

## St. Elizabeth

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# Church Bulletin

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## St. Jules

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June 14, 2020

### Feast of the Body and Blood of Christ

My dear brothers and sisters in Christ,

One of the things I cherish most about being a priest is being able to celebrate the holy sacrifice of the Mass each and every day. I remember the first Mass where I was the main celebrant. My main focus was just making sure I did everything correctly. Now, it is a true moment of peace where I can bring everything and I know that Jesus has given everything for me and for you. The challenge though is how many of us truly believe this. How many truly believe that the Eucharist is the true presence of the Lord? According to a Pew Research Poll conducted last year, over 70% of Catholics do not believe that the Eucharist the body and blood of our Lord. As a priest this causes me a lot of pain to accept but also I realize where we as priests and thus as parishes have failed to truly educate the hearts and minds of our parishes. If this has been the case for you, then I sincerely apologize. I hope this weekend we can either start again and/or grow in our appreciation of this central point of our faith.

Why do I have this hope? Starting this weekend we will have 1st communion for our 2nd graders. At all of the Masses this weekend, some during the week, and a Mass next weekend, they will be receiving the Body and Blood of our Lord for the first time. While they might not fully understand all about the Eucharist or like the taste of the host, they accept it. So they serve as example for us to come before this sacrament and mystery with wonder and excitement. We in turn need to model for them the reverence and the devotion towards it. In truth, just as much as they need us we also need them when believing and approaching this sacrament. Please say a prayer for them this weekend when you have a moment.

I pray all of you have a grace filled week.

Fr. Matthew

#### WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday Mass: 4:00 PM - St. Elizabeth (3:00pm Confessions)

Sunday Mass: 8:30 AM - St. Elizabeth

Sunday Mass: **10:30 AM** - St. Elizabeth (**New Time**)

#### WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday Mass: 6:00 PM - St. Elizabeth, Tuesday Mass: 8:00 AM - St. Elizabeth

Thursday Mass: 6:00 PM - St. Elizabeth, Friday Mass: 8:00 AM - St. Elizabeth

\*\*Confessions 30 min before every weekday Mass\*\*

**Pastor: Rev Matthew Graham**

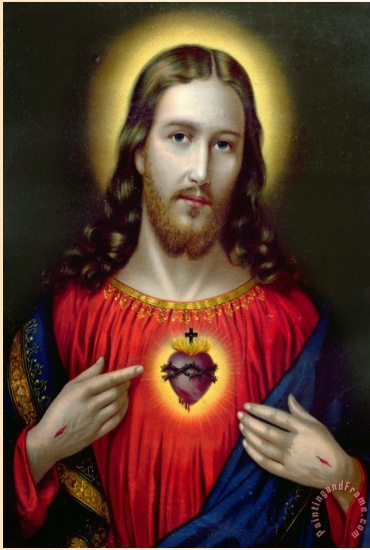
**Director of Religious Education:** Christine Mendizabal, **Music:** Emma Prejean, **Housekeeper:** Sharon Landry

**Admin Assistant:** Wendy Ourso, **Bookkeeper:** Claire Blanchard

**SISTERS OF THE CONGREGATION OF THE MOTHER OF CARMEL:** Phone: (985) 369-7069

**Office Hours Starting 6/8/20:** 8:30 AM to 12:00 PM, Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday

## Upcoming Special Devotions



### **Sacred Heart of Jesus**

June 19th

7:00am—Adoration

7:30am—Confessions

8:00am—Mass

Prayers to the Sacred Heart after Mass



### **Immaculate Heart of Mary Mass**

June 20th

7:30am—Adoration and Rosary

8:00 am—Mass

## Adoration Time

Adoration of the Most Sacrament will begin again. At this time we will focus on times before Mass. With the current situation, we will not be restarting all day adoration on Tuesdays. Here is the schedule:

- Monday—5:00pm
- Thursday - 5:00pm
- Friday—7:00am



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## **Senior Citizen Program / Sheriff Leland J. Falcon**

Elderly ID Program: Participants in this program are provided with a special identification card containing identifying information and emergency contacts.

Who are you? Emergency ID speaks for you in the event of an accident and you cannot talk for yourself. For more information contact Assumption Council on Aging (985) 369-7961 or the Assumption Parish Sheriff's Office (985) 369-7281.

