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ST. ELIZABETH SETON CATHOLIC CHURCH WEEKLY BULLETIN

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## OFFICE HOURS

**Monday–Thursday**

8:30AM –12:30PM 1–3:30PM

## MASS SCHEDULE

**Saturday (anticipated) 4:15PM**

**Sunday 8:15AM, 10:15AM, 6:15PM**

**Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 7:15AM**

**Wednesday 5:30PM**

**Confessions** heard daily 30 minutes before Mass.

**Confessions** heard Saturdays from 3:30 - 4:00PM.

**Children’s Church** is held at 10:15AM masses. Children 4 years old up to first communion are invited to participate in their own celebration of the Liturgy of the Word. Simply bring children to the baptistry 10 minutes before mass begins.



## PARISH STAFF

**Rev. David Hebert**, Pastor

**Deacon Nelson Schexnayder**, Deacon

**Deacon Michael Morrison**, Deacon

**Deacon Ronald Chauvin**, Deacon

**Linda Souther**

Secretary

**Gerrie Baumbouree**

Director of Religious Education / Safe Environment

**Marc Conque**

4:15 & 8:15 Music Minister

**Michael Grado**

10:15 Choir Director

**Francis LeBlanc**

6:15 Music Minister

**Elmary Francis**

Bulletin Editor & Bookkeeper

**Tonia Harrington**

First Communion/ First

Penance Coordinator, &

Preschool Religious Education

**Diane Triche**

Welcome & Visitation Minister

## **BAPTISM**

Registration during the early stages of pregnancy for the Baptism course is strongly recommended.

## **CONFIRMATION**

All students, including those in Catholic schools, are to register in August of their junior year of high school. Call the office for registration requirements.

## **FIRST PENANCE AND FIRST COMMUNION**

All children, including those in Catholic schools, should be registered at the beginning of their second grade year in order to participate in the sacramental preparation.

## **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

- First through tenth -graders meet on Tuesday evenings, October-April.
- Vacation Bible School, for children ages 4-10, is held for one week each summer.
- Confirmation students must complete 24 hours of high school religious education prior to their junior year.
- Adults wishing to learn more about their Catholic faith, including those wishing to become members of the Catholic Church, should call the office to speak with Gerrie Baumbouree.

## **SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE**

The church can be reserved only after meeting with the priest to begin marriage preparation for the couple. It is recommended that an appointment be made at least one (1) year in advance of the anticipated date of the wedding. Marriage preparation requirements, policies and guidelines are reviewed and must be completed prior to any marriage in the church.

## **COMMUNION FOR THE HOMEBOUND**

Please call the office to speak with Diane Triche.

Online Giving



**Fifth Sunday of Easter**

**April 29, 2018**



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# Cross Catholic Outreach

Rev. James V. Quinlan

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We welcome Fr. James Quinlan of Cross Catholic Outreach who is speaking this weekend at all Masses on behalf of the poor in developing countries. Cross Catholic Outreach was founded to create a meaningful link between parishes in America and the priests and nuns working in the Church overseas in the Caribbean, Africa, Asia, Central and South America

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HOSPICE OF ACADIANA

Hospice of Acadiana will host its 20th Annual "Hit the Road with Hospice" Raffle. Tickets for the raffle are \$20 each and can be purchased online at Hospice of Acadiana or at any Sterling Automotive Dealership, Meritas Credit Union, or Gauthier's RV Center. Tickets can also be purchased by calling the Hospice office at 232-1234. The main prize for this year's raffle will be a new 2018 Hyundai Santa Fe Sport. Other prizes include a Travel camper and a trip. All proceeds will go towards supporting Hospice of Acadiana and their functions for end of life care and support services for patients and their families. Thank you for your support to Hospice of Acadiana!

## MASS INTENTIONS

### MONDAY, APR 30

7:15AM Yolanda Paul (BD), Donald C. Paul, Donald M. Paul, Hayes Boudreaux

### TUESDAY, MAY 1

7:15AM Shine & Mary Domingue, Denelige Breaux, Ashton Breaux, Charlotte Domingue, Paul & Ina Savoie, Shannon Savoie

### WEDNESDAY, MAY 2

5:30PM M/M Pierre Stelly

### THURSDAY, MAY 3

7:15AM Jules & Irma (AD) Broussard & fly., Jules & Mathilde Broussard & fly., Bella Hernandez, Yvonne Hernandez, Gussie Hernandez

### FRIDAY, MAY 4

7:15AM Jules & Irma Broussard & fly., Jules & Mathilde Broussard & fly., Joe Gresko (BD), Alton Olivier, Dean McKee, Lance Champagne (AD), Mike Champagne

