

# Pentecost Sunday

## June 12, 2011

*There appeared to them tongues as of fire,  
which parted and came to rest on each one of them.  
— Acts 2:3*



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### THE RICHNESS OF THE SPIRIT

Students, and most adults recalling their school days, are familiar with the phrase “compare and contrast” that shows up from time to time on tests. Today we hear two different accounts of the giving of the Holy Spirit to the Church. Let’s contrast, then compare. Luke’s account from Acts is filled with arresting details: the mighty wind from heaven, the tongues of flame, the miracle of different languages. John’s account seems timid: fearful disciples, the wounded Christ, the expelling of breath from his risen body, not from the sky. Our literal, modern minds wonder which way it happened; our noisy culture probably makes us prefer the former. But if we compare the two, we find that the dazzling richness of the Spirit fills both accounts, for it is the very breath of the risen Christ, ascended to the sky in Luke, that appears to his disciples in John and sends his followers forth to carry on his mission of forgiving sin and proclaiming the mighty acts of God.

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### TODAY’S READING

**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** — In one Spirit we are baptized into one body and given to drink of one Spirit (1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13).

**Gospel** — Jesus Christ appears to the disciples and sends them on their mission with the power to forgive or retain sins through the Holy Spirit (John 20:19-23).

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday:	2 Cor 6:1-10; Mt 5:38-42
Tuesday:	2 Cor 8:1-9; Mt 5:43-48
Wednesday:	2 Cor 9:6-11; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18
Thursday:	2 Cor 11:1-11; Mt 6:7-15
Friday:	2 Cor 11:18, 21-30; Mt 6:19-23
Saturday:	2 Cor 12:1-10; Mt 6:24-34
Sunday:	Ex 34:4b-6, 8-9; Dn 3; 2 Cor 13:11-13; Jn 3:16-18



**Rosary Dedication June: For an increase in devotion to the Real Presence of Christ in the Eucharist.**

**This Week at Our Lady of Sorrow**

**Saturday, June 11<sup>th</sup>**

Confessions, 3:00 pm – 3:30 pm

Mass 4:00 pm

**Sunday, June 12<sup>th</sup>**

K of C Rosary, 7:35 am

Mass - 8 am

K of C Breakfast 9 am

Mass – 10:30 am

Mass – 5:00 pm, Spanish

**Mon, June 13<sup>th</sup>**

Mass - 8:00 am

STVDP City Wide Meeting/Dinner 6pm cafeteria

School Board Meeting 7 pm, TL

**Tuesday, June 14<sup>th</sup>**

Mass- 8:00 am

Zumba Classes 6 – 7 pm, cafeteria

Pastoral Council Meeting 7 pm, teachers lounge

K of C Meeting, 7 pm KH

**Wed. June 15<sup>th</sup> Rectory Closed**

Legion of Mary, 4:30 pm LH

Mass- 6:30 pm

**Thurs. June 16<sup>th</sup>**

Mass – 8 :00 am

Zumba Classes, 6-7 pm cafeteria

Alta Vista Meeting/Potluck cafeteria

6:30-8:30 pm

STVDP Meeting 7 pm KH

**Friday, June 17<sup>th</sup>**

Communion Service -8:00 am

**Saturday, June 18<sup>th</sup>**

Confessions, 3:00 pm – 3:30 pm

Mass 4:00 pm

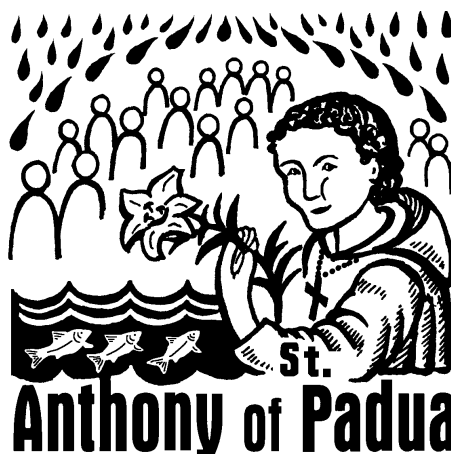
**Sunday, June 19<sup>th</sup>**

K of C Rosary, 7:35 am

Mass - 8 am

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**SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES**

