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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



Sixth Sunday of Easter

May 6, 2018



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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, Meritus 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!



First Communion 2018

Please keep the little ones listed below in your prayers as they will receive the Sacrament of First Communion this Sunday.

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| Marlo Atkinson | Caiden Guidry |
| Mackenzie Begnaud | Jaylynn Guillot |
| Addison Bellard | Karlie Hebert |
| Graci Bellard | Madison Hill |
| Mollie Benoit | Caitlin Hoffpauir |
| Brennan Brown | Marah Huval |
| Jaxon Bundrick | Levi Kidder |
| Bailee Burt | Kolton Kling |
| Gretchen Carlson | Londyn Lake |
| Kinzley Champagne | Violet Laper |
| Bailey Charles | Noah Leger |
| Mason Citron | Lilly Mackay |
| Lilrose Collins | Jonah Mahan |
| Lily Comeaux | Laeton Martin |
| Drew Danenberg | Landon Matte |
| Emma Danenberg | Sean Mendoza |
| Sophie Danenberg | Mia Mire |
| Reece Darbonne | Tre'ine Patio |
| Riley Darbonne | Bella Prejean |
| Aubrey David | Hudson Prejean |
| Brayden Douet | William Reed |
| Madison Duplechin | Amelie Savoie |
| Camron Eames | Andrew Soileau |
| Tristen Fontenot | Londyn Stallworth |
| Bently Forrestier | Garrett Sullivan |
| Emily Fortier | Maeson Theriot |
| Kerrigan Frederick | Mallory Thibodeaux |
| Aleena George | Ryder Thomas |
| Ayanna George | Alyse Womack |
| Abigail Guidry | Kennedy Woods |

MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, MAY 7

7:15AM Mitchell Brown, Mary (BD) & Olin Brown, Debbie Hash

TUESDAY, MAY 8

7:15AM Demus Comeaux, Roberta Guilbeaux, M/M Andrew Kritzer

WEDNESDAY, MAY 9

5:30PM M/M Pierre Stelly, Louis Dooley, AG Domingue, Angelique Sonnier

THURSDAY, MAY 10

7:15AM M/M Eraste Primeaux, E. J. Primeaux, Lula Mae Primeaux Trahan

FRIDAY, MAY 11

7:15AM Shine & Mary Domingue, Denelige Breaux, Ashton Breaux, Charlotte Domingue, Paul & Ina Savoie, Shannon Savoy, Jeanne Guilbeau, Brandi Champagne

SATURDAY, MAY 12

4:15PM Larry, Claudia, Leon Miller, Alcee, Milda Bernard, Marella Mouton, Lenora, Aaron Benoit, John, Agnes & Rena Lemaire, Alozia Benoit, Doris Jane Hebert, Fred & Roy Souther, Souther fly., Lynch fly., Joseph E. Valentour, Jr., M/M

Joseph E. Valentour, Sr., Roy, Cora & Paul Gauthier, Kristan V. Fauntelory, Theresa Demouchet, Mary Demouchet, Clara Soularie, Mable Demouchet, Noelle Corbett, M/M Pierre Stelly, Manuel Mayeaux

SUNDAY, MAY 13

8:15AM Mass for the people, Bradley P. Carlin, Victoria M. Pepitone (AD), Tyler Jacob Myers, Gil Gonzalez, Inez Camelle, Greta Pollock, Lena Pollock, Karen Borel, Kelli Sebastian, Traci Cooley, Haley Margan, Bradford Millett, Pat Howse, Rene Fontenot, Bonnie Harrison, Gayle Begnaud, Judy Richard, Sandra Matthieu, Charmonee Baugh, Jeanette Matthieu, Wilda Speyer, Ramona Benton, Doris Jane Hebert, Georgette Caubarreaux, Lois Souther, Simon, Barbara & Byron Latour

10:15AM Bradley P. Carlin, Jolynda Comeaux, Vivian Guidry, Jessica Begnaud, Mitchell Brown, Olin Brown, Beulah Stelly, Charles Bundrick, Roger Baudier, Jr., Donna Baudier, Lorraine Higginbotham, Keysha Bellard, Dana Higginbotham, Ursula Elkins, Rita Meche, Mary L. Bellard

6:15PM Mayo & Barbara Landry, Gary Landry, Diana Viator, Sharon Borel

MEMORIAL FLOWERS: In memory of John & Agnes Lemaire

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

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
MAY 6 Building & Maintenance Fund Second Collection 2:00PM First Communion, C	7	8	9	10 6:00PM Pastoral Council Meeting, MB	11	12 3:30PM Confession
13 Happy Mother's Day	14 6:30PM Stewardship Committee Meeting, MB	15	16	17	18	19 3:30PM Confession

