

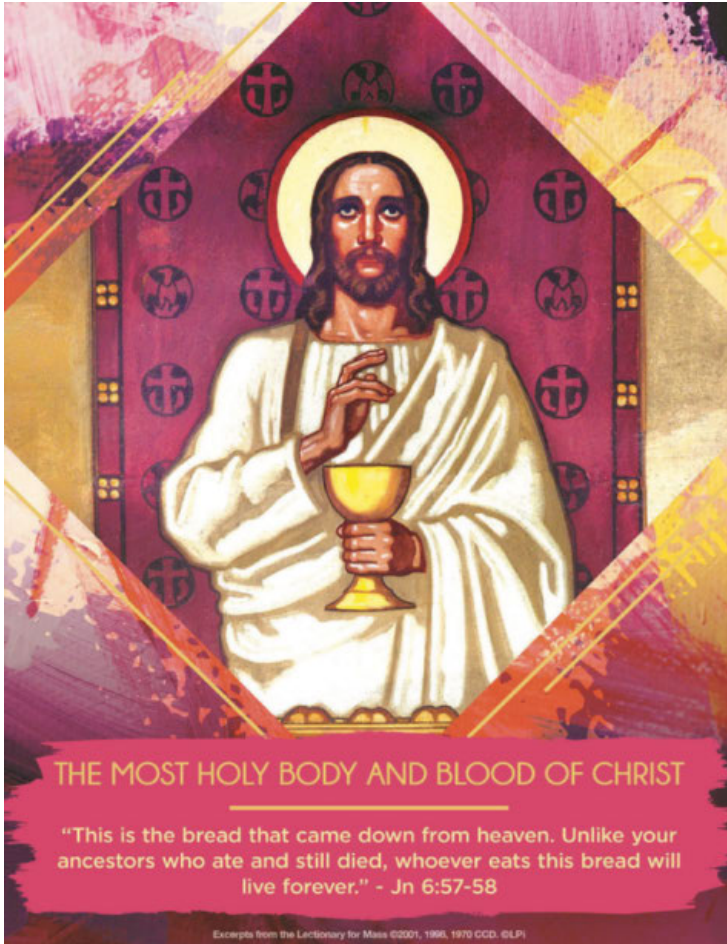
# Blessed Savior Catholic Parish

June 11, 2023

## The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

Blessed Savior Parish Worship Site  
8545 W. Villard Ave., Milwaukee, WI 53225  
Parish Office/Center (mailing address)  
8607 W. Villard Ave., Milwaukee, WI 53225  
Phone: 414-464-5033

Rev. Romanus N. Nwaru, Pastor  
Email: [frromanus@gmail.com](mailto:frromanus@gmail.com)  
Mass Times: Saturday, 4pm and Sunday, 9am  
Morning Mass: Monday and Wednesday, 9am in the Chapel



### Catholic Ministries in the United States COMBINED COLLECTIONS JUNE 10-11, 2023

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#### Parish Staff:

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Carl Christopher, Business Manager  
Barbara O'Donnell, Systems Coordinator  
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Christy Presser, Director of Music  
Simon Biagui, Interim Christian Formation Coordinator

#### Bulletin Deadline: Monday by Noon

Email: [parish@blessedsavior.org](mailto:parish@blessedsavior.org)  
Website: [www.blessedsaviorparish.org](http://www.blessedsaviorparish.org)  
Parish Office Hours: Monday-Thursday, 8am-4pm

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#### Download our App:

For iPhone Text: ParishApp1 to 555888  
For Android Text: ParishApp2 to 555888

**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** - 3rd Sunday of the month, after 9am Mass.  
**Individual** - Any time and also by appointment.

**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.

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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, 6/10 - Vigil of The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ**

*Dt 8:2-3, 14b-16a / Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20 (12) / 1 Cor 10:16-17 / Jn 6:51-58*  
**4:00pm** † Jose Valdivia

**Sunday, 6/11 - The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ**

*Dt 8:2-3, 14b-16a / Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20 (12) / 1 Cor 10:16-17 / Jn 6:51-58*  
**9:00am** † Pedro Renta  
**Rosary at 8:15am**

**Monday, 6/12 - Weekday**

*2 Cor 1:1-7 / Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9 / Mt 5:1-12*  
**9:00am** † All Souls

**Wednesday, 6/14 - Weekday**

*2 Cor 3:4-11 / Ps 99:5, 6, 7, 8, 9 / Mt 5:17-19*  
**9:00am** † Milton Hohensee

**Saturday, 6/17 - Vigil of the 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

*Ex 19:2-6a / Ps 100:1-2, 3, 5 (3c) / Rom 5:6-11 / Mt 9:36-10:8*  
**4:00pm** † Don and Ginny Naegele

**Sunday, 6/18 - 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Father's Day  
*Ex 19:2-6a / Ps 100:1-2, 3, 5 (3c) / Rom 5:6-11 / Mt 9:36-10:8*  
**9:00am** † Raymond Toelle  
**Rosary at 8:15am**

**Faith Formation 2023-2024**

Christ says to us *"Let the little children come to me."* (Matt 19:14).



Please pick up a registration form for your child(ren) who need to be catechized for our upcoming year. Registration forms are located on the side table outside the vesting room. The registration fee is \$125. Classes are held at St. Agnes Parish in Butler.

