

Most Blessed Sacrament Parish News

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TWENTY-SECOND
SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME



**You have approached Mount Zion
and the city of the living God,
the heavenly Jerusalem.**

Hebrews 12:22

AUGUST 28, 2022

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Parish Office Hours:

Monday – Thursday: 8:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.
(Closed 12 p.m. - 1 p.m.)
Friday: 8:00 a.m. - Noon

•**BAPTISMS**: Please call the church office during pregnancy for information and to register for a Baptism seminar.

•**MARRIAGE**: Law of Diocese requires 6 month preparation period prior to wedding. Call church office for more information.

•**FUNERAL**: Please call the priest for prayer and before setting date/time.

•**RCIA**: If interested in becoming Catholic, call the church office.

Mass Schedule:

Saturday: 8:00 a.m. & 4:30 p.m.
Confessions 3:00 p.m.
Sunday: 8:00 a.m., 9:45 a.m., & 11:30 a.m.
Monday - Friday: 8:45 a.m. except during
school year when Thursday Mass is at 8:15 a.m.

MBS School

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Principal: Cheri Gioe
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HUMILITY

Today's readings praise the virtue of humility and offer concrete ways for us to become more humble. The Book of Sirach suggests a practical reason for acting with humility: humble people are more likeable than the arrogant. Even God "finds favor" with those who humble themselves. In Luke's Gospel, Jesus provides real-world suggestions for growing in humility and teaches us never to assume we are better than others. His words change our outward behavior and expand our hearts and minds to care about people we might have dismissed before. This practical, almost "folksy" wisdom about humility helps us behave better in daily life and makes our lofty goal of eternal life more accessible. Our reading from Hebrews affirms that heaven is indeed approachable. The personal love and sacrifice of Jesus have opened "the city of the living God" to us. Humility prepares us for paradise.

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*Interested in Becoming Catholic?
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Come learn about our faith!

We will hold a series of informal talks on various topics on faith and religion, from a Catholic perspective.

We will hold these talks on Sundays after 9:45 a.m. Mass. They will go from September 11th until November 20th. The talk topics will include:

- Jesus
- A tour showing the areas of the church building, including the "secret areas."
- The Mass and prayers we say
- The Commandments
- Sacraments & Sacramentals
- Prayer
- Bible & Tradition
- Mary & the Saints
- Science & Religion
- Church History
- Communion (Eucharist)

For those inquiring about becoming Catholic and those Catholics who are interested, we will continue the talks as part of our formal **RCIA** (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) program on Sundays after the 9:45 a.m. Mass, beginning December 4th and continuing through Easter. This process would be for non-baptized adults and baptized non-Catholics. At the Easter vigil, people will be able to formally join the Catholic faith, if so moved.

We invite you to call to let us know if you will attend. Please call Deacon Mark Berard at the church office at (225) 752-6230. We look forward to seeing you on September 11th.

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Adoration Hours Available

If you would like to participate by attending an hour of adoration at Most Blessed Sacrament, please call Arlene Robichaux at (225) 931-2221. The chart below is a list of time slots available. We hope to hear from you.

Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
3-4 am	3-4 am	11 am - Noon	3-4 am	3-4 am
1-2 pm	11 am - Noon	4-5 pm	4-5 pm	4-5 am
2-3 pm	2-3 pm	7-8 pm	6-7 pm	11 am - Noon
4-5 pm	6-7 pm	10-11 pm	9-10 pm	2-3 pm
10-11 pm	7-8 pm	11pm - midnight	11 pm - midnight	3-4 pm
11 pm - midnight	11 pm - midnight			5-6 pm
				7-8 pm
				8-9 pm
				9-10 pm
				10-11 pm
				11 pm - midnight



Pregnancy Crisis Help

If you or someone you know is experiencing a crisis pregnancy, STOP and call the parish office (225) 752-6230 to be put in touch with a member of the Respect Life Committee. We can provide love and compassion, support and multiple resources available to help you through this challenging time. You are not alone.

