#### Blessed Savior Catholic Parish

#### 4th Sunday of Easter

Blessed Savior Parish Worship Site 8545 W. Villard Ave., Milwaukee, WI 53225

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Phone: 414-464-5033

Rev. Romanus N. Nwaru, Pastor Email: frromanus@gmail.com

Mass Times: Saturday, 4pm and Sunday, 9am

Morning Mass: Monday and Wednesday, 9am in the Chapel

April 30, 2023

#### Parish Staff:

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Carl Christopher, Business Manager
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Simon Biagui, Interim Christian Formation Coordinator

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Parish Office Hours: Monday-Thursday, 8am-4pm

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Sacraments: Preparation for all sacraments are made

through the parish office.

Ministry to the Sick: When a parishioner or family member is hospitalized, homebound, or in a nursing home, please call the parish office.

Anointing of the Sick:

**Communal -** Suspended for now. **Individual -** Call the parish office.

**Baptisms:** Call the parish office to set up an appointment.

Confessions: Call the parish office.

Communal Penance: Scheduled in Lent and Advent.

Funerals: Call the parish office in the event of the death

of a loved one.

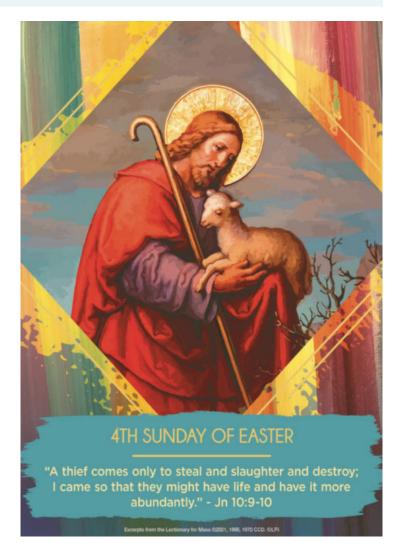
**Weddings:** Arrangements are to be made at least one year in advance by calling the parish office.

St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry: 5558 N. 69 St. 414-464-3817. Open Monday, Tuesday, Friday, 8-10am

Pastoral Council Officers: Paul Bina, Chair

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School Website: www.blessedsaviorcatholicschool.org

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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.

#### Mass Schedule

Saturday, 4/29 - Vigil of the 4th Sunday of Easter Acts 2:14a, 36-41 / Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 (1) / 1 Pt 2:20b-25 / Jn 10:1-10

4:00pm † Stanley Bruskiewicz

Sunday, 4/30 - 4th Sunday of Easter

Acts 2:14a, 36-41 / Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 (1) /

1 Pt 2:20b-25 / Jn 10:1-10

9:00am Young and Francisca Obinna

25th Wedding Anniversary/Marriage Blessing

First Holy Communion

Rosary at 8:15am

Monday, 5/1 - St. Joseph the Worker

Acts 11:1-18 / Ps 42:2-3; 43:3, 4 / Jn 10:11-18

9:00am t Andreas Wesserle

Tuesday, 5/2 - St. Athanasius, Bishop and Doctor

of the Church

11:30am Funeral Mass for Arthur Martinez

Wednesday, 5/3 - Sts. Philip and James, Apostles 1 Cor 15:1-8 / Ps 19:2-3, 4-5 / Jn 14:6-14

9:00am † Milton Hohensee

Saturday, 5/6 - Vigil of the 5th Sunday of Easter Acts 6:1-7 / Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19 (22) / 1 Pt 2:4-9 / *Jn 14:1-12* 

4:00pm Parishioners, both living and deceased Eucharistic Adoration with Rosary at 3:00pm

Sunday, 5/7 - 5th Sunday of Easter

Our Lady's May Crowning

Acts 6:1-7 / Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19 (22) / 1 Pt 2:4-9 /

Jn 14:1-12

9:00am † Gontran Gueve

Eucharistic Adoration with Rosary at 8:15am

Fr. Romanus, staff and Blessed Savior parishioners express our sympathy to the families of

Albert Hentz, parishioner **Robert Budjac**, parishioner

Arthur Martinez, husband of Anne Martinez

May they find peace and happiness with our Lord Jesus in heaven. May God comfort those who mourn them and all who suffer the loss of a loved one. May their soul and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen.



#### **Gospel Meditation**

I recently rescued a dog. She's a terrier and rather adorable. And she's crazy about me. She could spend all day with me. But I'm a pastor at a parish and sometimes I leave her at the front desk of the church office. She constantly amazes me by her ability to distinguish between my voice and that of everyone else. If I say one word, even if I'm hidden around a corner, she'll sprint toward me and jump up into my arms.

This week the readings focus our attention to the voice of the Risen Jesus Christ. Comparing his disciples to sheep and himself to a shepherd, he says, "They recognize his voice." He speaks to us and wants us to respond. When we hear his voice, we follow. Throughout this coming week, we will experience many interior promptings to receive God's love, and to love Him in return. That's his voice. Follow it into the safe and tender arms of Christ.

By contrast, some voices we will hear do not convev God's concern and love for us, but rather produce fear, despair, and other harmful mischief. Jesus calls these voices those of robbers. Does an idea or thought make it harder for you to love God? If so, run away. Let it go. It is most likely not the voice of the Risen Lord. Keep waiting for him to speak. You will recognize his voice. Then run to him as fast as you can.

