

Weekend of - June 1, 2025

Dear People of God,
On this Feast of the Ascension of the Lord, we begin to turn our eyes toward the coming of the Holy Spirit. Today, Jesus speaks of sending his disciples “the promise of my Father.” This Promise is the Holy Spirit, the Advocate, the Consoler. While Jesus calls his disciples to be witnesses to all that he has lived and taught, it is the outpouring of the Holy Spirit that will provide the power for all that is to come. With these instructions Jesus’ voice falls silent and he says nothing more in Luke’s Gospel.

We are now living in what we can call the “Age of the Holy Spirit.” This is the age that Jesus spoke about with His Apostles. Therefore, it’s good to look at the coming of the Holy Spirit in the way Jesus revealed it.

The Holy Spirit is The Advocate, meaning, the only helper we need. Becoming consumed by the Holy Spirit provides us with every grace necessary in life.

Let’s reflect today, upon the fact that Jesus’ promise to His Apostles has been fulfilled and that you have the ability to receive that promise here and now in your life.

Prayer: *Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and kindle in them the fire of your love. Send forth your Spirit and they shall be created. And you shall renew the face of the earth. Jesus, I trust in You.*

Please don’t forget to join us on our webpage www.mhctampa.org

- Many, many thanks to one and all for not forgetting us here at MHC. Your kind wishes and generosity have been a blessing to us all!!
- Please pray for our Summer Camp and all those who organize, staff it, and/or participate in it. May it be a time of grace, joy, and peace for all involved.
- Congratulations to our Senior students here at Christo Rey Tampa Salesian High School, they had their Graduation Ceremony on Saturday, May 31st. Blessings and prayers to all of them and their families. Blessings also upon the CRTSH staff and administration for another job well done!
- **Don’t let the world, national and local news overwhelm you. Be strong in your faith; be courageous and unfaltering in your knowledge and belief that Jesus loves you . . . and He always will!**

As usual please remember to pray for all of the Salesians in our presence here at MHC . . . especially those at St. Philip Residence. Be assured we will be doing the same for you.

Peace and Joy Always!



Fr. Steve Dumais, SDB.
Pastor

PRAYER LIST

Please keep the following in your prayers:

Pete & Mary Gallar, Janice Murphy, Vivian Diaz, Tom Costa, David & Rosie Gratz, Lisa Franz, Patti Capitano, Fran Johns, Betsie Welch, Laura Munoz, Bobby Ryder, David Netel, Larry Walsh, Fernando Romero, Jay Samman, Rose Gabriel, Francis Briones, Julia Kelly, , Martha Catul, Elaine & Alan Jones Barbara Robles. Ruth Maund, Beverly Fernandez, Bob & Marge Fallon, Rene Zarte, Kathy Cortez, Jean Nichols, George Hernandez, , Victor Pichardo, David Schwaller, MaKayla Jennings, Esther Savio, Lucy Clemons, Lauren Lynch, Clarissa Roberson, Katherine Conrad, Rosa E. Alvarez, Valerie Sieger, Georgene & Dennis Bender, Rae Godbout, Penny Love , Paytin Hampton, Daniel Wiles, Dave Anshutz.

2025 Mass Intentions:

May 31, 2025 - June 08, 2025

Sat, May 31, 2025, 5:00pm: Maurice & Elizabeth Fitzgerald req. by Theresa Fitzgerald

Sun, June 01, 2025, 8:00am : +Thomas Henry Shinko req. by Chet Shinko

Sun, June 01, 2025, 11:00am: +Danny Clark req. by Betsie Welch & Debbie Herrington

Mon, June 02, 2025, 6:45am : For the youth to have a safe summer. Req. by Parish

Mon, June02, 2025, 7:00pm: Lorrie Anshutz req. by Anonymous

Tues, June 03, 2025. 6:45am: For the sick of the Parish req. by Parish

Wed, June 04,2025, 6:45am: For all Salesian Priest req. by Parish

Wed. June 04, 2025, 7:00pm +Joe Brocato req. by Pete & Mary Gallar


Thurs, June 05, 2025, 6:45am Living and deceased members of the Shinko family & friends req. by Chet Shinko

Fri. June 06, 2025, 6:45am : +Dori Bass req. by Pam Brewer

Sat, June 07, 2025, 5:00pm : +Patricia Taylor req. by Pam Brewer

Sun, June 08, 2025, 8:00am : Speedy recovery for Cindy Hancock req. by Sean & Ann Rockway

Sun, June 08, 2025, 11:00am: Deceased of the Taylor family req. by Troy Taylor & Family



Leonardo Murialdo, CSI (26 October 1828 – 30 March 1900) was an [Italian Catholic](#) priest and the co-founder of the Congregation of Saint Joseph - also known as the Murialdines (which he founded alongside [Eugenio Reffo](#)). Murialdo's call to the priesthood did not manifest until late in his education in [Savona](#); he pursued his ecclesial studies and was [ordained](#) as such in 1851 before dedicating himself to social work alongside the poor and with adolescent men. This put him into contact with other priests of the era such as [Giovanni Bosco](#) and [Giuseppe Cafasso](#) who held Murialdo in great esteem. His zeal for social concern saw his frequent calls for an end to worker exploitation and the granting of further rights to workers in factories. Murialdo died in the [odour of holiness](#) in 1900 and had a reputation for deep personal holiness. This became more prevalent in northern Italian cities where Murialdo and his religious order worked. The cause for his canonization opened under [Pope Benedict XV](#) in 1921 with [Pope John XXIII](#) later confirming his [heroic virtue](#) and naming Murialdo as Venerable in 1961. [Pope Paul VI](#) beatified Murialdo in late 1963 and later canonized him just under a decade later in 1970.

