

Parish Bulletin Župni Vjesnik



March 5, 2017 - 5. ožujka 2017.



St. Jerome Croatian Catholic Parish
Hrvatska katolička župa sv. Jeronima

2823 S. Princeton Ave. • Cardinal Stepinac Way
Chicago, IL 60616

Croatian Franciscan Friars
Fr. Ivica Majstorović, OFM - Fr. Stipe Renić, OFM

find us on 

Mass schedule • Raspored misa

Saturday • Subota

5:30 p.m. English

Sunday • Nedjelja

7:30 a.m. & 9:30 a.m. English

11 a.m. Hrvatski

Weekdays • Kroz tjedan

7:30 a.m. English

Posjeti bolesnicima — uvijek

Sick calls — at any time

Krštenja — po dogovoru

Baptisms — by appointment

Ispovijedi — pola sata prije mise

Confessions — before Masses

Vjenčanja — najaviti 6 mjeseci ranije

Weddings — arrange 6 months in advance

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subotom od podne do 12:30 poslije
podne na 750 AM

Croatian Catholic Radio Chicago

Saturday: noon - 12:30 p.m.
on 750 AM

Monday, March 6 - Ponedjeljak, 6. ožujka**7:30 a.m.**

† Lillian Cozzi *Patricia and Charles Marino*
 † Danny Hiser *Mary Fratto*

Tuesday, March 7 - Utorak, 7. ožujka**7:30 a.m.**

† Ted Mossman (3rd anniversary) *Eva, Kristina, Theo*
 † Anka Lončar *Mary and Debbie*

Wednesday, March 8 - Srijeda, 8. ožujka**7:30 a.m.**

† Ludwig Lenicky *D. and Ed*
 † John Basso *WZG*

Thursday, March 9 - Četvrtak, 9. ožujka**7:30 a.m.**

† James Pragovich *Penavić family*
 † Concetta Marnell (birthday remembrance) *family*

8:05 a.m.

PRO POPULO – For all Parishioners – Za župljane

7 – 8 p.m.

Eucharistic Adoration – *Euharistijsko klanjanje*

Friday, March 10 - Petak, 10. ožujka**7:30 a.m.**

† Josephine Pelletier *daughter and family*
 †† Tony and Bernice Wisniewski *family*

7 p.m.

Stations of the Cross

Saturday, March 11 - Subota, 11. ožujka**7:30 a.m.**

† Ann Contino *Debbie and Mary*
 In honor of St. Joseph *D.*

5:30 p.m.

† Lillian Cozzi *Louis and Mary Scalise*
 † Nina Japuntich *Louis and Mary Scalise*
 † Palma Ursetta *Patricia and Charles Marino*
 † Elaine Scorza *Juliana and Charlie DiCaro*
 † Barbara Iozzo *Ross Valenti*
 † Katie Ferro *Pete and Sandy Schurla*
 † Barry Babich *Mom and Dad*
 † Ann Contino *Debbie and Bo Secor*
 † Angelina Szatkowski *Gazzi family*
 † August Pintaro *Rich and Jan Ferro*
 † Mary Alice Bertucci *Szatkowski family*
 † Philomena Lamb (20th anniversary) *family*
 † Mildred Bazan *Theresa and Rich Dziemiela*
 † Marilyn Hickey *Link family*
 † Ivo Čosić *family*

Sunday, March 12 - Nedjelja, 12. ožujka**2ND SUNDAY OF LENT - 2. KORIZMENA NEDJELJA****7:30 a.m.**

† Irene Grubisic *Genevive Botica*
 † Christina Martincic *Anna Radovic*
 † Angelina Szatkowski *Theresa and Rich Dziemiela*
 † Frank Mendoza *Carm Parrilli*
 † Mark Bozich *Vera and family*
 † Jure Žaper *Paško and Iva Jakelja*
 †† Ciccio and Palma Ursetta *family*
 †† John and Marge Sobocan *Chris and Matt Pesce*
 †† Fausto and Carmen Manzera *WZG*
 †† Čondić brothers and sisters *Duško*
 †† parishioners, families & friends of St. Jerome *Grubisic family*
 In honor of St. Joseph *D.*

9:30 a.m.

† Emily Dengler *Lisa and Bob Link*
 † Carmen Tadeo *Majić family*
 † Richard Basso *Ralph and Ioanne Vari*
 † Katie Ferro *Maryann and Ray Casa*
 † John Kovacich *WZG*
 †† Joseph and Carmella DiPiazza *Joseph and Elizabeth Cairo*

10:30 a.m.

Križni put

11 a.m.

