

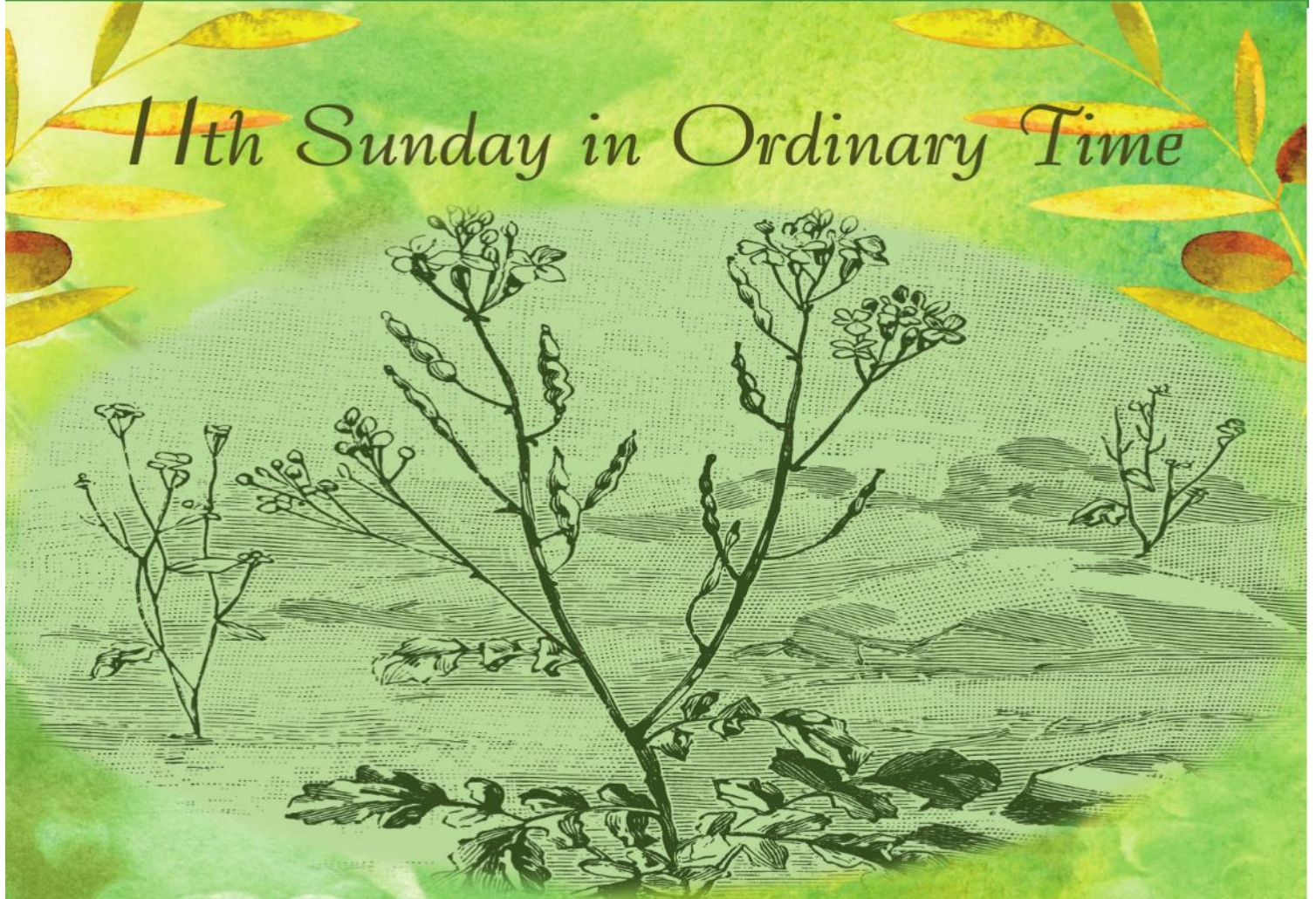
Most Blessed Sacrament Parish News

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11th Sunday in Ordinary Time



He said, "To what shall we compare the kingdom of God, or what parable can we use for it? It is like a mustard seed that, when it is sown in the ground, is the smallest of all the seeds on the earth. But once it is sown, it springs up and becomes the largest of plants and puts forth large branches, so that the birds of the sky can dwell in its shade."

