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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:
Sunday 9:10-9:45am, 5:30-5:45pm
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.

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4:00, 8:00, 6:00 Music Minister

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10:00 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 8th grades, including Confirmation)
- Registration for all sections of Religious Education is in the Summer of 2026.
- First through fourth grades Religious Education classes meet on Sundays after the 10:00 Mass (11:00—12:30PM).
- Fifth through seventh grades attend EDGE on Sundays 4:00—5:45PM.
- 8th grade Confirmation classes meet on Sunday 4:15—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.

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Our Men's Day Retreat will be Saturday, October 24, 2026 from 8AM to 10PM at the Dupuis Lake House in Lafayette (address will be provided for those who register). The day will include a good mix of recreation, prayer, and formation. John Listi will be our presenter, reflecting on the art and joy of sacrifice as the key to a healthy masculine spirituality. John is a fun-loving husband and father who loves sports, the outdoors, and playing guitar. He has over 30 years of church ministry experience and has a passion for bringing others to Christ. We'll also have time to enjoy some college football, tailgating games, and some delicious BBQ. Most importantly, we'll have time for prayer, adoration, and your weekend obligation for Mass. Come spend some time with great men! Cost is $40.

Email: frwhite@stleolafayette.com for questions!

Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK

Monday, October 5
7:00AM No Mass Intentions

Tuesday, October 6
7:00AM Claire Sonnier

Wednesday, October 7
5:30PM Hayes J. Boudreaux; Kimberly B. Paul; Elizabeth B. Touchette; M/M Eraste Primeaux; M/M Galbert Trahan; M/M Murphy Boudreaux

Thursday, October 8
7:00AM Stewart Kepper

Friday, October 9
7:00AM No Mass Intentions

Saturday, October 10
4:00PM Lee & Jane Hebert; Fred & Roy Souther; M/M Michael E. Meche; Souls in Purgatory; Agnes, John & Rena Lemaire; Keith Lemaire; Alozia Benoit; Camellia Chaisson, Valex Guilbeau; Wayne Lemaire; Galbert Trahan (AD); Lula Mae Trahan; Ronald Sampay; Harry Parker, Jr.; Danny Himel & fly.; Becky Meyers; Beatrice Meyers; Bennett Meyers; Larry & Camille Miller; Leon & Claudia Miller; Alcee & Milda Bernard; Goldie Trahan; Adouse Mire; Morris Olivier & fly.; Jessie Champagne, Lance, Cody & Seth Champagne; Stewart Kepper

Sunday, October 11
8:00AM Mass for the People

10:00AM Gene & Debbie Martin; Darron Duhon & fly.; Sharron Duhon; Stephen Duhon & fly.

6:00PM Thomas Dore'; Scott Thomas Dore'; Linda Terro

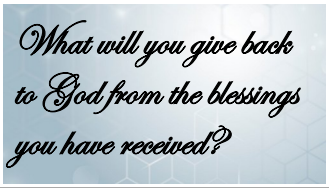
BD=Birthday, WA=Wedding Aniv., AD=Aniv. of Death

Annual Stewardship Ministry Fair

(This Weekend)
October 3rd & 4th
(following each mass)

Please prayerfully reflect on how you can serve our Lord and St. Elizabeth Seton Parish.

Visit one of the tables after mass to sign up!



SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
OCT 4 CCD / 1st Reconciliation (11AM—12:15PM), FC 4:00PM—5:45PM Confirmation, FC	5 6:00PM Joyful Mysteries Rosary, C	6 5:30AM "That Man is You", FC 10:00AM Seton Rosary Makers, MB	7 5:30PM Adult Catholic Faith Formation, FC OCIA 6:15 -7:45PM, MB	8	9	10 AMERICA NEEDS FATIMA Rosary at 12NOON (OUTSIDE BY THE RISEN LORD) 3:15PM Confession
11 St. Elizabeth Seton Family Picnic 11:00AM—2:00PM	12	13 5:30AM "That Man is You", FC 12:00 NOON "Remember Me", MB	14 5:30PM Adult Catholic Faith Formation, FC OCIA 6:15 -7:45PM, MB	15 6:00PM Luminous Mysteries Rosary, C	16	17 3:15PM Confession

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

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

WED - ROSARY GROUP MEETING (10:00AM)

ST. ELIZABETH SETON FAMILY PICNIC

OCTOBER 11, 2026
11:00 A.M. UNTIL 2:00 P.M.

Come and join us as we celebrate our church family. There will be fun, food, and fellowship for all to participate in and enjoy! Let us celebrate being a church family and community of faith!

BARBECUE HAMBURGERS, HOT DOGS, AND DESSERTS

FUN JUMPS AND FACE PAINTING

PONY RIDES FOR KIDS AND PETTING ZOO

FOOTBALL AND BASKETBALL TOSS

Please sign up if you plan to attend so that we can prepare enough food for all attending our parish celebration.
Thank You.

