

ST. JULES CATHOLIC CHURCH

Matthew 15:21-28 Canaanite Woman's Faith



MASS SCHEDULE

SUNDAY: 8 & 10 am; *Spanish* 11:30am; *Vietnamese* 2 pm

SATURDAY: 4 pm (Anticipated)

WEEKDAYS: Monday, Tuesday, Friday 12 noon; Wednesday 8 am

Confession: Saturday 3:15 – 3:45 pm; Sundays 15 mins before mass, 11:50 am before weekday Masses; or by appointment

Rosaries: 11:30 am before weekday Masses; 6:30 pm Monday; Patriotic Rosary 6:30 pm Wednesday

First Friday Adoration (bilingual) Immediately after noon mass until 6 pm; Benediction following.

OFFICE HOURS: Mon-Fri 9:30 am to 12:30 pm

ORGANIZATIONS AND MINISTRIES

Adult Education	Barney Lejeune	337-501-3492
Angels of Service	Barbara Satchez	337-298-4749
Altar Servers/Acolytes	Aren Chaisson	337-962-6284
Annual Retreat (GC)	Allen Begnaud	337-230-9984
Choir	Angie Sanford	337-852-5600
Catholic Daughters	Gerry Sonnier	337-780-1085
Catechism (CCD) / Bulletin	Corine Porche	337-296-7994
Catechism (CCD/Hispan)	Luisa Blanco	337-852-7241
Come Lord Jesus (Tue 2:30)	Phyllis Boudreaux	337-781-7576
Come Lord Jesus (Wed 5:30)	Christy Perret	337-593-0669
Eucharistic Ministers	Barbara Satchez	337-298-4749
Homebound Eucharistic Ministry	Ken/Sally Wade	337-984-7563
Immaculata Prayer Group	Dottie Bollich	337-257-8699
Knights of Columbus	Leo Satchez	337-288-5903
Lectors	Barbara Satchez	337-298-4749
Men's Cursillo	Randall	337-349-2516
St. Jules Faith Divers	Eric Greenwood	337-319-8068
Theresians	Jalyne Dupre	337-852-7390
Ushers	Ken Judice	337-257-4317

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	MASS INTENTIONS	THIS WEEK AT ST. JULES	PRAY FOR PRIESTS PRAY FOR SEMINARIANS
Saturday 8/15/20 <i>Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary</i>	Rabalais Family, Bob Adamson, Joseph & Dolores Coleman, Mark Corner, Ham & Elaine Hamilton, David Moorehouse, Nam Van Nguyen, Nam Thé Din, Kim Cathey Buckles, Angelle Richard, All Who Passed Away & Who Had Abortions, Shirley Gaudin, Louis Bircher, Sydney Stoute	■ Anticipated Mass at 4 pm	Rev. Lawrence Abara Tre Fontenot
Sunday 8/16/20 <i>20th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	Theresa Broussard, Virginia Burleigh, Louella & Carl Gumpert, David Moorehouse, Nam Van Nguyen, Nam Thi Dinh, John "JR" Mhire, Annette Mhire, All Deceased & All who have had Abortions, David LeCompte, Nella & Bernette Barrilleaux, Rev. Mark Derise, Edia Hebert, Rev. Msgr. Keith Derouen, Ronnie Ackal, Pierre Trahan, James Hebert, Irma & John Hepting	■ Mass 8 and 10 am; Spanish 11:30 am; Vietnamese 2 pm	Rev. Ambrose Akalawu Andrew Furka
Monday 8/17/20	David Moorehouse, Nam Van Nguyen, Nam Thi Dinh, All Who Passed Away & Had Abortions, Pauline Steele	■ Mass 12 noon	Rev. Alexander Albert David Furka
Tuesday 8/18/20	David Moorehouse, Nam Van Nguyen, Nam Thi Dinh All Who Passed Away & Had Abortions,	■ Mass 12 noon	Rev. Thainese Alphonse James Hamilton
Wednesday 8/19/20 <i>St. John Eudes</i>	David Moorehouse, Nam Van Nguyen, Nam Thi Dinh, All Who Passed Away & Had Abortions	■ Mass 8 am	Rev. Anthony Anala Evan Hebert
Thursday 8/20/20 <i>St. Bernard</i>			Very Rev. Chester Arceneaux Caleb Henry
Friday 8/21/20 <i>St. Pius X</i>	David Moorehouse, Nam Van Nguyen & Nam Thi Dinh, All Who Passed Away & Had Abortions	■ Mass 12 noon	Rev. Michael Arnaud Eric Hernandez

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — Thus says the LORD: "Stand firm in justice; do what is right" (Isaiah 56:1, 6-7).

