



Stewardship of Prayer

SATURDAY, 6/3 - VIGIL OF PENTECOST

Acts 2:1-11/1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13/Jn 20:19-23

4:00PM † Maurice & Anne Brazell
Rosary at 3:15pm

SUNDAY, 6/4 - PENTECOST

Acts 2:1-11/1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13/Jn 20:19-23

9:00am † James Engel
Rosary at 8:15am

MONDAY, 6/5 - ST. BONIFACE

Tb 1:3; 2:1b-8/Ps 112:1b-2, 3b-6/Mk 12:1-12

9:00am † Terry Leack

TUESDAY, 6/6 - ST. NORBERT

Tb 2:9-14/Ps 112:1-2, 7-9/Mk 12:13-17

9:00am † Tom Schimmels
† Steven Lehman

WEDNESDAY, 6/7 - WEEKDAY

Tb 3:1-11a, 16-17a/Ps 25:2-5ab, 6, 7bc-9/Mk 12:18-27

9:00am Parishioners

SATURDAY, 6/10 - VIGIL OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

Ex 34:4b-6, 8-9/2 Cor 13:11-13/Jn 3:16-18

4:00pm † Norbert & Verena Schroeder
Rosary at 3:15pm

SUNDAY, 6/11 - THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

Ex 34:4b-6, 8-9/2 Cor 13:11-13/Jn 3:16-18

9:00am † Faustina G. Piana
Rosary at 8:15am

Dear Parishioners

Pentecost:

The Church celebrates the feast of Pentecost this Sunday. It is recognized and celebrated as the birthday of the Church. It was remarkable that the Holy Spirit transformed a bunch of petrified disciples into courageous and determined evangelists, ready to die for their faith. The sending of the Holy Spirit was the fulfillment of Jesus' promise not to abandon his disciples or leave them as orphans. The Holy Spirit has sustained the Church's mission through the centuries and enables her to navigate treacherous waters.

The celebration of Pentecost, fifty days after the resurrection, goes back to the early fourth century. It was tied to the celebration of the Jewish festival of "First Fruits," also known as the "Feast of Weeks," which took place fifty days after the Passover. The separate celebration of Pentecost in the Church took place about the same time the Feast of Ascension was recognized as a separate liturgical celebration, forty days after the resurrection. This was in accordance with biblical presentations in the Acts of the Apostles (Acts 1-2).

Speaking in tongues was one clear evident of the infusion of the Holy Spirit. The inspired and intelligible utterances of the transformed apostles could be contrasted with the unintelligible babble associated with the Tower of Babel in Genesis 11:1-9. Notwithstanding that people spoke different languages they were not hindered from understanding the apostles' message inspired by the Holy Spirit. This was a major improvement compared to the glossolalia or ecstatic and unintelligible pronouncements of Old Testament prophets. It is evidence that the Holy Spirit enables the breaking down of barriers to human unity and solidarity.

We can hardly speak of Pentecost without mentioning the traditional gifts of the Holy Spirit based on Isaiah 11:2. These celebrated gifts or fruits of the Holy Spirit are: wisdom, understanding, knowledge, fortitude, counsel, piety, and the fear of the Lord.

The respected theologian, Hans Kung, once stated that before the Holy Spirit can truly take hold of our lives all contrary spirits must be exorcised (*Why I Am Still A Christian*, Abingdon Press, Nashville TN, 1987). Hence, we pray that all contrary spirits will take flight, so that God's Spirit may dwell secure in us and our community.

Nomination for Trustees:

The term of office for our two trustees has expired. Julia Atkinson has served as our Trustee Treasurer since 2011, while Mark Kuchta has served as Trustee Secretary since 2014. Both trustees have done a good job in their respective positions. On your behalf, I thank them for their services to our parish. They have also both expressed a willingness to continue as parish trustees.

Hence, I am pleased to nominate them to another term as trustees. Normally, trustees serve a two year term. However, to maintain the staggered nature of trustee terms, the Trustee Treasurer will serve a one year term while the Trustee Secretary will serve a two year term.