### SATURDAY, MAY 5

4:15PM Curley Hebert, John, Agnes &

Rena Lemaire, Alozia Benoit, Doris Jane Hebert, Hayes Boudreaux, Joseph E. Valentour, Jr., M/M Joseph E. Valentour, Sr., Roy, Cora & Paul Gauthier, Kristan V. Fauntelory, Fred & Roy Souther, Roy & Georgette Caubarreaux, Slim & Lois Souther, Sandra Oppenheimer, Paul Oppenheimer, Sr., Lloyd Pablovich, James Chiasson & fly., M/M Pierre Stelly

**SANCTUARY LAMP:** In memory of Jules & Irma (AD) Broussard

### SUNDAY, MAY 6

8:15AM Mass for the people, Velma Gaudet, Victoria Pepitone, Tyler Jacob Myers, Gil Gomzales, Jolynda Comeaux, Vivian Guidry, Bryan Huval, Russell Breaux, M/M Abel Breaux

10:15AM Stephanie Vincent, Jacques Martin, Harris Martin, M/M Antoine Vincent, Sr., M/M Edias Hebert, Dudley Hebert & Wyonne Hebert, M/M Herbert Palombo, Jean, Pat, Flaman Palombo, Elson J. Broussard, Mitchell Brown, Olin Brown, Mr. E.P. Arceneaux (BD), Ann Guidry, Charles Bundrick, Jr., Roger Baudin, Jr., Donna Baudier

6:15PM Percy & Edith Armand, Pierre & Laura Armand

*B=Birthday, WA=Wedding Anniv., AD=Anniv. of Death*

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
APR 29	30	MAY 1	2	3	4	5
				6:00PM First Communion Practice, C		3:30PM Confession Building & Maintenance Fund Second Collection
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## PARISH DATE

3 FIRST COMMUNION PRACTICE Thursday, May 3, at 6:00PM in Church.

5/6 BUILDING & MAINTENANCE SECOND COLLECTION Next weekend, at all Masses.

6 FIRST COMMUNION Sunday, May 6, at 2:00PM in Church.

SUN CHILDREN'S CHURCH (10:15 AM)

TUES ADORATION (7:45AM til Wed 4:00PM)

TUES AA (7:00 PM)

WED ROSARY GROUP (10AM)

## Liturgical Minister's Schedule

**May 5 - 6, 2018**

**Saturday, 4:15PM**

Hospitality Coor.	Hospitality Min	Eucharist Coor.	Eucharist Min.	Altar Servers	Readers
Yvonne Guidry	Celeste Guy Elsie Chaisson Curlis Daigle Hattie Andrews	Nell Sheets	Deacon Mike Helen Bajat	Zachary Guy Colin Crevier	Justina Ina Paul Lemaire

**Sunday, 8:15AM**

Tom Woods	Dennis Ceasar Raymond Gaudet Francis Delhomme Arline Ledet	Brigette Firmin	Dale Firmin Jackie Ceasar	Anna Firmin Joshua Firmin Ethan Stevens	Wayne Wills
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**Sunday, 10:15AM**

Carolyn Stith	Thomas Stith Ima Williams Catherine Richard Youlanda Joseph	Dale Bourgeois	Deacon Nelson M'Liss Schexnayder	Keegan Leger Morgan Duplechin	Kevin Carrier Mia Tolliver
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**Sunday, 6:15PM**

Tonia Harrington	Holden Harrington Jonas Harrington Mollie Comeaux Alexis Hebert	Carol Perrio	Lloyd Higginbotham Amanda Barry	Ava Sorlie Katelyn Sorlie	Kim Prejean Pat Cottonham
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**May 12 - 13, 2018**

**Saturday, 4:15PM**

Darrel Landry	Rebecca Theriot Zachary Guy Leslie Prejean Lane Prejean	Winnie Savant	Deacon _____ Doris Begnaud	Ayden Gennuso Rylie Gennuso	Annette Chapman Gayle Landry
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**Sunday, 8:15AM**

Brent Jagneaux	John C. Tolliver Larry Marks Dawn Womack Kory Womack	Greg Landry	Deacon _____ John Tolliver	Etta Chisholm Kane Chisholm Olivia Tolliver	Rachael Tolliver
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**Sunday, 10:15AM**

Gerald Frederick	Claudette Frederick Keith Biagas Carl Trahan Cindy Trahan	Pro Boudreaux	Deacon _____ Clayton Hanks	Jacob Monic Paige Barthlemy	Germaine Breaux Felice Hanks
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**Sunday, 6:15PM**

Steven Hoffpaur	Lisa Patin Todd Patin Melonie Drennan Merril Dickerson	Jason Noel	Deacon _____ Mona Bodoïn	Leon Noel Caleb Bodoïn	Christie Noel Carol Malbrough
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# PASTOR'S CORNER

April 28 - 29, 2018

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ Jesus,

This is the third part of answering the question of “How God Speaks To Us?” In the first part we addressed Sacred Tradition. In the second part we talked about Sacred Scripture or the Bible. Today we will explore the role of the Magisterium. To refresh our memories I want to remind us of “How God speaks To Us?”

