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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)**

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10:00 Music Minister

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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 thru 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.



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The Conference of Bishops of the United States is taking up a nationwide voluntary collection to help alleviate the suffering of the devastation that has rocked the country of Haiti. Probably over 2000 deaths and countless left homeless exacerbate an already impoverished country. I am asking that every parish in the Diocese take up a second collection this weekend **September 25-26**. These funds will be forwarded to the Diocese who will forward them to the Disaster Relief fund of the USCCB.

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With every good wish, I am, faithfully yours,
Most Reverend J. Douglas Deshotel, D.D.
Bishop of Lafayette

Mass Intentions

Monday, September 27
7:00AM Natalie Himel (BD)

Tuesday, September 28
7:00AM No Mass Intentions

Wednesday, September 29
5:30PM Jules & Mathilde (BD) Broussard & fly.; James Chiasson & fly.; Yvonne Guidry

Thursday, September 30
7:00AM No Mass Intentions

Friday, October 1
7:00AM Jules & Mathilde Broussard & fly.

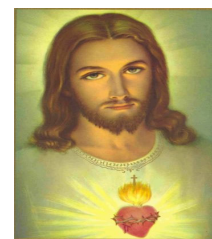
Saturday, October 2
4:00PM Agnes, John & Rena Lemaire; Keith Lemaire; Alozia Benoit; Valex Guilbeaux; Lee & Jane Hebert; Fred & Roy Souther; Barbara Latour (AD) & Byron Latour (AD); Barbara & Byron Latour (WA); Simon Latour; Lee & Jane Hebert; Antoine & Julia Vincent; Dudley & Juanita Hebert; Herbert & Eunice Palombo; Pat, Flaman & Jean Palombo; M/M Edais Hebert; Winnan Hebert; Curley J. Hebert; Connie Thibodeaux; Betty & Alfred Thibodeaux, Sr.; Virgene Comeaux; Glen Huval; Evan Meche; Edjer Meche

Sunday, October 3
8:00AM For the People

10:00AM Glen Huval, Maisie Huval, Bryan Huval

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

First Friday & Saturday Devotions



Sacred Heart of Jesus
Friday, October 1
7:00AM
Confessions heard at 6:45AM



Blessed Virgin Mary
Saturday, October 2
8:00AM
Confessions heard at 7:30AM

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
SEPT 26	27	28	29	30	OCT 1	2
	6:00PM Confirmation Parent Mtg., FC	5:30AM "That Man is You", FC	10:00AM Rosary Group, C		7:00AM First Friday Devotion	8:00AM First Saturday Devotion
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	5:45 Confirmation Class Begins, FC	5:30AM "That Man is You", FC	10:00AM Rosary Group, C 6:15PM RCIA, FC			

SUN CHILDREN'S CHURCH (CANCELLED)
TUES ADORATION (10:00AM until Wed 4:00PM)
WED ROSARY GROUP (10:00AM)



America Needs Fatima is a campaign to capture the heart and soul of America with the Message of Our Lady of Fatima. In 1917, Our Lady appeared at Fatima to three young seers with a message of warning and hope for humanity. If

the world did not convert, the Blessed Mother said there would be much suffering, famines and wars. To avert such disasters, Our Lady asked for prayer, penance and other measures. She also promised that: ***“Finally, my Immaculate Heart will triumph.”***

Today, Our Lady’s message is timelier than ever in light of the many sins of men and the turning away from the Faith. The America Needs Fatima campaign is dedicated to bringing this urgent message into people’s homes and to the public square. This is done by the home visitation program, in which a statue of Our Lady visits thousands of private homes yearly. America Needs Fatima distributes millions of rosaries, devotional items and calendars. Other activities include Public Square Rosary Rallies, publications, e-mail campaigns and protests against blasphemies.