PARISH DATE

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

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

10 PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING Thursday, May 10, at 6:00PM in Minister Building.

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 12 - 13, 2018 Saturday, 4:15PM

Hospitality Coor.	Hospitality Min	Eucharist Coor.	Eucharist Min.	Altar Servers	Readers
Darrel Landry	Rebecca Theriot Zachary Guy Leslie Prejean Lane Prejean	Winnie Savant	Deacon _____ Doris Begnaud	Ayden Gennuso Rylie Gennuso	Annette Chapman Gayle Landry

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 Hoffpauir	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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May 19 - 20, 2018 Saturday, 4:15PM

Eric Thompson	Burnel Moreau Justina Ina Michelle Marks Linda Souther	Kacee Thompson	Deacon Nelson Cindy Conque	Mary Thompson Lauren Buford	Paulette Lemelle Wilda Marks
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Sunday, 8:15AM

Kevin Prejean	Lisa Prejean Ida Fusilier Jakori Fusilier John Citron	Wayne Wills	Ina Courville Joe Courville	Jaidyn Fusilier Morgan Citron Taylor Miller	Gretta Pollock
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Sunday, 10:15AM

Joanna Cormier	Mary Baudoin Mike Baudoin Austin Champagne Nelda Martin	Robley Domingue	Deacon Mike Mary Crochet	Blaise Bundrick Cole Bundrick	Al Anderson Barbara Batiste
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Sunday, 6:15PM

John Gossen	Luke Gossen Olivia Ewing Tammy Richard Tina Thibodeaux	Billy Daigle	Denise Delahoussaye Lorita Brisco	Sam Gossen William Ballanco	Suzanne Daigle Glenn Delahoussaye
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PASTOR'S CORNER

May 5 - 6, 2018

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ Jesus,

“We have seen over the past few decades many Catholics leaving the Church or dropping out of religion entirely. Some have even joined other churches. But we have also seen the opposite. People of no religion, lapsed or inactive Catholics, and members of other Christian churches are “coming home to Rome.” They are attracted to the Church for a variety of reasons, but the chief reason they convert is the chief reason you should be Catholic: The solid truth of the Catholic faith.

Our separated brethren hold much Christian truth, but not all of it. We might compare their religion to a stained glass window in which some of the original panes were lost and have been replaced by opaque glass. Something that was present at the beginning is now gone, and something that does not fit has been inserted to fill up the empty space. The unity of the original window has been marred. When, centuries ago, they split away from the Catholic Church, the theological ancestors of these Christians eliminated some authentic beliefs and added new ones of their own making. The forms of Christianity they established are really incomplete Christianity.

Only the Catholic Church was founded by Jesus, and only it has been able to preserve all Christian truth without any error – and great numbers of people are coming to see this.

So what is our job as Catholics in the world today? Our tasks (job) as a Catholic, no matter what your age, are three:

Know your Catholic faith. You cannot live your faith if you do not know it, and you cannot share with others what you do not first make your own (CCC429). Learning your Catholic faith takes some effort, but it is effort well spent because the study is, quite literally, infinitely rewarding.

Live your Catholic faith. Your Catholic faith is a public thing. It is not meant to be left behind when you leave home (CCC2472). But be forewarned: Being a public Catholic involves risk and loss. You will find some doors closed to you. You will lose some friends. You will be considered an outsider. But, as a consolation, remember our Lord's words to the persecuted: “Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven (Matthew 5:12).

Spread your Catholic faith. Jesus Christ wants us to bring the whole world into captivity to the truth, and the truth is Jesus himself, who is “the way, and the truth, and the life” (John 14:6). Spreading the faith is a task not only for bishops, priests, and religious – it is a task for all Catholics (CCC 905).” (Pillar of fire-Pillar of truth, Catholic Answers.)

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 this **Sunday, May 6th**, 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!

MEMORIAL DAY PRAYER SERVICE

Hosted By: Lafayette Memorial Park Cemetery
Peace Chapel Mausoleum

2111 W. Pinhook Road

Monday, May 28, 2018

3:00PM

For more information call: (337) 235-3062

SPANISH & VIETNAMESE MASSES

St. Jules Church, 116 St. Jules Street, offers a Spanish Mass at 11:30AM and a Vietnamese Mass at 2:00PM, every Sunday. St. Jules also offers a bilingual First Friday Adoration at 6:00PM followed by Mass at 7:00PM.



