St. Roman
Catholic Church
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Milwaukee, WI 53221
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Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
October 26/27, 2019
The Introductory Rite

Sign of the Cross and the Greeting

Penitential Act

I confess to almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned, in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done and in what I have failed to do. Through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault. Therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.
Opening Prayer

Liturgy of the Word

First Reading
Sirach 35: 12-14, 16-18

Response
Psalm 34

Psalm 34: The Cry of the Poor

The Lord hears the cry of the poor. Blessed be the Lord.

Text: Ps 34:2-3, 6-7, 18-19, 20; John Foley, SJ
Music: John Foley, SJ
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Preface Acclamation

Second Reading
2 Timothy 4: 6-8, 16-18

Gospel Acclamation

Gospel
Luke 18: 9-14

Homily
Profession of Faith

The Nicene Creed

I believe in one God,
the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all things visible and invisible.
I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the Only Begotten Son of God,
born of the Father before all ages.
God from God, Light from Light,
true God, from true God,
begotten not made, consubstantial with the Father;
through him all things were made.
For us men and our salvation
he came down from heaven,

and by the power of the Holy Spirit
was incarnate of the Virgin Mary
and became man,
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate,
He suffered death and was buried,
and rose again on the third day
in accordance with the Scriptures.
He ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory to judge
the living and the dead
and his kingdom will have no end.

At the words that follow, up to and including became man, all bow

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the Giver of life,
Who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
Who has spoken through the prophets.
I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church.
I confess one baptism for the forgiveness of sins
and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Memorial Acclamation

Concluding Acclamation

The Communion Rite

The Lord’s Prayer
Sign of Peace
Breaking of the Bread
Anima Christi
Soul of Christ, sanctify me; 
Body of Christ, save me; 
Blood of Christ, inebriate me; 
Water from the side of Christ, wash me; 
Passion of Christ, strengthen me; 
O good Jesus, hear me; 
Within your wounds hide me; 
separated from you, let me never be; 
From the evil one protect me; 
At the hour of my death, call me; 
And close to you bid me; 
That with your saints, 
I may be praising you forever and ever. 
Amen.

Alma de Cristo
Alma de Cristo, santificame. 
Cuerpo de Cristo, salvéame. 
Sangre de Cristo, embriágame. 
Agua del costado de Cristo, lávame. 
Pasión de Cristo, confórtame. 
¡Oh, buen Jesús!, oyeme. 
Dentro de tus llagas, escóndeme. 
No permitas que me aparte de Ti. 
Del maligno enemigo, defiéndeme. 
En la hora de mi muerte, llámame. 
Y mándame ir a Ti. 
Para que con tus santos te alabe. 
Por los siglos de los siglos. 
Amen.
All single people are always welcome, bring a friend. If you recently lost a spouse, either thru death or divorce. We all have lost someone and we realize how lonely it is. We found that just going out with a group and talking with others makes you feel better. You don’t have to be alone! Give us a try. Just call the person in charge so we can include you in the reservation.

Monday, October 28 @ 12:30 pm, Castillos 5656 S. Packard Ave.
Rita (414) 570-3042

Wednesday, November 6 @ 12:30, Genesis, 3740 S. 108th Street
Carol (414) 395-3007

MEMORIAL MASS
St. Roman Parish’s annual Mass of Remembrance will be held at the 10:30 am liturgy on Sunday, November 3rd. Invitations were mailed to the next of kin (those who have passed away) from St. Roman Parish from October 1, 2018 to September 30, 2019.

If you had a loved one buried from St. Roman Parish during this period of time and did not receive an invitation, please call the Parish Office. We do not want anyone to miss out on this wonderful event.

You don't need to be a member of the Bereavement Ministry to help with the Mass of Remembrance Reception. We depend on the generosity of people who are willing to make desserts for the lunch as well as help with clean-up after the event.

If you are able to donate a baked item, please bring it to Adamski Hall Kitchen between 10:00 am-12:00 pm on Saturday, November 2. You may also leave items in the Narthex before 4:30 pm Mass on November 2 or 8:30 am Mass on Sunday November 3. Someone will be in Adamski Hall Kitchen prior to the 10:30 am Memorial Mass on November 3. Help is also needed with clean up beginning about 12:30 pm on Sunday. Many hands make light work. Questions? Call Karen Gasperetti at (414) 708-0524.

We express our sympathy and the assurance of our prayers to the family and friends of:

† Agnes Malecki
† Sylvia Caroline Rivers

Let us pray as a community of faith that they receive the fullness of the resurrection and rest in the peace of the Lord. Amen.