– Father John Muir Liturgical Publications ©LPi

#### World Day of Prayer for Vocations April 30, 2023

We pray for an increase in vocations to the priesthood, diaconate and consecrated life and, in a particular way, for priestly vocations to the Archdiocese of Milwaukee from Blessed Savior Parish.

#### **Theology of the Holy Spirit**

Do you want to fan into flames the gift of the Holy Spirit you received at Confirmation? Please join our Charismatic prayer group for a 7-week lecture series on pneumatology to stir the Holy Spirit in you. The sessions are on Fridays at 6:30pm at Blessed Savior, starting on May 5. Use the west church door entrance. Call Simon Biagui, our Interim Christian Formation Coordinator, through the parish office at 414-464-5033, if you have any questions.

#### **Eucharistic Adoration with Rosary**

We will have Eucharistic Adoration, with rosary, before Mass next weekend - Saturday, May 6 at 3pm and Sunday, May 7 at 8:15am in the church. This is in honor of the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of Mary. Please join us. We sit in the front pews.



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#### **Congratulations**

Henry, Dorothy, Daniella and Ngardie on your First Holy Communion at Blessed Savior Parish Sunday, April 30, 2023

May you always be close to Jesus as you are today. May others know Jesus through His presence in you.

We welcome

Sr. Patricia Kieler, SDS, our newest parishioner of Blessed Savior. We are delighted to have you join our parish family. May you be inspired by the Gospel to live God's mission with faith, hope and love.



**Love One Another** Capital Campaign **Volunteer Report Meeting** 



Thursday, May 4 at 6:30pm in the Parish Hall.

#### Just a reminder:

- ♦ Our Lady's May Crowning with a Filipino adaptation and fellowship follows the 9am Mass on Sunday, May 7.
- ♦ Human Concerns Layette Collection ends the weekend of May 6 & 7. Please remember these babies with a new gift.

Coming Up: Mother's Day Rose Sale - May 13 & 14. Gift Mom with a rose and benefit Pro-Life.

#### 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:

Judy Adrian, Jackie Ballering, Rhey Clemente, Catherine Felber, Katie Flynn, Robin Flynn, Gayle Hanus, Nadjah Hasan, Diane Henry, Rita Hohensee, Mike Hubbard, Mary Anne Janke, Gertrud Kaegler, Amber King, Karla Klavbor, Edward Richard John Kurhajetz, Barb Moroder,

Bob Oettinger, Jr., Joe Ratke, Wayne Ring. Allan & Lorraine Rischman, Jeanne Rossner, Judith Scheible, Thomas Schmid, Sharon Tym, Eleonore Ulik, Mary Frances Williams

Lord Jesus, who went about doing good and healing all, we ask you to bless our friends who are sick. Give them strength in body, courage in spirit, and patience with pain.

Remember to pray for all the intentions in the book of "Joys and Concerns" and all those who wrote them.

#### 2023 Easter Flower Memorials and Honorariums



Joan Schneider

Robert John Sprang

Ron, Olga & CJ Glanville, Ralph Kurtzweil Family Stanley Bruskiewicz, Mary & Joseph Posnanski Candy & Mickey Posnanski, Pat & Henry Posnanski

Florence & Ray Haase

Wayne Harmon, Czarnyszka Family

Elsie Koeppen, Al Koeppen, Nancy Anderson

Amber Anderson, Gwen Goldberg

Francis & Helen Brunner, Jessica Matuszak Henri & Marguerite Goudiaby, Christian Goudiaby Rose Siga Diouf

Ruth T. Luckett, Harreld Luckett, Paul Luckett Chinn Family, Gene McClendon

Cornelia & Wencel Bina, Mary Lou & Paul Neuzil Marcella & Walter McCormick, Keith Sbiral's Dad

Amy Gardner's Dad, Grant Breitsprecher

Ervin Bonds, Roger T. Woppert

Geoffrey Ike, Augustine Ike, Cecelia Ike, Innocent Ike Thomas Onyema, Regina Onyema

Bob Mielke, Judy Hoener

Jim Hogan, Frank & Rosana DiPierro, Departed Friends

Ken, Jane, Paul and Neal Doxtator

Georgette Paider, Jose Valdivia

Weber Family, Budzinski Family, Wm. Fernando

Dorothy & Charles Rihacek, Edward Floryance Joseph Floryance, Ann & Albert Floryance

Richard Chapman, Chuck Rihacek

Elizabeth Bellows, Mary & Nelson Bellows

Robert G., Kathy Zahn, Levi Anderson, Jr.

Andrew Hacker, Eric Hacker, Rosemary Baranek Nicholas Baranek

Donald Peterson, Joe Beronich, David Beronich George Beronich

Sal & Dorothy Lanza, Harry Kolasinski Achevifor, Emmanuel Tabifor, Biboh Beatrice Fulai Josephine, Bertha Fuen Tabifor, Mary Mbunouh Ruffina Bifor, Maxwell Angafor, Augustine Sofa

Flower offerings were given from many Blessed Savior parishioners. Your generosity, as always, is appreciated.



#### **National Teacher's Day** May 2, 2023

Lord, bless the teachers who give their heart to teaching. Thank you for the special gift that you have given them. Amen.



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