If you have not yet received your First Communion and Confirmation, please talk to Simon Biagui, Interim Christian Formation Coordinator, after Mass, or call the parish office at 414-464-5033. Thank you.

**Eucharistic Adoration**

Every Friday in the Chapel. 11am-2:30pm.  
 Use the east church door entrance.  
 5pm-6:30pm. Use the west church door entrance.

**Charismatic Adoration followed by Charismatic Prayer**

Every Friday in the Chapel, 6:30pm.  
 Use the west church door entrance.



**2nd Reading Meditation**

Years ago, a woman at daily Mass approached me in the communion procession. She had her arms crossed, indicating she wanted a blessing instead of the Sacred Host. She had tears in her eyes. I gave her a little blessing. She returned the next day. And the next. The same thing repeated. After a few weeks, I asked her why she didn't receive Holy Communion. She said she wasn't Catholic yet and was preparing to become so. I asked her why she wanted to be Catholic. She said, "Because I long to be in a real communion with Christ and with everyone I love." That, I submit, is a darn good reason. A few months later, she became Catholic and received the Body and Blood of Christ with unspeakably great joy and still does to this day.

Saint Paul says of the Eucharistic bread, **"Is it not a participation in the body of Christ?"** For Paul, the answer is obvious. Yes, it is exactly that. Which is why he can say, **"we, though many, are one body."** Jesus is truly, really, and substantially present in the Holy Eucharist. This is no magic trick, but a mystery of our salvation. He feeds us with the Sacrament of his body so that our communion with him — and with the other members of his body — is built up and becomes mature. That's why the Eucharist quenches our deep thirst for love and communion. The Body and Blood of Christ is the best reason to be Catholic. It's our participation of love in the one we love.

— *Father John Muir*

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**Welcome to Blessed Savior Parish!**

If you are currently not a registered member of our parish and would like to join, complete the form below and mail it to the parish office or drop it in the weekend collection. You can also call the parish office at 414-464-5033, or email us at [parish@blessedsavior.org](mailto:parish@blessedsavior.org). We will follow up with a phone call.

We hope you decide to become a member of Blessed Savior. We welcome the chance to get to know you!

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Spouse (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

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City \_\_\_\_\_

Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

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### Campaign Updates

At this time, we are asking that all parishioners carefully consider making your best pledge. Pledging money can be overwhelming in our current economy, but we can meet our goal if each person helps.

Here are some everyday expenses we might consider for comparison when discerning your commitment. This demonstrates how a monthly pledge makes a big impact over time.

- Peppermint Mocha.....\$5 X 60months = **\$300**
- Culver’s Butter Burger Basket.....\$10 X 60 months = **\$600**
- Premium Netflix Subscription...\$20 X 60 months = **\$1,200**
- Two Buck’s tickets.....\$30 X 60 months = **\$1,800**
- Basic Pub dinner for two.....\$41 X 60 months = **\$2,460**
- Basic household internet.....\$50 X 60 months = **\$3,000**
- Family cell phone plan.....140 X 60 months = **\$8,400**
- Praying for a successful campaign.....**Priceless!!!**

**Updated on 6/5/23**

**Parish Goal: \$429,905**

**Challenge Goal: \$537,381 (125%)**

**Total Pledged: \$365,270**

**Percent Goal Pledged: 85%**

**Number Pledges: 54**

**Participation Rate: 14%**



**Feast Day - June 16, 2023**

*“I place all my trust in you.”*

### Sign of the Cross

Question:

Why do Catholics make the sign of the cross?

Answer:

The sign of the cross is a devotional practice that dates back to the first Apostles. When making the sign of the cross, we remember Jesus Christ who died for us and also bear witness to the fact that we belong to him and are called to share the Good News to all the world. At our Baptism, we were signed with a cross and marked for Christ. That mark remains on us throughout the entirety of our lives. We remind ourselves of that mark every time we make the same gesture over our bodies. We also remind ourselves that to be a Christian means we are to “put on Christ” and be Christ for a world that needs to know him. In a way, this devotional gesture covers us with Christ so that others may see him in us.

Catholics are not the only ones who make the sign of the cross. Orthodox, Lutheran, and Anglicans are examples of other Christians who maintain this same ancient tradition.



### 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 Klaybor, 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.*

If you wish to add someone to the Sick List with their permission, call the parish office at 414-464-5033.

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

### St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry Summer Food Drive

For the weekend of June 17 & 18, the pantry could use your help filling the shelves with spaghetti sauce and spaghetti noodles. May God bless you.



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**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  
Steve Alioto, Vice-Chair  
Mahalia Malone, Secretary

**Parish Trustees:**

Curt Kandel, Treasurer  
Christian Nwonye, Secretary

**School Website:** [www.blessedsaviorcatholicsschool.org](http://www.blessedsaviorcatholicsschool.org)

**West Campus**

8545 W. Villard Ave., 53225  
414-464-5775

**Sarah Radiske, Principal**

**South Campus**

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414-463-3878

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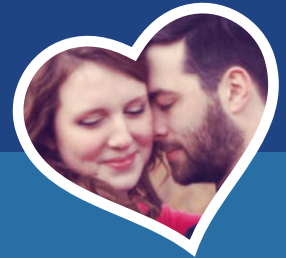
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