping to coordinate this event along with the numerous parishioners of both parishes who came to help.

The response we have had at the 6pm Sunday Mass has been amazing. I believe it addresses a need for our area. With that in mind and to help to make this Mass possible, we are still in a real need for people to sign up for all ministry roles at the Mass. We will need additional Eucharistic Ministers to help with the number of people attending. If you can assist in any way, please call the Church Office and let us know.

Finally, I know this upcoming election has a lot of people concerned, angry, frustrated, or you might not even care anymore. Regardless of your viewpoints, we are called above all else as Catholics to pray especially for those in office and those running for office. St. Paul speaks about this in his letter to Timothy, "First of all, then, I urge that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and thanksgivings be made for all men, for kings and all who are in high positions, that we may lead a quiet and peaceable life, godly and respectful in every way (1 Tim 2:1-2)." With just over three weeks left before the election on November 8th let us take an opportunity each day to pray and offer up some type of sacrifice for those running for office. Remember this election covers more than for the Presidency but many local elections and issues. Here is a prayer that the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops has shared for us to use during this time.

Prayer Before An Election

Lord God, as the election approaches,

we seek to better understand the issues and concerns that confront our city/state/country, and how the Gospel compels us to respond as faithful citizens in our community.

We ask for eyes that are free from blindness

so that we might see each other as brothers and sisters,

one and equal in dignity,

especially those who are victims of abuse and violence, deceit and poverty.

We ask for ears that will hear the cries of children unborn and those abandoned,

Men and women oppressed because of race or creed, religion or gender.

We ask for minds and hearts that are open to hearing the voice of leaders who will bring us closer to your Kingdom.

We pray for discernment

so that we may choose leaders who hear your Word,

live your love,

and keep in the ways of your truth

as they follow in the steps of Jesus and his Apostles

and guide us to your Kingdom of justice and peace.

We ask this in the name of your Son Jesus Christ and through the power of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.(Continued)

TWENTY NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - OCTOBER 16, 2016

STEWARDSHIP REPORT

October 8-9, 2016

| | St. Elizabeth | St. Jules |
|----------------|---------------|------------|
| Offertory | \$3,229.07 | \$2,730.43 |
| Improvement | \$257.00 | \$136.00 |
| Cemetery Dues | \$350.00 | |
| Building Fund | \$250.00 | |
| All Saints Day | \$5.00 | |
| All Souls Day | \$10.00 | |

PROPAGATION OF FAITH

The special appeals for the Propagation of Faith will be the weekend of October 22-23. Please place the special envelopes in the offertory. Additional envelopes are in the back of each church.

PLEASE PRAY FOR

Pat Fontenot, Al Ladner, Danny Traigle, Rita Charlet, Dolores Yoder, Annie Russo, Brent Tausin, 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, 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, Nicole Owers, Mike Thibodeaux, James Patureau, Marjorie Thibodeaux, Joey Boudreau, Mary Randazzo, Timothy Randazzo, Corrine Sanchez, Eric Hue, Elzie Rivere, Lauren Lapeyrouse Guidry, Sharon Fortenberry, Gloria Rivet, Merry Antoon, Jordan Domingue, Chasely Rose Diez, Jon Landry, Lavone Landry, Dr. Mary Elliot, Rachel Patureau, Angela Ragusa, Marlene Newchurch, Camie Landry

FAITH FORMATION/PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION NEWS

PSR News

Volunteers are needed to help with HS PSR Classes. If you are interested in being a small group leader, please contact the Parish Office 225-473-8569.

Parish School of Religion grades K-8 will host a bake sale on Sunday, October 23rd after the 8:30AM and 10:45AM Masses to purchase flowers for the Blessing of the Graves. Anyone interested in donating items for the sale please contact Shaina Landry 225-439-2671.

PSR K-8 Parent Meeting will be held at St. Elizabeth School Sunday, November 6th from 9:30AM to 10:30AM. This is a **mandatory meeting** for all parents.

BAPTISMAL SEMINAR

We have a Baptismal Seminar scheduled on Thursday, October 27 for anyone that is seeking baptism. Meeting will be held in the Rectory at St. Jules at 6:30PM. Please contact Angelle Blanchard, 225-202-7529, if you would like to attend.

A VOCATION VIEW

29th Sunday in Ordinary Time - October 16, 2016

God will answer the prayers of those who cry out. Ask for men and women to respond to the call to service as priests and religious. If God is calling you, call or email Father Matt Dupré at 225-336-8778, mdupre@diobr.org, or visit www.diobr.org/vocations

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.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S BEGINNING EXPERIENCE

Has your child experienced a loss of a parent due to death, divorce or separation of a parent? This is a weekend for healing and moving through the grieving process. Young People's Beginning Experience will take place on October 21-23, 2016, at Rosaryville Retreat Center (39003 Rosaryville Road, Ponchatoula, LA 70545). The cost is \$165 and covers 2 nights lodging/food. For ages 12-17. For more information, contact: Rose Brocato at figladybrocato@gmail.com or 504-920-0770. More information can be found at www.beginningexperience.org.

FLAME OF LOVE REGIONAL CONFERENCE

Christ the Redeemer (720 Talbot Avenue, Thibodaux, LA) will host the Flame of Love Regional Conference on Saturday, October 29, from 8AM till 2PM. Check in begins at 7AM. Guest speaker will be Anthony Mullen, National Director of Flame of Love. Deadline to register is October 14 and no registration is accepted at the door. For registration forms or more information visit their website: <http://ctr-htdiocese.org/events/flame-of-love-conference>.

(Continued) Should you have any question, concerns, or just want to say “hi,” please feel free to contact me here at the office or by email at pastor@sesjchurch.com.

