



ST. ELIZABETH

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ST. JULES

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Rev. Matthew Graham,

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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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SISTERS OF THE CONGREGATION

OF THE MOTHER OF CARMEL:

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ST. ELIZABETH INTERPAROCHIAL SCHOOL

Grades Pre-K through Eighth

Principal: Mrs. Paula Simoneaux

Phone: 985-369-7402 / www.sescubs.com

CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULES

St. Elizabeth Catholic Church:
Saturday, December 24th at 4:00PM and
Sunday, December 25th at 12:00AM (Midnight)

St. Jules Catholic Church:
Saturday, December 24th at 6:00PM
Sunday, December 25th at 8:30AM

We are still in need of volunteers for all masses above except 4:00PM. If you are interested in signing up please call the office 225-473-8569. Please see the minister schedule on page 3 of the bulletin. If there are no volunteers *"Father will be calling"*.



4th SUNDAY OF ADVENT - DECEMBER 18, 2016

STEWARDSHIP REPORT**December 10-11, 2016**

	St. Elizabeth	St. Jules
Offertory	\$2,673.76	\$2,059.20
Improvement	\$287.00	\$8.00
Building Fund	\$250.00	
Immaculate Conception	\$474.75	\$573.00
Christmas Flowers	\$730.00	\$485.00
Christmas Offering	\$10.00	
Cemetery Dues		\$35.00
All Saints Day	\$5.00	
Retirement Fund	\$836.00	\$1,237.00
All Souls Day	\$5.00	

The special appeal for the Catholic Life Center Services of the Diocese of Baton Rouge will be the weekend of December 25. Please place the special envelopes in the offertory.

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, 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, Dr. Mary Elliot, Rachel Patureau, Angela Ragusa, Camie Landry, Joyce Thibodeaux, Elaine Blanchard, Matthew LaRose, John Rossom, Karen Jacobs, Jackie Cassio, Myra Patureau, Lynn Barbier, Lugger Cedotale, Adeline Simoneaux, Mary Landry

FAITH FORMATION/PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION NEWSPSR 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.

K-8 PSR students should be on lessons 13—16 this month and have Unit test 4 completed by December 19th. Our next monthly meeting will be on January 8th.

First Reconciliation Parent Meeting will be on Monday December 19th after 6 PM Mass at St. Jules in the Church Hall.

March for Life Meeting - for all parents of teens, teens and chaperones, Wednesday, December 28th, 6:00PM at the Rectory at St. Jules.

A VOCATION VIEW**Fourth Sunday of Advent - December 18, 2016**

God sent His Son Jesus to reach people of the Father's love and plan for salvation. Jesus continues to send priests, sisters, deacon and brothers to the world to continue His work of salvation. If you think God is calling you to do this, call or email Fr. Andrew Merrick at 225-336-8778, amerrick@diobr.org

DIOCESAN YOUTH CONFERENCE - 2017

The 2017 Youth Conference is on February 18th, 2017 will take place on February 18, 2017 at the Catholic Life Center in Baton Rouge. It is open to all youth grades 6-12. During the course of the day there will be fun and games, speakers, workshops, and service opportunities as well as Saturday vigil Mass and the opportunity to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation, and encounter our Lord in the Eucharistic Adoration. Please contact the church office if you have youth that would like to attend.

JOB OPENING

Director of Music Position Available:

Wanted! Part-time organist/pianist to direct and lead music for Masses at St. Jules and St. Elizabeth. Experience with leading choir is desired. Availability for three Masses every weekend: 4PM Saturday Vigil, 8:30AM & 10:45AM Sundays. If interested, please contact the office at St. Jules (225) 473-8569.

GREAT SENIOR CITIZEN BUS TRIP

Great Senior Citizen Bus Trip to Memphis(March 20-24). Cost of \$439 includes lodging, transportation, most meals and entrance to tour Graceland, Sun Studio, guided tour of Memphis, Rock N Sout Museum and Beale Street. For more information, call Leslie Tassin at 225-769-5872.

BATON ROUGE CATHOLIC MEN'S CONFERENCE
"A CALL TO BATTLE", CHALLENGING EVERY MAN
TO FIGHT FOR HOLINESS

Sacred Heart Catholic Church
 2250 Main Street, Baton Rouge
 February 11, 2017 7:30am-4:00pm Vigil Mass
 Online registration: Adults \$50/Students \$25
www.MenOfTheImmaculata.com or www.catholicmenbr.com
 Featuring Dynamic Speakers: Dr. Brant Pitre, Fr. Michael Champagne, Sr.
 John Thomas & Mark Hartfiel
 Also, Fellowship, All Day Adoration,
 Eucharistic Procession, Vendors & Exhibitions,
 Lunch included with food by Chef John Folsie

Please pray for the success of the Conference and the men of our Diocese.

*Lord, strengthen us in the gift of our masculinity to protect
 and serve those you have entrusted to us. Help us to
 respond to Christ's universal call to holiness through fellowship
 that will help us become modes of faith in the
 family, the workplace, the Church, and the community.*

Amen

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:

Preston Thomas Falgoust, son of Nathan & Kristen Falgoust Jr.

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. Also, our next Baptismal Preparation Seminar is scheduled for Wednesday, January 19th. This seminar is required for parents and godparents who have not attended a seminar in the last 3 years. The seminar lasts approximately one hour.

