



## OUR LADY OF LOURDES CASINO BUS TRIP

BEAU RIVAGE – BILOXI, MS  
SUNDAY – JUNE 23, 2019  
1:00 PM – 8:00 PM

COST: \$30.00 EACH  
**\$15.00 FREE PLAY!**

DOOR PRIZES and BYOB

MUST BE 21 YEARS OF AGE

Leave from Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church at 1:00 PM

Bus departs the BEAU RIVAGE at 7:00 PM to Mobile.

**SIGN UP SHEET IS IN THE VESTIBULE**  
**Deadline for Registration is June 16th**

You can put your registration fee in a clearly marked envelope and place it in the collection basket or contact the church office.



**Back by  
POPULAR  
DEMAND!**  
**Cooking Demonstration**  
*with Fr. Marcin*  
**July 26th @ 7pm**

The first class was so popular, Fr. Marcin has decided to offer another evening of fun and fellowship.

This time the demonstration will be a:

**Raspberry Olive Oil Cake**  
**(with a little extra kick)**

Attendance will be limited to 20 people and the registration fee is a donation of your choosing.

**Heavy hors d'oeuvres and wine will be served.**  
*Please Call the Church Office to Reserve Your Spot!*

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**24 Hour Sacramental Emergency Number 251-472-7300**

## MINISTER'S SCHEDULE JUNE 15TH & 16TH

**Sat. 6/15 5:30pm**

### Ushers

Darlene O'Rourke

**\* need substitute**

### Lectors

1) L. Thompson

2) I. Vrazel

### Extraordinary Ministers

**\* need substitute**

J.C. Martin

S. Washington

B. Cooper

A. Cooper

B. Kenny

**Sun. 6/16 8:30am**

### Ushers

A. Forward

**\* need substitute**

### Lectors

1) B. Moseby

2) M. Fletcher

### Extraordinary Ministers

L. Lovvorn

K. Kleinschrodt

A. Kleinschrodt

J. Dickinson

H. Golemon

L. Loftin

**Sun. 6/16 11:00am**

### Ushers

L. Lavallais

Bubba Williams

### Lectors

1) L. Snow

2) R. Thompson

### Extraordinary Ministers

C. Snow

E. Lipscomb

B. Gonzales

MM. Collier

L. Dowell

A. Tomas

**All Eucharistic Ministers, Ushers, Lectors,  
& Altar Servers please submit yours  
schedule requests for July, August,  
and September no later than June 16th.**

