### Blessed Savior Catholic Parish 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Parish Office Hours: Mon.-Thurs. 8am - 4pm

Closed Fridays

Mass Times: SATURDAY 4PM SUNDAY 9AM Weekdays: Mon., Tues., Wed. 9am in the Chapel

Bulletin Deadline: Monday by NOON Carol Spychalski, Bulletin Editor

Sacraments: Preparation for all sacraments are made

through the parish office.

Weddings: Arrangements are to be made at least one

year in advance by calling the parish office.

Confessions:

3rd Saturday in church, 3:15pm and by appointment

Communal: Seasonal as announced

**Baptism:** Contact the parish office to set up an appointment.

Anointing of the Sick (Communal - Monthly) Individual: Any time and also by appointment.

#### Ministry to the Sick

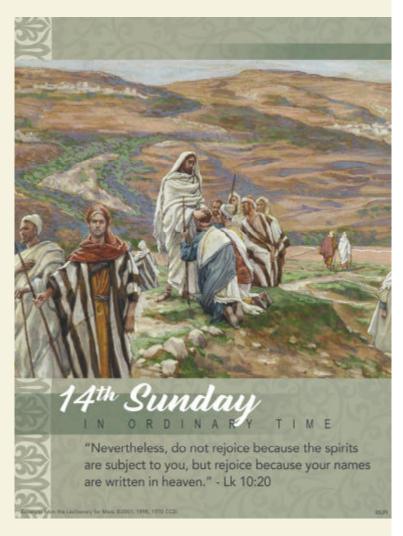
When a parishioner or family member is hospitalized, homebound, or in a nursing home, please call the parish office to have someone bring them Communion or visit.

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

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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.

#### STEWARDSHIP OF PRAYER

SATURDAY, 7/6 - VIGIL OF 14TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Is 66:10-14c/Gal 6:14-18/Lk 10:1-12, 17-20 or 10:1-9

4:00pm † George Loesl

† Allan Loesl

Dr. Kemakolam Obasih

Rosary at 3:15pm

SUNDAY, 7/7 - 14TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Is 66:10-14c/Gal 6:14-18/Lk 10:1-12, 17-20 or 10:1-9

9:00am † John P. Clef (Stano)

Rosary at 8:15am

MONDAY, 7/8 - WEEKDAY

Gn 28:10-22a/Ps 91:1-2, 3-4, 14-15ab [cf. 2b]/Mt 9:18-26

9:00am †Theresa Somers

TUESDAY, 7/9 - ST. AUGUSTINE ZHAO RONG, PRIEST

& COMPANIONS, MARTYRS

*Gn* 32:23-33/Ps 17:1b, 2-3, 6-7ab, 8b and 15 [15a]/Mt 9:32-38

9:00am **Parishioners** 

WEDNESDAY, 7/10 - WEEKDAY

Gn 41:55-57; 42:5-7a, 17-24a/Ps 33:2-3, 10-11, 18-19 [22]/Mt 10:1-7

9:00am † Jane Ziem

SATURDAY, 7/13 - VIGIL OF 15TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Dt 30:10-14/Col 1:15-20/Lk 10:25-37

4:00pm † John & Lucy Arends

Rosary at 3:15pm

SUNDAY, 7/14 - 15TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Dt 30:10-14/Col 1:15-20/Lk 10:25-37 9:00am † All Souls

Rosary at 8:15am

#### CORRECTION

The church pews from the St. Philip Neri Church building are now available and will be sold for \$50 for an 11ft. section and \$100 for a 22ft. section.

The pews are available at any time, BUT, you will have to do your own dismantle and pick up.

Anyone interested contact John Henry in the parish office, 414-464-5033. X20



The Popes Prayer Intention for August Evangelization: That families, through their life of prayer and love, become ever more clearly "schools of true rayer Network human growth."

#### Independence Day:

July 4th is a day dear to us, the citizens of the United States of America, as we celebrate our Independence as a nation. Independence Day is in remembrance of the day the Continental Congress adopted the final draft of the Declaration of Independence on July 4, 1776. Thirteen former British colonies made the declaration following unjust treatment under the draconian leadership of King George III of England and the British parliament.

It all started in 1767, when a tea company in India owned by the British started losing money. To make up for the losses, the British colonial government imposed taxes on all tea sold in British colonies, including America. Americans were outraged and protested. Samuel Adams and other Bostonians dressed up as Indians and dumped a cargo of the Indian Company's tea into the Massachusetts Bay. The situation further deteriorated when British soldiers fired on a crowd of protesters on the Boston harbor, killing some in the crowd ("the Boston massacres"). These two events changed the course of American history, leading to the war of independence in 1775 as a push back against the British.

