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St. Elizabeth Seton Catholic Church Weekly Bulletin

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday–Thursday

8:30AM –12:00PM 12:30 –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:

Mon, Tues, Thur, Fri – 6:45AM

Wednesday – 5:00PM

Saturday – 3:30 – 4:00PM and By appointment

Children’s Church is held at 10:15AM mass. 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.



PARISH STAFF

Rev. David Hebert, Pastor

Deacon Nelson Schexnayder, 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

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



S **PARISH LENTEN MISSION (MARCH 9-11)** Our Parish Mission will be held this Monday thru Wednesday, March 9-11, from 6-7:00PM in Church. Our speaker will be Lance Strother with Lead Professionals Group. Please join us.

E **CENTRAL REGION PENANCE SERVICE** Thursday, March 12, from 6-7:30PM, here at St. Elizabeth Seton Church. There will be multiple priests available for confession. Please take advantage of this opportunity to participate in the sacrament.

S **2019 FINANCIAL TAX REPORT** Those in need of a copy of their 2019 financial report may request it by calling the office at (337) 235-1483. Please allow 2 days for it to be prepared.

Mass Intentions

Monday, March 9

7:15AM Joe Gresko, Gresko fly., Olivier fly.

Tuesday, March 10

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

Wednesday, March 11

5:30PM Melissa Loughman (BD)

Thursday, March 12

7:15AM Edward Boudreaux (BD), Nolan Pitre, Edla Pitre

Friday, March 13

7:15AM No Intentions

Saturday, March 14

4:15PM M/M Otis A. Broussard, Gerald L.

Landry, M/M Elie Broussard, M/M Ode Broussard, Fred & Roy Souther, Slim Souther (BD), Lois G. Souther, Agnes, John & Rena Lemaire, Keith Lemaire, Alozia Benoit, Larry, Claudia & Leon Miller, Alcee & Milda Bernard, Brenda Knight, Lee & Jane Hebert, Alvin "Papi" Guidry, M/M George Arceneaux, M/M Ivan Fontenot, Steve Arceneaux, Larry Arceneaux, Lou Ella Arceneaux, M/M Ferdie Arceneaux, Joseph E. Valentour, Jr., M/M Joseph E. Valentour, Sr., Kristan Fauntleroy, Roy, Cora & Paul Gauthier, Paul Earl Arceneaux, Troy Savoie, Leola Manuel, Abner Manuel

Sunday, March 15

8:15AM Mass for the people, Chad Hebert

10:15AM No Mass Intentions

6:15PM No Mass Intentions

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

REMEMBER ME



**Monday, March 16
6:30PM
Ministries Building**

A support group for caretakers, family, and friends of dementia/Alzheimer's patients. We meet on the third Monday of each month. Ideas and resources will be shared. For more information, please call the parish office at 235-1483 or contact Annette at SetonRememberMe@gmail.com

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
MAR 8 Daylight Saving Time Begins Building & Maintenance Fund Second Collection	9 5:45PM Confirmation Class, FC	10 5:30AM "That Man is You" FC	11 6:00PM RCIA, MB	12 6:00PM Central Region Penance Service, C	13 KoC Fish Fry Friday, FC	14 3:30PM Confession Bishop's Services Appeal Second Collection
15 Bishop's Services Appeal Second Collection	16 5:45PM Confirmation Class, FC 6:30PM Remember Me, MB	17 5:30AM "That Man is You" FC 6:30PM Knights of Columbus Meeting	18 6:00PM RCIA, MB 6:00PM Way of the Cross, C	19	20 KoC Fish Fry Friday, FC	21 3:30PM Confession Catholic Relief Services Second Collection

PARISH DATE

9-11 LENTEN MISSION Monday—Wednesday, March 9-11, from 6—7PM, nightly.

11 NO 6:00PM WAY OF THE CROSS Due to the Parish Mission, we will not have the 6:00PM Way of the Cross.

12 CENTRAL REGION PENANCE SERVICE Thursday, March 12, at 6:00PM, in Church.

SUN CHILDREN'S CHURCH (10:15AM)

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

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WED WAY OF THE CROSS (10:00AM)

Liturgical Minister's Schedule

March 14 - 15, 2020 Saturday, 4:15PM

Hospitality Coor.	Hospitality Min	Eucharist Coor.	Eucharist Min.	Altar Servers	Readers
Darrell Landry	Jackie Thomas Karl Barry Marie Alfred Clifton Alfred	Delores Gresko	Karen Barry Debbie Hebert Jackie Sturgis Elsie Chaisson Connie Thibodeaux / Nell Nelson	Justin Thomas Haleigh Thomas	Gayle Landry Doris Begnaud