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JESUS: THE WAY, THE TRUTH, AND THE LIFE is a new and fresh look at Jesus—who he is, what he is really like, what he taught, and what he did for our salvation. This encounter with Christ will inspire and empower you to center your entire life around him as you come to know and love him in an ever deeper and more intimate way.

DATES - TIMES - LOCATION

MBS St. John Room
Every other Tuesday 9:30-11am for 10 weeks
2022 Sept 13, 27 Oct 11, 25 Nov 8 Dec 6
2023 Jan 3, 17, 31 Feb 14

COST - REGISTRATION

\$35

FOR MORE INFORMATION

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Most Blessed Sacrament Church Mission Statement

The mission of Most Blessed Sacrament Church is for members to witness the real presence of the Lord in word and sacrament, and that they may live out the message from the gospel and serve one another as followers of Jesus Christ.

Mass Schedule and Intentions

Sat. Aug. 27	8:00 am	
	4:30 pm	For The People
Sun. Aug. 28	8:00 am	Will Lorino Judy Hartmann
	9:45 am	Ronnie Frederick Don Militello Sam C. Barbera, Jr. Sam C. Barbera, III Ronny Amoroso Hollis King Francis Guillory
	11:30 am	William S. Cook The Arthur Aucoin Fmly Bubba Sanders Kim Vankerhove Bonnette Celeste Ivllon Lewis
Mon. Aug. 29	8:45 am	Candace Young
Tues. Aug. 30	8:45 am	Candace Young
Wed. Aug. 31	8:45 am	Elton Arceneaux, Jr.
Thurs. Sept. 1	8:15 am	W. Wayne Gaudin Ana L. Gonzales
Fri. Sept. 2	8:45 am	James & Shirley Zeringue Jacquin-Brun Family

Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

*God of might, giver of every good gift,
put into our hearts the love of your name,
so that, by deepening our sense of reverence,
you may nurture in us what is good
and, by your watchful care,
keep safe what you have nurtured.
Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,
who lives and reigns with you
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
God, for ever and ever.*

SUNDAY READINGS

First Reading — Conduct your affairs with humility and God will favor you (Sirach 3:17-18, 20, 28-29).

Psalms — God, in your goodness, you have made a home for the poor (Psalm 68).

Second Reading — You have approached Jesus, the mediator of a new covenant (Hebrews 12:18-19, 22-24a).

Gospel — When invited to dine, take the lowest place. Those who humble themselves will be exalted (Luke 14:1, 7-14).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 1 Cor 2:1-5; Ps 119:97-102; Mk 6:17-29

Tuesday: 1 Cor 2:10b-16; Ps 145:8-14; Lk 4:31-37

Wednesday: Cor 3:1-9; Ps 33:12-15, 20-21; Lk 4:38-44

Thursday: 1 Cor 3:18-23; Ps 24:1bc-4ab, 5-6; Lk 5:1-11

Friday: 1 Cor 4:1-5; Ps 37:3-6, 27-28, 39-40; Lk 5:33-39

Saturday: 1 Cor 4:6b-15; Ps 145:17-21; Lk 6:1-5

STEWARDSHIP OFFERING

Aug. 13-14, 2022

Identified Contributors	\$19,608.00
Unidentified Contributors	<u>\$ 2,531.00</u>
Total	\$22,139.00

Masses-Aug. 27-28, 2022	8:00 a.m.	4:30 p.m.	8:00 a.m.	9:45 a.m.	11:30 a.m.
Celebrant - Subject to Change	Fr. Raj Deacon Mark R	Fr. Todd Deacon Mark R	Fr. Raj Deacon Mark R	Fr. Todd Deacon Mark B	Fr. Todd Deacon Mark B

August 27-28 2022 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

	Servers	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers
8:00 am			
4:30 pm	C Ransome, A Loya	E Halphen, T Hollis	J Culivan, T Hollis
8:00 am	K Huynh, A Norris	M Walsh, K Hollier	K Hollier, C Rabalais
9:45 am	L Leger, P Ricker	B Alcon, A Welch	P Ryan, P Ryan
11:30 am	I Garbutt, B Meek	B Ragusa, C Ryan	D Passman, T Passman

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