

ST. JULES CATHOLIC CHURCH

The Cure for Spiritual Blindness

John 9:1-41



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Mass Schedule

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

SATURDAY: 4 pm (Vigil)

WEEKDAYS: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday 12:05 pm

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 Tuesday; Patriotic Rosary 6:30 pm Wednesday

Eucharistic Adoration: Second Tuesday 6:30 pm;

First Friday Adoration (bilingual) 6 pm followed by 7 pm Mass

OFFICE HOURS

Monday thru Thursday 9:30 am to 1 pm;

Closed on Friday

Organizations

Catholic Daughters of the Americas...Eldine LeBlanc, Regent.....234-8116

Knights of Columbus.....Leo Satchez, Grand Knight.....233-0899

Fourth Degree.....Carl Landry.....873-3612

Men's Cursillo.....Jim Whittington.....981-2084

St. Jules Usher Society.....Mike Miley.....280-3051

Angels of Service.....Barbara Satchez.....233-0899

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	MASS INTENTIONS	THIS WEEK AT ST. JULES	PRAY FOR PRIESTS PRAY FOR SEMINARIANS
Sunday 3/26/17 <i>Fourth Sunday of Lent</i>	Ernest & Edith Roger, Louella Gumpert, Marie Laurent, Rocky Scelfo, Charles & Clydie Porche, Patrick Colligan	● Masses: 8:00 & 10:00 am; Spanish 11:30 am ; Vietnamese 2 pm	Rev. Mitchell Guidry Randy Courville
Monday 3/27/17	Souls in Purgatory, Shirley & Robert Dugas	● Mass 12:05 pm ● CCD 6 pm	Rev. Brad Guillory Brent Didier
Tuesday 3/28/17	Souls in Purgatory, Jerry Driskell, Shirley & Robert Dugas	● CLJ 2-4 pm ● Parish Mission 6:30 pm ● Rosary Church 6:30-7 pm	Bishop Curtis Guillory Cameron Domingue
Wednesday 3/29/17	Souls in Purgatory, Nona G. Walters, Shirley & Robert Dugas	● Mass 12:05 pm ● Patriotic Rosary 6:30 pm ● Immaculata Prayer Group 7 pm	Rev. Joshua Guillory Phillip Domingue
Thursday 3/30/17		● Susan Castille Bible Study 8:30 pm	Rev. Jude Halphen Blake Dubroc
Friday 3/31/17 <i>Abstinence</i>	Souls in Purgatory, Nona G. Walters, Shirley & Robert Dugas	● Mass 12:05 pm ● Way of the Cross 11:30 am & 6 pm (Spanish)	Rev. Brian Harrington Casey Dugas
Saturday 4/1/17 <i>First Saturday</i>	Souls in Purgatory, Jules & Anita Domingue, Rita Thibodeaux, Randall Mouton, Charles & Clydie Porche, Mercedes Culotta, Joanne Dugas, Bernice & Bertha Langlinais, Marie Laurent, Frank Conde, Vivian Guidry, Patrick Colligan	● Mass 4 pm ● First Communion Retreat 9-1 pm	Pope Francis Casey Dugas
Sunday 4/2/17 <i>Fifth Sunday of Lent</i>	John "JT" Mhire, All Priests, Louella Gumpert, Cullen Rome, Russell Dailey, Rocky Scelfo	● Masses: 8:00 & 10:00 am ; Spanish 11:30 am; Vietnamese 2 pm	Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI John Dugas

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — As the prophet Samuel anointed David with oil, the spirit of the Lord rushed upon David and remained with him from that day forward (1 Samuel 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a).

Psalms — The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want (Psalm 23).

Second Reading — You who were once darkness are now light in the Lord. Live as children of light (Ephesians 5:8-14).

