

St. Elizabeth

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Church Bulletin

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St. Jules

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September 13, 2020

24th Sunday of Ordinary Time

Dear Friends,

Monday September 14, we celebrate the feast of the Exaltation of the Cross. The feast has its origin in early fourth century when Saint Helena, mother of the Roman Emperor Constantine, went to Jerusalem and during the excavation, workers found three crosses. Legend has it that the one on which Jesus died was identified when its touched healed a dying woman.

Tuesday September 15, we celebrate the feast of Our Lady of Sorrows. Devotion to the Seven Sorrows of Our Lady has its roots in Sacred Scripture and in Christian piety, which always associates the Blessed Mother with her suffering Son. Today's feast was introduced by the Servites to intensify devotion to Our Lady's Sorrows. In 1817 Pius VII — suffering grievously in exile but finally liberated by Mary's intercession — extended the feast to the universal Church. These two feasts are important celebrations in the lives of Christians. These feasts explain that crosses and pains are part of our lives and saints and sinners alike go through them, and it was through the painful cross the Lord redeemed us.

Material Collections for Hurricane Laura:

The parish family raised \$2,910 for the people affected by Hurricane Laura. We will be collecting materials to send to Lake Charles through Catholic Charities at St. Jules Hall. The list is published in the bulletin. Please bring only those materials that are listed. The Hall will be open every day from 9 am to 7 pm. We will take up collections until September 20.

A Hybrid program for Religious education program

We ask all the parents to register their children to the religious education program at the earliest. We inaugurate the PSR program for the year on September 27 Sunday. Due to Covid-19 we are not able to meet in classrooms every week. You will be given lessons to read and send in the

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WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday: 4:00 PM - St. Elizabeth
Sunday : 8:30 AM - St. Jules and 10:30 AM - St. Elizabeth

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday: 6:00 PM - St. Jules, Tuesday: 7:45 AM - St. Elizabeth, Thursday: 6:00 PM - St. Jules,
Friday 7:45 AM - St. Elizabeth

CONFESSIONS

Saturday 3:00 to 3:50 and 30 min before every weekday Mass or by appointment

ADORATION

Monday—5:00 pm at **St. Jules**, Thursday - 5:00 pm at **St. Jules**, Friday—7:00 am at **St. Elizabeth**

Administrator: Rev Tomi Thomas, IMS, Deacon Associate: Ehren Oswald

Director of Religious Education: Heather Labat, **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 8:30 AM to 12:00 PM and 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM, Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri

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the assignments. However, there will be classes for children along with their parents at least every 6 weeks after 10:30 Mass for 40 minutes. We would like children and families to attend 10:30 am Mass on Sundays, and those who are not comfortable to come for Mass attend the same Mass live stream on Facebook. This year our concentration will be on Mass and prayers.

Senior Sodality of Militia of the Immaculata

St. Elizabeth School has the only sodality in the diocese. The Sodality members are students of seventh and eighth grade. This sodality has given a special formation to students in Marian spirituality and leadership. We would like to start a senior sodality for High School and College students. There will be a brain storming meeting of former sodality members who attended St. Elizabeth between 2014-2020 on September 24 at 6.30 pm at St. Jules Church Hall. Please contact Sr. Anija for more details.

Sugar Cane Field Blessings

Those of you who like to have their field blessed may contact the office. Deacon Wheeler and I will be honored to come to your fields and bless them as you prepare for the grinding season.

Blessings of Animals October 4, Sunday at 3 pm outside the St. Jules Hall

St. Francis of Assisi is the patron saint of animals. It is a tradition in many parts of the world to bless animals and pets. This year it will be on Sunday, October 4 at 3 pm. Please bring your kids along with their pets. Please make sure to wear masks and physical distance yourself.

Rosaries for Families

October is month of Rosary. We will be praying a rosary for each family. We will be inviting a group of families to come each day of the month to pray the Rosary along with the CMC Sisters, Deacon Wheeler and me. We will be offering your intentions during this time. Monday through Friday it will be at 6.30 pm and on Saturday it will be at 3.30 pm and on Sunday it will be at 5.30 pm. A separate list is inserted in the bulletin as to when your family is specially invited and when each of the organizations are invited to recite the Rosary. Please know that all are invited to every rosary.

Grinding Season Sunday Mass Starting on October 4 through December 20 at 6 pm at St. Elizabeth Church.

In order to give people a chance to attend the Holy Mass on Sundays we will be having Masses on Sundays at 6 pm during the grinding season.

God Bless you and all you do for His Glory,

Fr. Tomi

PSR/ Sacramental Prep Registration

Please make sure that you enroll your children for the PSR as well as Sacramental Preparation Classes by September 10. We will begin our classes for our young people by the end of September.