Psalm — O God, let all the nations praise you! (Psalm 67).

Second Reading — The gifts and the calling of God are unable to be revoked (Romans 11:13-15, 29-32).

Gospel — Recognizing the Canaanite woman's great faith, Jesus told her, "It shall be done as you wish" (Matthew 15:21-28).

WHY PRAY?

The "foreigners" as Isaiah calls them, the "Gentiles" as Paul calls them, or the "Canaanites" as Matthew calls them are called to worship the one true God in prayer. As we listen to today's readings, perhaps we are tempted to ask: "Why pray?" The question is rhetorical; it is tantamount to asking why should friends talk to one another or people in love kiss one another. Prayer is a way of relating to God, a way of talking to God. The apostles had the opportunity to talk to Jesus in the flesh. We have the opportunity to talk to Jesus Christ in prayer. Our relationship with him must be enthusiastic; it cannot be faint-hearted. John Donne, a fifteenth-century poet, knew what the qualities of good prayer were. Donne asks God to treat him differently from most Christians. The poet does not want God to merely "knock, breathe, shine, and seek to mend," but also to "break, blow, burn, and make me new" (Holy Sonnets, XIV).

It takes a dynamic faith on our part to come to God in prayer. As Jesus once said, "Knock and the door will be opened to you" (Matthew 7:7). It may take pounding the door down, but if we are as persistent as the woman in today's Gospel, the results will follow.

Pray for the Sick

Please pray for Fr. Dan Edwards, for his continued health and well being. Please pray for Fr. Michael Champagne, Deacon Barney Lejeune, David Dwight Benoit, Jalyne Dupre, Buttons Adamson, Gregory Baffes, Marty Bellot, Ella Grace Revere, Sheree' Domingue, Brady Sturn, Robert Hollier, Mary Domingue, John Allen Roger, Milton Guilbeau, Kane Marceaux, Anita Mullins, Bob Andrews, Jessie Duhon, Ed Brenke, Annette Coleman, Sara Bryan, Ken Wade, Rosalie Ardoin, Love Langlinais, Angie Theriot, Wilbert & Ella Gary, Elia Prejean, Robert Carroll, Gabe Michot, Hammy Davis, Carol Thornton, Will Carrier, Eldine LeBlanc, Rusty Durocher, Aren Chaisson, Mazie Guidry, David & Lenora Lutgring, Ed Boudreaux, Mary Ida Simoneaux, Brenda Brasseaux, Charles Faul, Matthew Faul, Michelle Richard, Katherine Carriere, Ross Coleman Jr., David Allen, Mary Venable & Ian Taylor, Deedee Luke, Dina Cullota, Brent Mhire, Natalie Miguez, Eli Judice, Terry Fitzgerald, Dallas Matamoros, Annie Taylor & Dianne Langlinais. To add to our prayer list, call 234-2727.



The Sanctuary Lamp (Burns in Memory of)

Theresa & Agnus Broussard Jr., Russell Dailey, Goldie Rome, Cullen Rome, Doug & Herb Guillory, David LeCompte, Mark Corner, Harry Chauvin, A. J. Antoine, Harrison Camel, Raymond Navarre, Frank Prejean, Nettie & Gervais Thibodeaux

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HOMEBOUND / HOSPITAL EUCCHARISTIC / PRAYER MINISTRY

If you or your loved one is a St. Jules parishioner and cannot attend Mass because of surgery or illness, or in the hospital and would like Holy Communion, and/or prayers, please call
Ken or Sally Wade at 984-7563
 or **Gerry Porche 337-296-8652**

AROUND THE PARISH

****PLEASE SILENCE YOUR CELL PHONES****

BAPTIZING YOUR CHILD

If you or someone you know is interested in baptizing a child, classes are every first Thursday beginning August 6, 2020 at 6:30 in the evening. Or you may contact Deacon Barney Lejeune 337-501-3492.

Baptism classes for Hispanics are held every first Tuesday. If interested contact Luisa Blanco 337-852-7241.