Sunday, 8:15AM

Tim Duhon	Ida Fusilier Jakori Fusilier Dennis Ceasar Betty Landry	Sharon Hay	Deacon Ron Joe Courville Ina Courville Kaye Landry Jackie Ceasar / Lisa Miller	Jaidyn Fusilier Maeson Theriot	Hilary Ragan
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Sunday, 10:15AM

L J Olivier	Britany Clement Cindy Trahan Carl Trahan Mary Brown	Dale Bourgeois	Deacon Nelson Rhonda Foreman Jonel Leger Johnnie Marks Calvin Marks / Loretta Carriere	Aubree Brown Noah Leger Brice Leger Keegan Leger	Germaine Breaux Amy Fusilier
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Sunday, 6:15PM

John Gossen	Harry Benoit Dos Reis Acker Sam Gossen / Luke Gossen	Carol Perrio	Amanda Barry Virginia Mills	Dos Acker Max Champagne	Frenchesca Acker Troie Acker
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March 21 - 22, 2020 Saturday, 4:15PM

Hospitality Coor.	Hospitality Min	Eucharist Coor.	Eucharist Min.	Altar Servers	Readers
Karen Sonnier	Lane Prejean Leslie Prejean Daniel Himel Daryl Ann Himel	Nell Sheets	Deacon Nelson M'liss Schexnayder Ina Bernard Emma Champagne Heidi Champagne / Bruce Broussard	Ayden Gennuso Rylie Gennuso	Elmary Francis Pat Bernard

Sunday, 8:15AM

Tom Woods	Raymond Gaudet Jim Womack Rebecca Theriot Carolyn Broussard	Dale Firmin	Brigette Firmin Dee Dee Sewell Clay Sewell Sandra Jolivette Joddy Womack / Jordan Grider	Anna Firmin Joshua Firmin	Gretta Pollock
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Sunday, 10:15AM

Gerald Frederick	Elizabeth Broussard Noah Harris Sam Harris Claudette Frederick	Pro Boudreaux	Fred Lavergne Tom Meyers Alfreda Mouton Felice Hanks Clayton Hanks / Blake Landry	Jacob Monic Kylie Blanchard Paige Barthlemy Remi Sonnier	Barbara Batiste Libby Savoie
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Sunday, 6:15PM

Tonia Harrington	Jon Citron Bell Malveaux Tammy Richard / Tina Thibodeaux	Billy Daigle	Brynan Hebert Danielle Castille	Mason Citron Morgan Citron	Carol Malbrough Suzanne Daigle
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Diocese of Lafayette Bulletin Announcement

Office of Justice & Peace
1408 Carmel Drive
Lafayette, LA 70501

Phone: (337) 261-5545

Angola Bus Trip Scheduled

Sunday, March 22, 2020

**Bus Leaves 7:30 AM
From St. Paul's Catholic Church
(Corner of Simcoe and St. John Street, Lafayette)**

"Assisting individuals to stay in touch with family members in jail, will assist inmates returning to society to feel connected and part of a family."

U.S. Catholic Bishops on Restorative Justice

***Have a
loved one
at Angola?***

**Reserve your seat early:
Office of Justice & Peace
(337) 261-5545**

***Want
to
visit?***

Please note the following rules:

- Bring a current pictured Louisiana issued driver's license or current I.D.
- **Name must be on inmate's visiting list, if over 14 years of age.**
- If over 14 years of age, must also have a current Louisiana issued identification card.
- Children 13 years and under must be accompanied by an adult.
- No shorts, sleeveless shirts or T-Shirt—no exceptions.
- Ladies no purses, wallets only.
- No blue jeans.



This is made possible by the Catholic Diocese of Lafayette, no fee charged.

**FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT
Stephanie Bernard, Program Coordinator
Office of Justice & Peace 261-5545**

FOOD FOR THE JOURNEY

Tuesday, March 10, 2020

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 March is **Rev. Augustine Wall, SVD, Pastor at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church, Lafayette.** Food for the Journey will be held on **Tuesday, March 10**, at River Oaks Catering and Event Center Lafayette, 520 East Kaliste Saloom Road, beginning at 12:00NOON. Admission is \$3 to attend, and an optional buffet is available for purchase (\$14, which includes the price of admission) 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 (232-1322).

THE WATER FROM HEAVEN

As dry flour cannot be united into a lump of dough, or a loaf, but needs water, so we who are many cannot be made one in Christ Jesus without the water that comes from heaven.