## Church Office Hours

Tuesday—Thursday 11am to 2pm

Friday 9am to 11am

**Pastor's Office Hours**

By Appointment

## MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY  
JUNE 10

8:00 AM  
COMMUNION SERVICE

TUESDAY  
JUNE 11

5:30 PM  
MOTHERS DAY  
REMEMBRANCES

WEDNESDAY  
JUNE 12

8:00 AM  
MOTHER'S DAY  
REMEMBRANCES

THURSDAY  
JUNE 13

8:00 AM  
MOTHER'S DAY  
REMEMBRANCES

FRIDAY  
JUNE 14

8:00 AM  
+ JOYCE HOLLAND

SATURDAY  
JUNE 15

5:30PM  
FOR PARISHIONERS

SUNDAY  
JUNE 16

8:30 AM  
+ BILLY JOHNSTON

11:00 AM  
DEACON ED CONNICK  
SPECIAL INTENTIONS

# OUR LADY OF LOURDES



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## Pentecost Sunday

JUNE 9  
2019

## MASS SCHEDULE

SATURDAY

SACRAMENT OF  
RECONCILIATION  
4:30PM–5:15PM

VIGIL MASS  
5:30PM

SUNDAY

MASS  
8:30AM & 11:00AM

MONDAY  
COMMUNION SERVICE  
8:00AM

TUESDAY  
MASS  
5:30PM

WEDNESDAY  
MASS  
8:00AM

THURSDAY  
MASS  
8:00AM

FRIDAY  
MASS  
8:00AM

MONTHLY

⇒ FIRST FRIDAY  
ADORATION  
8:30AM TO NOON

⇒ FIRST SATURDAY  
MASS  
8AM

⇒ FIRST WEEKEND  
ALL MASSES  
LITANY TO THE SACRED  
HEART OF JESUS

⇒ HOLY DAYS &  
SOLEMNITIES  
8:00AM & 6:00PM





# Bringing Home the Word

Pentecost (C)  
June 9, 2019

## Getting to Know God

By Mary Katharine Deeley

Our daughter married into a large Italian family whose get-togethers include dozens of people. (More than fifty were there for Christmas dinner, and not everyone could make it.) Ours is a small and often-quiet family, so Katy had to get used to more noise and activity than she had growing up. It was like learning a new language. It's often that way when couples wed. Over time, we come to know the inside jokes, the way the in-laws mark occasions, who we can joke with, and who prefers a more serious interaction. Just as with growing up in our own families, we

become a part of them and they become a part of us.

When the Holy Spirit descended on those gathered in the upper room, it was like a wedding. They had to learn the language of God's family—one that included proclamation, sharing, repentance, and mercy. They had to learn what it meant to be part of one body, using their unique gifts to build on what Christ had already started. With the Holy Spirit as inspiration and source of grace, the disciples and apostles were sent to testify and invite the world to the eternal life that Christ offers.

In any relationship it takes time to get to know the other. God has the advantage in his relationship with us—he already knows us fully and intimately. In getting to know him and learning his language, we may feel awkward or out of place. But he constantly welcomes and invites us to be a part of his life and Church, knowing we might eventually come to live with him forever. +

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## Sunday Readings

**Acts 2:1–11**

Then there appeared to them tongues as of fire, which parted and came to rest on each one of them.

**1 Corinthians 12:3b–7, 12–13 or Romans 8:8–17**

In one Spirit we were all baptized into one body, whether Jews or Greeks, slaves or free.

**John 20:19–23 or John 14:15–16, 23b–26**

Jesus came and stood in their midst and said to them, "Peace be with you."

## A Word from Pope Francis

The Holy Spirit is the fire of love burning in the Church and in our hearts, even though we often cover him with the ash of our sins. Let us ask him: Spirit of God, Lord, who dwell in my heart and in the heart of the Church, guiding and shaping her in diversity, come!

—Pentecost Mass, June 4, 2017



## REFLECTION QUESTIONS

- God already knows you well. Are you able to relax and confide your deepest thoughts to him?
- How can you use your unique gifts to invite others to the eternal life that Christ offers?

# The Holy Spirit: The Breath of Life

By Michael D. Guinan, OFM

One hears lots of talk lately about spirituality. People are interested in living deeper spiritual lives. For some, the spirit in spirituality is the human spirit reaching for transcendence. But for the Christian, this isn't enough. The spirit is the Holy Spirit of God. In a real sense, our Christian spiritual life can be seen as the art of letting God's Spirit fill us, work in us, guide us.

But what is this Spirit? In Scripture the meaning of "spirit" (whether the Hebrew *ruach*, the Greek *pneuma*, or the Latin *spiritus*) is wind or breath. The spirit of God is God's breath, and breath is a sign of life. When we live, we breathe. God's breath empowers us to do God's work.

Moses was led by God's Spirit in teaching the people; the Spirit rushed on David when he was anointed king; the Servant of the Lord received the Spirit to establish justice for the lands. The Spirit of God is the dynamic breath by which God achieves his divine purposes—revelation, deliverance, and the rule of justice and peace.

All of this comes into focus in Jesus. He is conceived through the power of the Holy Spirit, and his ministry begins and continues in the Spirit. He preaches, confronts sin, and brings healing through the Spirit. At his death, John



records in his Gospel, Jesus "handed over the spirit" (19:30). At the Last Supper, Jesus promised his disciples the gift of the Spirit. When Jesus appeared to them on the evening of his resurrection day, "he breathed on them and said to them, 'Receive the holy Spirit'" (John 20:22).