Sunday:	Pentecost Sunday
Monday:	Eleventh Week in Ordinary Time; St. Anthony of Padua
Tuesday:	Flag Day
Saturday:	Blessed Virgin Mary

**Fathers Day Mass Remembrances:** Fathers Day is Sunday, June 19. Remember our deceased father in the celebration of the Mass three times on that day by including him in the offering by using the envelopes that are in the pews this weekend to include your offering. Please print your father's name clearly and indicate that his is deceased. His name will be read during the petition for the dead at the three Masses celebrated on Father's Day Sunday.

**Fathers Day Honorariums:** What better gift to give one's living father than to offer three Masses for his intentions at all three of the Masses to be celebrated at OLS on Fathers Day, which is fast approaching on Sunday, June 19. Use one of the envelopes that are in the pews this weekend to include your offering, printing your father's name clearly and indicating, that he is living. His name will be included in the petition for our living fathers during the Masses celebrated on Fathers Day. A card can be sent to your father to let his know of your gift of three Masses if you include a mailing address and get the information to the church office before 12:00 noon on Tuesday, June 14.

***Ministers & Altar Server  
Schedule for June 11 & 12***

	<b><u>4:00 PM</u></b>	<b><u>8:00 AM</u></b>	<b><u>10:30 AM</u></b>	<b><u>5:00 PM</u></b>
Communion	Deacon Henry G. Taulman	Deacon Henry S. O'Brien	Deacon Don G. Pannell	N. Vinturella R. Roque
Reader:	C. Specht	B. Plessinger	R. Pannell	D. Marquez. E. Roque
Altar Servers:	A. Lopez J. Moreno P. Moreno	D. Bailey C. Bailey	G. Lopez J. Lopez L. Lopez	N. Villanueva J. Rivera

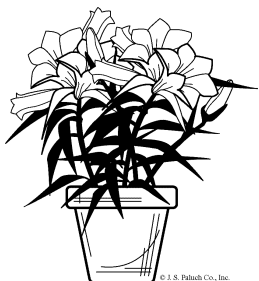
***Ministers & Altar Server  
Schedule for June 18 & 19***

	<b><u>4:00 PM</u></b>	<b><u>8:00 AM</u></b>	<b><u>10:30 AM</u></b>	<b><u>5:00 PM</u></b>
Communion	Deacon Henry F. Bursi	L. Hall D. Gohman	Deacon Don K. Pope	R. Roque E. Roque
Reader:	B. Roth	J. Hall	L. Pope	J. Estrada/ J. Benitez
Altar Servers:	L. Carter An. Martini	H. Williams K. Owen	M. Najera A. Bowers	S. Roque A. Roque

**Please remember the following people in your prayers:** Therese Acklen, Fr. Jack Atkinson, Theresa Baker, Ann Balcom, June Bennis, Rebecca Bethune, Ed Bisner, Deanna Bolgeo, Rena Bolgeo, Johnny Boletta, Thomas Brown, Carole Brunner, Trudi Collier, Monsignor Bill Davis, Abraham Delgado, Danny Dunn, Elena Everroad, Rena Frazier, Theresa Greco, Eileen Haklitch, Shelby Henricks, Ruth Hill, Raymond Hosse, John & Lisa Hutchison, Mike & Donna Jackson, Margaret Jones, Brad Kitts, Butsy Lanigan, Fr. Joe Lattus, Angelo Lobianco, Ericka Lopez, Robert Lutts, Jerry Lynn, Sadie Claire Lynn, Louise Macdonald, Joseph Mangold, Jessica Mann, Ron Marshak, Alex Mosby, Bill Nutt, Jackie Perfetti, Waldyr Poilis, Nancy Pope, Dr. Cheryl Pearson, Bea Remmert, Mary Dorothy Scola, Mona Stringfellow, Fr. Bryan Timby, Mary Timby, Marie Torres, Vera Trudell, Henry VanNess, Maria Isabelle Vega, Victor Weirich, Helene Weiss, Lewis Wilkinson, Angie Wright .

