Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time † October 25, 2015

ST. BRUNO PARISH

“While the world changes, the cross stands firm.”

Mass of Remembrance
November 2, 2015
ASSOCIATE PASTOR’S PEN

Last Monday’s Gospel reading (Oct. 19, 2015) was Luke 12:13-21. This reading has always frustrated me and even saddens me because it continues to happen today. “Someone in the crowd said to Jesus, ‘Teacher, tell my brother to share the inheritance with me.’” When did things and money get to be more important than a relationship? I understand that sentimentality of things can be very important and that when someone dies some people grasp for whatever they can in order to hold on to what was. When my mom died there was very little to be had, but I had what I needed. I had an amazing relationship that will last for eternity with my mother and I have a relationship with my family that will last just as long. There is no amount of money or a single trinket that could ever stand in that way of that. It saddens me when I hear about people who have not lived this and now have a broken relationship, do not and will not speak to the other because of this.

A couple quotes from “A message from God” from Facebook:

Forgiving others who have wronged you isn’t a one-time thing; it’s an ongoing process. So when you find yourself angry again, forgive them again. And forgive yourself for getting angry again. If you need inspiration, remember: YOU can’t be free until you set THEM free. Amen!

You don’t have to love someone to pray for them. You don’t even have to like them. Your enemies need your prayers, too. After all, how long can you pray for your enemies & still think of them as enemies?

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WELCOME TO ST. BRUNO PARISH!

Whether you are new or visiting, we welcome you to our Parish! If you are interested in becoming a member, or just want to find out more about us, please see page six, or go to our website: www.stbrunoparish.com. We’re glad you’re here!

2015 POT O’ GOLD RAFFLE • NOV. 8

Your Pot O’ Gold Raffle tickets are available for pick-up in the Gathering Place after all Masses this weekend. Please remember to take your envelope and sell those tickets! Ticket Prices: 1 for $10; 3 for $25; 7 for $50; 16 for $100; 24 for $140; and our BEST DEAL – 40 tickets for $200! The big winner in all of this is our St. Bruno Parish, but you too can be a winner! The drawing is Nov. 8 at 11:55 a.m.

- First Prize (1).............. $5,000
- Second Prize (2).......... $500
- Runner Up (10)............ $100

You can’t win if you don’t participate! Good Luck to Everyone, & Thanks for all your support!

~The Stewardship Committee

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ALL SOULS DAY, NOVEMBER 2

Monday, November 2nd is All Souls Day. It is not a Holy Day in the Catholic Church’s calendar. However, because it is so important that we pray for our loved ones who have died and gone before us to the kingdom of heaven, I remind everyone that we have an All-Souls Day Mass on Monday morning at 8:00 a.m. Or you are invited to our annual special evening Mass of Remembrance at 7:00 p.m. that same day. Those present can participate in the meaningful candle lighting service that is part of the Mass. There will be a light luncheon served after the Mass. This is a wonderful liturgy to pray for our deceased loved ones.

Throughout the month of November, in the Gathering Place, you will find the Book of Remembrance. Those who have died and have their names entered in the Book become members of our “All Souls Society,” for whom Masses are periodically offered.

Throughout the year an individual loved one who has passed away can be remembered as the Mass Intention of a weekday or weekend Mass. The intention (person’s name), the Mass & the time are noted in our bulletin the Sunday before. It is a wonderful way to have the loved one remembered, prayed for and honored. The offering for each of those Masses is just $10. (The Bishops of Wisconsin set that guideline.) Presently, we have many openings for intentions in the Mass schedule at St. Bruno. Contact Pam in the Parish Office or Fr. Ralph!

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**School Happenings**

**Substitute Teachers Wanted!**
St. Bruno Parish School is in need of Substitute Teachers for the 2015-2016 School Year. Applicants (with a four-year degree) must either be Certified Teachers or have a Sub License (attended the Substitute Teacher Course). Safeguard Training is required for these positions.