Gospel — The man who was blind from birth proclaimed: The one called Jesus made clay with his saliva, anointed my eyes with it, and told me to wash. When I washed, I was able to see! (John 9:1-41 [1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38])



The Sanctuary Lamp (Burns in Memory of)

Doug Guillory, Harry Chauvin
Jimmy Broussard, Russell Dailey, Agnus Broussard
Harrison Camel, Marjorie Donlon



The Vocation Chalice is entrusted to **David & Connie McManus** Sunday at 10 am mass

Please join us in prayer for Vocations to the Priesthood

Pastor: Rev. Fr. Dan Edwards
Deacon: Reggie Bollich
Jose Luna & Vincente Blanco
Bulletin / DRE: Corine Porche
337-296-7994 or
Email: cporche@cal-chlor.com
Spanish Ministry: Luisa Blanco
337/852-7241
Cantor & Organist:
Angela & Brian Sanford
Sacristan / Bldg Maintenance:
Leonardo Napoles

HOMEBOUND EUCHARISTIC MINISTRY

If you or your loved one is a St. Jules parishioner and cannot attend Mass because of surgery or illness and would like Holy Communion, please call Ken or Sally Wade at 984-7563

CHILDREN OF THE LIGHT

The future king, David, in today's first reading, is an example of a type of character present throughout the Hebrew scriptures. He is the child born out of place (not the eldest or most favored) who ends up receiving the promise of the covenant. The spirit of God's anointing rushes upon him. In this way, he is similar to the man born blind from today's Gospel. David's family and the blind man's community did not expect the miraculous grace of God's love to work through them. Perhaps they, too, were "blinded" by the expectations and assumptions of those around them. Yet, after being touched by God, they both came to "see" the presence of God's will for them. Both became messengers of God's will. That same Spirit of God's anointing rushed upon us at our baptism; we were given a candle as a sign of our membership in the Body of Christ, the Light from Light. Our vocation, then, is to fulfill that enlightenment, that anointing, as Ephesians tells us, by living as "children of the light."

Pray for the Sick

Please say a special prayer for Fr. Dan Edwards, Dora Doucet, Rowena Broussard, Tommy Broussard, Earl Buller, Ken Miller, Kirk Domas, Bernadette Dugas, Elia Prejean, Gussie Romero, C. J. Arceneaux, Ken Wade, Elaine & Gary, LeVonia Trahan, Greg Baffes, Theresa Broussard, Jeanette Dugas, Dr. Joey Delahoussaye, Lois Reeder, Cynthia Gary, Ethel Hebert, Glenn Hebert, Taina Zeller, Tina Gilbert, Gavin Walters, Hope Broussard, Bradly McCormick, C. J. Leger, Kakki Purslow, Frank Falto, David Begnaud, Jessie Duhon, Gerard Martin, Hillary Mire, George Seaux, Genevieve "Gennie" Patin, Frances Sabyle, Marnell Castille, Louis Bircher, Annette Huval, Audrey Desormeaux, Marty Bellot, Scott Bircher, Easton Faul, Fr. Garrett Savoie, Amie Clostio, Patty Lagrange, Mickey Stoutes, Lacey McIntyre, Paula McIntyre, Mary Boustany, M/M J. B. Duplechain, Albertine Locklear, Rayford Lantier, Larry Whatley, James D. Stelly, Shirley Stobart, Ruth Broussard, Ella Grace Revere, Michael Vidallier, Margaret Gremillion, Louis Culotta, Nona Walters, Sandy Thibodeaux, Bob Adamson, Laura McIntyre, Fr. Gene Tremie, Fr. Pius Vallooran, Dotsie Butcher, Hal Perkins, M/M Don Guilbeaux, Casey Lormand, Leslie DeJean, Carroll Donlon, Dwight Boudreaux, Alice Stansbury, David LeCompte, Mrs. W. J. Schexneider, Claudia Trahan, Sheila R. Sawyer, Marie Downs and Parishioners of St. Jules.

AROUND THE PARISH

St Jules Lenten Mission—Theology of the Body Teachings of St John Paul II

When: March 28 (Tuesdays) **Where:** St Jules Church Hall
Time: 6:30 Register by Calling: Parish office: (337) 234-2727
Taran: (337) 550-5740 (English) Luisa: (337) 852-7241 Espanol

My Lord and My God! Followers of Jesus

Presented by Susan Castille **Dates:** March 2 thru April 6, 2017
Time: 9:15 AM to 11:30 AM **Place:** St. Jules Catholic Church
Register at church or Email: SusanCastillebiblestudy@gmail.com OR:
Call Rosie at 981-1455 by Feb 27th Please include name and phone
number. \$15 donation appreciated to cover expenses. Bring a friend!
Spread the Word!

The Knights of Columbus have started their 40 days of collecting
can goods for lent. Bins will be at all entrances of the church.
Please be generous with your donations.