God Bless!

Fr. Matthew



[*Faustina: Messenger of Divine Mercy*](#), the moving, live production performed by actress Maria Vargo and directed by Leonardo Defilippis of Saint Luke Productions, will be presented at St. Elizabeth Community Center in Paincourtville on **Saturday, October 29 at 7:00 p.m.** The event is sponsored by St. Elizabeth and St. Jules Catholic Churches.

Experience firsthand the life and message of Saint Faustina whose personal encounters with Jesus have inspired a world-wide devotion to Christ’s Divine Mercy. This drama also brings audiences a riveting modern story that makes Divine Mercy remarkably relevant and urgent for our world today. The program is filled with all the elements of professional theater, runs 90 minutes, and is suitable for ages 13 and up.

Admission is a free-will offering. For **additional information**, contact St. Elizabeth and St. Jules office at 225-473-8569 or office@sesjchurch.com or visit www.sesjchurch.com. Please call the office and let us know if you are planning on attending.

Watch the trailer & learn more at www.DivineMercyDrama.com

SCHEDULED MINISTERS FOR NEXT WEEK

| DATE | TIME | READERS | EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION | ALTAR SERVERS | SACRISTANS |
|---------------------------|-------------|-------------------------------|---|--|--------------------------------|
| 10/22/16 St. Jules | 4:00 PM | Mark Dubreuil Jamie Louque | Alice & Stanley Sternfels | Andre & Noah Giroir Louie Viallon, VI | Myrna Looney Darlene Landry |
| 10/23/16 St. Jules | 8:30 AM | Meg Prejean Ivy Landry | Raymond Landry Marian Landry | Seth & Kyle Hughes Landon Daigle | Myrna Looney Darlene Landry |
| 10/23/16 St. Elizabeth | 10:45 AM | Donald Cire Sandy George | Diane LeBlanc, Katelyn Simoneaux, Norma Blanchard | Trey Jones, Madison George, Maddox Blanchard | Norma Blanchard |

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-OCTOBER

St. Jules: Myrna Looney & Darlene Landry

St. Martin: Elaine Burns

THE SANCTUARY LIGHT IS DONATED IN MEMORY OF:

St. Elizabeth: (Week of October 16) - Mr & Mrs Paul R. LeBlanc

St. Jules: (Month of October) - Gloria Dupuy Landry & Bully Dupuy

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.Go to 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**".

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.

ALL SOULS/ALL SAINTS

The normal school Mass held on Friday November 4 will be moved to Tuesday, November 1 in observance of All Saints Day. We will also have a 6PM Mass on Tuesday at St. Elizabeth.

Blessing of the graves will be on Sunday, October 30 after the 8:30AM Mass at St. Jules, with the blessing at St. Martin immediately following and after 10:45AM Mass at St. Elizabeth.

Blessing of the graves at St. Joseph the Worker will be on Sunday, October 30 at 2PM for the Pierre Part Cemetery and at 5:30PM for the Belle River, Sacred Heart Cemetery.

NOTRE DAME HOSPICE

Notre Dame Hospice, a ministry of the Archdiocese of New Orleans, is looking for Volunteers. Volunteers can provide caregiver relief, run errands, play music, or offer any talent that you have to share. If you are interested or would like more information, please contact Melissa Myers, Volunteer Coordinator at 504-920-8442 or email mmyers@arch-no.org. Volunteers are need in all church parishes in the surrounding area.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, October 15

4:00 PM - St. Jules - Charles Malarcher, Gloria Dupuy Landry, Bully Dupuy, Lena Landry, Alma & Paul Daigle Sr., Virgie & Camille "East" Esneault & Heidi Callegan, Herman & Nelia Cedotal, Kent & Rachel Morris, Pete & Petey Simoneaux, Chickie Alleman, Walton & Anita Landry, Thomas Guillot, Fly, Danny & Emmet Simoneaux & Family, John Jacob, Joan Newchurch, Willie B. Landry, Carol M. Aucoin

Sunday, October 16

8:30 AM - St. Jules - Cecile R Malarcher Family, Mr & Mrs Eneaux Blanchard, Audrey Sedotal, Marguerite & Neil Landry, Anita Sedotal, Joan Newchurch, Raymond & Doris Blanchard

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

Monday, October 17

6:00 PM - St. Jules - Gilbert Blanchard

Tuesday, October 18

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

Friday, October 21

7:40 AM - St. Elizabeth - Douglas Landry

Saturday, October 22

4:00 PM - St. Jules - Charles Malarcher, Alma & Paul Daigle, Sr., Albertine Giroir & Family, Mr. & Mrs. Lloyd Hidalgo Sr., Bea & Luke Giroir, Joan Newchurch, Willie B Landry

Sunday, October 23

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

10:45 AM - St. Elizabeth - Jimmie & Connie Barrient, Virgie & Camille "East" Esneault & Heidi Callegan, Sam Klack, Albert & Bernice Comeaux, M H "Dutch" & Carl Vroon, Pete & Petey Simoneaux, Chickie Alleman, Robert & Itzy Blanchard, Anonamae "Mamie" Boudreaux, Doug Landry, Allie & Howard Dupre Jr.

CEMETERY DUES

Cemetery dues are now being accepted for St. Elizabeth and St. Jules - \$35.00 per family.

6PM MASS AT ST. ELIZABETH

With the addition of the 6PM Mass at St. Elizabeth, we are in need of volunteers to help make these Masses possible:

- Lectors
- Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion
- Altar Servers
- Ushers

If you are interested in helping out with any of these roles, please contact the St. Elizabeth/St Jules Office at (225) 473-8569 or email office@sesjchurch.com.