Mark 4:30-32

FAITH-FILLED COMMUNITY OF MERCY, BLESSINGS, & SERVICE

Parish Staff

Pastor.....Fr. Todd Lloyd
Par. Vicar.....Fr. Amalraj Savarimuthu
Permanent Deacon.....Deacon Don Musso
Permanent Deacon.....Deacon Mark Berard
Permanent Deacon.....Deacon Mark Reynaud
Bus. Mgr/Dir. of Ministry....Geri Guarino
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West Giffin, Director
Celeste Rabalais, School Coordinator
Child Protection Coordinator.....Roslyn Landry
Child Protection office - (225) 753-5526

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.

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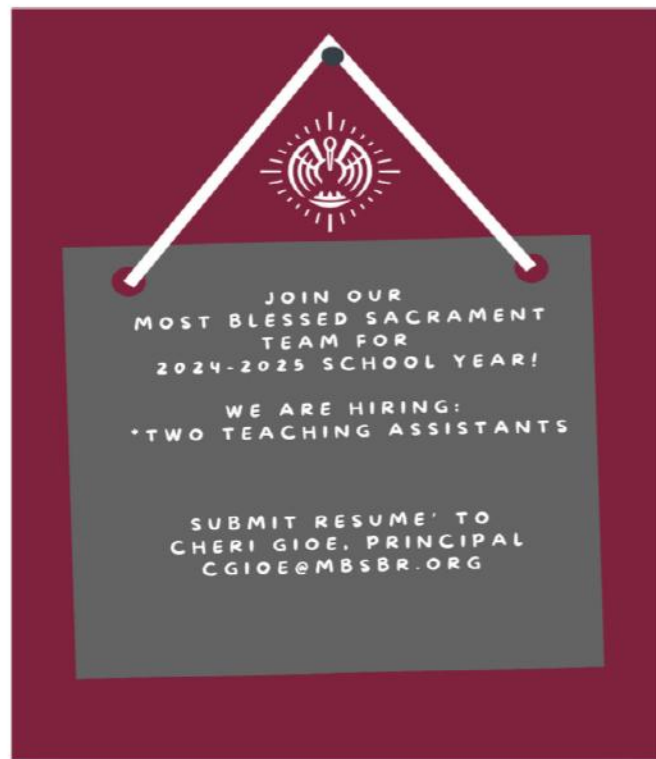
Principal: Cheri Gioe
School Phone 751-0273 / **Fax:** 753-7259

Extended Care: Sheena Gauthier
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MBS Early Learning Center

7853 Broker Avenue
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Director: Laurina Conger 752-8829



Catholic Diocese of Baton Rouge Special Education Program Director Full-Time Benefits Eligible

General Statement of Duties

The Special Education Program Director, as a member of the Catholic Schools Office team, performs job duties to support schools in realizing the vision of Evangelizing Hearts, Educating Minds, and Embracing the Future through positive communication, promotion of effective curriculum and instruction, responsible coordination of resources, and acknowledgement of outstanding service and accomplishment.

For more information on the requirements of this position, please see the Diocesan Career Center at <https://us241.dayforcehcm.com/CandidatePortal/en-US/diobr/Posting/View/70>



Sunday, June 21st



Prayer for all Fathers and Priests

God our Father,
we give you thanks and praise
for fathers young and old.

We pray for young fathers,
newly embracing their vocation;
may they find the courage and perseverance
to balance work, family, and faith
in joy and sacrifice.

We pray for our own fathers,
who have supported and challenged us;
may they continue to lead in strong
and gentle ways.

We remember fathers around the world,
whose children are lost or suffering;
may they know that the God of compassion,
walks with them in their sorrow.

We pray for men who are not fathers
but still mentor and guide us,
with fatherly love and advice.

Most importantly, all our Priests,
our spiritual Fathers, who guide,
teach us and lead us to You
and who feed and nourish us
with your Sacraments.

We remember fathers, grandfathers
and great-grandfathers,
who are no longer with us
but who live forever in our memory
and nurture us with their love.

Amen.

**Long Term
Director of Maintenance
Has Retired**

We would like to congratulate Denis Bourgeois on his retirement. Denis has served as Director of Maintenance for Most Blessed Sacrament Church and School for the last 21 years.



Denis was always a joy to see around campus because we could attest that whatever maintenance issue we were having was going to be taken care of. He was always a fan favorite and had a special way when interacting with the school children. He and his family have been long-time members of MBS community. Please join us in congratulating Denis and wishing him all the best as he looks forward to spending time with his wife, children, and grandchildren.



Prayer for Safety in Hurricane Season

“God, master of this passing world, hear the humble voices of your children. The Sea of Galilee obeyed your order and returned to its former quietude. You are still the master of land and sea. We live in the shadow of a danger over which we have no control: the Gulf, like a provoked and angry giant, can awake from its seeming lethargy, overstep its conventional boundaries, invade our land, and spread chaos and disaster.