Prior to the war, the First Continental Congress convened in 1774, and put together a list of grievances against the British monarchy. This would become the first draft of the Declaration of Independence. George Washington took command of the Continental Army and battled the British in Massachusetts and other parts of the colonies (the Revolutionary War). On July 2, 1776, the Second Continental Congress came up with the second draft of a list of grievances, officially called the Declaration of Independence. It was not long before the colonies realized they were not just fighting new taxes, but for freedom.

The War of Independence dragged on until 1783 when the nation gained independence. However, it was not until 1941 that Congress officially declared July 4 a federal holiday. In celebrating independence, we recall the brave men and women who shed their blood for our freedom. We should not take freedom for granted. One of the founding fathers, Patrick Henry, stated, "Give me freedom, or give me death." The quote was from a speech he made to the Second Virginia Convention in 1775. The speech was instrumental in convincing the convention to pass a resolution that delivered the Virginian troops for the Revolutionary War.

As we continue the 4th of July celebrations with picnics, fireworks and parades, it is important not to forget why we are celebrating. We equally need to be mindful of those around the world who are still in bondage and fighting for their freedom. Like freedom fighters before them, many would make the ultimate sacrifice for the liberation of their people. It is wonderful that our nation is engaged in many of these international struggles for freedom.

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As we support the fight for freedom overseas, we should also be cognizant of the need to protect the freedoms already won here at home. One of those is the "freedom of religion" that is under attack in some quarters and among some in government. The Constitution states: "Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof." Unfortunately, there has been gradual encroachments meant to undermine freedom of religion.

I hope everyone had a Happy 4<sup>th</sup> of July.

#### Congratulations to Mark Kuchta:

Since there was no other nominee for the Trustee Secretary position, Mark Kuchta is therefore re-elected to serve another two-year term as Trustee Secretary. lease, join me in congratulating Mark on his re-election *Fr. Romanus* 



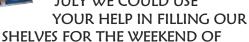


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JULY 13 & 14



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#### Parish Picnic



Looking for more pictures from our 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Parish Picnic? Check out our website at <a href="https://www.blessedsaviorparish.org">www.blessedsaviorparish.org</a> and

click on "Neighborhood Party" on our home page.



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:

Edwige Badjio, Jackie Ballering, Noritta Ballmann, Stanley Bruskiewicz, Diane Henry, Mary Ann & Charles Janke, Ray & Gertrud Kaegler Max Knight, Ginny & Donald Naegele, Allan & Lorraine Rischman, Carol Runningen, Anton Schleiss, Joe & Joan Trinkl, 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.

If you wish to add someone to the prayer list with their permission, please call the parish office @ 414-464-5033. The name will remain on the list for 4 weeks and then go to the prayer circle. If you wish to have it on longer please call the parish office.

Please remember to pray for all the intentions in the book of "Joys and Concerns" and all those who have written them.



### CHURCH FESTIVALS SLOVAK-AMERICAN DAY

Sunday, July 14—11am—free admission Croatian Park, 9140 S. 76 St. Mass 12 Noon, Very Rev. James Lobacz

officiating.

Hot food, bakery & refreshments available, Slovak beer Children's activities, Raffle, dancing, Tatra Slovak Dancers.

ST, DOMINIC CATHOLIC CHURCH—DOMINIC DAYS July 11-14, 18255 W. Capitol Dr., midway rides, raffle, music Sunday Outdoor Mass 10:30am. Car show, Friday fish fry, Sat. BBQ rib dinner, Sun. Chicken dinner

DIVINE MERCY FUN FEST, 800 Marquette Ave. July 12-14 Cudahy Lions Fish Fry Friday, Sat., rib dinner, Sun., chicken dinner, music

ST MARY PARISH, Hales Corners July 12-14 Friday fish fry, Sat., That's Amore Mostaccioli & Meat Balls Sun., Sendiks roasted chicken dinner, music, beer, games & rides.

#### Communion to the Homebound

If you take Communion to the homebound and are in need of a pyx (Communion holder – small white cloth envelope) they are available from the basket on the credence table, next to where the altar servers sit. Please return the pyx to the basket after you no longer need it. Thank you.



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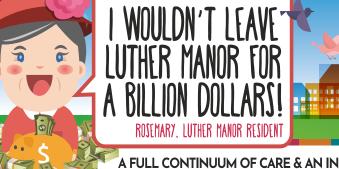
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