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St. Elizabeth Seton Catholic Church Weekly Bulletin

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday–Thursday: 8:30am –1:00pm
Closed: Friday – Sunday

MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday (anticipated): 4:00pm
Sunday: 8:00am, 10:00am, 6:00pm
First Saturday: 8:00am

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday: 7:00am
Wednesday: 5:30pm

Confessions:

Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri: 6:30-6:45am
Wednesday: 5:00-5:15pm
Saturday: 3:15 – 3:45pm
First Saturday: 7:30 – 7:45 am
By Appointment

Children’s Church is held at 10:00AM 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. **(Cancelled at this time)**

PARISH STAFF

Rev. David Hebert, Pastor

Dcn. Nelson Schexnayder, Deacon

Dcn. Ronald Chauvin, Deacon

Linda Souther – Secretary

Gerrie Baumbouree – Director of Religious Education & Safe Environment

Elmary Francis – Bulletin Editor & Bookkeeper

Diane Triche – Welcome & Visitation Minister

Marc Conque

4:00 & 8:00 Music Minister

Michael Grado

10:00 Music Minister

Francis LeBlanc

6:00 Music Minister



BAPTISM

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

CONFIRMATION

All students, including those in public and Catholic schools, 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 public and Catholic schools, register at the beginning of their second grade in order to participate in the sacramental preparation.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION (1st through 11th grades, including Confirmation)

- Registration for all sections of Religious Education is in August
- First through tenth grades meet on Tuesday evenings
- Confirmation classes meet on Monday evenings
- Vacation Bible School, for children ages 4-10, is held for one week each summer, when scheduled
- 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/Deacon to begin marriage preparation for the couple. It is recommended that an appointment be made 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.



Fourth Sunday of Easter



April 25, 2021

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Upcoming Second Collections for the Month

April 25
Catholic Home Missions Appeal

May 2
Building Fund

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KC Sausage Poboy Sale The Knights of Columbus will host a Sausage Poboy Sale on Sunday, May 2, from 10:30AM—1PM, in the Family Center. The cost is \$5, which consist of a Sausage Poboy and a bag of chips.

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Annual Mother's Day of Reflection The Annual Mothers' Day of Reflection will be held on **Wednesday, May 5, 2021** at the Immaculata Center (1408 Carmel Drive, Lafayette). Join us as Laura Huval, founder of Joyful Noise Ministries, discusses "Scripture & Song" and "Overwhelmed: How to Let Go" The day will begin promptly at 9:00AM and end at 2:00PM. The cost for the day is \$25.00, which includes your lunch and materials for the day. Visit www.diolaf.org/marriage to register. **Pre-registration is required no later than April 30th.**

Mass Intentions

Monday, April 26

7:00AM John Chapman

Tuesday, April 27

7:00AM Beverly Ann Gautreaux

Wednesday, April 28

5:30PM Joe Gresko (AD); M/M Michael Gresko; Alton Olivier

Thursday, April 29

7:00AM No Mass Intentions

Friday, April 30

7:00AM Sandra Guidry-Morris

Saturday, May 1

4:00PM Velma Gaudet; Agnes, John & Rena Lemaire; Keith Lemaire; Alozia Benoit; Valex Guilbeaux; Fred & Roy Souther; Lee & Jane Hebert; M/M Roy Tauzin, Sr.; Roy Tauzin, Jr.; Antoine & Julie Vincent; Dudley & Juanita Hebert; Herbert & Eunice Palombo; Pat, Flaman & Jean Palombo; M/M Edais Hebert; Winnan Hebert; Curley J. Hebert; Willard Lasseigne; Curlis Daigle; Lavergne Manuel & fly.; Olin Brown, Mitch Brown & Mary Brown fly.; Wade Brignac; Shane Smith; Brady Frederick