## Gifts of the Spirit

The Christian, then, lives in and with the power of the same Breath/Spirit as Jesus. "But whoever is joined to the Lord becomes one spirit with him" (1 Corinthians 6:17). The fruit of the Spirit is "love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, generosity, faithfulness, gentleness, self-control" (Galatians 5:22–23).

Over the centuries, for various reasons, many Christians have come to think of the Spirit in very spiritual terms—connected with our souls. The body (and the world of matter) is then spurned, distrusted, even despised as we seek to save our souls.

## Body and Soul

Yet nothing could be further from the truth of Scripture. It isn't matter that is opposed to the Spirit, but only sin. When Paul speaks of our whole person under the dominion of sin, weakness, and death, he calls this living "according to the flesh" (Romans 8:5–10).

This use of "flesh" should not be equated with the body. "Living according to the Spirit" means that our whole person is guided by the Spirit of God. We Christians we are whole persons—body and soul, thoughts and feelings, emotions and passions, hopes and fears. We are called to live all of our relationships—to ourselves, to others, to all creation, and to God—in and with the power of the Spirit.

All of us share the same call and challenge. Through baptism and confirmation, we all share in Jesus' gift of the Spirit. The Second Vatican Council stressed that there is only one basic Christian call to holiness, but we are all called (vocation) and sent (mission), each in her or his own way, to continue Christ's presence in our world today, sharing in his work of teaching, healing, and working for life, justice, and peace.

This is a daunting challenge, but we do not face it alone. The Spirit/Breath of God is with us, empowering us to share in God's purposes and work. +



**Lord, you send forth your Spirit. Teach me to walk your way of love and compassion in hope and gratitude.**

—From *Hopeful Meditations for Every Day of Easter Through Pentecost*, Rev. Warren J. Savage and Mary Ann McSweeney

