



# SIMPLY SETON

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 your children to the baptistry 10 minutes before Mass begins.

## PARISH STAFF

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**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 eighth-junior year of 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 seventh grades Religious Education classes meet on Sundays at 2:45 – 4:00PM.
- Confirmation classes meet on Sunday 4:00 – 5:45PM.
- Vacation Bible School, for children ages 4-10, is held for one week each summer, when scheduled.
- Adults wishing to learn more about their Catholic faith, including those wishing to become members of the Catholic Church, should call the office.

## 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.

## COMMUNION FOR THE HOMEBOUND

Please call the office to speak with Diane Triche.

**NEW PARISHIONERS** Are encouraged to call the office to register.

**ADORATION** Held every Tuesday at 8AM until Wednesday at 4PM.

**Fifth Sunday of Lent**

**March 17, 2024**



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## Knights of Columbus Fish Fry Dinners



Sts. Leo Seton KC Council 5345 will sell Fish Fry Dinners on Fridays during Lent. Pickup will be at St. Elizabeth Family Center.

Plates will consist of 3 pieces of fish, coleslaw, potato salad and bread for a cost of \$10.00 per plate. Sales begin at 5:00PM and end when the last plate is sold.

## Easter Flowers

	OFFERING FOR Easter Flowers
	Env. # _____
	Name _____
	Address _____
In Memory/Honor of _____	

As in the past, we will be taking donations to purchase Easter Flowers and decorations for the Church. If you would like to make a donation in honor of a loved one, please take an envelope, fill it out (print clearly) and return it to the office with your donation no later than **Sunday, March 24**. We realize that this is short notice but we will need this information early so those names can appear in the Easter Sunday bulletin.

*Thank you*

### Mass Intentions

#### Monday, March 18

7:00AM No Mass Intentions

#### Tuesday, March 19

7:00AM No Mass Intentions

#### Wednesday, March 20

5:30PM Becky Meyers

#### Thursday, March 21

7:00AM Laura Jane (AD) & Wilber LaFleur

#### Friday, March 22

7:00AM Sandra Guidry-Morris

#### Saturday, March 23

4:00PM Becky Meyers; Lee & Jane Hebert; Wade Brignac; Chris McGuire; Jim, J.D. & Marie McGuire; Hilda & Derbes Soileau, M/M Michael E. Meche; Souls in Purgatory; Agnes, John & Rena Lemaire; Keith Lemaire; Alozia Benoit; Camellia Chaisson; Valex Guilbeaux

#### Sunday, March 24

8:00AM Mass for the People

10:00AM No Mass Intentions

6:00PM No Mass Intentions

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

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
<b>MAR 17</b>  EDGE Held	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>  5:30AM "That Man is You", FC  6:30PM Knights of Columbus Mtg., KC Hall	<b>20</b>  6:00PM Way of the Cross, C  6:15PM OCIA, MB	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>  Knights of Columbus Fish Fry 5PM until last plate sold, FC	<b>23</b>  3:15PM Confession
<b>24</b>  EDGE Held	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b>  5:30AM "That Man is You", FC	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b> <i>Do this in remembrance of me</i>  Holy Thursday 6:00PM (Adoration until 9PM)	<b>29</b>  GOOD FRIDAY 3:00PM	<b>30</b>  8:00PM Easter Vigil

**SUN CHILDREN'S CHURCH** (10:00AM Mass)

**TUES ADORATION** (After 7AM Mass until Wed 4:00PM)

**WED - WAY OF THE CROSS** (10:00AM )

# St. Elizabeth Seton Church - Holy Week Schedule

## Monday and Tuesday

- Mass - 7:00 a.m.

## Adoration

- Tuesday 8:00 a.m. until  
Wednesday 4:00 p.m.



## Wednesday

- Mass - 5:30 p.m.

## Holy Thursday

- Mass of the Lord's Supper
  - 6:00 p.m.
- Adoration
  - Following Mass until 9:00 p.m.



## Good Friday

- Passion of the Lord - 3:00 p.m.
- Day of Fast and Abstinence

## Easter Vigil

- Mass - 8:00 p.m.

## Easter Sunday

- Masses
  - 8:00 a.m.
  - 10:00 a.m.
  - 6:00 p.m. Mass







**STS. LEO-SETON**  
CATHOLIC SCHOOL

**SCHEDULE A TOUR TODAY!**

Currently accepting applications for the 2024-2025 school year for PreK-3 through 8th Grade. Visit [leoseton.org](https://leoseton.org) for more information.

**337-234-5510**

**502 ST. LEO ST LAFAYETTE, LA 70501**

**[leoseton.org](https://leoseton.org)**

Sts. Leo-Seton Catholic School does not discriminate on the basis of race, gender, or national origin in its educational programs, activities, or admission and employment policies.

**VISION STATEMENT:** The students of Sts. Leo-Seton Catholic School will be spiritually and academically prepared for lifelong learning.

**MISSION STATEMENT:** The mission of Sts. Leo-Seton Catholic School is to teach as Jesus did, building a community of believers dedicated to serving others, while providing excellent academics within a nurturing environment.

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## VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!



The Saint Joseph Diner is in need of Volunteers to assist in Serving the Needy. Below is a list of dates that your help is needed. Check-in time is at 10:30AM. Serving is from 11:00AM—1:00PM.