Sharing Sunday
THIS WEEKEND
The St. Roman Food Pantry relies on the regular donations of non-perishable food items throughout the year as well as this collection to purchase perishable food items like milk, eggs and meat. All of your generosity subsidizes the inventory that feeds the needy. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

Upcoming Classes

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<td>Saturday, November 16th [9am - Noon]</td>
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<td>First Reconciliation Retreat at St. Roman-Adamski Hall (Students only)</td>
<td>Sábado, 16 de noviembre [9am - mediodía] Retiro de primera reconciliación en San Roman Adamski Hall (solo estudiantes)</td>
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Parish Stewardship... A Way of Life

As each one has received a gift, use it to serve one another as good stewards of God's varied graces. (1 Peter 4:10)

October 20

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Year-To-Date..........................$135,650.03
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Readings for the Week of October 27

**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

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

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

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

**Thursday**

**Friday**
Rv 7:2-4, 9-14/Ps 24:1bc-2, 3-4ab, 5-6 [cf. 6]/1 Jn 3:1-3
Mt 5:1-12a

**Saturday**
Wis 3:1-9/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 [1]/Rom 5:5-11 or Rom 6:3-9
Jn 6:37-40

**Next Sunday**
Wis 11:22—12:2/Ps 145:1-2, 8-9, 10-11, 13, 14 [cf. 1]
2 Thes 1:11—2:2/Lk 19:1-10

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**Save the Date**

Our annual craft fair is back and better than ever.

**When:** Saturday, December 7th
**Time:** 9am-5pm
**Where:** Adamski Hall & Betz Center

We are currently accepting vendors. Registration forms are in the office. Stop by and pick one up!

Have no interest in being a vendor? No worries, as we are in dire need of volunteers. Please call the parish office for more information.

**We hope to see you there!**

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**Baptism Class at St. Roman Parish**

**Tuesday, November 5**

6:30 pm en Español

Favor de hablar a la oficina parroquial para matricularse (414) 282-9063
La noche de la plática, favor de entrar por la puerta que está ubicada en la parte de atrás de la oficina parroquial.

7:00 pm in English

Call the Parish Office (414) 282-9063 to register.
Enter on the side of the Parish Office Building through the covered porch entrance on the evening of the class.

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**HOMEBOUND MINISTRY**

Help us stay connected to our parish members who cannot attend our liturgies because of a temporary or long term condition.

If you know of any parishioners who are unable to attend due to illness, age, rehabilitation stay, etc., and they would like to receive a visit and Holy Communion, please contact Sue Balcerek at (262) 639-6825
Welcome to the Adult Enrichment Corner

THIS IS WHERE YOU WOULD LOOK FOR ONGOING OR UPCOMING CLASSES AND/OR EVENTS BROUGHT TO YOU BY THE JOINT EFFORTS OF ST.ROMAN AND ST.CHARLES EVANGELIZATION COMMITTEE.

WE HAVE OUR ONGOING BIBLE STUDY ON THURSDAY NIGHTS IN ADAMSKI HALL FROM 6-8P.M. WE ARE STUDYING THE BOOK OF WISDOM. WE WILL BE MEETING ON THE FOLLOWING THURSDAYS:

10/31, 11/7, 11/14, 11/21, 12/12 & 12/19.

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO JOIN US PLEASE CONTACT:

JOIN US ON WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 13TH IN ADAMSKI HALL WE WILL START PROMPTLY AT 6 P.M. WITH A LIGHT DINNER OF YOUR CHOICE OF DELICIOUS HOMEMADE SOUP, SOME BREAD AND FRESH MADE DESSERTS.

*** WE ARE ACTUALLY IN NEED OF A FEW BAKERS FOR THIS EVENT ***

IF YOU ARE ABLE TO HELP US OUT PLEASE CONTACT:
ANNA SIMMERT 414-217-4920. PLEASE FEEL FREE TO LEAVE A MESSAGE.

THANK YOU IN ADVANCE. FOR COMPLETE DETAILS PLEASE SEE THE BIG NOTICE BELOW. LASTLY, FOR NOW WE WILL BE HAVING OUR NEXT MEETING ON NOVEMBER 20TH @ 1P.M. @ ST.CHARLES IN THE GATHERING SPACE. WE ARE ALWAYS LOOKING FOR NEW FACES AND FRESH IDEAS. PLEASE COME AND SEE WHAT WE ARE ALL ABOUT.

WE WILL CONTINUE TO UPDATE YOU WITH EVENTS IN AS TIMELY A MANNER AS POSSIBLE. THANK YOU FOR YOUR TIME.

WITH BLESSINGS, THE JOINT EVANGELIZATION COMMITTEE

“Soup~er Saint”

You are invited to join the St. Charles/St. Romans Evangelization Committee as they explore:

Saints Louis and Zelie Martin

Louis Martin and Zelie Guerin were married at a candle-light ceremony three months after they first met. Each came to the marriage with a successful business and they continued as a two-income family, at least, initially. Despite the couple’s affection and constant protectiveness, the children were sometimes subject to alcoholism, abuse, and neglect from servants and outside influences. The middle daughter was a “problem child” and they seemed to be without a solution. Four of their children died in childhood and the youngest—Therese of Lisieux—was almost at the point of death as well. Therese, the youngest, emerged from this remarkable family of spiritual pearls and she is better understood within the context of her family. We will examine the letters describing the family issues and how faith was able to bring them through.