**St. Bruno Artisan Vendor Fair**
Join us on Sunday, Nov. 1, from 9:00 a.m.—1:00 p.m. for our Vendor Fair. This event will take place in the Gym. Stop by after Mass and do some of your holiday shopping now. Vendors include: Wildtree, It Works, Thirty-One, Tastefully Simple, Young Living Essential Oils, Origami Owl, Smokey Valley Hickory Syrup, Party Lite Candles and Home Decor, Pampered Chef and so much more! Happy Shopping!

**School Cantors**
Many thanks to our Grade 3 students and teacher Hillary Cheever, for introducing the new St. Ann Mass at the School Liturgy on October 14.

**Seeking Business Managers**
St. Bruno’s in Dousman and St. Paul’s in Genesee Depot are each seeking applicants for their Business Manager position. The two managers will work in their own parish specifically and will also collaborate with each other across the two parishes periodically. This is a minimum 32 hrs./week, annual salaried position; some evening work is required. Benefits available. The Business Managers will assist the Pastor and/or Parish Cluster Director in fulfilling the administrative needs related to finance, facility management, and parish cemetery. Requirements: Practicing Catholic with demonstrated strengths in organization, technology, financial accounting, and communication. Bachelor’s Degree in Business, Business Management, Financial Accounting or related field AND 3-5 years of experience in a similar business management position. Send resume with cover letter BEFORE Oct. 27, 2015, to:

Fr. Ralph Gross, Pastor
226 W. Ottawa Ave., Dousman, WI 53118
OR by email: rborowr@gmail.com.

**KRINGLES!!**
The St. Bruno Knights of Columbus are again holding their annual Kringle Sale. All of the usual flavors. Same prices as last year! ($8/each or a case of 4/$31.) Contact any Knight or “The Kringle Man,” John Haugner, Jr., at 262-965-2441, to place your order before Sunday afternoon, Nov. 8. Kringles can be picked up after all Masses the weekend of Nov. 14-15. All fund raiser profits and donations go to our Vocations Scholarship Fund which we use to support seminarians like Michael Senglaub and Andrew Infanger. (Both men are from St. Bruno!) Thank you for your support!

**Respect LIFE**
October is Respect Life Month. Please stop at the Pro-Life table in the Gathering Place after Masses this weekend to add your name to the Pro-Life Ad which will appear in the Waukesha Freeman. This ad supports the efforts of Wisconsin Right to Life. ($1.00 donation per name.)

**Mass of Remembrance**
November 2, 2015 • 7:00 p.m.
Remember to turn in your Response sheet by October 31 if you plan to attend the Mass of Remembrance. You can mail the response to the Parish Office or place it in the collection basket at Mass. You are also encouraged to enter the names of your loved ones in the Book of Remembrance in the Gathering Place. Your loved ones will be remembered in the parish’s prayers during the month of November. If you have a small picture (no bigger than 3” x 3”) of your loved one, please bring it to Church and place it on our “Angel Board.” Any questions, please call the Parish Office at 262-965-2332 or Peggy at 262-424-4567.

**Music Ministry**

**Thank You, New Cantors**
We welcome Bobbin Kraeger, a new member of St. Bruno, to the Cantor Corps. She made her debut at the 8:00 a.m. Mass on October 18.

Our Guest Cantor, Dan Russ, hails from Phoenix, Arizona. He sang at our 5:00 p.m. Mass on October 17. Thank you, Dan!

