

Blessed Savior Catholic Parish

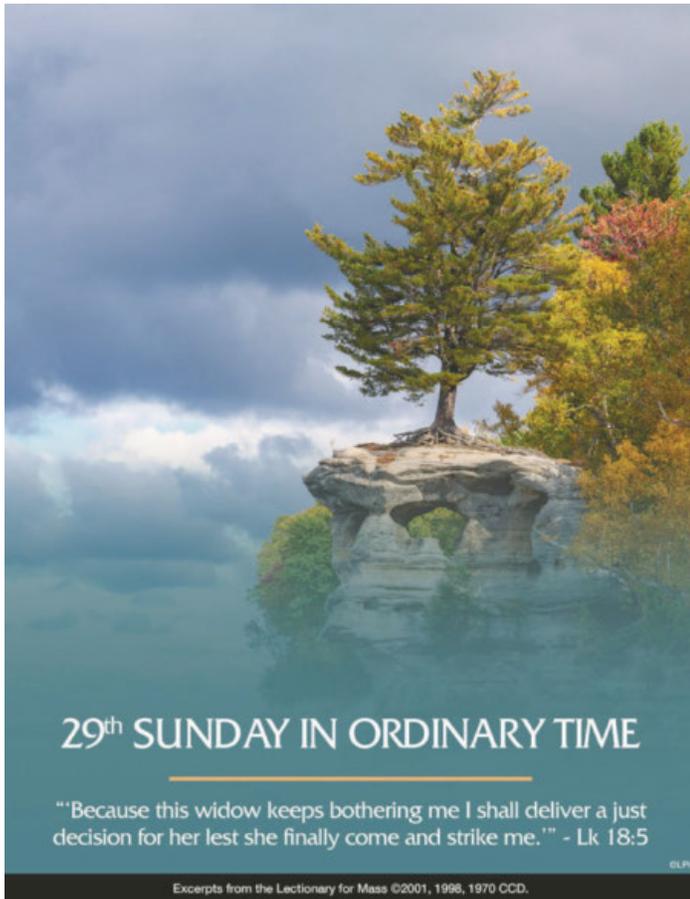
29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Blessed Savior Parish Worship Site
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Phone: 414-464-5033

October 16, 2022

Rev. Romanus N. Nwaru, Pastor
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Mass Times: Saturday, 4pm and Sunday, 9am
Morning Mass: Monday and Wednesday, 9am in the Chapel



Pat and Gerry Novara celebrated their 45th wedding anniversary with a special blessing from Fr. Romanus at the 9am Mass on Sunday, October 2, 2022.

May God's blessings continue to fill your lives with happiness and your love grow ever deeper and richer with each passing year.

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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: Seasonal as announced.

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, 10/15 - Vigil of the 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Ex 17:8-13 / Ps 121:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 / 2 Tm 3:14-4:2 / Lk 18:1-8

4:00pm † Margaret and Eldred Harry

Sunday, 10/16 - 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Ex 17:8-13 / Ps 121:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 / 2 Tm 3:14-4:2 / Lk 18:1-8

9:00am † Regina Ibekwe

Rosary at 8:15am

Monday, 10/17 - St. Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop and Martyr

Eph 2:1-10 / Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4ab, 4c-5 / Lk 12:13-21

9:00am † Pauline and Casimer Bruskiwicz

Tuesday, 10/18 - St. Luke, Evangelist

2 Tm 4:10-17b / Ps 145:10-11, 12-13, 17-18 / Lk 10:1-9

9:00am West Campus Mass
Intention of the Priest

Wednesday, 10/19 - Sts. John de Brébeuf and Isaac Jogues, Priests, and Companions, Martyrs

Eph 3:2-12 / Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6 / Lk 12:39-48

9:00am † Tom and Ginny Schimmels

Saturday, 10/22 - Vigil of the 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sir 35:12-14, 16-18 / Ps 34:2-3, 17-18, 19, 23 [7a] / 2 Tm 4:6-8, 16-18 / Lk 18:9-14

4:00pm † Ray Kaegler

Sunday, 10/23 - 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

World Mission Sunday

Sir 35:12-14, 16-18 / Ps 34:2-3, 17-18, 19, 23 [7a] / 2 Tm 4:6-8, 16-18 / Lk 18:9-14

9:00am † Joseph Minh Ly

Rosary at 8:15am

This week's School Mass is Tuesday, October 18, 9:00am at the West Campus. Enter through the east side door of the church. Parishioners are welcome.



Blessed Savior's staff and parishioners express our sympathy to Fr. Romanus on the loss of his uncle, **Prince Ambrose Nwaokeleme**.