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***Flowers on altar in honor of Louise & R.B. Macdonald 49<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary***



**Stewardship of the Altar** – Flowers can be put on the Altar in memory of a loved one; a deceased couple of the departed of an entire family or in honor of someone's special anniversary, birthdays or other happy occasions or just to honor someone you think is special. Please contact Frances Bursi at 357-5874 or 634-1168.

**Mass Intentions 2011:** we still have openings for mass intentions; please call the office if you need a mass intention.

**More About Liturgical Changes:** OLS has finally received the second DVD for the use of our groups studying the upcoming changes in the liturgy. The leaders of our groups that met last autumn should call the office to request their copy of the new DVD and to inform us of when their group will be meeting so we can advertise the groups in the bulletin. Please do not begin meeting until the last week of June.

## **MASS INTENTIONS**

**Sat. June 11<sup>th</sup> 4:00 pm**

People of Parish

**Sunday, June 12<sup>th</sup> 8:00 am**

Mary Elizabeth Kerby+

**Sunday, June 12<sup>th</sup> 10:30 am**

Lenora Nicks+

**Sunday, June 12<sup>th</sup> 5:00 pm**

Int. of Rosa Fox

**Monday June 13<sup>th</sup> 8:00 am**

Rose Sterenchak+

**Tuesday, June 14<sup>th</sup> 8:00 am**

Gloria Tarr+

**Wednesday, June 15<sup>th</sup> 6:30 pm**

Int. of Young Engaged Couples

**Thurs. June 16<sup>th</sup> 8:00 am**

James O'Harley+

**Friday June 17<sup>th</sup> 8:00 am**

Communion Service

**Sat. June 18<sup>th</sup> 4:00 pm**

People of Parish

**Sunday, June 19<sup>th</sup> 8:00 am**

All Fathers Living and Deceased

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All Fathers Living and Deceased

## **PARISHONERS IN NURSING HOME:**

**Jackie Perfetti**

**St. Francis Nursing Home  
5959 Park Ave, room 328  
Memphis, TN 38119**

**Helene Weiss**

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5959 Park Ave, room 328  
Memphis, TN 38119**

**Ginger Shemwell**

**King's Daughters & Sons  
3568 Applling Rd, room 144  
Bartlett, TN 38133**

**Dolores Bair**

**Ava Maria Home  
St. Lukes  
2805 Charles Bryan Road, 38134**

**Henry Van Ness**

**Spring Gate Healthcare  
3909 Covington Pike #302  
Bartlett, TN 38135, 371-3182**

**Vera Trudell**

**Grace Healthcare  
Room 306 A  
955 N. Germantown Pkwy  
Cordova, TN 38018**

**Jean Shemwell**

**Millington Healthcare Center  
5081 Easley Ave, room 57  
Millington, TN 38053**

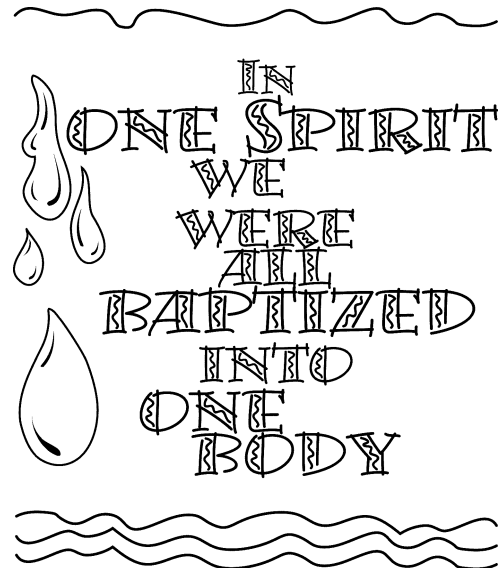
**OLS School Board:** The Our Lady of Sorrows School Board will meet on Monday, June 13, at 7:00 p.m. rather than the usual second Tuesday of the month due to the urgency of the Parish Pastoral Council meeting. Please make a note of the change of date for your reference and reminders.