The nomination process is now open. Archdiocesan trustee guidelines state that after the pastor/administrator makes the initial nominations, additional candidates may be nominated in writing by any parishioner accompanied by signatures from ten or more registered parishioners per candidate. The person to be nominated must be Catholic, registered and practicing member of the parish, and at least 25 years of age.

If there are other nominations, an election will take place. The winners become trustees only after the approval of Archbishop Listecky. Have a great week! Fr. Romanus



Fr. Romanus

Prayer, Service & Sharing

"To each is given the manifestation of the

Spirit for the common good." 1Corinthians 12:7

To receive the gift of the Holy Spirit you must open your heart and let Him in! Open your heart and be grateful for all the gifts God has given us. Regardless of your circumstance. God has given us all blessings. What we do with those gifts is our gift back to God. Generously sharing our gifts keeps us more "God-centered" and less "self-centered."

We remember with prayerful respect

Aaron Quinell

brother of Luke (Kelly) Quinell

who died in April.

May God comfort those who mourn him and all who suffer the loss of a loved one.

May his soul and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace.



The Pope's Prayer Intention for June.



That national leaders may firmly commit themselves to ending the arms trade, which victimizes so many innocent people.

COMBINED COLLECTIONS, WEEKEND OF JUNE 10 & 11

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may mail in your contribution or bring it to Mass the weekend of June 10-11, 2017. Thank You.

“Come Celebrate Our Diversity”

Sunday June 25, 2017 following the 9am Mass

Blessed Savior Parish is blessed to have many different cultures of parishioners. They represent a multi-ethnic group of rich cultures, unique backgrounds, and interesting experiences as they have grown in our parish community.



These multi-ethnic groups don't necessarily get to know the individuals from other countries or their fellow parishioners. That is why – on Sunday June 25th after the 9am Mass (approximately 10:30 – ending at 12:30) the parish Multicultural Commission is hosting a special hospitality for all with games and activities in the parish hall. We want to provide an informal and fun opportunity for everyone to get to know each other. Light refreshments will be provided. Individuals who are attending are welcome to bring a cultural appetizer to share. Please contact Val Fernando (262-253-6891) or Mike Malloy (414-464-3733) with any questions regarding this event.



SVDP EMPTY SHELF

For the weekend of June 10 & 11 we are asking for **PORK & BEANS**

TALK ABOUT is pleased to announce.... **THE SUGGESTION BOX IS UP AND READY FOR YOUR QUESTIONS.** Its located on the round table in the Villard Hallway. We welcome your ideas for topics, speakers or events for the coming year. Signature is required. Fr. Romanus will be our presenter June 10 & 11. His topic will be the Liturgy. All questions are welcome. However to help him prepare, feel free to place your questions in the box only if you feel you may forget. Thank you, Deb Wuerl



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Mission Statement
Blessed Savior Catholic Parish, a welcoming open community of diverse disciples of Christ, affirms a way of life through prayer, service, and sharing.

MINISTRY TO THE SICK —Please pray for the following parishioners and others with health problems and for all those in nursing homes and those with continuing health concerns: Joe Augustine, Carmelo & Francisca Castro, Diane Henry, Eleanor Mishak, Ginny & Donald Naegele, Karen Recklies, Allan & Lorraine Rischman, Carol Runningen, John Schoofs, Jeff Spyhalski, Evelyn Szurma, Sr. Ceil Struck, OSF, Joe & Joan Trinkl, Gloria Weinhold, Marge Wesling. Mary Frances Williams
 If you wish to add someone to the prayer list with their permission, please call the parish office @ 414-464-5033.

Festival Time is here!!
 St. John Vianney, June 9-11—Calhoun & Gebbardt in Brookfield. Friday 5-11pm, Sat. 12-11pm
 Sun 12-8pm. Fri. fish fry, 5-8pm,
 Sat. pig roast 4-8pm chicken dinner, 12-6pm

Holy Angels, 138 N 8th Ave., West Bend. June 9-11
 Sunday, Polka Mass @ 11am., Chicken plate, Bingo Music

A message from you bulletin editor:
 I hate it when I see an elderly person and then realize that we went to high school together.



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