Lenten Healing Service

Wednesday, April 5 at 6:30 PM, St Jules Church

Our 3rd Annual Multi-Cultural St Jules Community Healing Service with
the imposition of hands followed by Benediction in English, Spanish,
and Vietnamese will be led by Fr Dan Edwards, Fr Joseph Tran, and Fr
Francois Santa Marie assisted by several Diocese of Lafayette
Deacons and the Immaculata Prayer Group. Confessions before
and after the healing service.

Pope Francis witnesses Eucharistic Miracle..check out this video
on YouTube...http://youtu.be/_UXuLKaLVQc

The 44th Annual Paschal Meal will be held Wednesday, April 12th
at 6:30 pm in the parish hall. Everyone is invited to attend. Res-
ervations are required due to limited seating. Please call Barbara
Satchez at 233-0899 to make your reservation. We will need
name, phone number and how many will be attending with your
group.

There will be envelopes for **Easter flower donations** at the
entrances of church. Please include name in memory of on
the envelope if applicable.

Candles may be purchased for \$5 per candle

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

	<u>3/19/17</u>
Cash Offertory	\$13,350.01
Poor	\$715.94
Parking Lot/BSA	\$140.00
Masses/Flowers	\$425.00
Spanish Collection	\$683.43
TOTAL	\$15,314.38

Thank you for your generosity and spirit of caring!

COME LORD JESUS! WEEKLY BIBLE STUDY *Give the leader a call to join!*

Leader: Christy Perret

Day & Time: Wednesday @5:30-7 PM **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

Second Collection—Catholic Relief Services

This collection funds six Catholic agencies that work to serve our
suffering brothers and sisters here at home and abroad. Catholic
Relief Services provides humanitarian aid in the wake of natural
disasters, refuge for the displaced, advocacy for peace and jus-
tice around the world. By participating in this collection we walk
with Jesus in disguise in some of the most marginalized commu-
nities in our world and within the United States.

"Bethsaida and the Risen Christ by the Sea"

Thursday, April 6 at 6:30 PM, St Jules Church Hall. A Lenten bibli-
cal archaeology presentation will be presented by Deacon Reggie
Bollich. St Jules parishioners and all friends of St Jules Parish are
welcome.

Interested in a silent retreat or a Special Weekend retreat?

The Jesuit Spirituality Center in Grand Coteau is offering Silent,
Individually-Directed Retreats, as well as Special Weekend Group
Programs, from now thru the end of June. For an application form
to register, call 337/662-5251 or visit their website, jesuitspiritualtycenter.org.

Labyrinth Walk

The labyrinth is an ancient pattern found in cultures around the
world in many different forms and entered Christian prayer life
during the Middle Ages, when it was integrated into cathedrals
across Europe. The Labyrinth inside Charters Cathedral in
France is one of the few that remains in its original form. Aimee
Dominique will present "An Ancient Path for Reflection" - Presen-
tation and Walk on **Thursday, March 23rd, 6:30 pm at Holy
Cross Church**, Mission Hall (Bldg M—gym). Please enter/park
on Norbert Luke Drive by KC Hall. For more info contact Elsa
Mendoza at 984-2301, worship@holycrosslafayette.com.

Rice Bowls

Rice bowls were given to the children at CCD class Monday, 3/6/17.
25% of your donations are returned to the Diocese to be used to
assist the needy in our local area and the remaining 75% is used by
Catholic Relief Services to assist the poor throughout the world.

APRIL 1

This is the day upon which we are reminded of what we are on
the other three hundred and sixty-four. —Mark Twain

Music

Entrance: Gather Us In

Offertory: The Lord is My Light

Communion: You Are Mine

Exit: Blest be the Lord

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday:	Is 65:17-21; Ps 30:2, 4-6, 11-13b; Jn 4:43-54
Tuesday:	Ez 47:1-9, 12; Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9; Jn 5:1-16
Wednesday:	Is 49:8-15; Ps 145:8-9, 13cd-14, 17-18; Jn 5:17-30
Thursday:	Ex 32:7-14; Ps 106:19-23; Jn 5:31-47
Friday:	Wis 2:1a, 12-22; Ps 34:17-21, 23; Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30
Saturday:	Jer 11:18-20; Ps 7:2-3, 9bc-12; Jn 7:40-53
Sunday:	Ez 37:12-14; Ps 130:1-8; Rom 8:8-11; Jn 11:1-45 [3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45]