



Mass Intentions

Saturday, March 30

Sunday, March 31

10:30AM MPB Parishioners

Monday, April 1

8:30AM Powell Families by John Powell

⊕Rose Mary Zuniga by Family

⊕Amy DeLeon Medina by Pete and Ida DeLeon

⊕Lillie Villarreal by Marian Elder
 ⊕Miguel R. Lopez by Jiminiz Family
 ⊕Joe Gutierrez by Lamar Graves

6:00PM Joseph Perez by Family

Tuesday, April 2

Wednesday, April 3

8:30AM ⊕Filiberto Valdez Sr. by Valdez Family

Thursday, April 4

Friday, April 5

8:30AM Powell Families by John Powell

⊕Josefa Nieto by Family

Lynn Dornbusch by Michael Straiton

⊕ Carlos R. Lopez by Jiminez Family

Saturday, April 6

4:30PM Reparation of Offenses by Rick McCabe





Religious Education Classes
PKD-5th Grade - St. Maria Goretti Youth Center
Middle & High School - Great Hall

PK3 - 5th Grades 8:45 or 11:45am

6th Grade 8:45am 7 - 8th Grade 1:45pm 9 -12th Grade 5:00pm

MPB Youth Ministry Staff:

Alexis Martinez - Director of Youth Ministry email: mpbccym@gmail.com Tina Villegas - Director of Religious Education email: mpbreled@yahoo.com

Altar Servers

Altar Servers assist the priest and deacon with the celebration of the Word and the Eucharist at the Mass.

Please consider becoming an altar server if you are a Catholic in good standing, male of 7+ in age and have received Baptism, 1st Communion, and in a sacramental marriage (if married).

Training will be provided. For more information and /or to volunteer, please contact Joseph Hernandez at 361-854-3800.

The Sanctuary Candles are lit in the Church, St. Jude Chapel, and Adoration Chapel. These candles are perpetually lit for two weeks for your special intention in a high place of honor which lets us know that Jesus is physically present in the Eucharist. They can be in memory of a loved one, for a special intention, in thanksgiving, or any intention. The cost is \$15.00.

Week of March 31,2024-April 13,2024

The Church Sanctuary Lamp will burn this week for the intentions of Amy DeLeon Medina by her children

The St. Jude Chapel Sanctuary Lamp will burn this week in loving memory Guadalupe Flores by Bobby/Elizabeth Buck

The Adoration Sanctuary Lamp will burn this week for healing of Matthew Carvalheira by Family

Scripture Readings for the Week

Sunday: The Resurrection of the Lord Acts 10:34a, 37-43; Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23; Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8; Jn 20:1-9

Monday: Acts 2:14, 22-33; Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11; Mt 28:8-15

Tuesday: Acts 2:36-41; Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20 and 22; Jn 20:11-18 **Wednesday**: Acts 3:1-10; Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9; Lk 24:13-35 **Thursday**: Acts 3:11-26; Ps 8:2ab and 5, 6-7, 8-9; Lk 24:35-48

Friday: Acts 4:1-12; Ps 118:1-2 and 4, 22-24, 25-27a; Jn 21:1-14

Saturday: Acts 4:13-21; Ps 118:1 and 14-15ab, 16-18, 19-21; Mk 16:9-15

Sunday: Sunday of Divine Mercy Acts 4:32-35,Ps 118:2-4,13-15,22-24;1Jn 5:1-6;Jn 20:19-31



Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

Divine Mercy Holy Hour will be held on **April 7, 2024** at 3:00PM in the St. Jude Chapel.

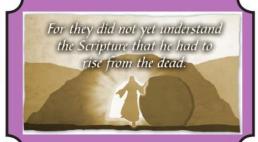


Each week, Traveling а Vocations Crucifix will be presented different to а Parishioner. The Family Individual presented with the Crucifix, will pray for an increase in vocations within our diocese and particularly within our Parish. To participate, please visit the Parish Website mpbchurch.org under ministries and sign up.

"The Lord is truly risen!" Are you being called to proclaim the truth of the Lord's resurrection as a priest, religious sister or brother? Talk to your priest, Fr. Joseph Lopez at 361-854-3800 or via email: jlopez@mpbchurch. org.

2nd Collection

The second collection will be taken up on **April 6 & 7**, **2024** for the building fund. Thank you for your generosity.



The Story of How Christ Established His Kingdom

On April 25th, the **Real Men's Group** will begin an intensive study of the Gospel of Matthew. Titled "Matthew: The King and His Kingdom," this 24-part comprehensive study of Matthew will dive deeply into the Old Testament background of the book, delving into the Jewish roots of this Gospel, and thus providing the key to understanding the rest of the New Testament. All men are invited to join us every Thursday night from 7:00-8:30 pm in the St. Maria Goretti Center room 3 for study, fellowship and prayer. We pray that you can join us!