CCD (Religion) classes are postponed until January 2021. With this pandemic, and social distancing requirements, the safety of our kids is of the utmost importance. We have limited space in our classes which do not permit the required social distancing. With that said, we will begin CCD in January and the kids will have to attend weekly until the end of May. The schedule will not be every other week, but weekly. Registration forms will be available the end of September. Hopefully by January, things may be a little more stabilized and we can resume activities, somewhat. We will keep you posted.

*Whatever You Do to the Least of My Brothers You Do unto Me ...
Matthew 25:31-46*

Thank you for your contributions to St. Jules... Here is just a glimpse of where your money is going...In our St. Jules Community each Friday our Hispanic community has a food drive - since April 17 through present day our community has given a total of 600 baskets of food. Along with a contribution of \$2000.00 last month & some of our parishioners/organizations have donated money for needed supplies.

We send \$500 each month to the Monseigneur Sigur Center for the needy in Lafayette Parish & to Our Sisters of the Carmelites we send \$500.00 from our community each month.

We send a generous contribution of \$3000.00 each month to our Casa Charlene Home in Columbia. With that donation we were able to help hundreds of families in Villa Maria and other places of the city to mitigate the economic hardship facing our community we serve in Columbia. We were able to get 15 Tons of food to be distributed among the most affected.

We send a generous contribution of \$800.00 each month to our Casa Charlene home in Thailand (Sarnelli House is an orphanage in Nongkhai Thailand for abandoned children and children affected with HIV/AIDS).

WE RETURN TO GOD...FROM WHAT HE HAS GIVEN US! THANKS!

8/9/2020

Weekly Offertory	\$14,233.27
Building Fund	\$1,040.95
Poor	\$560.54
Masses	\$265.00
BSA	\$10.00
TOTAL	\$16,109.76

COME LORD JESUS! WEEKLY BIBLE STUDY

Give the leader a call to join!

Leader: Christy Perret

Day & Time: Wednesday, 5:30-6:30PM **Location:** Church Hall

Phone: 337/593-0669 **Email:** christy143@lusfiber.net

Leader: Phyllis Boudreaux

Day & Time: Tuesday, 2:30-4 PM **Location:** Church Hall

Phone: 337/781-7576 **Email:** phyllisrb@lusfiber.net

AROUND THE DIOCESE

AN ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things and I desire to receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen

TV MASS FOR THE HOMEBOUND—KLAJ Channel 46 (NBC) 9:30 AM

For the faithful at home or in healthcare settings, the Heart of the Nation Sunday TV Mass brings spiritual comfort and the blessings of joy filled hope in our Risen Savior. (For those who can get to church, the TV or online liturgy does not fulfill the Sunday mass obligation.)

Acadiana's Center for Loss & Transition is offering a FREE virtual support group for Acadiana's healthcare workers that have been emotionally impacted by working through the pandemic. For more information call Heather Prejean at 337-889-5369 or hprejean@hospiceacadiana.com

Rachel's Vineyard is a retreat for those who have suffered the wounds of abortion. The next retreat will be held October 2-4, 2020. If you would like more information, please contact Trista at 337-261-5598. All inquiries are kept strictly confidential. Rachel's Vineyard was started in 1994, by Dr. Theresa Burke, a psychotherapist who wrote the book: "Forbidden Grief: The Unspoken Pain of Abortion". Rachel's Vineyard is a post-abortion ministry rooted in scripture. Rachel's Vineyard Retreat is a three day weekend for those suffering from an abortion decision. The retreat provides a safe, confidential, and non-judgmental environment.

Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist

Join us for our weekly Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament following the 5:30pm Monday Mass. The hour includes music, Scripture reading, and a homily. Come adore the Lord in the Blessed Sacrament. During Phase I, only 173 people are allowed in Church. Join us online with Facebook Live Broadcast courtesy of the Office of TV and Radio of the Diocese of Lafayette

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Ez 24:15-24; Dt 32:18-21; Mt 19:16-22

Tuesday: Ez 28:1-10; Dt 32:26-28, 30, 35cd -36ab; Mt 19:23-30

Wednesday: Ez 34:1-11; Ps 23:1-6; Mt 20:1-16

Thursday: Ez 36:23-28; Ps 51:12-15, 18-19; Mt 22:1-14

Friday: Ez 37:1-14; Ps 107:2-9; Mt 22:34-40

Saturday: Ez 43:1-7ab; Ps 85:9ab, 10-14; Mt 23:1-12

Sunday: Is 22:19-23; Ps 138:1-3, 6, 8; Rom 11:33-36; Mt 16:13-20

QUANTITY: 650

