



The Pelican Express

Let Go...Let God

OCTOBER 27, 2022

CALENDAR

Friday, October 28

- Middle School Parent/Teacher Conference - Middle School students do NOT attend school
- PK-5 Grade Students attend school.

Monday, October 31

- Elementary Parent/Teacher Conference - PK-5 students do NOT attend school.
- Middle School Students attend school.

Tuesday, November 1 - All Saints Day, Holy Day of Obligation

- All Saints & Souls Mass, 8:15, dress uniforms
- There will be no Mass for students on Thursday, November 3 this week

Wednesday, November 2

- Praise & Worship, 7:20am, Ursula (Breakfast will NOT be served)

Friday, November 4

- World's Fair, Gym, during school day

YOU'RE INVITED

Consecration to the
Sacred Heart of Jesus and the
Immaculate Heart of Mary



All are invited to bear witness to the Consecration of our school to the pierced hearts of Jesus and Mary. The 9-day Novena will begin in Assembly on 11/8 and conclude on 11/17 at 9:15am outside the gym doors. Please join us for this very special occasion for our school.

Thursday, November 17



ATTN PK FAMILIES

Since Pre-Kindergarten is not a requirement by the State, PreK students are considered "new students" and must APPLY to Kindergarten at MBS. Applications are accepted November 9-30. All prospective Kindergarten students who do not attend MBS currently will be applying at this time also.

Application & Enrollment Schedule

Application & Enrollment			
Process	Date	Fee	Includes
Online Application	11/9-11/30	\$125 (non-refundable)	Only new students apply. This includes existing PK students at MBS.
Re-Enrollment	1/9-1/15	\$360 (non-refundable) \$100 late fee	All existing students who will remain at MBS the following year. Tuition is NOT deducted during January. This excludes existing PK students.
Screening	1/9-1/15	NA	All prospective new students (PK-8). Existing PreK students are NOT screened.
Acceptance Letters	2/20	NA	Letters are emailed to those students who have been accepted.
Enrollment	2/20-3/3	\$360 (non-refundable)	All newly-accepted students must enroll. This includes existing PK students accepted into K program.

In-Parish vs Out-of-Parish Tuition

2022-23 TUITION			
	In-Parish	Catholic Out-of-Parish	Non-Catholic
PreK – 1 st Grade	\$6,315	\$7,150	\$7,540
2 nd - 8 th Grades	\$5,775	\$6,540	\$6,900

Tuition subject to increase 3% for the 2023-24 school year.

Will you receive IN-Parish
or Out-of-Parish Tuition
next year?
See next page.



Time & Talent (Service Hours)

Parent's Commitment to Church and School One of the requirements for enrollment and/or retention at Most Blessed Sacrament Catholic School is a commitment to the following agreement.

- In addition to daily prayer at home, the Catholic members of our family will attend Mass every weekend and on Holy Days of Obligation.
- Twenty (20) hours of Time and Talent will be given to the school and/or Church each year. Hours must be completed between January 1 and December 31 to receive the in-parish tuition rate. These hours are reviewed each year.
- A minimum amount of \$325.00 will be donated to the Church to support the stewardship program as an Identified Offertory Giver (IOG). IOGs will receive in-parish tuition. Donations will be verified by December 15 unless otherwise authorized by the Pastor. Any offerings thereafter will count towards the following school year.

Definition of an Hour

One (1) hour is defined as an actual hour of volunteer work or donation purchases of \$10.

New Students Clause

Time and Talent hours are prorated for new students. However, new families must still meet the IOG requirement of \$325.00 to receive in-parish tuition.

Log your Service Hours into FACTS.

Go to Family > Family Home. You will see "Service Hours" in the middle of the screen. Click "add" to add the hours. You must type in a description. Select "type a custom value," and then type your description.

Sending Items to School

Please label your items that you send to school from a SignUp Genius:

- **Parent Name (signed up on the SUG)**
- **Name of item**
- **Title of Sign Up (ex: 5th Grade Auction Basket)**

This helps us match your hours in FACTS.