Please consider joining us this October during the Month of the Rosary

for the following opportunities to pray a rosary as a faith community

Date	Rosary
October 5th * Monday 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm	Joyful Mysteries
October 10th ** Saturday 12:00 noon	America Needs Fatima Rosary
October 15th * Thursday 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm	Luminous Mysteries
October 20th * Tuesday 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm	Sorrowful Mysteries
October 22nd * Thursday 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm	Respect Life Rosary
October 28th * Wednesday, Immediately following Mass (about 6 pm)	Glorious Mysteries

*Rosaries are prayed inside the church.

**America Needs Fatima Rosary is prayed outside around the statue of our Risen Lord.

ADULT CATHOLIC FAITH FORMATION

St. Elizabeth Seton

DIVINE REVELATION: A TWO-PART STUDY

(Part I) Preliminaries & (Part II) The Holy Bible

Led by: Dr. Michael Totaro, O.P.

Location: Family Center

Audience: Open to Everyone

Schedule: Wednesdays

Part I: Preliminaries

Introduction to Divine Revelation (Dei Verbum)

Explore the Vatican II Dogmatic Constitution on how God speaks to humanity and how His divine truth is transmitted through the Church.

FALL 2026 DATES:
Oct 7 · Oct 14 · Nov 4 · Nov 11

Schedule: Wednesdays after 5:30 p.m. Mass (75 mins)

Format: 4 Foundational Sessions

Themes: Revelation, Sacred Scripture, Tradition, and Life of the Church

Part II: The Holy Bible

Our Journey Through Salvation History

A chronological walk through God's covenant narrative using Jeff Cavins' acclaimed Bible Timeline approach from Creation to Christ.

REQUIRED TEXT:
Catholic Edition of the Holy Bible (NRSV-CE, NABRE, RSV-2CE, etc.)

Schedule: Wednesdays after 5:30 p.m. Mass

Scope: 24 Sessions from Creation to Christ & the Church

Phases: Lent & Advent 2027 – 2028

Join The Study

Registration & Contact Information

HOW TO SIGN-UP
Sign-up will be available online & in-Church!

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"Faith lifts the soul." — St. Elizabeth Seton

Register Here:

More information here:
https://sites.google.com/view/st-elizab-seton-lfy-divine-rev/home

AFRICAN AMERICAN CATHOLIC YOUTH CONGRESS

Rooted in Faith, Rising in Grace

Diocese of Lafayette, Louisiana

Saturday, November 14, 2026

St. Thomas More Catholic School • Lafayette, LA

Registration Deadline is: October 23, 2026

St. Elizabeth Seton Thoughts

OUR Adored has given us hearts to love each other without restraint, calculations, or fears of saying too much or too little.

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, October 5- Rev. Garrett McIntyre
* Tuesday, October 6th - Rev. Glenn Meaux
* Wednesday, October 7th - Rev. Aaron Melancon
* Thursday, October 8th - Rev. Bill Melancon
* Friday, October 9th - Rev. Stephen Melancon
* Saturday, October 10th - Rev. Andre Metrejean
* Sunday, October 11th - Rev. Mark Miley

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, October 5th - Micha Thomas
* Tuesday, October 6th - Eli Weil
* Wednesday, October 7th - Matthew Authement
* Thursday, October 8th - Roy Bertrand IV
* Friday, October 9th - Reid Bourgeois
* Saturday, October 10th - Grant Bratcher
* Sunday, October 11th - Brolando Broadhead

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.

Saturday/Sunday, October 3/4 - Stewardship Ministry Fair Weekend held at all Masses this weekend.

Sunday, October 4 - CCD/1st Reconciliation Students meet at 11:00AM in the Family Center.

Sunday, October 4 - Confirmation Class held at 4:00PM in the Family Center.

Monday, October 5 - Joyful Mysteries Rosary held at 6:00PM in the Church.

Tuesday, October 6 - "That Man Is You" held at 5:30AM in the Family Center.

Tuesday, October 6 - Seton Rosary Makers held at 10:00AM in the Ministries Building.

Tuesday, October 6 - Wednesday, October 7 - Eucharistic Adoration: Tuesday, October 6 at 8AM thru Wednesday, October 7 at 4PM.

Wednesday, October 7 - Divine Revelation—Adult Catholic Faith Formation meets at 5:30PM in the Family Center.

Wednesday, October 7 - OCIA meets at 6:15PM in the Ministries Building.

Saturday, October 10— America Need Fatima Rosary at 12:00NOON around the statue of the Risen Lord.

Sunday, October 11—St. Elizabeth Seton Family Picnic from 11:00AM until 2:00PM on the grounds by the Family Center.

Tuesday, October 13 - "That Man Is You" held at 5:30AM in the Family Center.

Tuesday, October 13 - Wednesday, October 14 - Eucharistic Adoration: Tuesday, October 13 at 8AM thru Wednesday, October 14 at 4PM.

Advertiser of the Week

Courtyard Retirement

Please patronize our sponsors, they make the bulletins possible.

WEEKLY DONATION

September 26-27, 2026

Offering	7,200.00
Bishop Services Appeal	120.00
Other Donations	314.00
Total	$7,634.00

Thank you for your continued support.