Sponsored by Central Region
Diocese of Lafayette

The Central Deanery of the Diocese of Lafayette presents “**Food for the Journey**”, a monthly lunchtime speakers series designed to help Catholics live out our faith in our daily lives. Our speaker for **May** is **Rev. Anthony Anala, SVD, Pastor of**

St. Paul the Apostle Church, Lafayette. “Food for the Journey” will be held on Tuesday, May 8, 2018, at River Oaks Catering and Event Center Lafayette, 520 East Kaliste Saloom Road, beginning at 12:00NOON. An optional buffet is available for purchase beginning at 11:30AM. All are welcome to come “eat and be fed” – **please bring a friend!** Pre-registration is not required. For more information, please call Danielle Huval at 232-1322.

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 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!

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.

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 or 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.



May 5 - 6, 2018 —

Featured Book

> Evangelizing Catholics: A Mission Manual for the Evangelization by Scott Hahn, 2014

“You cannot keep the faith unless you give it away,” is the very essence of what it means to be a Christian evangelizer. Hahn’s “mission manual” equips readers with a roadmap that addresses three aspects of evangelization: the call, the response, and the message. According to Hahn, what is needed is a desire and commitment to enter into a deeper friendship with Christ, which spark a desire to share this relationship with others. Hahn offers practical ways to share one’s own friendship with Christ in one’s particular life situation.

Hahn emphasizes that the primary field of evangelization is the Catholic family. He counsels married couples to “strive to live the vows made on their wedding day”.

Scott stresses that mothers and fathers must become the primary evangelizers of their children, noting, “In the early Church, stable marriages graced by the sacraments and lived out through mutual support and respect helped make converts of millions. They can do the same today.”

In his book, Hahn writes how essential it is for effective evangelization that homes become places of prayer, with the Mass as the center of family life. The witness of charity in one’s family life is a shining light attracting others to Christ, both within the family and extending to others.

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

PRIDE

What better proof of your pride could you have given than to claim you were not proud?

- St. John Climacus

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 26th to Thursday, June 28th** 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. For more information, contact Father Patrick Broussard, Director of Vocations; vocations@diolaf.org or call 261-5690.

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, May 7th - Brent Didier
- * Tuesday, May 8th - Cameron Domingue
- * Wednesday, May 9th - Philip Domingue
- * Thursday, May 10th - Rev. Mr. Blake Dubroc
- * Friday, May 11th - Casey Dugas
- * Saturday, May 12th - John Dugas
- * Sunday, May 13th - Andrew Furka

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.

LOVE ONE ANOTHER

In the Gospel for the Sixth Sunday of Easter we are met with an extraordinary challenge: Jesus commands us to “love one another as I love you” (John 15:12). The letter from John echoes this command. Of course, we are to love those in our family, those we work with, those we like. But the scriptures make clear that we are also to love those we never notice, those we purposely avoid, and even those we are tempted to despise.

In this Sunday’s selection from the Acts of the Apostles Peter shows us how far God’s love extends, and how far our love should extend in response. Peter realizes that God no longer “shows partiality” to the Jews, sharing divine love exclusively with them. Christ has revealed that God’s love extends to all people, and so should ours.



TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

In ancient Rome, the beautiful month of May was dedicated to the goddess Flora, the patroness of flowers and new life. May I was considered the beginning of abundant growth, and a day for public festivals aimed at expelling winter. Even after Christianity took hold, the customs of the pagan feast lingered behind. Long ago, there was a thirty-day devotion to Mary, sometimes called “Lady Month,” which began on August 15. By the eighteenth century, the custom of assigning devotions to months of the year was developing. June, for example, was the month of the Sacred Heart, and October was for the Holy Rosary. Beginning with the Jesuit Order in Rome and spreading throughout the world, May has been celebrated as the month of Mary, the Blessed Mother, for more than two hundred years. That was a welcome remedy to some enduring pagan practices, such as maypole dancing and the crowning of the May Queen. Some historians say that in ancient times the May Queen was actually a human sacrifice. Devoting May to Mary is undoubtedly a better thing to do.

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

UPCOMING EVENTS

- * **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.
- * **Sunday, May 20** - Teurlings High School Seniors Honor Convocation Ceremony from 3:00 - 4:30PM in Church.
- * **Monday, May 21** - “Remember Me” at 6:30PM in the Ministries Building.

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, May 7th - Rev. Lloyd Benoit
- * Tuesday, May 8th - Rev. Paul Bergeron
- * Wednesday, May 9th - Rev. Conley Bertrand
- * Thursday, May 10th - Rev. Kenneth Bienvenu
- * Friday, May 11th - Rev. Paul Bienvenu
- * Saturday, May 12th - Very Rev. William Blanda, VF
- * Sunday, May 13th - Rev. Howard Blessing

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 29, 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.