Fr. Romanus, staff and Blessed Savior parishioners express our sympathy to the family of **Joseph Valent**, husband of Betty Valent.

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

Brendan wouldn't stop. He continued nagging his mom to let him have a little more time with his phone. He knew the rules but wanted to finish a game and text a few more friends. He begged, had a temper tantrum, pleaded, screamed, pouted, and used every means he could think of to get Mom to change her mind. Mom had a busy day and was tired. At first, she held her ground. Then, her son's persistence got the best of her, and she caved. "Brendan, you can have 30 more minutes and no more!" she retorted. Brendan's determination paid off. He won.

Is this how it works with God too? If we want something enough and feel it is our due, does our persistence allow us to eventually get our way? Judging God by human standards, it would seem so. But is this the way God works? It gets a bit confusing when Jesus tells his disciples to "pray always without becoming weary" and then further tells them how God will "secure the rights of his chosen ones who call out to him day and night." If we catch God at the right time, when he's having a weak moment, then our tenacity ought to pay off. What we want, we will get. Really? Sadly, the way many approach prayer suggests that this is precisely how it goes.

Good parents set boundaries and offer proper discipline. They learn the art of being steadfast when presented with determined minds and wills. They know what is best and, at times, have to say "no." God is always there with His full attention and unconditional love showering itself upon us. God also knows what is best. And, as with any good parent, the one constant that is always available and never withheld is love. We can be as persistent and determined as we want if what we are seeking is God's love. We are never a bother and requests for God's love are never denied. This is the prayer of the heart. Desiring God alone and not only what we want God to do for us places this love relationship foremost in our minds, hearts, and souls. God is never bothered by this prayer. As we breathe in and exhale out, the Divine Life freely flows.

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Autumn

God has given us a world of beauty.
God has given us a world of fertility.
God has given us a world of plenty.
Let us be thankful for it.

Let us preserve it as a sacred trust.
Let us share its bounty with all.
Let us live in it peacefully together.

All Souls Day Remembrance

The Commemoration of the Faithfully Departed will be celebrated on the weekend of Saturday, 10/29 and Sunday, 10/30. The names of the deceased from this past year, All Souls Day 2021 to All Souls Day 2022, will be read. Family members are welcome to attend one or both Masses and are invited to come forward and light a candle in memory of their loved one. A special candle displaying a picture of your loved one will also be lit throughout the Mass. This candle is for you to take home after Mass.



After the 9:00am Sunday Mass we will continue sharing memories at a gathering with refreshments in the parish hall. This year we are also inviting the families and friends of those who have lost loved ones within the last ten years to join us in this celebration so we can connect again as a larger parish community.

All Souls Envelope

Your September/October envelope packet contained an All Souls Day envelope with a space to print clearly the name(s) of those you wish to have remembered on All Souls Day and throughout the year. Extra envelopes are available on the side table in back of church. If you participate in Faith Direct, please use one of these extra envelopes. Or, call the parish office at 414-464-5033 with the name of your loved one(s).

**St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry
Fall Food Drive**

For the weekend of 10/22 & 10/23, the pantry could use your help filling the shelves with mac & cheese / canned tuna. Thank you for sharing and may God bless you.



Keeping God's Children Protected and Safe

To know that we are children of God is to live in complete love, with deep abiding security and the ability to dream, to sing, to create, to laugh, and to play without worry. As we grow older, we face a new reality - we cannot approach all God's creation with the same trust and confidence. We learn, through sometimes hurtful and damaging experiences, that some people reject the ability that God gave them to love and respect others - they ignore God's call. The Archdiocese of Milwaukee's program to safeguard children helps remind us of these very facts. With the help of this program, the faithful are guided and educated about the responsibility of how to keep God's children protected and safe.

St. Bernadette Fish Fry

Friday, October 21, 4:30-7pm. Individual and family bucket dinners. All dinners will be packaged for takeout, but you are welcome to stay and eat in. Call 414-358-4600 or go to www.stbweb.com. We are handicap accessible.



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, Dennis Claas, 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, Ellen Malloy, Barb Moroder, Bob Oettinger, Jr., Sr. Gina Redig SSND, Wayne Ring, Allan & Lorraine Rischman, Judith Scheible, Thomas Schmid, Sharon Tym, 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.

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

Your parish stewardship is a biblical concept not just a budgetary appeal to you to give more. It reminds you to count your blessings, acknowledge God's gift to you and to express thanks to Him by giving a portion of what you have to the Church. Your parish stewardship means saying thanks to God by giving.



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