## WEEKDAY READINGS

June 10–15

**Monday, Blessed Virgin Mary:**  
Gn 3:9–15, 20 or Acts 1:12–14 / Jn 19:25–34

**Tuesday, St. Barnabas:**  
Acts 11:21b–26; 13:1–3 / Mt 5:13–16

**Wednesday, Weekday:**  
2 Cor 3:4–11 / Mt 5:17–19

**Thursday, St. Anthony of Padua:**  
2 Cor 3:15—4:1, 3–6 / Mt 5:20–26

**Friday, Weekday:**  
2 Cor 4:7–15 / Mt 5:27–32

**Saturday, Weekday:**  
2 Cor 5:14–21 / Mt 5:33–37

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Prayer List

Rhonda Adams, Tim Anderson, Dale Andrews, Karen Andrews, Richard Anthony, Margaret Arns, Vivian Bacot, Bob Balzli, Anita Barclay, Katherine Berger, Dorothy Bertagnolli, Don Bertagnoli, Chloe Beshears, Bodeem Blankenship, Blake Blackston, Bethany Ann Boltz, Clement Boney, Toni Boney, Logan Bowers, Sara Bratt, Kate-ria Brewer, Jason Brown, Jean Brown, Paul Burch, Sr., Pat Burch, John Buhring, Lorrie Burgess, Conrad Burkhardt, David Burris, Marguerite Burris, McKenzie Butterwick, Boatie Campbell, Wendi Campbell, Frankie Cayton, Ami Cheatham, Mary Myers Clark, Rick Claxton, Theresa Coleman, Garrett Colvin, Evelyn Cooper, Helen Couch, Anita Cowart, Claudia Daniel, Patricia Davis, Susie DeWitt, Teresa Dezenburg, Lemuel Dickinson, Daniel Dorrierty, Roberta Dukes, Dodie Dumas, John Edwards, Josh Ellis, George Erickson, Johnny Finch, Lynne Floyes, Raymond Floyes, Betty Foster, Elyn Fowler, Louise Frontz, Randy Fuller, Janet Gafford, Tim Frontz, Logan Frye, Ron Garrick, Guillermo Gomez, Marilu Gomez, Joyce Goodman, Walter Grimes, Greg Hampton, Irene Guess, Margaret Guess, Colleen Hill, Kate Hodge, Diana Holifield, Keith Holified, Randy Hooks, Buddy Hulan, Alaina Hulsey, Chrissy Irby, Elyssa Jacobs, Erin Jackson, Henry Johnson, Joshua Johnson, J.S. Johnson, Kaleb Johnson, Ginny Johnston, Mary Ann Keith, Billy Kenny, Patrick Kenny, Marshall Kern, Ed Kimbrough, June King, James King Jr., Philip Larson, Polly Lartigue, Alfred Leonard, Matthew Lewis, Diane Little, Nancy Cowart Little, Beth Ellen Lloyd, John Loden, Fred Lorge, Joan Lorge, Paul Lyle, Amanda McDonald, Charles McDonald, Lisa McDonald, Shirly McDonald, Donna Magaldine, Mary Martin, John Martin, Paul Martin, Trissie Martin, Kamden McKeough, Stephanie Melton, Helen Merchant, Dolores Merren, May Merren, Alana Voivedich Mey, Louis Meyers, Priscilla Miller, Jean Morgan, Archie Moore, Margaret Moore, Marcie Morrow, Cindy Mount, Garrett Mount, Ernestine Murrill, Blake Myers, Johnathan Myers, Michael Myles, Paul Naylor, Tiffany Neese, Wally Neese, Margaret Noel, Ella Rose Norris, Kelly North, Mike Nunnery, Darlene O'Rourke, Agnes Parker, Summer Patterson, Alex Paneda, Lita Paneda, Barbara Phillips, Randy Phillips, Dana Pickel, Sue Pitt, Larraine Carol Provost, Tracey Ransom, Rennie Pitt, Jr., Elizabeth Purcell, Holley Reese, Serina Reeves, Gerald Resso, Belinda Richard, Terri Richey, Jimmy Robinson, Marlen Rodriguez, Robert Salva, Jun Santiago, Richard Santiago, Michelle Saynor, Laura Lee Seargent, Grayson Scott, Patsy Sealy, Simon Schum, Stevie Shaw, Kay Shaw, Briley Shirah, Dorothy Simon, Cindy Snow, Larry Snow, Allison Spillman, Curtis Steiner, Rita Steiner, Sally Stokely, Todd Stringfellow, Chuck Sullivan, Ronald Summerlin, Cecilia Taylor, Charles Taylor, Barbara Thomas, Eddie Thomas, Gwen Thomas, Rita Tillman, Robert Todd, Belinda Tomplait, Cecil Tucker, Dede Unger, Tyler Upton, Nita Van Devender, Norma Villanueva, Anna Visperas, Rudy Visperas, Ida Vrazel, Gerald Vrazel, Frances Ward, Wayne Ward, Gary Warner, Albert Washington, Sallie Washington, Brad Wells, Mark Westbrook, Ralph Wheat, Marlene Whisenant, Leroy Wiese, Stephen Weise, Kenny Wiggins, Buddy Wilder, Heather Willamor, Bubba Williams, Kelly Wilson, Shelly Wilson, Agnes Worley, Ashley Wypick, Carol Ziebert, Christopher Zimmerman.

Sympathy and prayers are extended to:

Cynthia Nabor and family in the death of her brother, David Draime, who passed away on May 27, 2019

Jean Downing and family in the death of her Father, Mr. John Carroll O'Neill, who passed away on May 31

For the Repose of these souls, let us pray to the Lord

Prayer for the Sick

Almighty and Everlasting God, the eternal salvation of those who believe in You, hear us on behalf of Your servants who are sick, for whom we humbly beg the help of your mercy, so that, being restored to health, they may render thanks to you in your Church.

Through Christ our Lord.