June 2025

- 06/02** Monday Mass 7pm / Summer Camp Training
- 06/04** Adoration 4-7 silent / Mass 7pm / Praise & Worship 8-9pm Youth Ministry 7pm
- 06/05** Staff meeting 6:15pm / Parish Council 7pm
- 06/07** 1st Sat Marian Devotion 9:30am Rosary
- 06/09** Monday Mass 7pm / Summer Camp begins
- 06/11** Adoration 4-7pm silent/Mass 7pm/Praise & Worship 8-9pm Youth Ministry 7pm
- 06/14** St Phillips Ice Cream Social by Mama Margaret 6pm
- 06/15** Hospitality Sunday / Happy Fathers Day
- 06/16** Mass 7pm
- 06/18** Adoration 4-7pm silent/Mass 7pm/Praise & Worship 8-9pm Youth Ministry 7-9pm
- 06/21** Outreach 8am meet at basketball ct.

Faith Formation

- 1) Teachers needed please pray about becoming a teacher for our faith formation classes the children need you. Sign up is at the back of church.
- 2) If you want your child to attend faith formation for 2025-2026 yr. please sign up on the sign up sheet in the back of church and AnnMarie will give you a call to get everything set up.

Bishop’s BBQ

We invite all men in High School and older, to join us for a casual discernment event. The Bishop’s BBQ will take place at Bethany Center in Lutz on June 4th from 5:00 pm – 8:00 pm. Get to know Bishop Parkes, Fr. Chuck, and our seminarians. There will be games, prayer, food, and discussion. Men are encouraged to RSVP via the website by clicking on the following link: <https://dospvocations.org/upcoming-events/>

Elisheba House Eucharistic Healing Retreat

Date: June 27 @ 7pm—Jun 28th 5pm
Friday 7pm-11pm (Reception with appetizers begins at 7pm)

Overnight Eucharistic Adoration available

Visit www.elishebahouse.com for more information



Father’s Day June 15th

For all fathers, godfathers, grandfathers, uncles ,brothers, cousins and special friends who touched your heart all year.

Please fill out the form for both living or deceased and put in collections or drop off at the office or even email me at

parish@mhctampa.org. by June 10th.



MARY HELP OF CHRISTIANS PARISH OUTREACH

- Cereal
- Ramen Noodles / Soup
- **Gift Card-\$10 - Great need !!!!!!!!!**
- Diapers - Baby Wipes
- Chef Boyardee, Mac & Cheese
- Peanut Butter & Jelly -
- Travel shampoos /Razors /Shaving cream/Deodorant
- Canned tuna / Chicken

Our goal : To fill 50 blue bags with the listed items.
Next Outreach is 06/21/2025. Meet at Mary Help at 8am to load cars and trucks . All are welcome to join us.

Outstanding Need

In the last couple of months, we have had a few families come out to outreach with children. We have assisted them with food, diapers, and toiletries and they have asked if we have any clothes. If those of you with children can spring clean some of your children’s good and outgrown clothing, we will gladly dispense them at our next outreach. Blessings and thanks.

Weekly Gift Giving

Weekend of May 24, 2025 to May 25 2025
Attendance 261 Envelopes 22

Mass Offertory	\$	2,289.00
Loose checks	\$	555.00
Online Giving	\$	1,790.00
Candles	\$	45.00
Fathers Day	\$	30.00

TOTAL \$ 4,709.00

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CAMP MARY HELP

We are a Catholic day camp serving children 5-15 years old

7 Weeks

Week 1: June 9-13
Week 2: June 16-20
Week 3: June 23-27
Week 4: June 30- July 3
Week 5: July 7-11
Week 6: July 14-18
Week 7: July 21-25

Open House

Sunday, April 6; 12:00 pm- 4:00 pm
Wednesday, April 23; 4:00 pm- 6:00 pm
Saturday, May 3; 10:00 am- 1:00 pm

Camp Activities

Daily Mass
Swimming
Kayaking
Tubing
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Ascension of the Lord
June 01, 2025



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Mass Schedule

Daily: Monday-Friday
6:45am(Chapel)

12:10 (Chapel)

Monday & Wednesday

7pm (Church)

Saturday Vigil

5pm-(Church)

Sunday

8am (Church)

11am (Church) *livestreamed*

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Every Wednesday

◇ 4:00pm-6:45pm Silent Adoration

◇ 8-9pm Praise/Worship Adoration

Sacrament of Reconciliation

30 minutes prior to Weekend Masses

Korean Ministry

Sun 9:20am Mass

Contact the parish office 813 626 7588
for information Annulments, Baptisms,
Weddings, Home Visits, Hospital
Visits. Sacrament of the Sick or
Reconciliation. We are available Mon
thru Friday, from 9am to 3pm. Call for
appointments.

For information on the various venues,
use of the Church and any areas of our
property available contact Mary Sverko
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MISSION STATEMENT

Our Parish here in Tampa, FL, is a Catholic Church dedicated to
the Mother of God under her title as Help of Christians, is a place of joy, worship, welcome, evangelization and reconciliation. As a Salesian Parish in the Diocese of St. Petersburg we
commit ourselves to having a deep-seated preference for working with the young especially those who are poor, while striving to minister to the corporal and spiritual needs of all our
members and visitors as well. We pray and work for peace, love, truth, and social justice through active stewardship and service notably with the assistance of our advocate Mary Help
of Christians, and her great devotee St. John Bosco. We hope to provide an opportunity for everyone who worships with us to be transformed into people courageously living the Gospel.