**School Cantors**

**Advertisers of the Week**

Please support our Advertisers of the Week:
Pat’s Heating & Air Conditioning & Three Pillars Senior Living Communities
See their full-sized ads on the back cover of this bulletin.
**Faith Formation Corner**

**K-11 Faith Formation Schedule**

**K-8: 9:00-10:15 A.M.**

**Upcoming Classroom Sessions:** Nov. 8, 22; Dec. 6, 20

**Upcoming Family Sessions:** Nov. 15; Dec. 13

**November 14: Gr. 2 Reconciliation Retreat**

**High School (Grades 9-11): 6:30-8:00 P.M.**

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**Calling All Cradle Catholics!**

Have you ever wondered “Why do we do that?” when it comes to our Catholic faith? Do you feel unprepared to defend the faith with others? Do you just want to know more about the Catholic Church in all her rich tradition? We are offering an awesome opportunity to grow in your faith as you support others coming into the church. St. Bruno and St. Paul parishioners are invited to explore the faith together in the discovery phase of RCIA. We like to call it “Catholic 101". We will begin mid-October and meet until Lent. You are not required to attend all meetings. The door is always open. These sessions will take place at St. Paul. If you would like more information about the syllabus and dates/times, please contact Mary Kral (marykral4@gmail.com, 262-968-2276).

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**RCIA**

In the spirit of collaboration and a larger faith sharing group, St. Paul and St. Bruno plan to combine the faith journeys of anyone interested in becoming Catholic or receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation. Might this be the season for you to participate in the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults? Contact Mary Kral in the Parish Office to find out more.

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**What Is Your Catholic IQ?**

At Mass today we hear the phrase “You are a priest forever of the order of Melchizedek.” Who was Melchizedek?

a) priest; b) angel; c) Messiah; d) famous statue.

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**Calendar of Events**

**This Week**

**Monday, October 26**

7:00 p.m. Prayer & Worship / Parish Room

7:00 p.m. Adult Basketball / Gym

7:30 p.m. Alcoholics Anonymous / Staff Work Room

**Tuesday, October 27**

1:00 p.m. Bible Study / Three Pillars Village on the Square

2:00-9:00 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration / Chapel

6:30 p.m. Bereavement Session / Parish Room

6:30 p.m. Pastoral Council / St. Paul’s

**Wednesday, October 28**

7:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal / Church

7:00 p.m. Prayer & Yoga / Gym

**Thursday, October 29**

5:30-7:00 a.m. Men’s Group / Gathering Place

9:00-11:00 a.m. Prayer Shawl Ministry / Family Room

**Friday, October 30**

No Scheduled Events

**Saturday, October 31**

5:00 p.m. Mass / Church

**Sunday, November 1 • All Saints Day**

**Daylight Savings Time Ends**

8:00 & 10:30 a.m. Masses / Church

9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. Artisan Vendor Fair / Gym

4:30 p.m. Hispanic Mass / Church

**Upcoming St. Bruno Events**

Nov. 7/8 - K of C Kringle Sale (Pick-up on Nov. 14/15)

Nov. 26 - Thanksgiving Day Mass, 9:00 a.m.

Nov. 26-27 - Parish Office Closed

**Upcoming St. Paul Events**

Nov. 15, 22 & Dec. 6 - Grieving Sessions, 11:15 a.m.-1:30 p.m.

Family Room. RSVP to 262-968-3865

**Beyond Our Parish**

Oct. 27 - Grief Support Group Meeting; 11:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
San Camillo, Wauwatosa

Oct. 28 - CMHS Open House, Waukesha; 6:00-8:30 p.m.

Oct. 30-Nov. 1 - Retrouvaille Weekend; Redemptorist Retreat Center, O’woc; www.retrouvaille.org or 800-470-2230

Nov. 1-7 - National Vocations Awareness Week - Please Pray!