Go To: <https://www.sesjchurch.com/psr-sacramental-prep>

For any questions call Heather Labat at 225-717-3743 or email drek12@sesjchurch.com

St. Elizabeth & St. Jules Ministers Schedule for Sept. 5 – Nov. 1, 2020

If you are not able to serve your scheduled time, please call someone to take your place*
 Entire schedule is posted on <https://sesjchurch.com/liturgical-ministers>

DATE	TIME	READERS	EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER	ALTAR SERVER	SACRISTANS
09/19/20 St. Elizabeth	Saturday 4:00 PM	Jamie Louque	Barry Aucoin	Megan LeBlanc	Linda Aucoin
09/20/20 St. Jules	Sunday 8:30 AM	Alaina Paine	Marian Landry	Aiden, Austin & Anderson Paine	Volunteers
09/20/20 St. Elizabeth	Sunday 10:30 AM	Diane LeBlanc	Elenora LeBlanc	Brennan Blanchard Kaleb Falcon	Liz George

Allons Manger Raffle Winners

Gun Raffle: Dell Scioneaux, Bill Carmena, Steve Barlow, Harrison Winchester,
 Randy Landry and Emily Broussard

Money Raffle: Don Savoie {donation to church}, Danielle Claudet

I would like to thank the entire Allons Manger Committee for organizing the Raffle. Looking at the \$ amount raised through the Raffle it was a great success. Thank you for all those who purchased the tickets.

Fr. Tomi

The total amount raised after expenses: \$ 17,430.72

St. Elizabeth & St. Jules Church is Collecting items for Lake Charles and surrounding areas

The following items are most needed:

Tarps and tarp nails, Gift cards, Tools (rakes, hammers and crowbars, shovels), General Cleaning supplies (paper towels, mops, brooms & dustpans, masks, 5-gallon buckets, towels for cleaning, bleach, disinfectant cleaners, hand sanitizers), Heavy duty garbage bags, Heavy duty gloves, Fix-a-flat cans, Bug spray (body & yard), Charcoal, Carbon Monoxide detectors, Generators & locks (being stolen), Gas cans, Chain saws, Pole saws, AC 110 units

- **Please take note** that we are intentionally **NOT collecting** food, Bottled Water (not needed right now) clothing, or personal hygiene items.

- Funds can be donated at <https://www.diobr.org/> or send check to St. Elizabeth Church at P.O. Box 1, Paincourtville, LA 70391. Please put Hurricane Laura in your check Memo.

Donations can be dropped off at the St. Jules Church Hall in Belle Rose starting Wednesday, September 9 through Sunday September 20 from 9 AM - 7 PM.

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

St. Elizabeth: For the People of the Parish

St. Jules: +Ruth Dupre

Mass Intentions

Saturday, September 12

4:00 PM - Rene and Dolores Poirier, Lloyd and Lucy Giroir, + Ruth Dupre, Gracie Coupel, Carl M. Aucoin, Clem Hebert, Simon and Elmina B. Landry

Sunday, September 13

8:30 AM - Thomas J. and Erna B. Richard, Mr. and Mrs. Luger Sedotal, Mr. and Mrs. Enaux Blanchard, +Ruth Dupre, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Landry, Willie B. Landry, Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Landry, Sr., Philip and Eva Simoneaux and Family, Felix and Vivian Simoneaux and Family, Gilbert Blanchard, Kobi Simoneaux, Cleve Landry, Emmet Simoneaux, Sr., Danny, Leonard and Bessie Simoneaux

10:30 AM - For the People of the Parish

Monday, September 14

6:00 PM - Father's intention

Tuesday, September 15

7:45 AM - Father's intention

Thursday, September 17

6:00 PM - +Una Caballero

Friday, September 18

7:45 AM - Father's intention

Saturday, September 19

4:00 PM—Riley and Charles Sanchez

Sunday, September 20

8:30 AM—George and Marjoie Malarcher, Lawrence E. Bergeron, Sr. Family, Anthony, R. Grisaffe Family, Gary P. Landry, +Salomey Thomas, Melissa Savoie

10:30 AM - Mr. and Mrs. Roy "Lateet" Rousseau, Sr., Eric "CoCo" Rousseau, Yvonne Simoneaux, Sharon Oncale, Mederic and Mildred LeBlanc, Leny LeBlanc, Julie LeBlanc, Henry, Sr., and Tillie C. George, Jr., Carrie Broussard, Mr. and Mrs. Paul R. LeBlanc, Justileon, Lena and Jerry Blanchard, Paul Daigle, Jr., Alma and Paul Daigle, Sr., +Taylor Talbot

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, Lynn Blanchard, Jake Daigle, Johnny LeBlanc, Tim Smith, Sr. and Family, Tommy L Smith, Jr., Mr. Daryl Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Brett Smith, Gaige Adams, Shirley Hebert, Polly Johnson

6:00 pm Sunday Mass at St. Elizabeth Church, October 4 - December 20



We will celebrate Masses on Sundays at 6pm during the grinding season, beginning Oct. 4, to give people a chance to attend the Holy Mass on Sundays.



Please follow us on

<https://www.facebook.com/sesjchurch/>

Hurricane Laura Relief Fund from both churches Sept 6, 2020 - \$1,202.00

Total amount - \$2,910.00

**Stewardship Report
September 6, 2020**

	St. Elizabeth	St. Jules
Regular Collection	\$2,633.00	\$3,390.00
Special Collection	\$178.00	\$177.00
2019 same week	\$3,147.00	\$2,712.00