Friday March 22, 2024	4 Volunteers needed
Sunday March 24, 2024	10 Volunteers needed
Saturday April 20, 2024	10 Volunteers needed
Monday April 22, 2024	4 Volunteers needed

Please contact Deacon Ron Chauvin at [ron@setonchurch.org](mailto:ron@setonchurch.org) or [arbychau@bellsouth.net](mailto:arbychau@bellsouth.net) or text (337) 412-9081, if you would like to Volunteer.

**MAY GOD BLESS ALL WHO SERVE  
THOSE IN NEED.**

## Adorers Needed



There are a few hours that need adorers. Please contact Tom Meyers if you are available to take up one of these slots. The available slots are:

**Tuesday** 12:00noon  
5:00 pm  
7:00 pm

**Wednesday** 9:00 am  
1:00 pm

His phone number is:

Home 337-896-3340

Cell 337-962-6085

Email [tgmeayers@bellsouth.net](mailto:tgmeayers@bellsouth.net)



## Volunteers Needed

In 2025, St. Elizabeth Seton will celebrate our 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary as a parish. We are looking for volunteers to serve on a committee to plan our 50<sup>th</sup> Year celebration. If interested, please contact the office and leave your phone number and email address. Fr. David will contact all volunteers to schedule a meeting.

Thank you and Blessings,  
Fr. David



50<sup>th</sup>  
Anniversary



## 2023 Financial Tax Report

It's that time of the year again. Those in need of a copy of their 2023 financial report can request it by calling the parish office at (337) 235-1483. Please allow 2 to 3 days for it to be prepared.



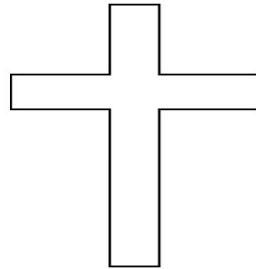
## MENTAL HEALTH



### MINDFULNESS FOR MENTAL HEALTH

Confirmation candidates are collecting items for young people battling mental illness.

Items being collected are composite books, journals, colors, socks, knit caps, sweatshirts, toiletries, etc.



### Catholic Engaged Encounter Weekend

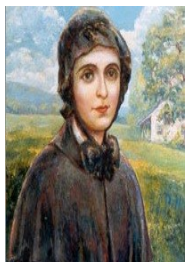
Spend a weekend away from the cares and distractions of everyday living. Attend a **Catholic Engaged Encounter Weekend**. The weekend is open to any engaged couple wanting to prepare for a deeper more meaningful life together in a marriage recognized by the Catholic Church according to its Church law. The Upcoming weekend dates are: **April 26-28, 2024 and Sept. 13-15, 2024**. For information on the cost of weekends, other dates, and to learn more, visit our website at [www.ceelafayette.org](http://www.ceelafayette.org) or contact **Paul & Carolyn Trahan** at [cee.trahan@gmail.com](mailto:cee.trahan@gmail.com) or call (337) 254-8947.

### Question of the Week

What part of myself that I've become attached to in a self-centered way can "die" so that I will clear more space in my heart and my schedule for love of neighbor?



## St. Elizabeth Seton Thoughts



**T**his union of my soul with God is my wealth in poverty and joy in deepest afflictions.

## 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, March 18th - Rev. Cyprian Eze
- \* Tuesday, March 19th - Rev. Richard Fabre
- \* Wednesday, March 20th - Rev. James Fallon, SSJ
- \* Thursday, March 21st - Rev. Joel Faulk
- \* Friday, March 22nd - Rev. Emmanuel Fernandez
- \* Saturday, March 23rd - Rev. Sam Fontana
- \* Sunday, March 24th - Rev. David James Furka

**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, March 18th - Evan Hebert
- \* Tuesday, March 19th - William Hebert
- \* Wednesday, March 20th - Eric Hernandez
- \* Thursday, March 21st - Michael Johnson
- \* Friday, March 22nd - Bret Lee
- \* Saturday, March 23rd - Christopher Lee
- \* Sunday, March 24th - Stephen Melancon

**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.



**Tuesday, March 19** - That Man is You at 5:30AM in the Family Center.

**Tuesday, March 19** - Knights of Columbus Meeting at 6:30PM in the KC Hall.

**Tuesday, March 19—Wednesday, March 20** - Eucharistic Adoration: Tuesday, March 5 at 8AM thru Wednesday, March 6 at 4PM in Church.

**Wednesday, March 20** - OCIA held at 6:15PM in the Ministries Building.

**Friday, March 22** - Knights of Columbus Fish Fry Dinners sold, beginning at 5PM in the Family Center.

**Tuesday, March 26** - That Man is You at 5:30AM in the Family Center.

**Tuesday, March 26—Wednesday, March 27** - Eucharistic Adoration: Tuesday, March 26 at 8AM thru Wednesday, March 27 at 4PM in Church.

**Thursday, March 28** - **Holy Thursday**. Mass of the Lord's Supper at 6:00PM. Adoration will follow until 9:00PM in Church. **NO 7AM morning Mass.**

**Friday, March 29** - **Good Friday**. Passion of the Lord at 3:00PM. **NO 7AM morning Mass.**

**Saturday, March 30** - Easter Vigil. Mass at 8:00PM. **NO 4:00PM Mass.**

## Advertiser of the Week



Please patronize our sponsors, they make the bulletins possible.

## WEEKLY DONATION

March 9/10, 2024

Offering	\$7,006.31
Catholic Relief Services	797.00
Other Donations	135.00
Building Fund	789.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$8,727.31</b>

Online donation for February 2024 is \$6,851.66

**Thank you for your continued support.**