**Monthly Bus Trip:** The monthly Bus Trip for June will be Sunday, June 26, 2011, if interested, call Martha Hensley at 357-2459 or 268-2849.

**OLS Tuition Notification:** Letter notifying families of their tuition rate for 2011-2012 will be mailed this week. All families are expected to pay tuition in 12 monthly payments due of the 15<sup>th</sup> day of each month. There is a 5% discount for tuition that is paid in full before the first day of class (Aug. 11). Book/Activities Fees of \$300 must be paid in full before the first day of classes (Aug.11).

**Financial Report  
Weekend of 06/05/2011**

Envelopes	\$2,864.00
Loose Checks & cash	551.00
Improvements	130.00
Ascension	108.00
Debt	1,480.60
<b>Total Collection</b>	<b>5,133.60</b>
Church Budget for the week	- 4,458.38
Collection Diff for the week	\$ 675.22
Collections Revenues Y-T-D	<b>\$ 195,351.02</b>
Church Budget Y-T-D	<u>218,460.21</u>
Collections Deficit Y-T-D	<b>\$ (23,109.19)</b>



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**FEAST OF FAITH**

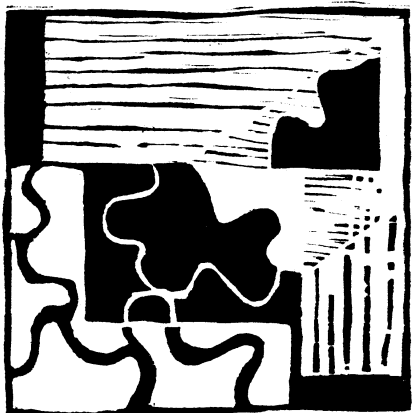
**Liturgy: Work of the Spirit**

The Spirit of God who hovered over the waters at the dawn of creation—the Holy Spirit who descended upon the disciples at Pentecost in ever-changing forms in the sound of a mighty wind or tongues of flame—hovers also over our celebration of the liturgy, giving it life, making it real. It is the Spirit of God who draws us, gathering us together, Sunday after Sunday. It is the Spirit of God who called loudly to the inspired writers of the scriptures and who continues to whisper to us, revealing ever-new facets of God’s word, granting insight just when we need it. It is by the Spirit’s power that, when Christ’s words are uttered by the priest, the bread and wine become the Body and Blood of Christ. And it is surely the Spirit who inspires us—that is, breathes in us—when, sent forth from the assembly, we seek ways to serve our brothers and sisters, to allow the gospel to come to life in the world. Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful, and kindle in them the fire of your love.

—Corinna Laughlin. © Copyright, J. S. Paluch Co.

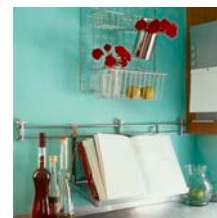
**GIFTS OF THE SPIRIT**

In one of the readings for this feast day Saint Paul refers to “different kinds of spiritual gifts” and “different forms of service, but the same Lord” (1 Corinthians 12:4). Yet spiritual gifts and service can be mismatched, causing difficulties for the person and the parish. Think of John, who had been head of the finance committee for over fifteen years. As an able businessman and head of his own company he dominated meetings, tightly controlled the agenda, and managed to push through “pet projects” by silencing and alienating other committee members. John is an example of someone with strong administrative gifts who needed a different challenge. Fortunately, John was tapped by the new pastor to begin a “Welcome Home” ministry for Catholics who have left the Church. This initiative is flourishing as John has discovered new energy and enthusiasm in matching his planning skills with hospitality. Then there is Alice, who was talked into teaching a parish religion class, although she had no training and didn’t relate well to young teens. Alice did not really know her true abilities, so her service was reluctant and not likely to last. Another woman on the faith formation team sensed Alice’s difficulties. They were chatting after class and Alice said she had just finished arranging the wedding of her third daughter. Her friend sympathized with all the hard work, and Alice said “Oh no, I just love weddings!” Alice now leads a team of parish wedding coordinators, who help couples through all the arrangements before and during their special day. She attracts new volunteers easily because she has such aptitude and love for the work. The Spirit is enriching the spiritual lives of John and Alice because their service matches their abilities, and their service, in turn, is adding new strength to their parish community. Copyright © 2010, World Library Publications. All rights reserved.