Wednesday, November 13th
6:00-8:00pm in St. Romans Adamski Hall
Presenter: Sister Mary Carroll, SSSF

Sister Mary has been at Sacred Heart Seminary and School of Theology as a professor in spirituality for over twenty-five years and involved in formation work at the seminary for over a dozen years. As a member of the International School Sisters of St. Francis, Sr. Mary served as a novice minister and as a vice-president for the congregation. She completed M.A. degrees at Fordham University in religious studies and at St. Louis University in history. Sr. Mary’s project for the Doctor of Ministry degree from the U. of St. Mary of the Lake was entitled Doorway to the Divine. Currently she is emerita at the seminary and continues to do presentations and spiritual direction.

A simple soup and bread supper will be served.
Please call or email the parish office to reserve your spot.
(414) 282-9063 or vcamarillo@stromans.com

***Please bring a can of soup to be donated to our St. Vincent DePaul Society.***
**Monday, October 28**

- 8:00 am  Mass (CH)
- 3:00 pm  Volleyball practice (BC)
- 3:00 pm  After School Care (AH/IMC)

**Tuesday, October 29**

- 8:00 am  Mass (CH)
- 3:00 pm  After School Care (AH/IMC)
- 4:00 pm  Football Banquet Set Up (AH)
- 5:00 pm  Food Pantry Distribution
- 6:00 pm  Football Banquet
- 7:00 pm  Lector Meeting - Hispanic Ministry (CH)

**Wednesday, October 30**

- 8:00 am  Mass (CH)
- 1:00 pm  Parish Staff Meeting (POMR)
- 1:00 pm  1st grade practice (CH)
- 3:00 pm  After School Care (AH/IMC)
- 3:00 pm  Children’s Choir Rehearsal (CR)
- 3:15 pm  Dance Club (BC)

**Thursday, October 31**

- 12:30 pm  1st grade practice (CH)
- 3:00 pm  After School Care (AH/IMC)
- 6:00 pm  Bible Study (AH)
- 6:15 pm  Cantor Rehearsal (CR)
- 7:00 pm  Adult Choir Rehearsal (CR)

**Friday, November 1**

- 8:00 am  All Saints Mass (CH)
- 12:10 pm  All Saints Mass (CH)
- 3:00 pm  After School Care (AH/IMC)
- 6:30 pm  All Saints Mass-Spanish (CH)
- 6:30 pm  All Saints Mass @ SCB

**Saturday, November 2**

- 8:30 am  Contemplative Outreach of Southeast WI (POLMR)
- 10:00 am  Food Pantry Distribution
- 10:00 am  Mass of Rememberance @ SCB
- 4:00 pm  Rosary (CH)
- 4:30 pm  Mass (CH)

**Sunday, November 3**

- 8:30 am  Mass (CH)
- 8:45 am  K-8 Faith Formation (School Classrooms)
- 10:30 am  Memorial Mass (CH)
- 12:15 pm  Misa en español (CH)
This week the middle school students were visited by our very own Father Carlos. Father Carlos is going into classrooms to talk with students about God and other religious topics. This week, he spoke with sixth grade about the Old Testament and how God loves us all, even when we make mistakes.

Saint Charles Borromeo & Saint Roman

Last Sunday marked the beginning of our Collaborative preparation for the sacrament of Reconciliation. Families gathered at both St. Charles and St. Roman Parishes to receive a blessing as they journey to knowing Jesus’ loving forgiveness in the sacrament of Reconciliation. Please pray for our children and families.

Collaborative Sacramental Preparation

El domingo pasado marcó el comienzo de nuestra preparación colaborativa para el sacramento de la reconciliación. Las familias se reunieron en las parroquias de San Carlos y San Román para recibir una bendición mientras viajan para conocer el perdón amoroso de Jesús en el sacramento de la Reconciliación. Por favor ore por nuestros hijos y familias.
**Ladies** ~ Join us at St. Roman Parish on Monday, November 18, 2019 as we continue our 2019-2020 Dinner and Movie Series.

Come and enjoy our buffet dinner and stay to watch "A Walk In The Woods". The movie is 1 hour and 44 minutes long.

This event takes place in Adamski Hall, 1810 W Bolivar Avenue. Entry is from the Parking Lot.

The Cost is $10 per person. Payment may be made in cash or by check payable to St. Roman Parish. The reservation deadline is Friday, November 8.

Doors Open at 5:30 pm. Dinner is served beginning at 6:00 pm.