- Irenaeus



Purchase your \$50 ticket(s) online at www.LourdesFoundation.com or text “Raffle” to 202-335-7436 for a chance to win a 2019 Jeep Wrangler or a 2019 Mazda CX-5 to be drawn on KATC-TV 3 news at 5pm on Wednesday, March 19, 2020 to benefit those in need in Acadiana. Call (337) 470-4005 for more information or email Lourdescarraffle@fmlhs.org.

Knights of Columbus 5345 Lent Fish Fry Fridays

The Knights of Columbus will be selling Fish Dinners every Friday during Lent. These dinners will be for pick-up only beginning at 5:00PM in the SES Family Center. **For only \$8.00 you will get: 3 fish strips, cole slaw, potato salad, bread and utensils. Only 200 plates to be sold each week.**

Thank you for supporting the Knights of Columbus.

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Food Drive

March 14-15, 2020

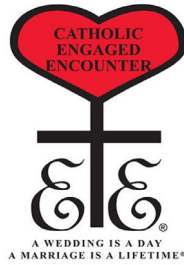


In observance of the Feast of St. Joseph, Patron Saint of the family and of the entire Church, our parish will conduct a Food Drive the weekend of March 14-15, 2020 to help the needy of our area through the St. Joseph Diner during this critical downturn in our economy! In the spring and summer, this organization experiences a shortage of food to hand out to those in need, because most of the drives are held in the fall. This drive is being organized to offer the support of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish Community. Special grocery bags will be distributed this weekend, March 7-8, 2020 for parishioners to fill. Please return the bags to St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church and place them in the Gathering Area no later than March 15, 2020. For more information, contact Karen Sonnier at 237-5451 or Gayle Landry at 232-3796.

HOMEBOUND MINISTRY

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. Please call the parish office at 235-1483, leave your name and phone number for Diane and she will return your call in a timely manner. Diane can also be reached at diane@setonchurch.org.

ENGAGED COUPLES



Spend a weekend away from the cares and distractions of everyday living. Attend a Catholic Engaged Encounter Weekend. The weekend is open to any engaged couple wanting to prepare for a deeper more meaningful life together in a marriage recognized by the Catholic Church according to its Church law. The upcoming weekend dates are **April 17-19, May 22-24**. For cost of the weekends, visit the website at www.lafayettecee.org or contact Paul & Carolyn Trahan at (337) 254-8947 or cee.trahan@gmail.com.

JOB OPPORTUNITY

The Diocese of Lafayette Central Office is currently accepting applications for the position of Custodial Coordinator. Interested parties are asked to submit a completed diocesan application for employment as well as their current resume. For further details and instructions on how to apply, please visit our employment page at www.diolaf.org/employment.

Red Bird Ministries presents

A workshop for couples of child loss!

St. Bernard Church March 14th, 2020
Breaux Bridge, LA 8:30AM to 6PM

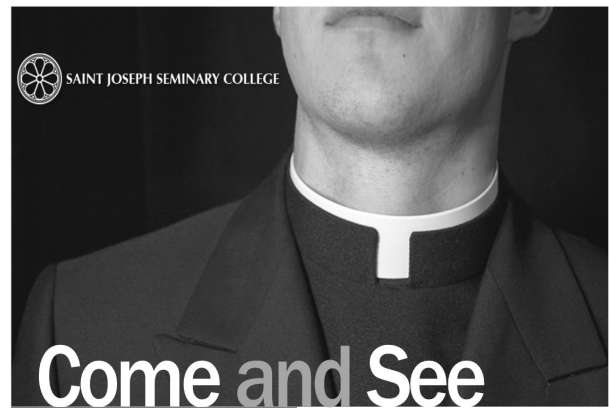
Registration: \$75 per couple
Lunch & materials
(Past Attendee \$45)



Sponsorship available, no questions asked
Childcare available \$10 per child, max family fee \$25
(lunch not provided for kids)

Couples are encouraged to come together. Presenters will be presenting and sharing as couples, small group, same loss.

Online registration can be found on our website at www.redbird.love/workshops.



SAINT JOSEPH SEMINARY COLLEGE

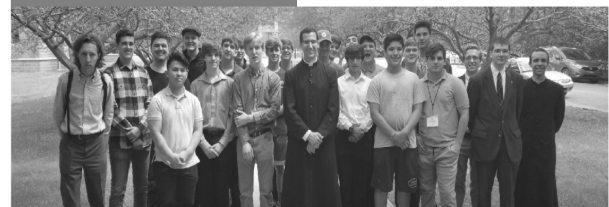
Come and See

If you are a Catholic young man who has wondered about the priesthood, this retreat is a perfect opportunity to check out seminary life and discern the vocation God desires for you.

