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ST. JULES

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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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My dear brothers and sisters in Christ,

This past week I needed to renew my license because it was about to expire. So I can officially say I am now a resident of Assumption Parish. Dealing with the DMV here was much quicker than what I have experienced in Baton Rouge. I know the next question many will have, "does this mean you are staying for a long time?" Along the same lines, I know many are asking "why have You not been appointed pastor?" I have been asked this question by many of you, my friends, and even my brother priests. The simple answer is that I do not know. I know this worries some people but I hope this does not serve as too much of a distraction nor stop us from working toward building our parishes and walking with Lord. We have a lot of opportunities ahead of us and I look forward to working on them with you.

One opportunity that we can all work on is helping to make the restart of our 6:00pm Mass successful! We are in need of people to be altar servers, lectors, and extraordinary ministers of holy communion. If would like to help out, please let me know or call the office. Also, if you would like to help out and you have never been trained in any of these roles that is no problem either. We can train you and help you to be successful in your role.

Finally, a reminder that on August 15th the Church celebrates the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. This is a holy day of obligation this year and all Catholics are obligated to attend Mass. There will be a Vigil Mass on Monday, August 14th at 6:00pm at St Jules. Since this is at our normal Monday Mass time we will have adoration and confession starting at 4:45pm. There will be a Mass celebrated on Tuesday, August 15th at 7:40am at St Elizabeth with the school community. As for an evening Mass on Tuesday, there will be a special Mass at the Church of the Assumption in Plattenville at 6:30pm. Like last year, we will have adoration and confessions starting at 5:30pm. Fr Joe Vu, Fr. Juel, and I will be present at the Mass. Please join us as we celebrate the patronal feast day of our civil parish!!

I pray that all of you have a blessed and grace filled week!

Through the Alliance of the Two Hearts,

Fr Matthew

18th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
AUGUST 06, 2017

STEWARDSHIP REPORT

July 29 - 30, 2017

	St. Elizabeth	St. Jules
Offertory	\$1,953.00	\$2,231.00
Special Collections	\$30.00	\$10.00

PLEASE PRAY FOR

Braxton Becnel, Toni Schiambra Marchese, Victoria Rodrigue, Leroy LeBlanc, Angela Ragusa, Donna Witty, Bev Meyer, Rita Charlet, Holly Reynolds, Joe Michalik, Craig Louviere, Brenda Landry, Harvey Giroir, Penny Daze Comeaux, Sheila Scioneaux Bourque

PRAYER INTENTIONS

A common feature of our weekly bulletin is our Prayer List. Please call the office or email 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.

WILLWOODS MARRIED COUPLES RETREAT

Would you like to break away with your spouse and spend quality time together enriching your marriage? Then join us on our August 26th and 27th Married Couples Retreat at the beautiful Archdiocese of New Orleans Retreat Center located along Lake Pontchartrain in Metairie.

Attending a married couples retreat annually is a wonderful way to deepen your love for God and each other. To register or for more info call Jason Angelette at (504) 830-3716 or visit Willwoods.org. *SUGGESTED DONATION OF \$275 IS REQUESTED BUT NOT REQUIRED.*

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.

BAPTISM

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

If you are expecting or just recently had a child, please email Angelle Blanchard at dre@sesjchurch.com or call the parish office 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.

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

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

9th-11th High School PSR Registration and **10th & 11th Grade Confirmation Prep Registration** will be held at the St. Jules Church Hall on August 7th, 2017 from 7pm-8pm.

The Confirmation Prep portion of this meeting is for public and private school students in the 10th and 11th Grade seeking the Sacrament of Confirmation in the St. Jules and St. Elizabeth Church Parishes. Students must attend with their parents. A lot of information will be handed out at this meeting.

A VOCATION VIEW

Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time - August, 6 2017

If God is calling you to full-service in the Church, do not be afraid. Jesus promised He would be with us always. So, if you think God could be calling you to a Church vocation, call or email Fr. Andrew Merrick at 225-336-8778, amerrick@diobr.org

KC ANNUAL BOX DINNER

The Annual KC box dinner will be held on Sunday, August 20 at St. Jules Church Hall. Menu consists of Chicken Spaghetti, Peas and Bread. Pick up will be from 10:00 AM until 12:30 PM. Tickets are \$7.00/plate and can be purchased from a KC member or at Big B's Supermarket.

PARISH WEBSITE

Don't forget to visit our parish website at 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!

Thank You Altar Servers!!

From St. Anne/Assumption/St. Philomena and St. Jules/St. Elizabeth. You are invited to an appreciation celebration.

When: Sunday, August 13, 2017 from 2:30 – 6:30 p.m.

Where: Youth House, Hwy. 308, Plattenville

We will be getting wet so dress accordingly and bring your towels and super soakers.

RSVP to Mrs. Kathy by August 7th at 985-369-2130 or 985-369-6656.

Children can be picked up at the Youth House near Assumption Church in Plattenville at 6:30 p.m.

Plenty of Food, Fellowship and Lots of Fun!

HARVEST FESTIVAL - NEWS

The St. Elizabeth Harvest Festival will soon be here! The date is September 17th and plans are underway to make this year's festival a huge success. Old favorites like the Auction, County Store, Silent Auction, Face Painting, and Sweet Booth will return along with the wonderful Food! But great entertainment like "The Legends" has been added to our schedule and will grace the Community Center stage. More information will be available in future bulletins, so please keep checking.

