

30th Sunday in Time

Blessed Savior Parish Worship Site: 8545 W. Villard Ave., Milwaukee, WI 53225

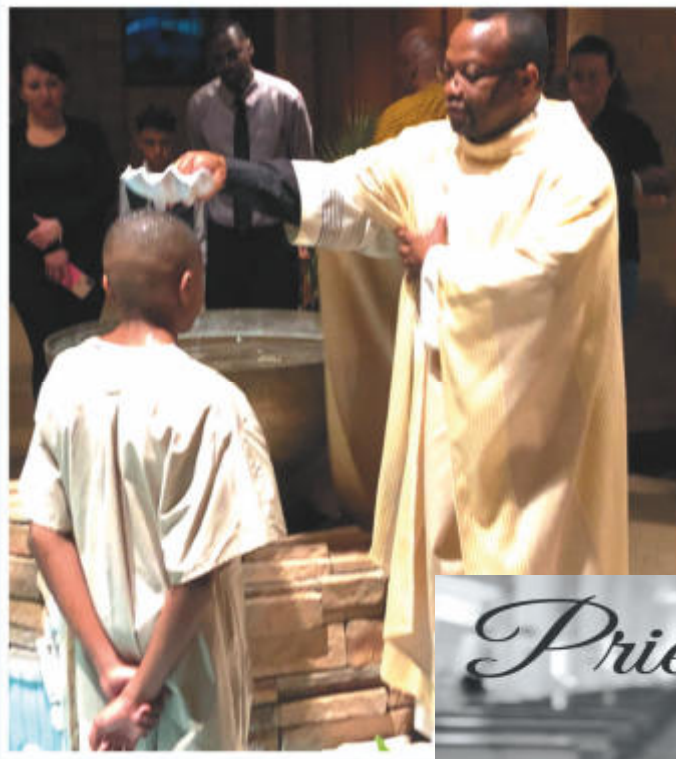
Office Center (mailing address): 8607 W. Villard Ave., Milwaukee, WI 53225

Phone: 414-464-5033 Fax: 414-464-0079

Email: [blessedsavior@archmil.org](mailto:blessedsavior@archmil.org)

Mass Times: Saturday, 4PM, Sunday, 9AM

Weekdays: Mon. through Wed. 9am in the Chapel



*Priesthood*  
SUNDAY

Parish Staff:

Rev. Romanus N. Nwaru, Pastor

Email: [rromanus@gmail.com](mailto:rromanus@gmail.com)

Eileen Heck, Administrative Assistant

John Henry, Finance Director

Christy Presser, Director of Music

Penny Kannall, Bookkeeper

Bulletin Deadline: Monday by 3PM

Carol Spsychalski, Bulletin Editor

Email: [blessedsavior@archmil.org](mailto:blessedsavior@archmil.org)

Website: [www.blessedsaviorparish.org](http://www.blessedsaviorparish.org)

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

Closed Fridays

Join us on Facebook: [@blessedsaviorparish](https://www.facebook.com/blessedsaviorparish)

Download our App: For iPhone Text: [bspmke1 to 555888](tel:414555888)

For Android Text: [bspmke2 to 555888](tel:414555888)

Sacraments: Preparation for all sacraments are made through the parish office.

Anointing of the Sick (Communal - Monthly)

Individual: Any Time and also by appointment.

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

Confessions: 3rd Saturday in church, 3:15-3:45pm and by appointment

Communal Penance: Seasonal as announced.

Funerals: Please call the Parish Office in the event of the death of a loved one.

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

Pastoral Council Officers: Parish Trustees:

Yolanda Coly, Chair

Julia Atkinson, Treasurer

Simon Biagui, Vice-Chair

Mark Kuchta, Secretary

Denise Wesserle, Secretary

East Campus

5140 N. 55th Street, 53218

414-438-2745

Barbara O'Donnell, Principal

South Campus

4059 N. 64th Street, 53216

414-463-3878

Nadia Pope, Principal

West Campus

8545 W. Villard Ave., 53225

414-464-5775

Sarah Radiske, Principal



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, 10/26-VIGIL OF 30TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Sir 35:12-14, 16-18/2 Tm 4:6-8, 16-18/Lk 18:9-14