As from the first, God speaks to His Church through the Bible and through Sacred Tradition. To make sure we understand Him, He guides the Church’s teaching authority – the magisterium – so it always interprets the Bible and Tradition accurately. This is the gift of infallibility. Like the three legs on a stool, the Bible, Tradition, and the magisterium are all necessary for the stability of the Church and to guarantee sound doctrine.

Together the pope and the bishops form the teaching authority of the Church, which is called the magisterium (from the Latin for “teacher”). The teachings related to the magisterium are found in the Catechism of the Catholic Church numbers 85-87 and 888-892. The magisterium, guided and protected from error by the Holy Spirit, gives us certainty in matters of doctrine. The Church is the custodian of the Bible and faithfully and accurately proclaims its message, a task that God has empowered it to do.

Keep in mind that the Church came before the New Testament, not the New Testament before the Church. Divinely inspired members of the church wrote the books of the new Testament, just as divinely inspired writers had written the Old Testament, and the Church guided by the Holy Spirit to guard and interpret the entire Bible, both Old and New Testaments.

Such an official interpreter is absolutely necessary if we are to understand the Bible properly. (We all know what the Constitution says, but we still need a Supreme Court to interpret what it means.) The magisterium is infallible when it teaches officially because Jesus promised to send the Holy Spirit to guide the apostles and their successors “into all truth.” (Pillar of fire-Pillar of truth, Catholic Answers.)

In the Gospel of John 16:12-15 we read “I have yet many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth; for he will not speak on his own authority, but whatever he hears he will speak, and he will declare to you the things that are to come. He will glorify me, for he will take what is mine and declare it to you. All that the Father has is mine; therefore I said that he will take what is mine and declare it to you.

And so we come to understand that God speaks to us in three ways: Sacred Tradition, Sacred Scripture and the Magisterium. To get a complete picture and an accurate understanding of what God tells us we need all three legs of the stool to help us to know God’s love for each of us.

God Bless,

Fr. David

## ST. LEO-SETON KNIGHT OF COLUMBUS SAUSAGE PO-BOY SALE



The Knights of Columbus Council 5345 will host a Sausage Po-Boy Sale on **Sunday, May 6<sup>th</sup>**, from 10:30AM to 1:00PM at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 506 E. Gloria Switch Road. For only a \$5 donation, you will receive a Sausage Po-Boy and a bag of Chips. Please jot down the date and time to come by and support us. Thanks!

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### “Miracles Do Happen!”

“Grasping Catholicism’s Supernatural Treasures”

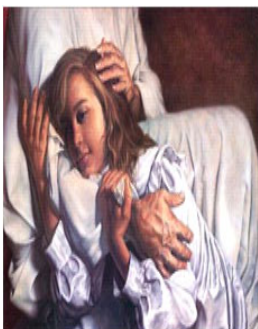
#### Fullness of Truth Catholic Conference

Fullness of Truth invites you to their “Miracles Do Happen!: Grasping Catholicism’s Supernatural Treasures” conference, at **St. Pius X Catholic Church** on **May 4<sup>th</sup>-5<sup>th</sup>, 2018**. Speakers include: Msgr. Eduardo Sanchez, Michael O’Neill, and John Iannone. Come hear captivating presentations and scientific evidence supporting miraculously inexplicable Catholic treasures such as St. Juan Diego’s tilma, the Shroud of Turin, Eucharistic miracles, Incorruptible Saints, and many other supernatural manifestations. To register & more details, visit: [FullnessOfTruth.org](http://FullnessOfTruth.org) or call (877) 218-7884.

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### Women’s Prayer Breakfast

“Resting in God’s Goodness”



**When: May 5<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

**Time: 9AM - 12:00NOON**

**Where: St. Joseph Church  
232 St. De Porres Street,  
Broussard**

**Cost: \$10.00 per person**

**Registration: 8:30AM**

For more information, contact the Church Office at 837-6218.

## Online Giving

St. Elizabeth Seton Catholic Church now offers electronic giving as a way to automate your offertory donations. Electronic giving is convenient so that when travelling, illness or other circumstances prevent you from attending services, this program will allow your offerings to continue on an uninterrupted basis.