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:

Once again we are asking each family to sell raffle tickets to help with this year's event. The tickets will be given out after each Mass beginning the weekend of August 12th and 13th. Please come by and pick up your family's tickets.

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

REPLACEMENT BLOOD DRIVE FOR BRENDA LANDRY

July 2017 Brenda Landry was diagnosed with Cancer. Brenda is a long time resident of Assumption Parish, parishioner and former Parish Council Member of St. Jules Catholic Church. She also worked in St. Jules Church Office for many years.

During a recent stay in the hospital Brenda needed 6 units of blood. It is expected that during her treatment for Cancer, Brenda may need more blood transfusions. Brenda and her family are asking all healthy individuals who are at least 17 years of age and weighing at least 110lbs. (16 year olds may donate with parental consent as long as they weigh at least 130lbs.) to Donate Blood.

The drive will take place on Wednesday, August 16 from 4:00pm till 8:00pm at St. Jules Church Hall. Don't forget to bring your ID and eat a good meal before donating. Please sign up today! Text or call Bridget Landry @504-319-7051 or email blandry@thebloodcenter.org to schedule your blood donation. Thanks for your support!

SCHEDULED MINISTERS FOR NEXT WEEK

DATE	TIME	READERS	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION	ALTAR SERVERS	SACRISTANS
8/12/17 St. Elizabeth	4:00 PM	Darlene Landry Lloyd Giroir	Suzanne Giroir Cathy & Lenis Theriot	Jacob & Megan LeBlanc	Cathy Theriot
8/13/17 St. Jules	8:30 AM	Joyce Bergeron Alaina Paine	Sandra Landry Raymond Landry	Aidan & Austin Paine, Kollin Landry	Jannelle Simoneaux, Sandra Landry
8/13/17 St. Elizabeth	10:45 AM	Paula Simoneaux Erica Charlet	Nick Charlet, Norma Blanchard, Sister Anija	Brennan Simoneaux, Braden Pujol, Aidan Hebert, John Michael Lewis	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-AUGUST

St. Jules: Jannelle Simoneaux & Sandra Landry

St. Martin: Elenora LeBlanc

THE SANCTUARY LIGHT IS DONATED IN MEMORY OF:

St. Elizabeth: (Week of August 6) - Carol M. Aucoin

St. Jules: (Week of August 6) - Kimberly Curtis Cedotal

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Sense and Sensibility

Ignatius Critical Editions

Jane Austen, Edited by Eleanor Bourg Nicholson

What are two sisters of uncertain fortunes to do when the death of their father exiles their family to live in the countryside of southwestern England? Why, fall in love, of course! Through her deft unraveling of the dramatically different romantic fates of Elinor and Marianne Dashwood, Jane Austen displays her singular mastery of the English language and her equally masterful invention of colorful and realistic characters. The author's appreciation of what it is to be human, grounded in her deeply convicted Christianity, illuminates the tale with special wisdom. In this, her first published novel, we see the sense and sensibility of Miss Austen herself, which combine to form the brilliance that shines forth in all of her works—a brilliance enlivened by her remarkable sense of humor and the affectionate kindness that could only be born of a gracious Christian spirit.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, August 5

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

Sunday, August 6

8:30 AM - St. Jules - Raymond & Doris Blanchard, The Anthony Grisaffe Family, The Lawrence Bergeron Sr. Family, Joan Newchurch, Thelma Bergeron, Tommy Nickell Jr., Maria Russo, Octave & Anna Belle Chedotal, Eugene Templet Sr., Kimberly Curtis Cedotal, Gary Landry, Anna Mae Charlet, Gilbert Blanchard, Rita Rousseau, Lucie Mae Dupre

10:45 AM - St. Elizabeth - Sam Klack, Albertine & Bernice Comeaux, Anite Woods, Jimmy & Connie Barrient, Maria Russo

Monday, August 7

6:00 PM - St. Jules - Tommy Nickell Jr.

Tuesday, August 8

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

Friday, August 11

7:40 AM - St. Elizabeth - Purgatorial List

Saturday, August 12

4:00 PM - St. Elizabeth - Carol M. Aucoin, Giroir, Landry & St. Germain Family, Pete & Petey Simoneaux & Chickie Alleman, Charles Malarcher, Alma & Paul Daigle Sr., M/M Albert Aucoin, M/M Louis Daigle, Bea & Luke Giroir Sr., Mr & Mrs Paul R. LeBlanc, Albertine Giroir & Family, Lloyd Dugas Sr. and Jenny Templet, Dr. & Mrs. Julius W. Daigle & Brett Batulis, Jerry, Justileon & Lena Blanchard

Sunday, August 13

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

10:45 AM - St. Elizabeth - Mederic, Sr. & Mildred LeBlanc, Lenny LeBlanc, Julie L. LeBlanc, Anite Woods, Maria Russo

WEEKDAY MASS CHANGE

Friday morning Mass (7:40 AM-Sister's Convent) will move to St. Elizabeth Church beginning the first school Mass which will be on Friday August 11th.