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## **Senior RX Program**

**A program for low-income clients who have difficulty with the cost of prescription medications. Senior RX can help people:**

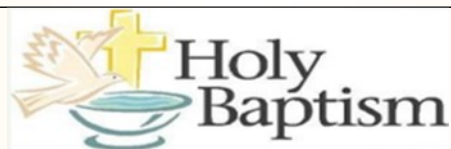
- Who are 60 and older or who are 21 and over and have an adult onset disability
- Who have very little income
- Who do not have prescription drug coverage
- Who are in the "gap" and cannot afford to pay full drug coverage.
- Who have a chronic illness and cannot afford to buy medications for the illness.

*For additional information or for assistance, contact Assumption Council on Aging at (985) 369-7961, (985) 252-9939 or Capital Area Agency on Aging at (225) 925-7674 or 1-800-280-0908*



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Are you in need of a baptismal prep seminar as a parent or godparent? St. Elizabeth and St. Jules churches have created an online option to fulfill this requirement. The program includes watching videos on Formed.org, answering questions, and having an online chat with Fr. Matthew. If you are interested in participating in this online seminar, please email Wendy at [office@sesjchurch.com](mailto:office@sesjchurch.com).

Paperwork and more information about baptisms at our parishes can be found at [www.sesjchurch.com/sacrament-of-baptism](http://www.sesjchurch.com/sacrament-of-baptism)

**This week the sanctuary of light donation is in memory of:**

**St. Elizabeth:** Mr. and Mrs. Paul R. LeBlanc

**St. Jules:** For the People

**Mass Intentions**

**Saturday, June 13**

**4:00** - Marie Adele Rivere and Morris, Maudry Hebert, Lloyd and Lucy Giroir, Simon and Elmina B. Landy, Elaine Landry, Carol M. Aucoin, Clem Hebert, Desi Clark

**Sunday, June 14**

**8:30 AM** - For the People

**10:30 AM** - Sharon Oncale, Yvonne Simoneaux, Mederic and Mildred LeBlanc, Lenny LeBlanc, Julie LeBlanc, Henry, Sr. and Tillie C. George, Henry George, Jr., Carrie Broussard, Dr. and Mrs. Julius W. Daigle, Brett Michael Batulis, LeRoy LeBlanc, Edith and Dennis Guillot, Brittany Landry, Mr. and Mrs. Paul R. LeBlanc, Justileon, Lena and Jerry Blanchard, Charles Blanchard, Jr. and Phelonese Blanchard

**Monday, June 15**

**6:00 PM** - Father's intention

**Tuesday, June 16**

**8:00 AM** - Father's intention

**Thursday, June 18**

**6:00 PM** - Father's intention

**Friday, June 19**

**8:00 AM** - Father's intention

**Saturday, June 20**

**4:00 PM** - Bea and Luke Giroir, Ruth Dupre, Herman and Nelia Cedotal

**Sunday, June 21**

**8:30 AM** - Thomas J. and Erna B. Richard, Sr., Charley Breaux, Charles and Rose Malarcher, George and Marjorie Malarcher, Rene Landry, LeRoy LeBlanc, Lovelece Gros, Sr. and Allen Charlet, Sr., Martin Cancienne, Rita Charlet, Simon Landry, Felix J. "Tut" Sagona, Ruth G. Dupre, Ehren "Wheeler" Oschwald

**10:30 AM** - For the People

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As Jesus poured out His life for us, He could be inviting you to consider doing the same for Him. If you think God is calling you to be a priest, a sister or brother, call Fr. Andrew Merrick at (225) 336-8778, amerrick@diobr.org.

***Please Pray For:***

Robert Brower, Sandy George, Special Request, Dorthy Caballero, Percy Falcon, Kathleen Rousseau, Spencer Guillot, Max Prejean, Brayden Hood, Lauren Duiery (Special Intention), Beth Boudreaux, Butsy Suarez, Darlene Giroir

**STEWARHIP REPORT**  
**Jun 7, 2020**

	<b>St. Elizabeth</b>	<b>St. Jules</b>
Regular Collection	\$2,176.00	\$ 1,650.00
Online Collection	\$590.00	\$1,720.00
Special Collection	\$ 290.00	\$45.00