SCHEDULED MINISTERS FOR NEXT WEEK

DATE	TIME	READERS	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION	ALTAR SERVERS	SACRISTANS
12/24/16 St. Elizabeth	4:00 PM	Brady Landry Mark Dubreuil	Barry & Linda Aucoin, Ehren & Annette Oschwald, Sandy George	Ashleigh LeBlanc, Braden Pujol, Brennan Simoneaux, Madison & Isabella George	Volunteers
12/24/16 St. Jules	6:00 PM	Shelly LeBlanc Volunteer	4 Volunteers	3 Volunteers	Volunteers
12/25/16 St. Elizabeth	12:00 AM	Patrice Arvel Volunteer	3 Volunteers	2 Volunteers	Volunteers
12/25/16 St. Jules	8:30 AM	Ivy Landry Volunteer	Robin Landry, Volunteer	2 Volunteers	Volunteers

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-DECEMBER

St. Jules: Volunteers

St. Martin: Elaine Burns

THE SANCTUARY LIGHT IS DONATED IN MEMORY OF:

St. Elizabeth: (Week of December 18) - Children Come Home

St. Jules: (Month of December) - Children Come Home/Alma & Paul Daigle, Sr.

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

Featured on Formed Advent

During this Advent season, how exactly are we going to prepare our hearts for the greatest gift we've ever been given? Through an exploration of the mystery of the Incarnation, the Virgin Birth, and the events surrounding the arrival of Jesus, this Advent study offers an opportunity to experience the joy of the true meaning of Christmas.

CHRISTMAS DECORATING

St. Jules Church:

The Ladies Altar Society will be decorating St. Jules Church for Christmas on Wednesday, December 21st at 4:00pm. If you are interested in helping out, we would really appreciate it.

St. Elizabeth Church:

All parishioners are invited to help decorate St. Elizabeth Church on Thursday, December 22nd at 10:00am. We really need extra help, so please consider joining in.

CHRISTMAS TREE GIVING

ST. ELIZABETH AND ST. JULES CHURCHES

Its that time again for the Christmas Giving Tree for the residents of Heritage Manor of Napoleonville. The Red ornaments are for the Ladies, and the Green ornaments are for the Men. The gifts **MUST** be turned in by December 18th in order to have in time to distribute. If you have any questions please contact Janet Landry at 985-369-2118 or Celine Dubreuil at 225-978-9624.



MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, December 17

4:00 PM - St. Jules -Charles Malarcher, Gloria Dupuy Landry, Bully Dupuy, Lena Landry, Elmina Landry, Alma & Paul Daigle, Sr., Herman & Nelia Cedotal, Pete & Petey Simoneaux, Chickie Alleman, Giroir, Landry & St. Germain Families, Thomas Guillot, Fly., Joan Newchurch, Willie B. Landry

Sunday, December 18

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, M. H. "Dutch" & Carl Vroon, Ores & Brent Rivere, Alois, Hazel & Gerald Mabile, Robert & Itzy Blanchard, Anonamae "Mamie" Boudreaux, Allie & Howard Dupre Jr.

Monday, December 19

6:00 PM - St. Jules - For the Intentions of the Holy Father

Tuesday, December 20

6:30 AM - St. Elizabeth - Father's Intentions

Thursday, December 22

7:40 AM - St. Elizabeth - Purgatorial List

Saturday, December 24

4:00 PM - St. Elizabeth Walton & Anita Landry, Marilyn, JoJo, & Lyn LeBlanc, Mr & Mrs Paul R. LeBlanc, Sam Klack, Albert & Bernice Comeaux, Butch & Catherine Leblanc, Anonamae "Mamie" Boudreaux, Dr. & Mrs. Julius Daigle, Brett M. Batulis, Madeline Rogers Brouillette

6:00 PM - St. Jules - Alma & Paul Daigle, Sr., M/M Albert Aucoin, M/M Louis Daigle, Albertine Giroir & Family, Pete & Petey Simoneaux, Chickie Alleman, Joan Newchurch, Kent & Margaret Morris & Rachel Morris

Sunday, December 25

12:00 AM - St. Elizabeth - For the People of the Parish

8:30 AM - St. Jules - Mr. & Mrs Lloyd Hidalgo, Sr., Mr. & Mrs A J Dato, Edith & Dennis Guillot, Gilbert Blanchard, Joan Newchurch, Willie B. Landry & Felix & Nellie Landry, Raymond & Doris Blanchard, E. J. Dugas, Marie LeBlanc & Norbert Landry Fly

25th & 50th WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES 2017

Bishop Robert W. Muench will celebrate a liturgy honoring couples on their 25th, 50th, and 65th, or greater wedding anniversary on Sunday, February 12, 2017 at 3:00 PM at Our Lady of Mercy in Baton Rouge, LA. Families of the honored couples are also invited to attend the liturgy and reception afterward in the OLOM Activity Center. If you are interested in attending, please contact the parish office to register. Registration deadline is Friday, February 3, 2017.

OFFICE CLOSURE

The office will open at 9:30am on Thursday, December 22nd due to the St. Elizabeth School live nativity.

The office will close at 12 noon on Friday, December 23rd and will be closed all day on Monday, December 26th for the Christmas Holiday.