St. Elizabeth Seton Catholic Church will pray a public rosary on **October 16 at 12:00** (noon) on the church parking lot on the corner of Moss Street and Raintree Trail. We invite everyone to come and participate in this event.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE

September 22–October 31

An International inter-denominational campaign focused on saving lives through prayer, vigil, and outreach. Tragically, in 2020, 65% of all abortions happened in the Black community. Women and men need our support in order to choose life for themselves and their unborn children. We can all help bring this tragedy to an end! Saving and protecting lives in our community begins with prayer. **BE INVOLVED!** Sign up to pray the rosary with faith partners in your parish on one of the 40 Days for Life. You can sign up for more than one day, but we need at least one group each day. **FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT:** • Dr. Kathy Allen, LA Black Advocates for Life 337.524.0044 • info@lablackadvocates.com • Stephanie Bernard, Office of Black Catholic Ministries, 337.261.5694 or visit the website at www.lablackadvocates.com/40days/




The fountain in front of the church is continuing to give problems. It continues to leak water underground and not properly working. We spent over \$5,000 in the last couple of years repairing busted water lines on several occasions, installing a new pump and a new motor. It is believed to be the source of the sink holes in the driveway last year and still does not work. The Pastoral Council voted to turn off the fountain before it causes any further damage, problems, and expense. We will fill it in with concrete and place a statue of Jesus on the top level.



VANCO ONLINE MOBILE APP

Our parish has been advised by Vanco that if any parishioner is using the GivePlus Mobile app to make their weekly contributions, this app is being replaced by a new app called Vanco Mobile. The GivePlus Mobile app will not function after September 30, 2021. If you do not use the GivePlus Mobile app, this information is of **no use** to you.

- R** ◇ Do you want to know more about the Catholic faith?
- C** ◇ Are you an adult who has never received the sacrament of Confirmation?
- I** ◇ Do you wish to become a Catholic?
- A** Contact Gerrie at the church office to learn about our R.C.I.A. program which starts soon.



**Living Life
“In the Holy Spirit”**

**Six Weeks to Gather
Together, Reboot, Renew,
& Stir Up the Holy Spirit
that Dwells Within You!!**

**“...stir into flame the gift of God that
you have through the imposition of
[my] hands.”** *2 Timothy 1:6*

TUESDAY EVENINGS

St. Edmond’s Catholic Church, Lafayette

7:00 pm in the Parish Hall

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| October 12th | Registration &
“God’s Calling”, John Listi, Lafayette CCR Director |
| October 19th | “God’s Love”, Fr. Gil Dutel |
| October 26th, | “Salvation”, Dcn Reggie & Dottie Bollich (St. Jules) |
| November 2nd | “Gifts of the Holy Spirit”, Dell Trahan |
| November 9th | “Receiving the Baptism of the Holy Spirit”
Fr. Mark Miley, Lafayette CCR Liaison |
| | Prayer for baptism/renewal in the Holy Spirit
<i>John the Baptist said “I am baptizing you with water, for
repentance, but the one who is coming after me ...He will
baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire.” -Matthew 3:11</i> |
| November 16th | “Growth in the Spirit”, Fr. Joe Campion, |

*Schedule subject to Covid circumstances.

***I have come to set the earth on fire,
and how I wish it were already blazing!* Luke 12:49**

For information call Dell Trahan 337-344-3491

The Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

SEPTEMBER 26, 2021

In encountering the diversity of foreigners, migrants and refugees, and in the intercultural dialogue that can emerge from this encounter, we have an opportunity to grow as Church and to enrich one another.

—Pope Francis, World Day of Migrants and Refugees 2021

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World Day for Migrants and Refugees

Today we celebrate World Day for Migrants and Refugees!

We pray for migrants, refugees, and all other strangers in our midst, that they may find strength in our concern for justice and feel the warmth of our love.

October is Respect Life Month!

