

Blessed Savior Catholic Parish 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 10, 2021

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



28TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



They were exceedingly astonished and said among themselves, "Then who can be saved?" Jesus looked at them and said, "For human beings it is impossible, but not for God. All things are possible for God." - Mk 10:26-27

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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.

Baptism: Call the parish office to set up an appointment.

Confessions: Call the parish office.

Communal Penance: Seasonal as announced.

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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, 10/9 - Vigil of the 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Wis 7:7-11 / Ps 90:12-13, 14-15, 16-17 [14] / Heb 4:12-13 / Mk 10:17-30 OR 10:17-27

4:00pm † Elsie Koeppen

Sunday, 10/10 - 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Wis 7:7-11 / Ps 90:12-13, 14-15, 16-17 [14] / Heb 4:12-13 / Mk 10:17-30 OR 10:17-27

9:00am † Robert Ulik, John and Mary Kozak
Rosary at 8:15am

Saturday, 10/16 - Vigil of the 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Is 53:10-11 / Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20, 22 [22] / Heb 4:14-16 / Mk 10:35-45 OR 10:42-45

4:00pm Special Intention (Rhey Clemente)
† Connie Clemente

6:00pm Memorial Mass for Bertha Tabifor

Sunday, 10/17 - 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Is 53:10-11 / Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20, 22 [22] / Heb 4:14-16 / Mk 10:35-45 OR 10:42-45

9:00am † Vi Ciernik
Baptism
Rosary at 8:15am

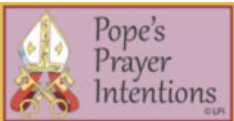


Fr. Romanus, staff and Blessed Savior parishioners express our sympathy to the families of

Bertha Tabifor, mother of Collins and mother-in-law of Veronica Tabifor

Regina Ego Ibekwe, mother of Benedicta and mother-in-law of Christian Nwonye

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 souls and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen



The Pope's Prayer Intention for October 2021

- Missionary Disciples

We pray that every baptized person may be engaged in evangelization, available to the mission, by being witnesses of a life that has the flavor of the Gospel.

My soul praises the Lord!

Psalm 146

Gospel Meditation

If we are truly in love with God, then the basics are not going to be enough. That love is going to want to be expressed in going above and beyond, in leaving the comfortable and familiar, in stretching and growing, and in following a voice other than our own. St. Teresa of Calcutta rightly instructs us that for “love to be real, it must cost, it must hurt, it must empty us of self.” Being in love with God requires more than just checking the boxes of the commandments. It requires a sincere and unconditional self-investment. Desiring God with our whole heart, mind, and soul means that I must also desire a relationship with my neighbor with that same degree of fervor.

Biases and prejudices usually occur when people are kept at a distance and treated as objects. We cannot truly know our neighbors, especially if they are different than us, if we keep them in boxes and do not listen to their stories. When we open ourselves to listen to another person’s story, we begin to realize more how similar we are than dissimilar. Being overly attached to our possessions, ideologies, agendas, lifestyles, and personal needs are absolute barriers to achieving the type of personal investment love demands. This is why following Christ can be difficult. It is less a matter of intellect and more a matter of heart and soul. It requires that we transfer our treasure from an investment in tangible secular things and move it into the Kingdom of God. It is only the gift of wisdom and discernment that can help us decide what to do and how to do it.

Contemporaries of Jesus would know that a camel could not enter through the portal of a city weighed down with the baggage it was carrying. In order to enter, the baggage must be removed so that the animal could fit through the entry way. The same is true for us. We carry a lot of excessive baggage around with us that keeps us tethered to our past histories, wounds, myopic world views, prejudices, fears, and suspicions. To invest ourselves in the Kingdom of God, do God’s work and live out our love relationship with God, we need to shed the extra weight. While it may seem that a lot of that stuff is necessary, it really is not. We are much more than the things that we think define us and more secure than we think. The more there is to hold on to and the more that we carry with us, the harder it will be to leave it all behind. Many choose not to and walk away sad because they are not ready to trust.

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Have you been worshipping with us and are thinking about becoming Catholic or are you in need of completing your sacraments? If so, please call the parish office at 414-464-5033 and register for adult formation with Simon Biagui.



OUR LADY OF THE Rosary
October - Month of the Holy Rosary
Come join us at 8:15am Sunday mornings before Mass to pray the Rosary. All are welcome. We sit in the front pews.

**Human Concerns Commission
School Supplies and Mitten/Scarf/Cap Collection
continues through next weekend, October 16 & 17**

St. Teresa of Ávila - Feast Day October 15
St. Teresa of Ávila (1515-1582), the originator of the Carmelite Reform, founded numerous convents throughout Spain and restored a contemplative life to the order and became well known for the mystical experiences. Her writings, especially the "Way of Perfection" and "The Interior Castle," have helped generations of believers. St. Teresa of Avila died on October 15, 1582. She was canonized on March 22, 1622, along with 3 of her greatest contemporaries: St. Ignatius Loyola, St. Francis Xavier, and St. Philip Neri.

St. Joseph Consecration

With Arise Milwaukee and St. Sebastian Parish
5400 W. Washington Blvd., Milwaukee
Consecration Day & Holy Hour: October 22, 2021, 7-8pm
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St. Bernadette Fish Fry, October 15, 4:30-6:30pm.
\$14 per dinner. Curbside pick-up only. We encourage you to pre-order. Contact the St. Bernadette Parish at 414-358-4600 or go to www.stbweb.com.

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, Bernetta, Stanley Bruskiwicz, Alaina Chenow, Dennis Claas, Rhey Clemente, Anna Emmerich, Catherine Felber, Robin Flynn, Nadjah Hasan, Diane Henry, Mike Hubbard, Mary Anne Janke, Gertrud Kaegler, Amber King, Karla Klaybor, Barb Moroder, Ginny Naegele, Wayne Ring, Allan & Lorraine Rischman, Sharon Tym, Joseph Valent, Mary Frances Williams

Lord Jesus, You 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.

Names remain on the Sick List for 4 weeks and then are given to the Prayer Circle. For names to be removed sooner, call the parish office.

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

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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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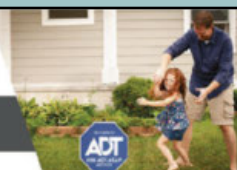
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