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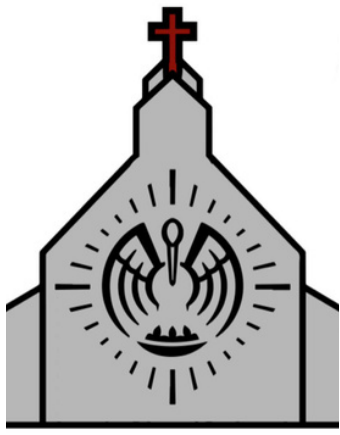
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GOODWOOD LIBRARY
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Sponsorships Available

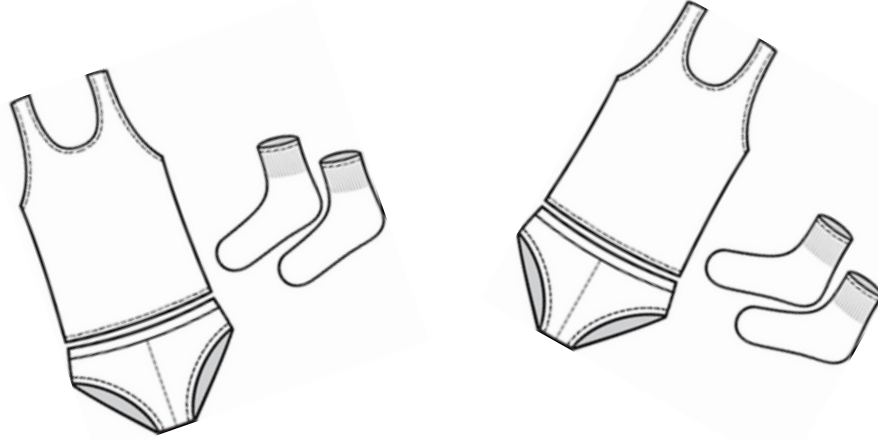
mbsauction.com

**Money raised goes towards the Capital Campaign
for two new buildings.**



Office of...

Children's Hospital - Service Project



Count Your Blessings by the Pairs for Children's Hospital

Are you aware that undergarments are the **most-needed items at our local Children's Hospital?**

**Help Support our Prekindergarten students
as they collect**

**Socks, Undies, and Undershirts
for ages Premie through 17 years old**

Monday, November 7 - Monday, November 14

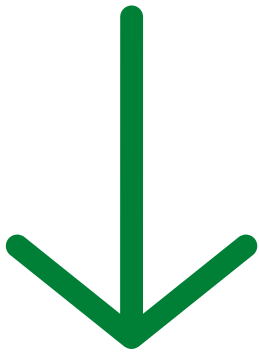
Christian Formation

How to Enter/Exit Church Parking Lot

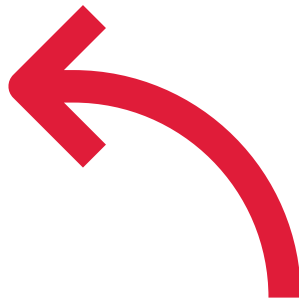
We have many vehicles that leave the Church parking lot as carpool enters the lot. While we are awaiting for the faded arrows to be repainted on the concrete, please take note of the flow of the traffic. This will cause less confusion and fewer near-hits in the lot.

There is only ONE lane for cars to ENTER the Parking Lot.
There are TWO lanes for cars to EXIT the Parking Lot.

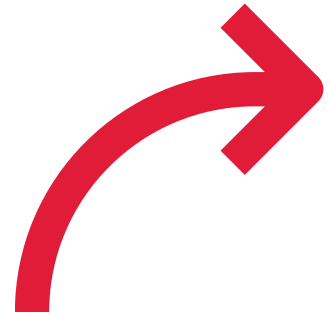
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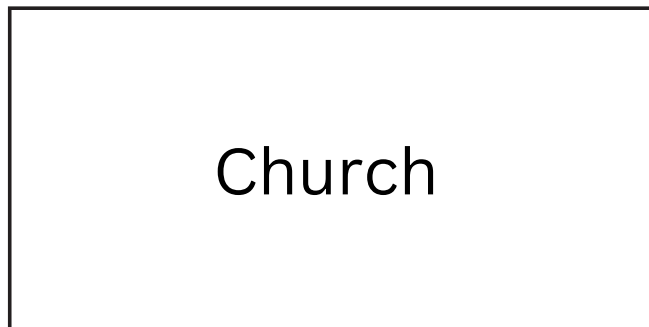
Entrance into Church Lot



Left exit from Church:
Lane designated for Vehicles
turning left onto Jefferson



Right exit from Church:
Lane designated for Vehicles
turning right onto Jefferson



Nut Aware Campus



The following update has been added to the Parent/Student Handbook:

Due to the increased number of students with nut allergies, Most Blessed Sacrament Catholic School is “nut aware.” Students are asked to refrain from bringing snacks or meals that contain loose nuts.

The Most Blessed Sacrament Catholic School cafeteria will not serve items with peanuts or peanut products. Students with identified nut allergies will be seated separately from students who bring bag lunches from home. Students with identified nut allergies will not be given any food items brought to school by other students, purchased or homemade. Students with nut allergies will be asked to provide a supply of nut-free snacks for consumption on these days.

