

Most Blessed Sacrament Parish News

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Pentecost Sunday

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Parish Office Hours:

Monday – Thursday: 8:00 a.m. - 3:30 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.

Confession:

Confessions: One hour before Weekday Masses and Saturdays at 3:00 p.m.

Mass Schedule:

Saturday: 8:00 a.m. & 4:30 p.m.
Sunday: 8:00 a.m., 9:45 a.m., & 11:30 a.m.
Monday & Tuesday 8:45 a.m., Wednesday 6:00 p.m.,
Thursday & Friday 8:45 a.m. except during school year when Thursday Mass is at 8:15 a.m.

MBS School

MBS School does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, or national origin.

8033 Baringer Road
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Principal: Cheri Gioe
School Phone 751-0273 / **Fax:** 753-7259

Extended Care: Sheena Gauthier
751-0023

MBS Early Learning Center

7853 Broker Avenue
Baton Rouge, LA 70817

Director: Laurina Conger 752-8829

Respect Life Ministry News . . .

We invite everyone to our monthly meetings on the 3rd Tuesday of each month at 6:00 p.m. in the St. Mark Room, finishing in time for our monthly Parish Adoration at 7:00 p.m.

Our weekly rosary for respect life issues is every Monday after the 8:45 a.m. Mass in the church. Please join us when you can.

2nd Annual Baby Shower Collection

Celebrate mothers in need all month long in May with a Baby Shower collection sponsored by the MBS Respect Life Ministry to donate to the Catholic Charities Pregnancy and Family Services Dept.

We will be collecting items on a table in the Narthex in back of the church every weekend in May and in the parish office on week days.

Items most needed include:

- Socks
- Burp cloths
- Drying bath towels
- Lotion
- Diaper cream
- Alcohol pads
- Thermometers
- Thin receiving blankets
- Diapers size 4,5,6



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Religious Education Registration June 3rd - June 30th

This Includes Registration For:

- **Parish School of Religion** (Grades 1-10)
- **Confirmation Prep** (11th Grade)
- **Sacramental Prep** (2nd Grade)
- **RCIC** (for students 3rd grade or older in need of Sacraments of Initiation)

Cost for registration is \$40 per student.

NOTE: Late Registration will last from July 1st through July 14th. The cost to register at this time will be \$60.

To Begin Registration:
Visit the parish website at **mbsparish.org** or scan the QR Code below



For More Information Please Contact the Formation Office:

West Giffin, Director
225-752-6230 | wgiffin@mbsbr.org | mbsparish.org



Parish Adoration Night
Tuesday, May 21st
M.B.S. Church 7:00 p.m.

Praise and Worship music will be provided by our MBS house band. Adoration will be begin at 7:00 p.m. and end with Benediction (a blessing with the Blessed Sacrament). All ages are welcome and we invite families to come together for this wonderful hour of prayer.

Thursday Daily Mass Time Change for the Summer

The last M.B.S. School Mass for this school year will be this Thursday, May 16th at 8:15 a.m.

Effective Thursday, May 23rd, Mass time will be at 8:45 a.m. until school begins again in August.

YOUTH News

Sign up today! This Sunday!

JUNE 23-30

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**SUNDAY, JUNE 2, 2024
11:30 AM MASS WITH BISHOP DUCA**

EUCCHARISTIC PROCESSION TO THE NEW MULTI-PURPOSE BUILDING ON SCHOOL CAMPUS TO FOLLOW MASS

LUNCH & DRINKS WILL BE SERVED



STEWARDSHIP OFFERING

May 4-5, 2024

| | |
|---------------------------|--------------------|
| Identified Contributors | \$21,109.00 |
| On-Line Giving | \$ 2,131.25 |
| Unidentified Contributors | <u>\$ 7,300.00</u> |
| Total | \$30,540.25 |
| Fwd. In Faith Campaign | \$43,675.00 |

With Deepest Sympathy

Please pray for the soul of:

*Kelly Pilley
Edgar Spiess*

Let us also remember their family and loved ones in our prayers.



Join us for a Directed Retreat with the Archdiocesan Spirituality Center at the Cenacle on the Lake.

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<https://nolacatholic.org/upcoming-events>



Looking for quiet time with God?



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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. May 18 | 8:00 am | |
| | 4:30 pm | Sam D'Agostino Family Gerald G. Lagarde, Sr. Michael McKey Deceased Members of L.A. Cannon Family Margaret Berard Intentions of Apostles of Divine Mercy Louis Brupbacher Ronald Hebert Errol Janet |
| Sun. May 19 | 8:00 am | Joyce Dietrick Shannon McAlister The Tassin Family Intentions of Apostles of Divine Mercy Will Lorino Jerry Crifasi Edgar Spiess |
| | 9:45 am | Henry Tolusso Doug Woolfolk Janice Stein Mr & Mrs Harry Stein, Jr. Yvonne Archer & Ronald Normand Betty & James Ewing Gene Laird Michelle & Josh Simar Rose Attardo Kathy Attardo David Russell Angie Wall Ron Truxillo Elizabeth Gerace Rev. Thomas J. Stehlik, C.M. Armand Demers |
| | 11:30 am | For The People |

| Mass Schedule and Intentions (Continued) | | |
|--|---------|--|
| Mon. May 20 | 8:45 am | Trent Ollre |
| Tues. May 21 | 8:45 am | Carleton Sweeney Theresa S. Special Intention |
| Wed. May 22 | 6:00 pm | |
| Thurs. May 23 | 8:15 am | |
| Fri. May 24 | 8:45 am | |

Scripture Readings

For the Week of May 19, 2024

Sunday Pentecost Sunday Vigil Mass: Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:1-5; Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-28, 29, 30; Rom 8:22-27; Jn 7:37-39

Mass during the Day: Acts 2:1-11; Ps 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34; 1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Gal 5:16-25; Jn 20:19-23 or Jn 15:26-27; 16:12-15

Monday Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church Gn 3:9-15, 20 or Acts 1:12-14; Ps 87:1-2, 3 and 5, 6-7; Jn 19:25-34

Tuesday Jas 4:1-10; Ps 55:7-8, 9-10a, 10b-11a, 23; Mk 9:30-37

Wednesday Memorial of Saint Rita of Cascia, Religious
Jas 4:13-17; Ps 49:2-3, 6-7, 8-10, 11; Mk 9:38-40

Thursday Jas 5:1-6; Ps 49:14-15ab, 15cd-16, 17-18, 19-20; Mk 9:41-50

Friday Jas 5:9-12; Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 8-9, 11-12; Mk 10:1-12

Saturday Jas 5:13-20; Ps 141:1-2, 3 and 8; Mk 10:13-16

May 18-19, 2024 - Pentecost Sunday

| | Servers | Lectors | Extraordinary Ministers |
|-----------------|------------------------|-----------------------|---|
| 4:30 pm | B Soileau, | P Adolph, G Landry | (Host) L Sulik, B Magill, E Wright (Cup) M Cloutier, S Whitlow, T Hollis |
| 8:00 am | T Kelly, H Brandenburg | G Burns, G Aubert | (Host) M Braud, M Robichaux, K Hollier (Cup) V Browning, L Bayhi, M Vermaelen |
| 9:45 am | M Davis, L Davis | D Thomas, D Wimmerly | (Host) J Laborde, F Fleniken, D Cole (Cup) B Shedlof, M Delafield, L Evans |
| 11:30 am | L Miller, I Garbutt | R Fields, J Blackwell | (Host) L Landry, D Gremillion, M Taffaro (Cup) C Garbutt, MK Aucoin, C LeBlanc |



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