

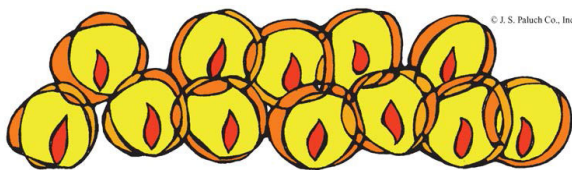
# Most Blessed Sacrament Parish News

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## Pentecost Sunday



### COME, HOLY SPIRIT

#### SUNDAY READINGS

**First Reading** — Filled with the Holy Spirit, the apostles begin to speak in tongues (Acts 2:1-11).

**Psalm** — Lord, send out your Spirit, and renew the face of the earth (Psalm 104).

**Second Reading** — There are different kinds of spiritual gifts but the same Spirit (1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13) or Galatians 5:16-25.

**Gospel** — As the Father has sent me, so I send you. Receive the Holy Spirit (John 20:19-23) or John 15:26-27; 16:12-15.

***Congratulations to all our  
2018 Graduates!***  
*Please know of our prayers for your  
successful future.*  
*-from your MBS Parish family*



#### Graduation Prayer

*Father,  
I have knowledge, so will You show me now,  
how to use it wisely and find a way somehow  
to make the world I live in a little better place,  
and make life with its problems a little easier  
to face.  
Grant me faith and courage and put purpose in  
my days, and show me how to serve Thee in all  
effective ways.  
Allow my education, my knowledge and my  
skill to find their true fulfillment as I learn to  
do Your will.  
And may I always be aware in everything I do,  
that knowledge comes from learning, and  
wisdom comes from You. Amen.*

#### Parish Staff

**Pastor**.....Fr. Phil Spano  
**Mass Assistance**.....Fr. Donald Blanchard  
**Parish Life Coord.** .....Deacon Don Musso  
**Permanent Deacon**..... Deacon Mark Berard  
**Receptionist**.....Andrea Leger  
**Secretary**.....Caryn Didier  
**Bookkeeper**.....Darlene Moscona  
**Director of Music**.....Kathy Duplessis  
**and Ministry**  
**Youth Director**.....West Giffin

**Director-Christian Form**.....David Planché  
Christian Formation phone...(225) 751-5867  
**Secretary-Christian Form**...Theresa LeBoeuf  
**Child Protection Office**.....(225) 753-5526

#### Mass Schedule:

Saturday: 4:30 p.m./Confessions 3:00 p.m.  
Sunday: 8:00 a.m., 9:45 a.m., & 11:30 a.m.  
Monday 8:45 a.m. - Communion Service  
Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday - 8:45 a.m.  
Thursday School Mass - 8:15 a.m.

#### MBS SCHOOL

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

**Extended Care:** Sheena Gauthier 751-0023

#### 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:** Twice a month, after 11:30 Mass. Call office during pregnancy to sign up and for class information.

•**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.

### Thursday Daily Mass Time Change

Effective this Thursday, May 24th, the Thursday Mass time will be at 8:45 a.m. until in August when school begins again.



### Our Good Timers are having a Garden Party

Join the Good Timers this Wednesday, May 23rd at 12:00 noon in the St. John Room for food and fun.

This will be a Pot Luck so bring your favorite dish or dessert to share.



### MBS Martha Ministry Recognizes Our Veterans

As we approach the Memorial Day holiday, we would like to honor and thank all of our service men and women who have served or are currently serving in the Armed Forces. We invite you to join us at the 4:30 Vigil Mass on Saturday, May 26th. We will begin with a musical tribute at 4:00 p.m. A special recognition and blessing will be given to those veterans and active military who are present. All are invited for cake and punch in the St. John Room following Mass.

# No Fear!



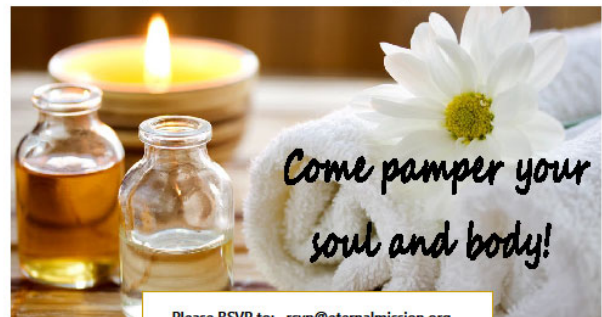
**Jr. High Night  
Sunday, June 3rd  
5-8 p.m. - School Gym**

Attention all 7<sup>th</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> grade students! You are invited to join us for our annual Jr. High Night hosted by the High School Youth Group coming up on **Sunday, June 3<sup>rd</sup>**! Our theme this year is **"NO FEAR!"** Come join us for some fun, friendly competition, and PIZZA as we kick off the summer and learn what being a warrior for Christ is all about! The event will begin in the MBS Gym at 5 p.m. and will last until 8 p.m. Please RSVP for this event by either emailing West Giffin, Youth Minister, at [wgiffin@mbsparish.org](mailto:wgiffin@mbsparish.org) or by picking up a flyer at the doors of church and sending it into the MBS Church Office no later than **Friday, June 1<sup>st</sup>**!