Sanctuary Light: In memory of Jules & Irma (AD) Broussaard

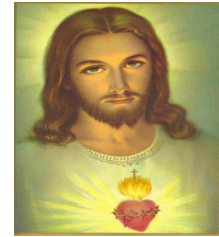
Sunday, May 2 Mass for the People

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

First Friday & Saturday Devotions



Blessed Virgin Mary
Saturday, May 1
8:00AM
Confessions heard at 7:30AM



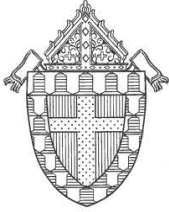
Sacred Heart of Jesus
Friday, May 7
7:00AM
Confessions heard at 6:45AM

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
APR 25	26	27	28	29	30	MAY 1
	5:30PM Pastoral/Finance Council Mtg., FC					8:00AM First Saturday Devotion
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
10:30AM-1PM K of C Sausage Poboy Sale, FC					7:00AM First Friday Mass	

SUN CHILDREN'S CHURCH (CANCELLED)

TUES ADORATION (10:00AM until Wed 4:00PM)

WED ROSARY GROUP (CANCELLED)



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Office of Vocations and Seminarians

MEMORANDUM

To: Pastor
From: Reverend Blake Dubroc
Director of Vocations
Date: April 12, 2021
Re: World Day of Prayer for Vocations

The Office of Vocations invites you to celebrate the 58th Anniversary of the *World Day of Prayer for Vocations on April 25, 2021*.

The following is a recent message from Pope Francis regarding World Day of Prayer for Vocations. If possible, please share this information on the website of your parish, with ministries and others in the community: <https://www.vaticannews.va/en/pope/news/2021-03/pope-francis-world-dayvocations-saint-joseph-fidelity.html>.

In addition, we would like to share other resources that are available to you and may be helpful to invite parishioners to pray for the vocation of the youth in their family, whether it be children, grandchildren, nieces or nephews. You can visit websites that offer more ideas, such as, lafayettevocations.com, USCCB (www.usccb.org) and Vianney Vocations (www.VianneyVocations.com.)

We would appreciate including the following ad from the USCCB in your bulletin.

Thank you!
Fr. Blake Dubroc

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The Fourth Sunday of Easter

APRIL 25, 2021

I am the good shepherd, says the Lord;
I know my sheep, and mine know me.

—Jn 10:14

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Catholic Home Missions Appeal 2021

Your support of the Catholic Home Missions Appeal strengthens the Church At Home. Over 40% of dioceses United States and its territories are considered mission territories, because they are unable to fund essential pastoral activities needed in their communities. Your support funds religious education, seminary formation, lay ministry training, and other programs that build vibrant faith communities right here in the United States. Prayerfully consider supporting the collection at this weekend! More information can be found at www.usccb.org/home-missions.



A *Catholic* GRIEF SUPPORT MINISTRY

RED BIRD MINISTRIES PRESENTS

A Mother's Day Reflection

**FOR MOMS OF OF LOSS AND FOR
WOMEN WHO HAVE LOST THEIR MOTHER**

Saturday May 1, 2021 | 8 a.m.- 2 p.m.

In-Person and Virtual

St. Bernard Catholic Church

The Borel Center

204 N. Main St.

Breaux Bridge, LA 70517

Register online at www.redbird.love/mothersday

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Join Us

CLOSING MASS

and celebration!

SATURDAY, MAY 1, 2021

ST. JOSEPH CHURCH | MILTON, LA

10:00 AM - 1:00 PM

JOIN US FOR MASS FOLLOWED BY A
FAMILY-FRIENDLY PICNIC AS WE CELEBRATE
THE CLOSE OF THE YEAR OF ST. JOSEPH
IN THE DIOCESE OF LAFAYETTE.

10:00 AM

**INDOOR MASS WITH
BISHOP DESHOTEL**

11:00 AM - 1:00 PM

**FOOD TRUCKS, MUSIC,
& GAMES OUTSIDE**



YEAR OF ST. JOSEPH

DIOCESE OF LAFAYETTE

ADORE. OBEY. SERVE.



Project Joseph
(for men suffering after an abortion) is coming
to the Diocese of Lafayette.