Distinguished Graduate



Most Blessed Sacrament School is accepting nominations for **2022 Diocesan Distinguished Graduate**.

Distinguished graduates are students who completed their 8th Grade year at Most Blessed Sacrament School. These individuals have set themselves apart by making extraordinary contributions to our Parish and School Community and the Community of Baton Rouge.

Nominees should be positive, Catholic role models, exhibit passion for the Catholic faith, and model the characteristic of service discipleship.

To submit a nomination, please email Cheri Gioe, cgioe@mbsbr.org, a short essay with details about the nominee’s accomplishments.

Please include the nominee’s complete name, including maiden name if applicable, year of graduation from Most Blessed Sacrament School and contact information (email and phone number.)

Please also include your full name, email and phone number.



**We are in need of 30
EMPTY large
Clorox wipe containers.
Please send yours to school,
attention Penne Leier.**

OFFICE OF CHILD PROTECTION



According to the Safe Environment Policy promulgated by the USCCB and the Diocese of Baton Rouge, all parish and school ministry volunteers/chaperones must complete a mandatory background check and child protection training. Please note that MBS School child protection requirements are not the same as MBS Church Parish. Therefore, if you are compliant for one, you are not automatically compliant for the other. Please email Mrs. Landry at childprotection@mbsbr.org to check the status of your file and/or receive the required paperwork to activate your file.

2022-2023 Chaperone and Volunteer Agreement

All volunteers with active files must complete and submit this school year's Chaperone and Volunteer Requirements Agreement and the Code of Ethics Acknowledgement Form (page 5 of CoE document). Please find the **agreement** [here](#) and **Code of Ethics** [here](#). Please scan/email the completed paperwork to childprotection@mbsbr.org. One service hour may be counted in FACTS for updating the agreement and CoE.

New Volunteer Applications are being accepted at this time. Anyone that has not completed the child protection process for MBS School previously, please email your volunteer request to childprotection@mbsbr.org. Please note that five hours may be entered in FACTS for "Time and Talent" service hours once the child protection process is completed.

The monthly lunch menu is on the MBS site>Parents>Cafeteria

Do you shop on Amazon?

By adding Most Blessed Sacrament as your "Charity of Choice," a portion of your shopping total goes to MBS.

- Go to <https://smile.amazon.com/>
- Save ^^ that link as the URL to shop on
- Items with AmazonSmile Logo qualify.
- Your prices don't change and 0.5% of your price goes to MBS
- **\$2882** has been donated to MBS through September 2022.
- Click [here](#) for more information.



MBS Yellow Pages



Kids eat free Mondays

6555 Siegen Ln, Baton Rouge, LA 70809

MBS Children:
Ryan - Alum
Luke - 7th grade

- all-natural rotisserie chicken
- dry-rubbed chicken
- fresh, never frozen
- slow-roasted over real wood
- salads & sandwiches
- family meals & catering
- order through app for rewards, discounts, and other deals

dine-in, carryout, or delivery



choice title

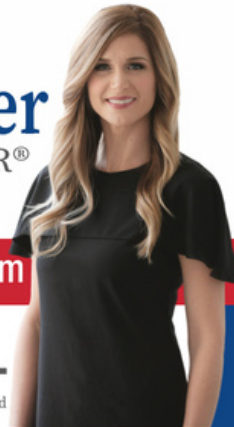
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MBS Children: Flynn - 4th grade, Hayes - 1st grade

*Maggie Rose
Designs*

monogram * appliqué
vinyl * embroidery
customize designs and
logos

Facebook

Angela, 241-7191

MBS Children:
Carson - Alumnus,
Bella Rose - 6th grade

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our newsletter?**

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Appraisals, & Consulting
Chase.SoldByUnited.com

Contact Chase Muller
225.615.8055

MBS Children: Melody - 2nd grade, Margo - PK4



**MBS Children:
Hayes - 1st grade,
Emorie - 7th grade**

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<https://riverparishpt.com/>

MBS Son: Brady Pitre - 7th grade



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**MBS Children:
Clayton - 5th grade
Marilyn - 3rd grade
Gwendolyn - K**

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*Proud mom of
Crawford-4th grade
Amelia Jane-2nd grade*




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**MBS Children:
Capri Godso - Kindergarten**

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MBS Children:
Olivia Ostrander PK4
Kylie Ostrander ALUM
Jerry Ostrander ALUM

MBS Children:

Tristan - 8th grade, Paisley - PK

MBS Children:
Bentley - 5th grade
Addison - Alum '22



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MBS Children:
Parker- 2nd grade
Riley - 1st grade