

St. Albert Catholic Student Center

*Serving Southeastern Louisiana University
Since 1961*

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BUSINESS OFFICE HOURS:
Monday – Thursday, 8:30 am – 2:30 pm

MASS SCHEDULE
Monday – Thursday, 12:30 pm
Sunday, 10:00 am, 6:00 pm

All our Masses are live streamed on our web site at stalbertselu.org/mass.

RECONCILIATION SCHEDULE:
Monday – Thursday, 12:00 – 12:25 pm
Sunday, 9:30 – 9:50 am
5:00 – 5:50 pm
Other times by appointment

St. Albert Student Center is entirely owned and operated by the Catholic Church of the Diocese of Baton Rouge.

MISSION STATEMENT: *Our mission is to provide a place for students of Southeastern Louisiana University, especially those baptized into faith, to experience a sense of community based on the religious and moral principles taught by Christ through His One Holy, Catholic and Apostolic Church. We offer Southeastern students a spiritual and religious community to which they can belong and call home while attending Southeastern. Our focus is developing the God-given virtues of faith, trust, love/charity, and hope as the basis for mature, healthy, human relationships. Everyone is welcome regardless of his or her religious beliefs.*



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**Scripture Readings for
4th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Deuteronomy 18 15-20

This book speaks to the prophetic tradition. It signals that God will have a prophet for the people like they had in Moses. God will continue to lead the people through new prophets and the people will listen to them.

1 Corinthians 7: 32-25

Paul was anticipating Jesus' quick return. Some of his teachings were in the light of this. For example, he was not condemning marriage, but felt that since Jesus' return was imminent, this would be a complication. Paul wanted the people to focus on the coming of Christ and simplify their lives.

Mark 1: 21-28

Jesus words, followed by an exorcising of the demon, created an astonished response from the people. His fame then spread throughout the land. They recognized his authority.

Please pray for vocations to Religious Life, the Diaconate and the Priesthood

Diocese of Baton Rouge Prayer for Vocations

Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, truly present in the Holy Eucharist,
we ask You to graciously listen to our prayers of intercession.

Make our hearts like Yours, so that we may respond to
Your call in our lives.

Draw men from our land in the Diocese of Baton Rouge to sit at
Your feet, listen to Your voice, and follow You as ordained members in the Body of Christ.
Inspire our clergy, consecrated religious and laity to encourage young men to prayerfully
consider the vocation to the priesthood.

We give You permission, Lord, to have Your way
with us in our walk toward eternity. Amen



The sanctuary light may be reserved on a weekly basis to burn in
memory of a loved one. The suggested donation is \$5.



We offer Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament on Monday afternoons from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. You are invited to spend time with the Blessed Sacrament in our chapel. Committed adorers are needed.

Donations can be made for fresh flowers for the altar in memory of a deceased loved one, or in celebration of an anniversary or in honor of a special occasion. If you would like to donate, please use the envelopes that are on the table at Mid-Chapel. Considering our cost for each arrangement, our suggested donation for flowers is \$25. Thank you.



is a local food bank whose mission for the past 20 years has been to alleviate hunger in our area. Their volunteer e-mail is volunteer@ourdailybreadhammond.org and their phone number is 985-542-4676. Visit them at their web site at <https://ourdailybreadhammond.org>. Please

call or email about volunteer opportunities. Presently, they need canned food with pop-top lids (like soup and mac & cheese) as well as plastic grocery bags to pack meals and grocery items in for those in need).

Called by Name

Please place your Called by Name response card in the collection basket or return it to the parish office. Please continue to pray for vocations to the priesthood in the Diocese of Baton Rouge. Remember in prayer those men of our parish who have been nominated, that they may appreciate their giftedness and respond to Christ's call.

QUALITIES DESIRED IN A CANDIDATE FOR THE PRIESTHOOD IN THE DIOCESE OF BATON ROUGE

1. He is recognized as being approachable.
 2. He enjoys life, people, and has a sense of humor.
 3. He forms and maintains healthy relationships with men and women.
 4. He considers a personal relationship with Jesus Christ as an important part of his life.
 5. He has an ability and desire to talk about his faith.
 6. He has a desire to serve others and make a difference in the lives of others.
 7. He is willing to sacrifice personal or material gain for the service of the Gospel and the Church.
 8. He has the capacity to lead and work with people of all ages.
 9. He feels good about himself, has average to above average intelligence, and has good physical, mental and emotional health.
 10. He recognizes the importance of the Church.
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2023-2024
BISHOP'S
ANNUAL APPEAL
DIOCESE OF BATON ROUGE

To learn more or to donate, visit
[DIOBR.ORG/BAA](https://diobr.org/baa)
or scan this QR code with your phone.



Bishop's Annual Appeal

The experience of living out one's faith within a community setting on campus is important to the life of the whole Church, and so the Bishop's Annual Appeal continually supports the campus ministries at LSU, Southern and Southeastern. To learn more about the Bishop's Annual Appeal and support our diocesan college campus ministries, visit, diobr.org/baa

Tax Donation Letters

are now available on desk by the main Chapel entrance. If you have any questions about your letter or forgot to sign up to receive your letter, please contact the office.

Stewardship

Bishop Duca relies upon the generosity of the St. Albert Support Community to assist him in providing a student center apostolate for Southeastern Louisiana University. St. Albert exists and is staffed to serve the needs of the Catholic students and staff of Southeastern Louisiana University, and receives no public funding to do so. Your generous financial support gives you an important role in our outreach to Southeastern's Catholic students – the future active members and leaders of the Church – as we strive to be their home-away-from-home in Hammond.

You may either drop your contribution in the basket provided in the Chapel area, mail your check to us at 409 W Dakota, Hammond 70401 or visit stalbertselu.org and click on the **DONATE** button.

Thank You for Your Generosity.

January 14th & 21st Weekly collection: \$6669

2nd collection: Building & Maintenance \$50

Student Needs: \$20

Mass schedule, intentions, liturgical ministers, activities January 29 - February 4, 2024.					
Our Sanctuary Light this week burns for those in need throughout the world.					
The flower arrangements on the altar this week are in memory of Rose and Pete Guzzardo					
	Time	Intention	Lectors	EMOHC	Activities
Monday January 29	12:30 pm	Special Intentions from The Vicknairs	Volunteers	Volunteers	Adoration 1:00 PM – 4:00 PM
Tuesday January 30	12:30 pm	Josie B. DePaula+	Volunteers	Volunteers	Free Lunch for Students 11:30 AM – 1:15 PM
Wednesday January 31	12:30 pm	Vivian Beros+	Volunteers	Volunteers	
Thursday February 1	12:30 pm	The Troxler Family, living and deceased	Volunteers	Volunteers	
Friday February 2	<u>No Services</u>				
Saturday, February 3	<u>No Services</u>				
Sunday February 4	10:00 am	Souls in Purgatory Robert Rutledge+ Antionette Riley+ Ernest Delaune III+ Sharleen Juneau+ Victor Abene+ Steve and Liz Pugh+ Joe Graziano+	Sharon Lambert	PBM- Taylor Bougere PBLM-Michelle Burch PBLM-Aidan Hidalgo	5th Sunday in Ordinary Time
	6:00 pm	Southeastern Students, Faculty and Staff; St. Albert Support Community	Holly Gordon	PBM-Bill Gordon PBLM-Maurice LeBlanc PBLM-Tommy Edwards	

Join us after 10am mass on Sunday for coffee and fellowship!

Deadline for announcements to be published in our bulletin is 2:30 pm on the Tuesday prior to publication.