During this hurricane season we turn to you, O loving Father. Spare us from past tragedies whose memories are still so vivid and whose wounds seem to refuse to heal with passing of time.

O virgin, star of the sea, Our beloved mother, we ask you to plead with your son in our behalf, so that spared from the calamities common to this area and animated with a true spirit of gratitude, we will walk in the footsteps of your divine son to reach the heavenly Jerusalem where a stormless eternity awaits us. Amen.”

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FAITH-FILLED COMMUNITY OF MERCY, BLESSINGS, & SERVICE

Sunday, June 2nd was a beautiful celebration for MBS Parish with a Eucharistic Procession on the Feast of Corpus Christi and the dedication of the Multi-Purpose Building. It was wonderful to have Bishop Duca, Fr. Phil Spano and several Mercedarian Sisters with us for this special occasion. Special thanks to the Knights of Columbus, the MBS Men's Club and all the volunteers who made this day great. Special thanks to Randy Arceneaux for capturing these great photos.



Fr. Phil Spano Kitchen

During the dedication of the multi-purpose building, Fr. Todd announced the new Men's Club Kitchen would be named in honor of Fr. Phil Spano.



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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. June 15	8:00 am	Christine Swilley & fmlly
	4:30 pm	Sam D'Agostino Family Adam Bongiovanni Maria B. Perrault Inez & Louis Fox Michael McKey David White James Howell Butch Golson Ralph J. Werling Geoffrey Daunis
Sun. June 16	8:00 am	Mr & Mrs A.B. Cordes Joyce Dietrick Deceased members of L.A. Cannon family Edgar Spiess Mrs Pat Ramagos Mr Frank Johnson
	9:45 am	Henry Tulusso Doug Woolfolk George & Mary Pecoraro Jervis & Rena Daigle Mr & Mrs Harry Stein, Jr. Harry J. Schexnayder Herbert Aaron Sidonia Moore Betty & James Ewing Gene Laird Judy Hartmann Michael Russell Rosalene Sanzone Ronald Hebert Armand Demers Ted Monlezun Juanita Martinez Jeanne Galster
	11:30 am	For The People
Mon. June 17	8:45 am	
Tues. June 18	8:45 am	Hubert Rabalais Christine Swilley Theresa S. Special Intention
Wed. June 19	6:00 pm	John Tullier
Thurs. June 20	8:45 am	Trent Ollre Christine Swilley & family Edolia Barros
Fri. June 21	8:45 am	Sam Joseph Thomas Christine Swilley & family Mary Park

Scripture Readings For the Week of June 16, 2024

Sunday Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time
Ez 17:22-24; Ps 92:2-3, 13-14, 15-16; 2 Cor 5:6-10; Mk 4:26-34

Monday 1 Kgs 21:1-16; Ps 5:2-3ab, 4b-6a, 6b-7; Mt 5:38-42

Tuesday 1 Kgs 21:17-29; Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 11 and 16; Mt 5:43-48

Wednesday 2 Kgs 2:1, 6-14; Ps 31:20, 21, 24; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

Thursday Sir 48:1-14; Ps 97:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7; Mt 6:7-15

Friday Memorial of Saint Aloysius Gonzaga, Religious
2 Kgs 11:1-4, 9-18, 20; Ps 132:11, 12, 13-14, 17-18; Mt 6:19-23

Saturday 2 Chr 24:17-25; Ps 89:4-5, 29-30, 31-32, 33-34; Mt 6:24-34

STEWARDSHIP OFFERING June 1-2, 2024

Identified Contributors	\$18,383.00
On-Line Giving	\$ 5,729.58
June 1st Bank Drafts	\$34,195.50
Unidentified Contributors	\$ 1,265.00
Total	\$59,573.08

Building Fund	\$21,070.94
Bldg. June 1st Bank Drafts	\$10,577.61
Total	\$31,648.55

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	Servers	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers
4:30 pm	B Wright	G Landry, J Shoptaugh	(Host) T Hollis, E Wright, E Yurik (Cup) C Willis, J Culivan, E Lee
8:00 am	H Brandenburg, G Robert	M Walsh, K Gora	(Host) M Vermaelen, H Murray, W Rabalais (Cup) E Barber, C Rabalais, K Hollier
9:45 am	J McLemore, L Leger	J Cormier, L Evans	(Host) B Shedlof, M Delafield, B Berthelot (Cup) T Fox, M Evans, M Messina
11:30 am	S Millet, T Millet	A Torregrossa, L Duplantis	(Host) J Fields, D Gremillion, C LeBlanc (Cup) M Taffaro, J Johnson, K Browning



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