4:00pm † Tom Schimmels  
† Stevens Lehman

Rosary at 3:30pm

## SUNDAY, 10/27 - 30TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

## PRIESTHOOD SUNDAY

Sir 35:12-14, 16-18/2 Tm 4:6-8, 16-18/Lk 18:9-14

9:00am † Paul &amp; Adeline Krizan

Rosary at 8:30am

Baptism of Ethan James Guzman

Anointing of the sick in the Chapel after Mass

## MONDAY, 10/28 - STS. SIMON &amp; JUDE, APOSTLES

Eph 2:19-22/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5 [5a]/Lk 6:12-16

9:00am † Gerald &amp; Elaine Ballering

## TUESDAY, 10/29 - WEEKDAY

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

9:00am † Robert &amp; Terry Leack

## WEDNESDAY, 10/30 - WEEKDAY

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

9:00am Parishioners

## THURSDAY, 10/31 - SCHOOL MASS, WEST CAMPUS

Rom 8:31b-39/Ps 109:21-22, 26-27, 30-31 [26b]/Lk 13:31-35

9:00am Intention of the Priest

## THURSDAY, 10/31 - VIGIL OF ALL SAINTS

Rv 7:2-4, 9-14/1 Jn 3:1-3/Mt 5:1-12a

6:30pm † Marge Wesling

## FRIDAY, 11/1 - ALL SAINTS

Rv 7:2-4, 9-14/Jn 3:1-3/Mt 5:1-12a

9:00am † Al &amp; Jean Siegel

## SATURDAY, 11/2 - VIGIL OF 31ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Wisdom 11:22—12:2/2 Thes 1:11—2:2/Lk 19:1-10

4:00pm † All Souls—Call of Names

Rosary at 3:30pm

## SUNDAY, 11/2 - 31ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Wisdom 11:22—12:2/2 Thes 1:11—2:2/Lk 19:1-10

9:00am † All Souls—Call of Names

Rosary at 8:30am

This week's School Mass is **Thursday, OCTOBER 31, 9am at the WEST, Campus.** Enter through the EAST side door of the church. Parishioners are welcome to attend.



We remember with prayerful respect  
*Kyle Seiglauff*

former student at our East Campus and son of  
Tracy Seiglauff, former teacher at our East Campus.

*May God comfort those who mourn him, and all who suffer the loss of a loved one. May his soul and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen*

## Dear Parishioners, Sunday Reflection:

You may have observed that the gospels for the last few Sundays have focused on prayer. In the gospel two Sundays ago, we read about prayer as thanksgiving/gratitude. Last Sunday's gospel highlighted the need for persistence in prayer. This Sunday's gospel addresses the importance of praying with humility.

Jesus addresses this Sunday's parable to those who are convinced of their own righteousness and despise everyone else. The parable reveals a remarkable difference in approach between two individuals at prayer - a Pharisee and a Tax Collector. First off, the Pharisee sits as close to the sanctuary as possible while the tax collector stands at a distance. This reveals their self-perception in relation to God and conforms to societal expectations.

Secondly, the style and content of each man's prayer were equally revealing. In his prayer, the Pharisee who perceived himself righteous was busy telling "himself" how good he was. The tax collector, on the other hand, conscious of himself as a sinner and ashamed to lift up his eyes to God, beat his chest and prayed for mercy and forgiveness. God forgives the tax collector and he goes home justified while the Pharisee was not. The message is clear, those who exalt themselves would be humbled while those who humble themselves would be exalted.

In light of this message, we may want to examine our attitude in relation to prayer. A few reflective questions will suffice. Do I find time to pray? How do I pray? Who best represents my prayer style - the Pharisee or the tax collector? What is my understanding of salvation? Do I see myself already saved through self-righteous practices or am I in need of salvation? Do I tend to look down on other people?

Of course, there is nothing wrong with acknowledging one's spiritual and moral progress, but it would be wrong to engage in self-justification before God. The Pharisee seemed to be doing the right things, but his arrogance got the better of him. It is wrong to look down on those whom we consider less gifted or less spiritual. People with deep spirituality are on the right path and deserve commendation. However, they need to avoid spiritual arrogance since the commendation that matters most comes from God. The attitude of this Pharisee shows why Jesus often referred to them as hypocrites. He is not a hypocrite in the sense of saying one thing and doing another. He is a hypocrite in the sense that the overwhelming objective of his pious practices was to impress people (himself) rather than God.

