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November 28, 2021

First Sunday of Advent

WHAT DOES ADVENT MEAN?

Advent derives from the Latin *adventus* meaning 'arrival' or 'approach'. For thousands of years the world waited for the coming of the Messiah to redeem and to save the human race, restoring mankind's relationship to God. We, too, experience this same longing for the coming of Christ. Spiritually, we long for the coming of Christ into our hearts as the Holy Spirit draws us into ever deepening relationship with Him; we also long for Christ in his Second Coming, when He will return physically to earth—as He promised—to restore all things to Himself.

Therefore, the Advent season has these characteristics:

It is a season of:

- 1) Hopeful longing,
- 2) Joyful expectation,
- 3) Prayerful penance, and
- 4) Spiritual preparation.

It looks to:

- 1) Salvation history of the past,
- 2) Our present redemption being accomplished, and
- 3) the future coming of Christ.

Advent connects us spiritually with God's whole plan of redemption through Jesus Christ.

The Four weeks of Advent has four themes and they are; Hope (Promise of the Messiah), Preparation or waiting, Joy and Peace and Loving Adoration.

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Source : catholiccompany.com

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday: 4:00 PM - St. Elizabeth
Sunday : 8:30 AM - St. Jules, 10:30 AM - St. Elizabeth
and 6:00 PM St. Elizabeth Oct 3 —Dec 21

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 Oschwald

Admin Assistant: Wendy Ourso, **Bookkeeper:** Heidi Mattingly, **DRE:** Lisa Landry, **Music:** Emma Prejean,

Housekeeper: Sharon Landry,

Sisters of the Congregation of the Mother of Carmel: (985) 369-7069

Office Hours 8:30 AM to 12:00 PM and 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM, Mon, Tues, Thurs, Friday

Advent Weekends

First weekend of Advent (Nov 27th & 28th): Anointing and Praying over the people after every weekend Masses

Second weekend of Advent (Dec 4th & 5th): Renewal of Marriage vows and special recognition of the those married in 2020 and those celebrating their 10, 20, 25, 30, 40, 50 and above wedding anniversaries at all weekend Masses.

Third weekend of Advent (Dec 11th & 12th): Recognition of Newly Baptized in 2021

Reconciliation

December 13th, Monday from 6:30 pm to 7:30 pm @ St. Jules

December 17th, Friday from 9:30 am to 12:00 pm noon @ St. Elizabeth



Christmas Eve and Christmas Day Masses

Christmas Eve, December 24th, Friday

St. Elizabeth - 4:00 pm

St. Jules - 6:00 pm

Christmas Day, December 25th, Saturday

St. Elizabeth - Midnight (12:00am)

St. Jules - 8:30 am

New Year Eve and New Year Day Masses

New Year Eve December 31st, Friday:

St. Jules Church- 6:00 pm

St. Elizabeth: Adoration from 11:00 pm to 12:00 midnight

Mass at 12:00 midnight

New Year Day Mass January 1st, Saturday:

St. Elizabeth Church: 7.45 am

Immaculate Conception Masses

Tuesday, December 7th at 6:00 pm Vigil Mass at St. Jules

Wednesday, December 8th at 7.45 am Mass at St. Elizabeth

Wednesday, December 8th at 6:00 pm

Mass at St. Jules with consecration of families to St. Joseph

St. Elizabeth & St. Jules Ministers Schedule

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>

Minister Coordinator and Scheduler—Jeannie Morris. Contact her at ministries@sesjchurch.com .

<i>DATE</i>	<i>TIME</i>	<i>READERS</i>	<i>EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER</i>	<i>ALTAR SERV-</i>	<i>SACRISTANS</i>	<i>USHERS</i>
12/04/21 St. Jules	Saturday 4:00 PM	Jill Prejean Mark Dubreuil	CMC Sisters	Ava Womack Carter Womack Lucy LeBlanc	CMC Sisters	Adult Volunteers
12/5/ 21 St. Jules	Sunday 8:30 AM	Erica Charlet Nick Charlet	Robin Landry Annette Oschwald	Zachary Charlet Lani Charlet	Glenda Blanchard & Volunteer	Adult Volunteers
12/5/ 21 St. Elizabeth	Sunday 10:30 AM	Madisyn Southern Melanie Gros	CMC Sisters	Joshua Delhommer, Andrew Thibodeaux, Haden Cedotal Alex Blanchard	CMC Sisters	Volunteers
12/5/ 21 St. Elizabeth	Sunday 6:00 PM	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers

Youth Choir Rehearsal

The youth choir will have a rehearsal on Thursday, December 2, 2021 at St. Jules Church at 6:30 PM. Direct any questions to Julie Landry at youthchoir@sesjchurch.com .or call: 225-505-9687.