*"Be who God meant you to be  
and you will set the whole world on fire"*

-St. Catherine of Siena

# Spa Night



Please RSVP to: [rsvp@eternalmission.org](mailto:rsvp@eternalmission.org)  
by Friday May 18th

- Delicious Dinner
- Massages & Manicures
- Uplifting Talk
- Opportunity for Confession

When: Friday, May 25  
6:00-8:30pm

Where: Most Blessed Sacrament  
St. Ursula Hall



*The love of Christ impels us... "2Cor. 5:14  
caritas Christi urget nos*

## MBS Vacation Bible School 2018

### We are still in need of Teen Volunteers...

Teens must be entering 9th grade through senior year of high school. You must be able to work the entire week. The cost is \$10 which includes a t-shirt. If interested, please call Judy Carr at (225) 335-6563.

### Shipwrecked

Vacation Bible School will be held the week of **June 25-29 from 9:00-12:00 noon**. All MBS children entering **Kindergarten through 5<sup>th</sup> grade (2018-19 school year)** are eligible to attend. At **Shipwrecked VBS**, kids will deepen their faith by discovering that Jesus cares about them and rescues them in life's toughest circumstances. The week will be filled with Scripture, games, drama, crafts, music, snacks and a lot more!

A non-refundable \$35 registration fee will include a t-shirt for each child and a music CD for each family.

**ONLINE REGISTRATION** for **students** will be held **May 6-20th**. Online instructions are:

Go to the Church website at [www.mbsparish.org](http://www.mbsparish.org)  
Click on "Vacation Bible School". Enter "Shipwrecked" website.

Click on "Register Participant" and "Continue". **Follow instructions** to fill in child's name, address, 2018-19 grade level, t-shirt size, etc.

Return to Church website to make your payment using Pay Pal.

**VBS registration will close on May 20th or when a maximum of 100 participants are registered.** All fees must be paid by this time so supplies can be ordered. **NO late registration** will be accepted.

**FULL TIME ADULT VOLUNTEERS** will receive a discount on one child's registration fee and a free t-shirt.

**All volunteers 18 years or older must undergo a background check process.** Please contact the Office of Child Protection at **753-5526** for more information.

For any other matters, **please contact Judy Carr, VBS coordinator at 335-6563.**

### *Guide Us Today*

Holy Spirit,  
you who pointed out the way for your disciples  
to announce the gospel,

we pray to you:

As in the time of the apostles,  
guide today's messengers of the Good News.

—From *Come, Lord Jesus* by Lucien Deiss, CSSp, copyright © 1976, 1981, Lucien Deiss.  
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### Congratulations to Mrs. Judy Carr, PSR Elementary Coordinator



**Mrs. Judy Carr**, our MBS Elementary PSR Coordinator and VBS Coordinator (for 15 years,) is retiring from her **professional teaching career as a Kindergarten Teacher** in Livingston Parish. Of the 33 years in Livingston Parish, Judy has 25 years teaching Kindergarten in Livingston. Her total career spans 35 years including two years at MBS School.

While Judy is departing her professional career, **she is continuing as our PSR K-8/VBS Coordinator.** With her years of service in early childhood education, Judy is an invaluable member of our Office of Christian Formation team.

Judy and her husband Kenny are longtime members of the parish. She and Kenny have two sons, Tyler and Landon, who are MBS School alumni. Judy & Kenny are also co-owners of KC's Grill in Prairieville. We learned earlier this spring that Judy was named **Teacher of the Year** at East Side Elementary School in Denham Springs. We congratulate Judy for her retirement and outstanding success as an educator. We are so grateful for her years of ministry at MBS and are pleased she will continue to use her gifts and talents for the children of our PSR and VBS families.