Those who are spiritually weak need our prayers and encouragement to deepen their faith rather than outright condemnation. Of course, there are those preoccupied with worldly affairs who find no time for God. Others are people who have been through tragedies and blame God for not intervening to prevent those things from happening. Some simply do not see the value in going to Mass regularly and complain about Mass being too long. They are quick to criticize church leaders and point out everything they think is wrong with the Church. They neither support their Church financially nor volunteer for anything.

The good news is that God does not turn his back on anyone nor does he give up on anyone. While sin remains a major obstacle in our relationship with God, everyone gets a second chance. The Tax collector in our gospel was ready to turn a new page. He humbled himself before God and asked for mercy and forgiveness. Likewise, when we find ourselves in similar situation, we need is to approach the throne of mercy with humility. Have a great week!

Fr Romanus



**ALL SOULS DAY REMEMBRANCE**



The Commemoration of the Faithfully Departed (All Souls) will be celebrated on the weekend of November 2 and 3 at both Masses. The names of the deceased from this past year, All Souls Day 2018 to All Souls Day 2019, will be sung.

Family members are invited to come forward and light a candle in memory of their loved ones. New this year, vigil candles with a picture of your loved one will be lit throughout the Mass. Please feel free to take this candle home after Mass.

*Bereavement Ministry*

**BAKERY NEEDED — FOR THE ALL SAINTS, ALL SOULS FELLOWSHIP GATHERING AFTER BOTH MASSES ON NOVEMBER 2 & 3.**

Muffins, donuts, bars, cookies, sweet breads, all are appreciated. **IF YOU ARE BAKING A GLUTEN FREE ITEM OR AN ITEM WITH PEANUTS OR PEANUTBUTTER PLEASE WRITE "GLUTEN FREE" OR CONTAINS P-NUTS or P-NUT BUTTER ON THE PACKAGE.**



*Thank You,*



**FOOD DRIVE** For the weekend of **NOVEMBER 2 & 3.** We could use your help filling the shelves with **CANNED SOUP & CRACKERS.**



Our 2018-2019 Fiscal Year ended on September 30, 2019. During that year, your generosity enabled us to serve 7,100 people in need in several ways:

**Our Pantry helped 950 families with 2,660 bags of food, or an average of 50 bags a week. In addition, more than 2,700 items of clothing, bedding, etc., were given to pantry clients. These items were donated primarily by Blessed Savior parishioners. We made 270 home visits, giving 135 new beds, 46 used refrigerators, 41 used stoves, and other used furniture. Our total expenditures for the year totaled over \$45,000.** This would not have been possible without your ongoing kind support or without the Parish graciously granting us use of the building on North 69<sup>th</sup> Street.

We invite you to take a look at our poster near the front door of church for ongoing information regarding our Conference's works and needs.

Thank you and the Parish once again for what you do in Jesus's name for our clients and our ministry.

*Gratefully, St. Vincent de Paul Conference, Blessed Savior Parish*



**THANK YOU! THANK YOU! THANK YOU! THANK YOU!** to all the Parish members who donated school supplies to our school. You have helped us get off to a great start this school year! We truly appreciate all the donations. Sincerely, The Students and Staff at Blessed Savior

Catholic School-South, East, and West Campuses



**2020 MASS INTENTION BOOK WILL OPEN ON NOVEMBER 5.** IF YOU WISH TO HAVE A MASS SAID FOR A LOVED ONE, CALL EILEEN AT THE PARISH OFFICE, 464-5033, EXT. 11. 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 as a way of giving thanks for that person's life and the impact that life had on you, bringing yourself together in prayer. The amount of a Mass offering is \$10.

**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: Jackie Ballering, Stanley Bruskiwicz, Nadjah Hasan, Diane Henry, Mary Ann Janke, Ray & Gertrud Kaegler, Karla Klaybor, Kelly Knight, Ginny & Donald Naegele, Allan & Lorraine Rischman, Carol Runningen, Anton Schleiss, Rusty 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.*

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



Spaghetti Dinner—64th Annual Spaghetti with the Sisters, Sunday, November 3, 11:30 AM – 5 PM at St. Joan Antida High School, 1341 N. Cass Street. Plus, don't miss the Sisters of Charity of St. Joan Antida's Craft Fair. To place a pre-sale or carryout order and

view event pricing, visit: [www.SaintJoanAntida.org/Spaghetti](http://www.SaintJoanAntida.org/Spaghetti) or call (414) 274-4728. Walk-ins welcome!

