



## 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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### SISTERS OF THE CONGREGATION

### OF THE MOTHER OF CARMEL:

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## ST. JULES

Post Office Box 38  
7165 Highway 1  
Belle Rose, LA 70341



*January 21, 2018*

*3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time*

### Prayer of Life and Dignity

Eternal God, creator and sustainer of life,  
bless us with the courage to defend all life  
from conception to natural death.

Bless us with the strength to respect all peoples  
from east to west, from north to south,  
so that we may truly follow the call of Jesus to be neighbor.

We ask this in the name of Jesus,  
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit.

Amen



JOIN US FOR

# MEN OF THE IMMACULATA

MEN'S CONFERENCE 2018

02.17.2018 | ST. GEORGE

REGISTER ONLINE AT  
[MENOFTHEIMMACULATA.COM](http://MENOFTHEIMMACULATA.COM)

**FEATURING: DR. SCOTT HAHN,  
FR. MITCH PACWA, & MATT FRADD!**

**Gentlemen, if these are your goals, consider registering for the Men's Conference!**

- To discover authentic masculinity in Christ
- To strengthen and protect the innocence of the family through self-mastery and support of each other
- To make a daily offering of ourselves as men and embrace our crosses
- To become saints!

## STEWARDSHIP REPORT

January 13/14, 2018

	St. Elizabeth	St. Jules
Offertory	\$2,744.39	\$1,900.00
Special Collections	\$.175.00	\$35.00

The special appeal for the Church in Latin America will be the weekend of January 28<sup>th</sup>. Please place the special envelopes in the offertory.

### PLEASE PRAY FOR

Harvey Giroir, Mary Sanchez, Sonny Rodso, Paul Daigle, Jr., Joselyn Yaeger, Marcia Saisorn, Jacob Mabile, Sandy George, Billy Faulks, Dean Sciambra, Kaycee Hebert Blanchard & Family, Alice Sanford, June LeBlanc, Brenda Sedatol, Dee Yoder, Nancy Swindowsky, Paul Cedotal, Kathy Madere, Carrie Patureau, George Waguespack, Jackie Daigle, Allen Daigle, Judy Landry, Cindy Marquette, Michael Cire, Jackie Daigle, Allen Daigle

### 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.

### 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!

### 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.

### ABBEY YOUTH FESTIVAL 2018

Saturday, March 17, 2018 - 9:30am to 9:30pm

Saint Joseph Abbey and Seminary College

Pre-Registration Price: \$40 per person

(teens & chaperones) (including t-shirt and back-sack)

On-Site Registration Price: \$50 per person

(not including t-shirt & back-sack)

Please email Angelle Blanchard at [dre@sesjchurch.com](mailto:dre@sesjchurch.com) if you are interested in attending.

## FAITH FORMATION/PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION NEWS

\*9<sup>th</sup> Grade PSR Class will be Monday, January 29, 2018

6:30pm - 8pm at St. Jules Church Hall

\*K-8<sup>th</sup> Grade- PSR Class will be Sunday, January 28, 2018

9:30am-10:30am at St. Jules Church Hall



### TRAINING FOR EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

One of the vital ministries that we have in our parish is those who help with giving of Holy Communion at Mass as well as to the homebound parishioners in our parish. The Diocese has recently issued some new guidelines along with providing new training material. They are asking all current Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion to be retrained.

There will be two sessions held for this retraining. Here are the scheduled sessions:

- Monday, January 29<sup>th</sup> at 6:45pm in St. Jules Church
- Thursday, February 1<sup>st</sup> at 6:30pm in St. Elizabeth Church

If you are interested in serving as a Minister at Mass or for the homebound, please contact Fr. Matthew at [pastor@sesjchurch.com](mailto:pastor@sesjchurch.com) or contacting the Church Office. If you cannot make either of these sessions, please let Fr. Matthew know as well.

### Ascension Catholic Seafood Extravaganza & School Auction

Ascension Catholic Diocesan Regional invites you to attend its Seafood Extravaganza and School Auction on Saturday January 27, 2018. Doors will open at 5 pm at the Ascension Catholic High Gym. Reserved Tables (limited number) and meal tickets go on sale on Monday January 8, 2018. Ticket price is \$50 per person which includes a Buffet style meal and beverages. Contact Ascension Catholic at 473-9227 for more information. Limited tickets will be sold at the door and it is recommended that you buy your tickets in advance. A live and silent auction will be held as the night goes on. Anyone wishing to donate to the meal preparation or auctions, please contact Troy LeBoeuf at 225-715-7389 or email at [troyleboeuf@hotmail.com](mailto:troyleboeuf@hotmail.com) Check the Ascension Catholic Diocesan Facebook Page for updates.



**2018 - 25<sup>th</sup> & 50<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary Celebration**  
**St. Aloysius Church (2025 Stuart Avenue, Baton Rouge, LA 70808)**

Couples reaching their 25<sup>th</sup>, 50<sup>th</sup> or 65<sup>th</sup> Anniversary at any time during the year of 2017 are invited to attend the Anniversary Mass and Reception on Sunday, February 25, 2018. Couples that would like to attend should contact our office at 225-473-8569 to register. The deadline to register is Tuesday, February 6, 2018.