To set up a recurring giving schedule, visit us online at [www.setonchurch.org](http://www.setonchurch.org) and locate the **Online Giving** button located on the Home Page.

Or, you can use the QR code on the front of this bulletin on your smart phone!

*If you choose this method of electronic giving, and you receive envelopes, please call the office (235-1483) to cancel the mailing of envelopes!*

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### HOMEBOUND

If you are a parishioner who is homebound or know a parishioner who is homebound and unable to attend Mass, Diane Triche, our Minister to the Sick and Homebound, would like to bring Communion to you or another parishioner on a weekly basis while you are unable to come to church. Please call the office at 235-1483, leave your name and phone number for Diane Triche, and she will return your call in a timely manner. Diane can also be reached at [setonvisit@gmail.com](mailto:setonvisit@gmail.com).

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### Companions Along the Journey

Companions Along the Journey is a bereavement support group for those 18 years of age or older.

Morning meetings are held on the first Saturday of each month from 9:00 - 11:00AM at St. Peter Church (102 North Church Street, Carencro) in the St. Anne AV Room. For more information contact Karol Meynard by telephone at 261-5607, 257-9467 or email at [kmeynard@diolaf.org](mailto:kmeynard@diolaf.org) or [karolmeynard@gmail.com](mailto:karolmeynard@gmail.com)

Evening meetings are available on the second Thursday of each month from 6:30-8:30PM. These meetings are hosted by Sts. Peter & Paul Church (1110 Old Spanish Trail, Scott), in Room #1 of the new CCD building. For more information about these meetings, please contact Carla Olivier at 654-8917.





April 28 - 29, 2018 —

### > The Communion Rite in the Mass

The prayer that we “dare to say” was given to us by Jesus. It likely was assigned to be prayed just before the reception of Holy Communion because of the petition for daily bread and the promotion of mutual forgiveness. Matthew and Luke both record the Lord’s Prayer. Luke’s version is shorter and likely closer to the original. The full text of Matthew’s version was proclaimed three times a day by the faithful in early Christianity. “For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours” echoes the words of King David (1Chr 29:10-11).

The *Informed Catholics* monthly column can be found on our church website.

### Quo Vadis Camp 2018

Attention all Catholic young men ages 15-25: do you know where your life is going? The Lord Jesus has a specific plan for your life, a particular path to be and to do something great for his kingdom! Come discover what it is at the Seventh Annual Quo Vadis Days Camp. At QVD you will spend time with other young men your age serious about hearing the Lord’s voice in their lives and following him. These are blessed days of prayer, fun, and fraternity. You will learn to pray better and make great friends. QVD is led by priests and seminarians of the Diocese of Lafayette and is sponsored by the Diocesan Office of Vocations. QVD will be held from **Tuesday, June 26<sup>th</sup> to Thursday, June 28<sup>th</sup>** at Our Lady of Sorrows Retreat Center in St. Martinville. There is no cost to attend the camp. Registration forms are available on [lafayettevocations.org](http://lafayettevocations.org). For more information, contact Father Patrick Broussard, Director of Vocations; [vocations@diolaf.org](mailto:vocations@diolaf.org) or call 261-5690.

### SMALL TASKS

Each small task of everyday life is part of the total harmony of the universe.

- St. Therese of Lisieux

### Les Jeunes Chanteurs d’Acadie



**L**es Jeunes Chanteurs d’Acadie, a renowned Catholic youth choir from the Acadian Region of Canada will perform at a Diocese of Lafayette Mass during the weekend of Festival International. The 50 member choir of children ages 10-14 will sing the **11AM Mass on Sunday, April 29, at the Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist**. The Mass will be celebrated by Bishop Douglas Deshotel.

*The group will also perform on stage at Festival International.*

Please join us to be part of this goodwill tour celebrating the strong ties between members of the Acadian Community of Canada and their Louisiana cousins.