Additional Mausoleum at St. Elizabeth Cemetery

Since we have a lack of space at St. Elizabeth Cemetery, we plan to build an additional mausoleum. There will be a board placed in the back of St. Elizabeth Church for the Mausoleum. Please add your name if you are interested in purchasing a crypt. There will be crypts and cremation niches in this new mausoleum. Please ask your family living out of town if they want to have a crypt at St. Elizabeth.

Wish list for St. Elizabeth and St. Jules Churches

St. Elizabeth:

- ◆ St. Joseph Photo frame and pictures for 150 pieces: \$ 240
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- ◆ Requesting 25 donors to sponsor 4 missalettes each at cost of \$100 for St. Elizabeth Church . **1 taken**
- ◆ Wireless Mic:\$ 300



St. Jules Church:

- ◆ St. Joseph Photo frame and pictures for 100 pieces: \$ 160
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- Requesting 13 donors to sponsor 4 missalettes each at cost of \$100 for St. Jules Church

Stewardship for November 21, 2021

	Mass	Online	Total
St. Elizabeth Regular Collection	\$1,335.00	\$1,316.00	\$2,651.00
Improvement Fund	\$11.00	\$191.00	\$202.00
Campaign for Human Development	\$646.00	-	\$646.00
Thanksgiving envelopes	\$25.00	\$103.00	\$128.00
St. Jules Regular Collection	\$2,189.00	\$475.00	\$2,664.00
Improvement Fund	\$30.00	\$25.00	\$55.00
Campaign for Human Development	\$377.00	-	\$377.00
Thanksgiving envelopes	\$20.00	-	\$20.00

This week's sanctuary light is in memory of:

St. Elizabeth: For the People

St. Jules: For the People

Mass Intentions

Saturday, November 27 (St. Jules)

4:00 PM - Marie Adele Rivere and Morris, Maudry Hebert, Yvonne Simoneaux, T-Claude and Carolyn G. Talbot, Nolan Guillot, Arlyn Rousseau

Sunday, November 28

8:30 AM - For the People

10:30 AM - Henry, Sr. and Tillie C. George, Henry George, Jr. , Carrie Broussard, Mederic and Mildred LeBlanc, Lenny LeBlanc, Julie LeBlanc, Lloyd "Casey" Dugas, Jr. and Lloyd Dugas, Sr., Leonard Verette, Brett Louque, Eugene, Jr. and Sharon Oncale

6:00 PM - Rev. Sebastian Mattam

Monday, November 29

6:00 PM - Elizabeth Cynac

Tuesday, November 30

7:45 AM– Linda Johnson

Thursday, December 2

6:00 PM - Departed Sisters of CMC

Friday, December 3

7:45 AM – LeRoy LeBlanc

Saturday, December 4 (St. Jules)

4:00 PM - D.C. and Marilyn Mattingly

Sunday, December 5

8:30 AM - Philip and Eva Simoneaux and Family, Felix and Vivian Simoneaux and Family, Louissette Malarcher, Gilbert Blanchard, Lucie Mae Dupre, William 'Beagle' Dupre, Patrick Cancienne, Rita and Kim Charlet

10:30 AM - For the People

6:00 PM - Departed Souls of Slattery Family

Please Pray For:

Sandy George, Special Request, Kathleen Rousseau, Brayden Hood, Gaige Adams, Shirley Hebert, Steven Gauthier, Marlene Newchurch, Jamie Borne, Alice Bourg, *Sharon Landry*, Lionel Naquin, Addie Landry, Gabby Daigle, Milton Metrejean, Maggie Plauche, Bonnie Knobles, Dianne Landry Cross, Colby Gravois, Warren Dugas, Jane Boudreaux, Blake Hebert, Chasely Rose Diez, Patricia Cavalier, Andrew Cavalier, Dennis Cavalier, Joey Campo, Kim Arvel, Jeremy Landry, Tucker Dupre, Margaret Law, Beth Boudreaux, Todd Daigle, Sondra Cavalier, Ivy Landry, Robert Helms

Baptismal Seminar

Our next Baptism Seminar is scheduled for the **second Sunday of the month after the 10:30 Mass at the Mount Carmel Hall.**



The next Seminar is on Sunday **December 12, 2021**

Paperwork and more information about baptisms can be found at

www.sesjchurch.com/sacrament-of-baptism

St. Elizabeth School Memorial Fund

A gift to the St. Elizabeth School Memorial Fund lives on in the service of others. Those who send gifts as memorials for deceased family members, friends and relatives can be assured that they are helping St. Elizabeth School to continue its role in Catholic education for future generations.

The Christmas Memorial Mass in honor of your loved one(s) will be **Friday, December 17, 2021 at 7:45 a.m. in St. Elizabeth Catholic Church.**

To send a memorial gift, simply send in your donation along with the name(s) of your loved one(s) to be remembered to:

St. Elizabeth School, P.O. Drawer M, Paincourtville, LA 70391.

Please make checks payable to **St. Elizabeth School Memorial Fund**. You may also drop it off in the office or send it to school with a student in his or her green envelope by Monday, December 13, 2021.