First Friday Adoration April 5, 2024 St. Jude Chapel 9:00AM-5:45PM

Blood Drive

Sunday, April 7th 9:00AM-2:00PM Bloodmobile at GH

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Our Parish Activities

Sunday, March 31
8:30AM RCIA FC
Monday, April 1
Office Closed
Tuesday, April 2
8:00PM AA C2

Wednesday, April 3
3:00PM Divine Mercy SJC
7:00PM OLG C1

Thursday, April 4 7:00PM RM **SMG**

8:00PM AA **C2**

Friday, April 5

9:00AM 1st Friday Adoration SJC

Saturday, April 6 9:00AM Quince retreat **GH**

6:00-9:00PM Parents Night Out **GH**

Sunday April 7
8:30AM RCIA GH
8:45/11:45 CGS SMG
8:45AM 6th grade CGS SMG
9:00AM Bloodmobile GH
1:45PM MS RE GH
3:00PM Divine Mercy SJC

5:00PM HS RE classes GH

Legend:

C - Church

C1-C2 - Classrooms in Family Center

FC - Family Center

GH - The Great Hall in Family Center

BR - Brides Room

RG - Rose Garden

Sch - MPB School Building

SJC - Saint Jude Chapel

SMG - St. Maria Goretti

Please Pray For:

Abel and Aurora Chavana, Banafsheh
Ahaibani, Nicole Prieto
Garcia, Theresa Gilbert, and for all
those who have asked us to pray for
healing and their special needs.



Eucharistic Adoration



Come to me all of you who are weary and find life burdensome and I will efresh you..." You are greatly needed! Hours for adoration are available, contact Alice Polansky at 361-737-6360.



Parents Night Out

Enjoy a night out without kids! Parents night out sponsored by our high school youth group raising funds to attend the Steubenville Youth conference. Babysitting provided on **April 6th** from 6-9 pm in St. Juliana great hall. Pricing at \$20 per 3-4 year old (must be potty trained) and \$10 per 5-12 year old. For more information or to register your children visit https://vbspro.events/p/nightout1 or email mpbyouthonfire@gmail.com

CMSE Classes

In person CMSE Adult classes for 2024 will be held on:

April 2 5:30pm and 6:45 pm

April 4 9:45 am

April 23 6:45pm

June 18 6:45 pm

Youth 14-17 yrs old will be:

April 7 9:15 am and 5:15 pm

Classes will be held in the St. Juliana Family Center

Quinceanera Retreat

The Quinceanera Retreat dates for 2024 have been scheduled for April 6, July 13 and October 26. A Quinceanera retreat is a requirement for a Quinceanera Mass. Retreat Fee is \$125.

For more information and to register please contact Tina at *mpbreled@yahoo.com* or 361-854-3800

Online registration

4/6/24 https://vbspro.events/p/april062024 7/13/24 https://vbspro.events/p/july132024 10/26/24 https://vbspro.events//p/october262024

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Adult Volunteer Background Checks

https://www.cognitoforms.com/SPIS1/

VolunteerApplication2

PRAYER OF ST. JOSEPH

St. Joseph, husband of Mary, be with us this day. You protected and cherished the Virgin; loving the Child Jesus as your son, you rescued Him from danger of death. Defend the Church, the Household of God, purchased by the Blood of Christ.

Guardian of the Holy Family, be with us in our trials. May your prayers obtain for us the strength to flee from error and wrestle with the powers of corruption so that in ife we may grow in holiness and in death rejoice in the crown of victory.

Amen.

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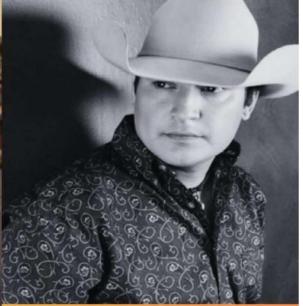
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January 2024

Dear Brothers & Sisters in Christ,

We need your help! On Saturday, April 13th, we will be hosting a Spring Family Fest here on our campus (11am – 6pm). It'll be great fun with food, drinks, a variety of live music, and fellowship. However, in the evening, we will have a paid entry concert/dance (8pm - 12am). This event will be Nashville Star runner – up Gabe Garcia opening for Grammy Award winning Los Palominos. Would you prayerfully consider being a sponsor?

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*** VIP tix include: reserved section/tables, indoor facilities access, host service ***

Please make checks payable to: MOST PRECIOUS BLOOD CHURCH with "Spring Fest 2024" in the memo line.

This year's event will go towards our youth formation program and much needed deferred maintenance on our church facilities. Thank you in advance for your proactive participation in the building of our parish community. For further information and/or sponsorship, please feel free to contact me at the number above or Krystle Martinez (361-562-1142). Be assured of my prayers for you and your intentions.

Fr. Joseph López, JCL

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