Nov. 3 - Life After Tragedy: Suicide and Other Sudden Traumatic Losses; San Camillo, 10200 W. Bluemound; 6:30-8:00 p.m.; 262-547-6555 ext. 300

Nov. 4 - Grief Support Group, St. Mary’s, Waukesha; 6:30-8:00 p.m.; 262-547-6555 ext. 300

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Nov. 7 - Women of Christ Conference; www.womenofchrist.net

Nov. 7 - CMH Pom & Dance Clinic for K-8; 9-12 or 1-4; $20
Email Catholicmemorialdance@gmail.com for more info

Nov. 7 - St. Jerome Holiday Bazaar; 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m., Sat. 8-Noon

Nov. 9 - Natural Family Planning (NFP) Course; St. Jerome; 6:00-8:30 p.m.; Register at 262-707-3018 or www.ccli.org

Nov. 10 - Grief Support Group Meeting; 11:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
San Camillo, Wauwatosa

Nov. 12 - Bingo; 7-9 p.m.; www.stjamesmukwonago.org; 262-363-7615

Nov. 13 - K of C Fish Fry; 4:30-7 p.m.; St. Jerome, O’woc
**Preventing Child Abuse**

**Preventing Child Abuse Is Everyone’s Responsibility**

It is every adult’s moral responsibility to protect possible victims by reporting the suspected abuse or neglect to the responsible authorities. Sexual abuse of minors is a pervasive societal problem, and only concerted and sustained efforts by all adults in every segment of society can help to protect possible victims by reporting the suspected abuse or neglect to the responsible authorities. Sexual abuse of minors is a pervasive societal problem, and only concerted and sustained efforts by all adults in every segment of society can help to protect possible victims by reporting the suspected abuse or neglect to the responsible authorities.


This month, through your gifts, the society of St. Vincent de Paul was able to bring God’s love and mercy to many families, providing money for food, utility, rent and other bills. God Bless You!

**Vocations**

National Vocations Awareness Week November 1-7, 2015

During this week, please pray about how God is calling you to live your vocation more deeply. Encourage the young people in your life – children, grandchildren, students and friends to be open if God calls them to the priesthood or religious life.

**Vocation Retreats**

Join Vocation Directors Fr. Luke Strand of the Archdiocese of Milwaukee and Fr. Daniel Schuster of the diocese of Green Bay as together they host our Duc in Altum Retreats. These silent, priestly retreats will be available for high school boys and young adult men. In a world of great distractions and upward mobility, these retreats are a perfect opportunity for young men who are discerning the priesthood to enter into silence and allow God to speak to their hearts.

**Duc in Altum High School Silent Retreat | December 11, 12, 13 | Mt. Tabor Center | Menasha, WI**

This retreat is for young men in high school discerning the priesthood ages 14-18.

**Duc in Altum Young Adult Silent Retreat | December 18, 19, 20 | St. Francis de Sales Seminary | St. Francis**

This is a discernment retreat for young adult men ages 18-35.

**Middle School Day Retreat for Grades 6-8 | Monday, December 28 | St. Francis de Sales Seminary | 10 a.m.- 3 p.m.**

This retreat is for middle school aged boys in Grades 6-8 who are interested in developing a prayer life and growing in holiness. Fr. Luke Strand and seminarians will be hosting this retreat.

**What Is Your Catholic IQ?**

The answer is a)

Melchizedek was a king of Salem (later called Jerusalem) and a priest of God at the time of Abraham. Some believed he was divine, on a par with angels.
Welcome!
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Reconciliation
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Baptisms
To arrange Baptism, please contact Deacon Tom at least one month in advance at, 262-392-2516 or 262-366-1505.
Marriage
Please contact the Pastor at least six months before the anticipated wedding date. At least one of the parties must be a registered, practicing Catholic member of our parish community.
Anointing of the Sick
We encourage parish members to celebrate the Anointing of the Sick for healing and strength at the time of serious illness or before surgery.
Communion to the Sick
Parish members bring Holy Communion to the homebound. If you are unable to attend Mass for a few weeks because of health or weather, please call the Parish Office.
Danny’s Helping Hands
If you need occasional help with errands, companionship, transportation or meals, contact Rita Mezydlo at 602-885-0299 or rmezydlo@sbcglobal.net.
Meals for Families with Newborns
Expectant and new mothers can receive meals made by fellow parishioners for them and their families. Contact Amy Golden at 262-402-8229 or aldgolden@gmail.com.
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St. Vincent de Paul (SVDP)
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