Men, 16 years and older, this weekend is about how to discern God's call for your life. There is no cost. All meals are provided. Free transportation is provided from Lafayette.

Vocation Weekend Retreat
Palm Sunday - April 3-5, 2020

To register, contact
Fr. Patrick Broussard
Director, Office of Vocations
Diocese of Lafayette
337-261-5690
email vocations@diolaf.org
or visit
lafayettevocations.org



SEMINARIAN PRAYER CALENDAR

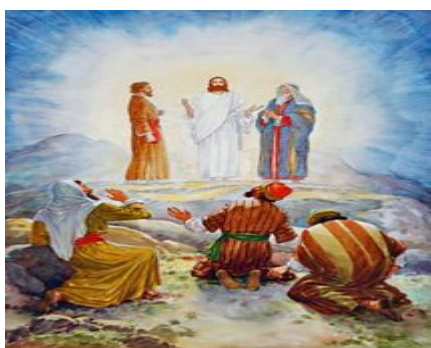
All are encouraged to pray for our Seminarians as they study to become faith-filled followers and leaders of Christ. Below is a list of those to pray for this week:

- * Monday, Mar. 9th - Joshua LaFleur
- * Tuesday, Mar. 10th - Alex Lancon
- * Wednesday, Mar. 11th - Cole Laurents
- * Thursday, Mar. 12th - Jacob LeBlanc
- * Friday, Mar. 13th - Bret Lee
- * Saturday, Mar. 14th - Calvin LeMaire
- * Sunday, Mar. 15th - Seth Lemaire

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.

CHANGE

Lent is all about change and change is usually not easy. In order to change we have to leave something behind. Today we hear about a very old man who decides to answer God's call. Abram experiences a tremendous amount of change when he leaves everything behind, risking it all for God's promise. Jesus changes, is transfigured, right before the eyes of his disciples. The Lenten scriptures issue the call for us to change, to be transfigured, so that we, too, will soon share in the glory of God. What is it that the Lord is asking us to leave behind? Are we willing to take the risk for the promise made by God? These questions are at the heart of the Lenten journey of conversion.



THE FIRST READING

Each Sunday, we listen to the scripture readings. The first reading usually comes from the Old Testament. "The New Testament lies hidden in the Old; the Old Testament comes, fully to light in the New," we read in the Introduction to the Lectionary, "Christ himself is the center and fullness of the whole of Scripture" (5). On Sundays, these readings usually have a close connection to the Gospel. In this season of Lent, for example, the Exodus account of the thirst of the Israelites in the desert is paired with the Samaritan woman's encounter with Jesus at the well. Ezekiel's vision of the Lord raising people from their graves is paired with the narrative of Christ raising Lazarus from the dead.

The readings are taken from many sources—historical books like Judges, Kings, and the Acts of the Apostles, prophets like Isaiah and Ezekiel, wisdom literature like Proverbs or Ecclesiastes. But no matter its genre, the first reading always ends, with the same acclamation: "The word of the Lord." The scriptures are written by human authors who wrote in widely different cultural and historical contexts, but these human authors are also divine instruments through whom God speaks to us. And so we say, "Thanks be to God."

-Corinna Laughlin, @ Copyright, J. S. Paluch Co.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- **Monday, March 9** - Confirmation Classes held at 5:45PM in the Family Center.
- **Monday, March 9 –11** - Lenten Parish Mission held nightly from 6-7PM in Church.
- **Tuesday, March 10** - "That Man is You" at 5:45AM, in the Family Center.
- **Tuesday, March 10** - Religious Education Classes held at their regularly scheduled times.
- **Wednesday, March 11** - RCIA classes held at 6:00PM in the Ministries Building.
- **Thursday, March 12** Central Region Penance Service from 6-7:30PM. There will be multiple priest available to hear confessions. Please take advantage of this opportunity.
- **Friday, March 13** - Knights of Columbus Fish Fry beginning at 5:00PM in the Family Center.

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, Mar. 9th - Rev. Cyprian Eze
- * Tuesday, Mar. 10rd - Rev. Richard Fabre
- * Wednesday, Mar. 11th - Rev. James Fallon, SSJ
- * Thursday, Mar. 12th - Rev. Joel Faulk
- * Friday, Mar. 13th - Rev. Kendal Faulk
- * Saturday, Mar. 14th - Rev. Emmanuel Fernandez
- * Sunday, Mar. 15th - Rev. Thomas Finley

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 DONATIONS

March 1, 2020

Offering	\$11,026.00
Building Fund:	1,145.00
Catholic Charities (Ash Wed.)	3,317.00
Black & Indian Mission	1,345.00
Other Donations:	698.00

Total: \$17,531.00