### SEMINARIAN PRAYER CALENDAR

All are encouraged to pray for our Seminarians as they study to become faith-filled followers and leaders of Christ. Below is a list of those to pray for this week:

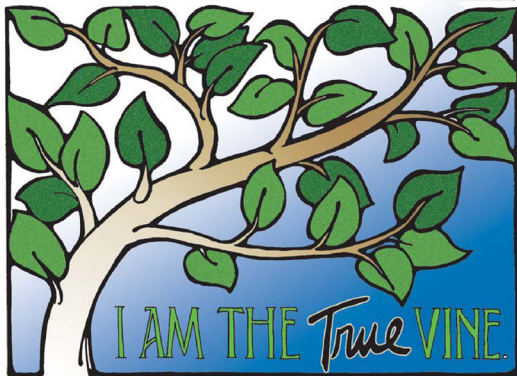
- \* Monday, Apr. 30<sup>th</sup> - Donald Bernard
- \* Tuesday, May 1<sup>st</sup> - Brother John Joseph, CJC
- \* Wednesday, May 2<sup>nd</sup> - Joseph Boustany
- \* Thursday, May 3<sup>rd</sup> - Alex Cormier
- \* Friday, May 4<sup>th</sup> - Randy Courville
- \* Saturday, May 5<sup>th</sup> - Myles Creek
- \* Sunday, May 6<sup>th</sup> - Tanner Darbonne

**Prayer:** O God, who wills not the death of a sinner but rather that he be converted and live, grant we beseech you, through the intercession of the Blessed Mary, ever Virgin, Saint Joseph, her spouse, Blessed Junipero Serra and all the saints, an increase of laborers for Your Church, fellow laborers with Christ to spend and consume themselves for souls, through the same Jesus Christ Your Son who lives and reigns with You in the unity of the Holy Spirit God forever and ever. Amen.

## LIVING BRANCHES

The Gospel and second reading for this Fifth Sunday of Easter emphasize the need for us to remain in Christ, and he in us. This shared life finds expression in the image of the one vine and many branches. We become living branches of the vine, members of the Body of Christ through baptism, Eucharist, and confirmation, sacraments of sharing God's own life. The First Letter of John describes the fruit of this vine as active love of neighbor: "And his commandment is this: we should believe ... and love one another" (1 John 3:23).

Our first reading from Acts shows us an example of someone who shares in Christ's life in the person of Saint Paul. Paul's fearless witness, even at the risk of his life, is proof to everyone that the risen Lord's Spirit truly fills him with life and is bearing fruit in him.



## TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

In medieval times, one country, Scotland, linked its economy to the liturgy. Four holy days of the church calendar were keyed to the legal year. On these days, rents were due, clergy and servants were paid, and contracts and leases would begin or end. The term days were Pentecost (called Whitsunday), the Feast of Saint Martin on November 11 (Martinmas), the Feast of the Presentation on February 2 (Candlemas), and August 2 (Lammas), a harvest festival. On Lammas day, the first loaf of bread from the summer wheat harvest was given to the village priest. After the Reformation, which swept the Catholic festivals away, the term days were gradually detached from the feasts. It was only in 1990 that the term days were anchored on the 28th of February, May, August, and November. Today the old Scottish universities are the last hold-outs, still naming their terms or semesters after the old festivals. Scottish students today may not know about the liturgical year, but they still call the fall term Martinmas, and the spring session Candlemas.

- Rev. James Field, Copyright @ J.S. Paluch Co.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

- \* **Saturday/Sunday, April 28/29** - Cross Catholic Outreach Mission Appeal at all Masses.
- \* **Thursday, May 3** - First Communion Practice at 6:00PM in Church.
- \* **Saturday/Sunday, May 5/6** - Building & Maintenance Fund Second Collection at all Masses.
- \* **Sunday, May 6** - First Communion at 2:00PM in Church. Children meet at 1:00PM in the Family Center.
- \* **Thursday, May 10** - Pastoral Council Meeting at 6:00PM in the Ministries Building.

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## PRAY FOR OUR PRIESTS

All are encouraged to pray for the priests who work in the Diocese of Lafayette each day. Every day there is a specific intention for one of our priests for special consideration; the specific **intentions this week are:**

- \* Monday, Apr. 30<sup>th</sup> - Rev. Emmanuel Awe, SSJ
- \* Tuesday, May 1<sup>st</sup> - Pope Francis
- \* Wednesday, May 2<sup>nd</sup> - Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI
- \* Thursday, May 3<sup>rd</sup> - Bishop J. Douglas Deshotel
- \* Friday, May 4<sup>th</sup> - Bishop Emeritus Michael Jarrell
- \* Saturday, May 5<sup>th</sup> - Rev. Matthew Barzare
- \* Sunday, May 6<sup>th</sup> - Rev. Hebert Bennerfield

**Prayer:** Eternal Father, we lift up to you these and all the priests of the world. Sanctify them. Heal and guide them. Mold them into the likeness of your Son Jesus, the Eternal High Priest. May their lives be pleasing to you. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

## WEEKLY DONATION

**April 22, 2018**

Offertory:	\$9,647.00
Building Fund:	740.00
Other Donations:	291.00
Catholic Home Missions	919.00
Total:	\$11,597.00

**Thank you for your generosity.**