- Once you enter Adamski Hall, enjoy complimentary coffee, ice water, and an assortment of snack mixes. The bar will be open for those who wish to purchase beer, wine or soda. You may take your name card and redeem it for your dessert.
- Visit our raffle table before dinner to purchase your chances to win wonderful prizes.
- Prayer is scheduled for 6:00 pm and we will begin serving immediately after giving thanks to God and asking for His blessings. The movie is expected to begin between 6:45 & 7:00 pm; as soon as everyone is finished with dinner and we draw the winning numbers for the prizes.

Our dinner menu includes your choice of Grilled Chicken, Hamburger or Hot Dog. Sides include Foil Potatoes or Macaroni and Cheese, Ramen Noodle Salad or Cauliflower/Broccoli Salad and assorted desserts. Please have each guest indicate their entree preference on the form below.

About the Movie: “A Walk in the Woods” is about a celebrated travel writer who decides, after attending a funeral with his wife, that he is going to hike the two thousand mile Appalachian Trail. His wife agrees to let him go only if he has a hiking partner. The Adventures begin! Stars: Robert Redford, Nick Nolte, Kristen Schaal, Nick Offerman, Mary Steenburgen, and Emma Thompson.

Please remember that all persons wishing to sit at the same table must submit their form and payment in the same envelope. A list of people and payment for all guests may also be attached to one form. The maximum at each table is 8 people. If you have more than eight in your party, please split them into two groups and request they be seated at tables next to each other. In this case, two forms should be filled out with the names and returned together in the same envelope.

Reservations are due to St. Roman Parish Office, 1710 W Bolivar Ave, Milwaukee, WI 53221 on or before November 8, 2019.

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**November 18, 2019 Movie Night Dinner Reservation**

Name and Phone Number of person making the reservation: __________________________________________________________

**Name of Guest** (include person making the reservation below)

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ST. ROMAN PARISH INFORMATION

MASSES:
Saturday: 4:30 pm (Mass of Anticipation)
Sunday: 8:30 and 10:30 am in English; 12:15 pm in Spanish
Holy Days: Schedule to be announced prior to each celebration
Weekdays: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday 8:00 am

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:
Saturday: 3:30 pm to 4:00 pm or by appointment

PARISH OFFICE HOURS: Monday–Thursday 8:00 am to 4:00 pm
Friday: 8:00 am-3:00 pm
Office closed holidays as announced in the bulletin.

BULLETIN DEADLINE: Fridays (in writing) by 3:00 pm
Holidays may alter the deadline date. Watch the bulletin for changes.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM: Parents need to be registered members of the parish prior to the baptism date and attend baptismal preparation classes that are held on the 1st Tuesday of every month. A $10 fee will be collected along with a completed form. Call the Parish Office to sign up for the class. Baptisms can be scheduled at any Mass or on the 3rd Saturday of every month. No Baptisms are celebrated during the season of Lent.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE: One of the parties must be a registered member of the Parish and a practicing Catholic. Marriage preparation requires that the parish priest be notified at least 6 months before the anticipated wedding date.

SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING: The Sacrament of Anointing is celebrated upon request following any weekend Mass by speaking to the Presider. An appointment may be made for other times by request. Anyone unable to attend Mass or receive the sacraments in church due to physical or emotional illness or age should call the Parish Office to make arrangements.

VISITING THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND: The priests and pastoral care visitors see the hospitalized and homebound parishioners regularly. You are welcome to call the Parish Office to inform us of parishioners who are hospitalized.

CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA): This is for unbaptized adults, those baptized in other Christian traditions, and those baptized in the Catholic Church, but not raised in the faith, who now wish to be received into the Catholic Church or complete their initiation. The reception of sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist are celebrated annually at the Easter Vigil. Preparation takes place throughout the year, beginning in fall. If you are interested, or know of anyone interested in learning about the Catholic Faith and the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA), please contact the Parish Office.

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION: Teens celebrate Confirmation during the junior or senior year of high school. All teens, whether they attend a Catholic high school or public high school, are expected to participate in a three-year formational process. Adults seeking Confirmation (who have already been Baptized, received first Eucharist, and raised in the Catholic faith) are invited to participate in this process. Classes begin in September. The sacrament is conferred in May. Call the Parish Office for more information.

PARISH MEMBERSHIP/SUPPORT: All employed persons over age 18 attending St. Roman should register as members by calling the Parish Office. Regular participation in Mass and the sacraments, sharing time/talent with Parish programs, and financial support are important parts of Parish life.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY: We have food for the needy of our Parish area. Please call the Parish Office for information.

ST. ROMAN FOOD PANTRY: Tuesdays 5–7 pm / Saturdays 10 am-Noon

As we walk together at St. Roman School, we are Committed to God, Challenged to Grow, and Called to Serve.