In honor of the year of St. Joseph, The Office of Pro-Life Apostolate will be offering the Diocese of Lafayette's first Project Joseph Retreat exclusively for men. This ministry offers men the opportunity to heal after an abortion. If you or someone you know would like to attend a Project Joseph Retreat, please call 261-5598. Upcoming retreat is scheduled for Summer of 2021! Pre-registration is required. All inquiries are confidential.

Rachel's Vineyard Retreat

A Rachel's Vineyard retreat weekend is an opportunity for any man, woman, couple, grandparent, sibling, or anyone who struggles with the emotional or spiritual pain of abortion. This weekend retreat provides participants the opportunity and space to enter the grieving process, identify effects the abortion has had and release deep feelings of anger, shame, and guilt that frequently accompany an abortion experience. This unique retreat process is designed specifically to help retreatants experience the gentleness, mercy and compassion of Jesus as they walk the journey from pain to forgiveness. The next retreat weekend is October 1-3. For more information about the retreat and/or to register contact, the Office of Pro-Life Apostolate, 261-5598. Pre-registration required. All inquiries are confidential.

Project Rachel

"There is no grief like the grief that does not speak." Henry Longfellow. The grief over an abortion experience is often so deep that it seems to be silent. Women and men may bear this burden for years thinking that there is no hope of forgiveness or peace. Project Rachel Post abortion healing ministry enables individuals to find understanding, forgiveness, healing and wholeness through the church's ministry of Project Rachel.

Project Rachel offers private sessions with trained facilitators at no charge for anyone who is suffering because of an abortion experience. Call Project Rachel at (337) 261-5598 to begin your journey of healing and reconciliation. *Project Rachel is funded through the Bishop's Services Appeal and is offered at no charge.*

SES Mobile App

Stay in touch with SES via our mobile app. Available on the App Store and Google Play, the *Our Church* app gives you quick access to helpful parish info. Once downloaded, just choose St. Elizabeth Seton Catholic Church in Lafayette, La. Then, anytime you open the app you'll see our local information. Download links are available on our website, SetonChurch.org.

St. Elizabeth Seton Quote



When so rich a harvest is before us, why do we not gather it? All is in our hands if we will but use it.

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, April 26th - Rev. Ambose Akalawu, CSSp
- * Tuesday, April 27th - Rev. Alexander Albert
- * Wednesday, April 28th - Rev. Thainese Alphonse
- * Thursday, April 29th - Rev. Anthony Anala, SVD
- * Friday, April 30th - Rev. Rick Andrus, SVD
- * Saturday, May 1st - Pope Francis
- * Sunday, May 2nd - Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI

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.

SEMINARIANS 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, April 26th - Haden Coleman
- * Tuesday, April 27th - Rev. Mr. Casey Dugas
- * Wednesday, April 28th - John Dugas
- * Thursday, April 29th - Tre' Fontenot
- * Friday, April 30th - David Furka
- * Saturday, May 1st - Rev. Patrick Broussard, Dir of Sem.
- * Sunday, May 2nd - Rev. Blake Dubroc, Dir of Voc.

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.

PRAYER TO THE VIRGIN MARY FOR THE PROTECTION FROM CORONAVIRUS

O Mary, you shine continuously on our journey as a sign of salvation and hope. We **entrust ourselves to you**, Health of the Sick. At the foot of the Cross you participated in Jesus' pain, with steadfast faith. You, Salvation of the Roman People, know what we need. We are certain that you will provide, so that, as you did at Cana of Galilee, joy and feasting might return after this moment of trial. **Help us, Mother of Divine Love**, to conform ourselves to the Father's will and to do what Jesus tells us: He who took our sufferings upon Himself, and bore our sorrows to bring us, through the Cross, to the joy of the Resurrection. Amen.



We seek refuge under your protection, O Holy Mother of God. Do not despise our pleas—we who are put to the test—and **deliver us from every danger**, O glorious and blessed Virgin.

Prayer by Pope Francis

Advertiser of the Week



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WEEKLY DONATION

April 11, 2021

Offering	\$5,941.00
Building Fund	610.00
Other Donations	629.00

Total: 7,180.00

Thank you for your support and generosity!