Amen

Please Pray for Our Confirmationists'

Brook Preston  
(St. Philomena)

Dylan Preston  
(St. Moses the Black)

Santiago Tomas  
(St. Luigi Scrosoppi)

Pray For Our Active Military

Austin Booth  
Army

Dominic French  
Army

Jordan Guidry  
Marines

Austin M. Goodin  
Marines

Fr. Paul A. Halladay  
Major US Army

Matthew Ladnier  
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Marine Reserves

Sam Schoolfield Sr.  
Marines

Jerrick Thompson  
Army Reserves

Quentin Porter-Washington  
Air Force Reserves



The Icon of Our Lady Help of Persecuted Christians has been made available to the Parishioners of Our Lady of Lourdes Parish from June 6-11, 2019. The Icon will be in the vestibule on Saturday 6/8/19 and will be on the Altar on 6/9/19. Fr. Marcin will lead all gathered in The Litany of Our Lady Help of Persecuted Christians at the 8:30 am and 11:00 am Mass on Sunday June 9th.

PRAYER FOR PERSECUTED CHRISTIANS

O God of all the nations, the One God who is and was and always will be, in your providence you willed that your Church be united to the suffering of your Son. Look with mercy on your servants who are persecuted for their faith in you. Grant them perseverance and courage to be worthy imitators of Christ. Bring your wisdom upon leaders of nations to work for peace among all peoples. May your Spirit open conversion for those who contradict your will, that we may live in harmony. Give us the grace to be united in truth and freedom, and to always seek your will in our lives.

Through Christ our Lord. Amen.  
Our Lady Help of Persecuted Christians, pray for us.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Prayer composed by Archbishop William E. Lori, Supreme Chaplain

A Note of Thanks

To the Knights and Ladies of Council 8740, I would like to extend my gratitude for your tireless work in our Parish. From catering at the Annual Lawn Party and Benefit Night, to your 'Monthly Breakfasts' and Fish Fry's you never fail to deliver.

We join you as you pray for persecuted Christians around the world and we offer prayers for each of you and your families as you carry on the work of service to all in our parish and beyond.

May God Richly Bless Your Efforts,  
Fr. Marcin

# June 2019

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1 Mass8:00am  Sacrament of Reconciliation 4:30pm—5:15pm Vigil Mass5:30pm
2 Mass8:30am Mass11:00am  Southern Potluck for Pavo Immediately Following the 11am Mass	3 Communion Service8:00am	4 Mass5:30 pm Daughters of Mary6:00pm Men of St. Joseph6:00pm	5 Mass8:00 am	6 Mass8:00 am	7 Mass8:00 am	8 Confirmation with Archbishop Rodi Sacrament of Reconciliation 4:30pm—5:15pm Vigil Mass5:30pm Reception Immediately Following Mass
9 Pentecost Sunday Mass8:30am Mass11:00am K of C Breakfast9:30am  Baptism For Blake Johnson Following the 11AM Mass	10 Fr. Marcin Vacation Communion Service8:00am	11 Fr. Marcin Vacation Mass5:30 pm Daughters of Mary6:00pm Men of St. Joseph6:00pm	12 Fr. Marcin Vacation Mass8:00 Mass8:00 am	13 Fr. Marcin Vacation Mass8:00 am	14 Fr. Marcin Vacation Mass8:00 am  Missalette Change Over8:30am Volunteers Needed	15 Fr. Marcin Vacation Sacrament of Reconciliation 4:30pm—5:15pm Vigil Mass5:30pm
16 Fathers Day Mass8:30am Mass11:00am	17 Communion Service8:00am	18 Mass5:30 pm Daughters of Mary6:00pm Men of St. Joseph6:00pm	19 Mass8:00 am	20 Mass8:00 am	21 Mass8:00 am	22 Sacrament of Reconciliation 4:30pm—5:15pm Vigil Mass5:30pm
23 K of C Quarterly Mass8:30am Mass11:00am  Casino Bus Trip Fundraiser to Beau Rivage. Bus Leaves the Church at 1:00pm	24 Communion Service8:00am	25 Mass5:30 pm Daughters of Mary6:00pm Men of St. Joseph6:00pm	26 Mass8:00 am	27 Mass8:00 am	28 Mass8:00 am  Vigil Mass Ss. Peter & Paul6:00pm	29 Fr. Marcin Vacation Solemn Mass Ss. Peter & Paul8:00am  Sacrament of Reconciliation 4:30pm—5:15pm Vigil Mass5:30pm
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