Multicultural Youth Day of Reflection- November 2  
Spiritual renewal in the Holy Spirit through prayer, keynote address, discussion and adoration. Keynote speaker Thadeus Brooks. All Saints Catholic Church, 4051 N 25 St. 8:30-3pm. More information 414-769-3393 or MebrahtuF@archmil.org

Holiday Craft Fair, St. Bernadette Parish, 8200 W. Denver Ave. November 9 from 9am to 7pm. In the parish hall that will be filed with arts & crafts. Information [www.stbweb.com](http://www.stbweb.com) or 358-4600



A message from your bulletin editor: If you answer the phone with "Hello, you're on the air!" most telemarketers will quickly hang up...

Since 1946

# Jelacic Funeral Home

Quality Personal  
Service at  
Milwaukee's  
fairest price

414-466-2134 www.jelacicfuneralhome.com Parish Member



In Business  
Since 2005  
Milwaukee, WI  
(414) 702-9363

Available by Appointment

mytutor@missannettestutoring.org



9143 W. Appleton Ave. • Milwaukee, WI 53225  
(414) 462-0541 • Fax (414) 462-7047  
www.elgrecomilwaukee.com



## ROMAN ELECTRIC

Plumbing, Heating & Cooling

Residential Work

640 S. 70th St. 414-471-8565

## SCHRAMKA Funeral Homes

A Catholic Family Tradition Since 1892

www.schramkafuneralhome.com  
262-432-8100

## STU'S FLOORING LTD.

Since 1980

"TOMORROW'S FLOORING  
TODAY"

Carpet - Vinyl - Laminate - Hardwood  
Ceramic - Window Treatments

4820 W. Loomis Rd. 2142 E. Moreland Blvd.  
Greenfield, WI Waukesha, WI  
414-744-9400 262-524-1455

## catholicmatch<sup>®</sup> Wisconsin



CatholicMatch.com/WI

## BUNZEL'S

OLD FASHIONED MEAT  
MARKET

Fresh Custom Cut Choice Meats  
Party Trays • Catering

Thank You For Supporting A Family Tradition  
9015 W. Burleigh 873-7960  
www.bunzelmeats.com

Henry & Diane Barwinski, Co-Owners



## ECHO LAWN

A Complete Lawn, Landscape, and  
Snow Removal Service

Milwaukee Lake Country  
414-462-6670 262-695-8152

AVAILABLE  
FOR A LIMITED TIME

## ADVERTISE YOUR BUSINESS HERE

Contact **Matt Franszczak** to place an ad today!  
mfranszczak@4LPi.com or (800) 950-9952 x2588

## Graceland Cemetery

Since 1914

A not for profit, church-owned cemetery for over a 100 years of perpetual care.  
With our religious heritage and emphasis on family values, we continually strive to maintain the cemetery as a  
place of respect, dignity and peace.

6401 North 43rd Street • Milwaukee, WI 53209

414-727-3050 wjh@gracelandcemeterywi.com

## JIM EMMERICH'S PILGRIM CATERING

We Cater Anywhere  
Any Occasion

Jeff Emmerich 414-353-5111  
Parish Supporter 414-659-0358

## Disney Vacation Rentals

Fabulous 4 & 5 BR Villas  
With 3 Full BA Executive Homes

Comforts of home while in Florida  
15 Minutes from Disney Parks  
Very reasonable rates

Tiffany Parish Members Curt  
414.243.9850 414.628.4973  
tiffanybowman48@yahoo.com kandelproperties1@gmail.com

## SPREAD THE WORD

A Thriving, Vibrant Community Matters



SUPPORT OUR ADVERTISERS



I WOULDN'T LEAVE  
LUTHER MANOR FOR  
A BILLION DOLLARS!

ROSEMARY, LUTHER MANOR RESIDENT



## LUTHER MANOR

A Life Plan Community



A FULL CONTINUUM OF CARE & AN IN-HOUSE CLINIC WITH DRs & DENTISTS

HEAR ROSEMARY'S WHOLE STORY

LUTHERMANOR.ORG/TESTIMONIALS

414.464.3880

**Krause**  
FUNERAL HOMES & CREMATION SERVICES  
414-464-4640  
www.krausefuneralhome.com



For ad info. call 1-800-950-9952 • www.4lp.com

Blessed Savior, Milwaukee, WI

A 4C 01-1305