Every October the Catholic Church in the United States celebrates Respect Life Month, and the first Sunday of October is observed as Respect Life Sunday. As Catholics, we are called to cherish, defend, and protect those who are most vulnerable, from the beginning to the end of their lives, and at every point in between. During the month of October, the Church asks us to reflect more deeply on the dignity of every human life.

October is Domestic Violence Awareness Month

If you or someone you know is experiencing domestic violence, help is available. Call the 24/7 National Domestic Violence Hotline: 1-800-799-7233





A WEDDING IS A DAY
A MARRIAGE IS A LIFETIME®

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 date is **November 12-14**. For cost of weekends, other dates, and to learn more, visit our website at www.ceelafayette.org or contact **Paul & Carolyn Trahan** at (337) 254-8947 or cee.trahan@gmail.com.

ENGAGED COUPLES



All parents and students who are considering Teurlings Catholic High School for the 2022-2023 school year are invited to join us for **TCHS OPEN HOUSE on Tuesday, October 26th**. Two tours will begin at 4:00 PM & 5:30 PM. **RSVP is required and space will be limited**. The reservation link is available on our website, www.tchs.net/admissions/ and will close on Monday, October 18. If you have any questions, please contact Maria Hanes in the Development Office at 235-5711 Ext. 2, or mhanes@tchs.net.

Attention interested couples in teaching Marriage Prep



The Office of Marriage and Family Life is looking for interested couples who are willing to work with engaged couples as they prepare for the sacrament of marriage. Trainings will be held this summer for our different marriage prep programs. Any couples that are interested in teaching marriage prep, please contact Kelley Chapman at 337-261-5653 or email at kchapman@diolaf.org.

PRAYER FOR HURRICANE PROTECTION



O God, Master of this passing world, hear the humble voices of your children. The Sea of Galilee obeyed your order and returned to its former quietude. You are still the Master of land and sea. We live in the shadow of a danger over which we have no control. The Gulf, like a provoked and angry giant, can awaken from its seeming lethargy, overstep its conventional boundaries, invade our land and spread chaos and disaster.

During this hurricane season we turn to you, O Loving Father. Spare us from past tragedies whose memories are still so vivid and whose wounds seem to refuse to heal with the passing of time. O Virgin, Star of the Sea, Our Beloved Mother, we ask you to plead with your Son in our behalf, so that spared from the calamities common to this area and animated with a true spirit of gratitude, we will walk in the footsteps of your Divine Son to reach heavenly Jerusalem where a storm-less eternity awaits us.



UL students, we want you to know about Our Lady of Wisdom Church and Catholic Student Center located on campus to serve you. Mass and Confession are available daily, as well as Bible studies, men's and women's groups, social events, sports, places to study, and a café serving Reve coffee. They are located next to the Student Union and you can find Ragin' Cajun Catholics on facebook and Instagram for information about all upcoming events. Hope you have a great semester!

St. Elizabeth Seton Quote



“Afflictions are the steps to heaven.”

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, Sept. 27th - Rev. Msgr. Charles Mallet
- * Tuesday, Sept. 28th - Very Rev. Msgr. Curtis Mallet, JCL, VG
- * Wednesday, Sept. 29th - Rev. Donald Martin, SJ
- * Thursday, Sept. 30th - Rev. William Massie
- * Friday, Oct. 1st - Pope Francis
- * Saturday, Oct. 2nd - Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI
- * Sunday, Oct. 3rd - Bishop J. Douglas Deshotel

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, Sept. 27th - Caleb Henry
- * Tuesday, Sept. 28th - Eric Hernandez
- * Wednesday, Sept. 29th - Alex Lancon
- * Thursday, Sept. 30th - Jacob LeBlanc
- * Friday, Oct. 1st - Rev. Patrick Broussard, Dir of Sems.
- * Saturday, Oct. 2nd - Rev. Blake Dubroc, Dir of Voc.
- * Sunday, Oct. 3rd - Sems./Faculty/Parents of Sems.

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.

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