### Seminary Scholarship Fund In Memory of Fr. Mike Collins

Catholic Daughters of the Americas Court Regina Coeli No. 2063 recently established a Seminary Scholarship Fund with the Catholic Diocese of Baton Rouge under the title **Father Michael "Mike" John Collins**. The Seminary Scholarship Fund honors Father Mike's vocation to the Priesthood. Father Mike brought spiritual joy to many in the Diocese of Baton Rouge. Donations may be made payable directly to the Catholic Diocese of Baton Rouge with entry "Father Michael 'Mike' John Collins Seminary Scholarship Fund." Mail donations to Seminarian and Vocations, P.O. Box 2028, Baton Rouge, LA 70821-2028.

For more information, you may contact Christie Francis with the Diocese of Baton Rouge at (225) 336-8778 or email: [cfrancis@diobr.org](mailto:cfrancis@diobr.org).

# FAITH-FILLED COMMUNITY OF MERCY, BLESSINGS, & SERVICE

## 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.*

### PRAYING FOR ALL MILITARY

Please keep the following in your daily prayers:

Andy Blum  
Scott & Jamie French  
Don Ellen, Jr.  
Caleb Burris  
Nathan Colter  
Jeremy Ferguson  
Brett Gilbert  
Chris & Ali Jones  
Eric Schweitzer



Andrew Barksdale  
Trey Perault  
Craig Dardenne  
Alex Grantier  
Brian Primeaux  
Will Howland  
Landon Bourg  
Matthew Bourgeois

### STEWARDSHIP OFFERING - May 5-6, 2018

Identified Contributors	\$25,235.00
May 1st Bank Drafts	\$22,045.00
Unidentified Contributors	\$ 1,791.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$49,071.00</b>
 May - Bldg. & Devel. Fund	 \$5,548.00

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Jas 3:13-18; Ps 19:8-10, 15; Mk 9:14-29  
 Tuesday: Jas 4:1-10; Ps 55:7-11a, 23; Mk 9:30-37  
 Wednesday: Jas 4:13-17; Ps 49:2-3, 6-11; Mk 9:38-40  
 Thursday: Jas 5:1-6; Ps 49:14-20; Mk 9:41-50  
 Friday: Jas 5:9-12; Ps 103:1-4, 8-9, 11-12;  
 Mk 10:1-12  
 Saturday: Jas 5:13-20; Ps 141:1-3, 8; Mk 10:13-16

### Mass Schedule and Intentions

Sat. May 19	4:30 pm	Donat Crousillac Family Carl Dietrich Mike Lloyd Mari Zuckerman Grace Gary Doris Naquin Vita & Gene Taylor John Bourque Gloria Salcedo CJ & Corine LeBlanc Jill Fontaine Sims Gauthier
Sun. May 20	8:00 am	Raymond Leonards, Jr. Daisy Allen Manette Waguespack Sam Pruet Nora Eckert
	9:45 am	For The People
	11:30 am	Charles Bahlinger, Sr. Cora DeMarco Sanfillippo Mark Andrew Smith Don Broussard Floyd Gordon
Mon. May 21	8:45 am	Communion Service
Tues. May 22	8:45 am	Jason Hollier
Wed. May 23	8:45 am	Mary Xuan Nguyen
Thurs. May 24	8:15 am	All Souls in Purgatory
Fri. May 25	8:45 am	Dusty Brouillette
		Jacqueline & Robert LeBlanc Lorraine Cary

Masses - May 19-20, 2018	4:30 p.m.	8:00 a.m.	9:45 a.m.	11:30 a.m.
<b>Celebrant - Subject to Change</b>	Fr. Blanchard	Fr. Blanchard	Fr. Phil	Fr. Phil

### May 19-20, 2018 Pentecost Sunday

	Servers	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers
<b>4:30 pm</b>	G McClinton, A Southard, E McClinton	S Culivan, D Mathies	C Canale, R Brouillette, E Wright, J Sutherland, B Landry, B Willis, Deacon Don Musso, C Willis
<b>8:00 am</b>	B Ryan, E Lacombe, A Button	J Oubre, K Eads	C LaCoste, J Catanzaro, A Blount, E Barber, K Hollier, S Peters, Deacon Mark Berard, T Peters
<b>9:45 am</b>	A Esposito, M Gonzalez, S Harvey	A Welch, D Davis	J Gutierrez, R Rossi, M Evans, J Stevens, J LaBar, D Decell, K Decell, C LeBlanc
<b>11:30 am</b>	M Edney, C Garbutt, I Garbutt	S Long, J Mancuso	M Miller, J Ruh, MK Aucoin, S Keagle, C Garbutt, D Passman, T Passman, S Gremillion

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