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Remember us, O God;  
 from age to age be our comforter.  
 You have given us the wonder of time,  
 blessings in days and nights, seasons and years.  
 Bless your children at the turning of the year  
 and fill the months ahead with the bright hope  
 that is ours in the coming of Christ.  
 You are our God, living and reigning, forever and ever.  
 Amen.

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**SCHEDULED MINISTERS FOR NEXT WEEK**

DATE	TIME	READERS	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION	ALTAR SERVERS	SACRISTANS
01/27/18 St. Elizabeth	4:00 PM	Sandy Landry Suzanne Giroir	Sister Alphonse Barry Aucoin Linda Aucoin	Andre & Noah Giroir	Sister Alphonse
01/28/18 St. Jules	8:30 AM	Jeannie Morris Ehren Oswald	Annette Oswald Robin Landry	Austin & Aidan Paine	Patsy Breaux & Volunteer
01/28/18 St. Elizabeth	10:45 AM	Catholic Schools Week	Catholic Schools Week	Catholic Schools Week	Catholic Schools Week

## 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)

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### THE LORD'S HOUSEKEEPERS-January

St. Jules: Patsy Breaux & Volunteers

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### THIS WEEK THE SANCTUARY LIGHT IS DONATED IN MEMORY OF:

**St. Elizabeth:** Mr. & Mrs. Paul R. LeBlanc

**St. Jules:** Rita Charlet



### NEWLY BAPTIZED!!

*"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 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.

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### A Vocation View

#### **Third Sunday in Ordinary Time- January 21, 2018**

The call of the disciples is so familiar to us that we tend to miss the wonder of the disciples' response, which was immediate and complete; they leave everything and follow Jesus. Can we do less if we feel that God is calling us to the priesthood or religious life? If you think God is calling you to a Church vocation, call or email Father Andrew Merrick at 225.336.8778, [framerrick@gmail.com](mailto:framerrick@gmail.com), or visit, [www.diobr.org/vocations](http://www.diobr.org/vocations).

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### ST. JULES LADIES' ALTAR SOCIETY

Dues are now payable for the Ladies' Altar Society. They are \$10.00. Checks should be made to St. Jules Ladies Altar Society

The Altar Society is open to all members of the parish. Their role is to take care of preparing the altar for Masses, cleaning of linens, order supplies for the Mass, and taking care of decorations for the different seasons.

For more information, please contact Mrs. Patsy Daigle at (225) 473-3082.

## MASS INTENTIONS

### Saturday, January 20

4:00 PM - *St. Elizabeth* - For the People

### Sunday, January 21

8:30 AM - *St. Jules* - Raymond & Doris Blanchard, Joan Newchurch, Anna Mae Charlet, Kim Charlet Family, Rachel, Margaret & Kent Morris, Rita Charlet, Rose M. Malarcher

10:45 AM - *St. Elizabeth* - Catherine Barbier Ardonne, Heidi Callegan, Mr. & Mrs. Camile Esneault & Parents, Mr. & Mrs. Alex Callegan & Parents, Jesse Dugas, John Harris Savoie

### Monday, January 22

6:00 PM - *St. Jules* - Rita Charlet

### Tuesday, January 23

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

### Friday, January 26

7:40 AM - *St. Elizabeth* -

### Saturday, January 27

4:00 PM - *St. Elizabeth* - Herman & Nelia Cedotal, Alma & Paul Daigle, Sr., Mr. & Mrs. Paul R. LeBlanc, Jerry, Justileon, & Lena Blanchard, Jackie & Allen Daigle, Honor of Aidan Franco

### Sunday, January 28

8:30 AM - *St. Jules* - For the People

10:45 AM - *St. Elizabeth* - Sam Klack, Albert & Bernice Comeaux, Mr. & Mrs. Eddie Daigle, Wilbert Daigle, Joe Daigle, Merlin & Daisy Boudreaux, Eves & Mary St. Germain, Mrs. Olga F. Dufresne (mother of Fr. Vincent Dufresne), Matthew Liberty, Honor of Aidan Franco

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### 2018 ST. ELIZABETH SCHOOL SPORTING CLAY SHOOT

St. Elizabeth School is excited to announce our fourth annual Sporting Clay Shoot sponsored by Sagona's Hardware & Landry Brothers Farms at Southern Shooting Center in Thibodaux, Louisiana on Saturday, February 3rd, at 7:30 am. All proceeds from this shoot will benefit St. Elizabeth School, the last remaining Catholic School in Assumption Parish. We have several types of sponsorships opportunities available. Whether you are a shooter, alumni, or just a supporter, get name recognition for your business or as an individual by having your name displayed at the shooting range for the 2018 St. Elizabeth School Clay Shoot. Thank you in advance for your support of St. Elizabeth School.

Registration is now open, and we encourage you to register early in order to secure a spot and a t-shirt for the event! For registration forms call our office at 225-473-8569 or St. Elizabeth School at 985-369-7402. Registration forms can also be printed off of the schools website at [sescubs.com](http://sescubs.com)