**Adult Education, 2011-2012:** We will be studying church history in the coming year in a 20-session course that tells our Catholic story as it has unfolded for nearly 2,000 years. We will learn about the major events and characters that have impacted the growth of the Church, the periods of our struggle to be the Body of Christ, the good popes and the bad popes, the sinners and the saints, the true story of the crusades and inquisitions, and more. Each week this will be a short reading assignment for background to the lesson, a video lecture by a leading expert in church history, reflection time to answer some questions and group sharing. The Sunday evening class (6:30-8:30 p.m.) will be moderated by Gerry Taulman. Fr. Timby will lead the Thursday morning (9:30-11:30 a.m.) group. The cost for this course is \$25.00 per person. Please call the Parish Office to join one of the classes so that we will have materials for every participant.

**OLS Centennial Cookbook:** 2012 will soon be here and we will begin our year-long celebration of the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Catholic ministry in the Frayser community. One of projects for our centennial year is to publish a commemorative cookbook with the favorite recipes of OLS parishioners, present and past. We will include a new section that will highlight recipes from our Latino members. Our goal is to have the cookbook with at least 500 recipes published for the opening of school in 2012. This will allow us plenty of time to reach out to former parishioners through the West Tennessee Catholic and to gather interesting information about the history of Catholicism between the Wolf and Loosahatchie rivers, including photos of the parish life at OLS. All recipes should be typed or hand-printed clearly on 8½X11 white paper. PLEASE be sure to include all the ingredients and step-by-step instructions for each recipe submitted. Recipes can be placed in the Sunday collection basket or mailed to: OLS Cookbook, 3700 Thomas Street, Memphis, TN 38127.



**School Painting Festival:** OLS School will be closed from June 6-June 20 so there can be some updating and painting done. Volunteers are needed for the project. Paint, brushes, paint pans, drop clothes and painters tape will be provided. Daytime shifts and evening shifts are available. All parishioners are invited and encouraged to get involved in this parish project. It is our school. It is our mission. Please call 353-1530 to add your name to the list.

**Teens4Christ Mission Opportunity:** The Corpus Christi Youth Group from Illinois will be returning to the Memphis area the week of July 10-15 and invite OLS youth in grades 7-12 (2011-2012) to participate in their activities which will include working with the poor and elderly with jobs like cleaning, painting, and yard work. Fr. Timby will be at Notre Dame University that week so he will not be available to coordinate OLS' participation. One adult is needed for every five youth volunteers. Also a van for every six people is needed for transportation needs. Please call the parish office if interested.

**Flood Relief:** OLS has received several "Clean-Up Kits" for distribution to families who are moving back into homes that were flooded or relocating to new homes. At this time, we are permitted to give only one kit to a household. Additional kits may be available next week based on the number distributed this week. Please see Fr. Timby or Deacon Henry to obtain a kit.

**Displaced Flood Victims:** If you and your family have been displaced by the floods and have moved into new housing, please remember to notify the Parish Office of your new mailing address. Families with children enrolled at OLS School should also notify the school office of your change of address. This also applies if your telephone number has changed.

**Parish Pastoral Council:** There is a special meeting of the Parish Pastoral Council on Tuesday, June 14, at 7:00 p.m. in Teachers Lounge. We will hear committee reports and finalize dates for events of our Centennial Celebration in 2012. All parish organizations should required their representative to the PPS to be present.

**Alta Vista Neighborhood Association:** The Alta Vista Neighborhood Association will meet at Our Lady of Sorrows On Thursday, June 16, in the cafeteria at 6:00 p.m.