

Blessed Savior Catholic Parish

30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 24, 2021

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



30TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Jesus said to him in reply, "What do you want me to do for you?"
The blind man replied to him, "Master, I want to see." Jesus told
him, "Go your way; your faith has saved you." Immediately he
received his sight and followed him on the way. - Mk 10:51-52

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*Welcome, Lena, Child
of God. Our newly
baptized member.
Sunday, 10/17/2021*

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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.*

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday, 10/23 - Vigil of the 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jer 31:7-9 / Ps 126:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 6 [3] / Heb 5:1-6 / Mk 10:46-52

4:00pm † William Mayer

Sunday, 10/24 - 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time
World Mission Sunday

Jer 31:7-9 / Ps 126:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 6 [3] / Heb 5:1-6 / Mk 10:46-52

9:00am † Joseph Minh Ly

Rosary at 8:15am

Monday, 10/25 - Weekday

Rom 8:12-17 / Ps 68:2 and 4, 6-7ab, 20-21 [21a] / Lk 13:10-17

9:00am † Tom and Ginny Schimmels

Tuesday, 10/26 - Weekday

Rom 8:18-25 / Ps 126:1b-2ab, 2cd-3, 4-5, 6 [3a] / Lk 13:18-21

9:00am East Campus Mass
Intention of the Priest

Wednesday, 10/27 - Weekday

Rom 8:26-30 / Ps 13:4-5, 6 [6a] / Lk 13:22-30

9:00am † Milton Hohensee

Saturday, 10/30 - Vigil of the 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

Dt 6:2-6 / Ps 18:2-3, 3-4, 47, 51 [2] / Heb 7:23-28 / Mk 12:28b-34

4:00pm † All Souls Call of Names

Sunday, 10/31 - 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time
World Mission Sunday

Dt 6:2-6 / Ps 18:2-3, 3-4, 47, 51 [2] / Heb 7:23-28 / Mk 12:28b-34

9:00am † All Souls Call of Names

Rosary at 8:15am

This week's School Mass is Tuesday, October 26, 9am at the East Campus. Enter through the front center door of the church. Parishioners are welcome.



God our Father, You bless us with the gift of faith. Increase our faith and give us courage to speak about it and share it to the ends of the earth, as we answer our baptismal call to take part in the worldwide mission of Jesus.

We ask this through Your Son, Jesus Christ, Redeemer of the World. Amen

Gospel Meditation

When we see God with true sincerity of heart and God passes us along our way, it is only then that we will be able to cry out, "Jesus, son of David, have pity on me!" We have to truly want to be healed by, and in union with, God in order for us to reach out to him. If God is only an abstract idea, theory, or someone found in the pages of a book, there is no motivation for a relationship and no desire to seek him. God needs to be real in order for faith to be real. It's all about the journey.

St. Augustine reminds us that "to fall in love with God is the greatest romance; to seek Him the greatest adventure; to find Him the greatest human achievement." We strive after many things and mercy is not always one of them. We think that we can find fulfillment and healing in other things only to discover that we are still short and empty. From the moment human beings were created, God has been calling us and seeking us. He has been walking right beside the human story from the minute He first breathed life into the first human soul. Are we able to recognize God as He walks with us? At some point we have to realize that there is only one way to satisfy the deepest longings of the human heart and that is in relationship with our Creator. We are called to this. However, we make the huge error of thinking that what we are hearing is coming from somewhere else. We become confused. Every human being would certainly profit with wisdom if they realized Who calls them and to Whom they belong.

Then and only then will we realize that it is only our Divine Master who can give us true vision and heal us. Once we recognize and reach out for the merciful presence of our loving Maker, we will be able to see with our soul, understanding the true nature and depth of all things. God's mercy is always available. It doesn't matter how far we have strayed or how blind we become, God patiently waits to console us, guide us and heal us. All we need to do is desire Him. Once we reach out, we also realize that there is no greater love to be found than God's, no human adventure that comes even close to the thrill of a spiritual search, and no human achievement even remotely as satisfying as union with Him. This is where we belong. This is salvation.

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

Joseph Vento, parishioner

Dorothy Machulak, mother of Greg Machulak

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

All Saints Day - November 1, 2021

We will celebrate All Saints Day Mass at 6pm on November 1 honoring all the saints of the Church deemed to have attained heaven. Because All Saints Day falls on a Monday this year, it is not a Holy Day of Obligation. There will be no 9am morning Mass.

All Souls Day Remembrance

The Commemoration of the Faithfully Departed will be celebrated on the weekend of Saturday, 10/30 and Sunday, 10/31. The names of the deceased from this past year, All Souls Day 2020 to All Souls Day 2021, 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.

**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).



We will start taking Mass Intentions for 2022 on November 9. If you wish to have a Mass offered for a loved one, call Eileen at the parish office at 414-464-5033. The stipend for Mass remains at \$10.

Remember Blessed Savior Parish

After your loved one's funeral Mass at Blessed Savior Parish, many people offer money for the wishes of the family, church memorials or Mass intentions. Money given as a memorial is used for church ministry and we are always grateful for that gift.

Money given for a Mass intention(s) is a beautiful way to remember the goodness and generosity of those who have died. An offering for Mass is a gift for the community who prays it, whether family is present or not. Mass is offered with gratitude in a way of giving thanks for that person's life and the impact that life had on you, bringing yourselves together in prayer.

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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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