† Ante Žgela *Dragan i Janice Subašić*
 † Anton Hostička *John i Venessa Krpan i obitelj*
 † Lovro Rudman *Dane Jurković*
 † Nikola Planinić *obitelj i prijatelji*
 † Ljubica Zeba *Luca Zeba i obitelj*
 † Marija Banić *Milena Badrov i obitelj*
 † Ivan Lerotić *sestra Ivanka Šušnjara i obitelj*
 † Paul Pavletić *obitelj*
 † Ana Popić *obitelj Karlović*
 † Marko Dugandžić *Anđelko Šušnjara i obitelj*
 † Mirko Gilić Kuko *Mara Zoko i obitelj*
 † Anka Lončar *Paško i Iva Jakelja*
 † Nick Došen *Božo Guvo i obitelj*
 † Iva Čubelić *Slavko i Vilka Ilić*
 † Stipe Pervan *supruga Ljuba i djeca*
 † Jozo Vukušić *prijatelji*
 †† Petar i Joza Zelić *sin Ilija i obitelj*
 †† Križan i Milka Morić *Branko Morić i obitelj*
 †† Đuro i Stana *Evica Vukotić*
 †† Ivan Cukina, Paulina i Vid Ferenac *djeca*
 †† iz obitelji Bradarić *Ljuba Pervan i obitelj*
 †† iz obitelji Čondić *Duško*
 Na čast bl. Alojzija Stepinca *Bože Guvo*

LECTORS - ČITAČI

5:30 p.m. – Vincent Kenny

7:30 a.m. – LuAnn Munizzi; 9:30 a.m. – Michael Passarelli

11 a.m. – Ozana Paraga, Mariana Kikaš, Anela Kosić



IST SUNDAY OF LENT

"Jesus was led by the Spirit into the desert to be tempted by the devil." Today's Gospel brings us face-to-face with the reality of spiritual warfare. A battle is going on in the desert. The devil is out to win the allegiance of the Son of God. But Jesus fights back. For every temptation the devil proposes, Jesus arms himself with "the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God" (Eph 6:17). This strategy proves effective. Ultimately, "the devil left him," and then Jesus was consoled by the presence of angels.

In our time, we face a new temptation: to deny the existence of spiritual beings. Angels appear to be little more than lawn ornaments or Christmas crafts, and too often the devil is reduced to an analogy for the vague presence of evil. Perhaps the greatest achievement of the father of lies is to make us believe that he does not exist. But the word of God gives us a different idea: "Be sober and vigilant. Your opponent the devil is prowling around like a roaring lion looking for someone to devour" (1 Pt 5:8). This is no fairy tale. Satan wants to win our allegiance too.

During Lent, we have the opportunity to fortify ourselves for this serious, if silent, combat. Just as Jesus fasted and prayed for 40 days before that diabolical encounter, we take these 40 days of Lent to "conquer" the weak spots where we are susceptible to attack. We fast to strengthen our self-control, we give alms to strengthen our generosity, and we pray to strengthen our faith in God's power and providence. A sincere effort now, in the "desert" of Lent, can lead us to victory as we engage in the ongoing spiritual battle for the allegiance of our souls.

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION IZVANREDNI POSLUŽITELJI SV. PRIČESTI

5:30 p.m. – Karen Mizera; 7:30 a.m. – Matthew Pesce
9:30 a.m. – MaryBeth Insalaco; 11 a.m. – Domagoj Paraga

ALTAR SERVERS - MINISTRANTI

5:30 p.m. – Lucas Mizera, Gianna Tognoni
7:30 a.m. – Francesca Bertucci, Matthew McCormick
9:30 a.m. – Victoria Duncan, Monica Matual
11 a.m. – Frano i Marija Kraljević, Drago Skinger, Sophie Zoko

1. KORIZMENA NEDJELJA

Svaka istinska radost, baš kao i svaka ljubav, u dnu sebe nosi poziv na umiranje. Život, onaj zbiljski – uvijek iz smrti izrasta. Svaka naša želja doseže svoj cilj samo kroz slobodu i odricanje. Tek kad smo strastveno usmjereni, ali i slobodni od straha da sebe izgubimo – dosežemo cilj.

To pravilo najočitije je u ljubavi. Želja za blizinom s osobom koju volimo tažimo približavajući joj se sve dok ne dosegnemo granicu koju nije moguće prijeći nikakvom riječju, pogledom, dodirrom. Kada nam ni jedan korak više ne preostane, a spoznamo da je cilj naše ljubavi na drugoj obali od koje nas dijeli nepremostiv jaz... Što tada? Tada treba umrijeti. Jer, ljubav ako ne ljubi do smrti, ljubi do očaja. Agonija i ekstaza – vječite teme pjesnika, filozofa i mistika. Ljubav i umiranja dva su lica te iste stvarnosti. Sunce ovdje izlazi, zato što drugdje zalazi. Voćka donosi plod, jer joj je cvijeće umiralo. Nauči čovjeka umirati, naučio si ga živjeti. Jer, život je samo ono što ostaje nakon što umreš. Izbjegavati umiranje, znači propadati.

Sve kušnje se mogu svesti na tri: na one kojima je Isus kušan, a koje se provlače kroz svu Bibliju, a i kroz naš život: požuda tijela, požuda duha, požuda očiju. Što znači: želja za užitkom, oholost, želja za bogatstvom; tj. poriv za imati, vladati, moći.

Korist od kušnje jest u tome da nas svodi na bitno, oslobađa nas iluzija - kao što oluja prisiljava mornare da se oslobode suvišnog tereta, i koncentriraju se na bitno: svega se osloboditi, kako bi sačuvali živu glavu. Kušnja u našim životima ima onu funkciju koju deterđent ima za rublje: dijeli prljavštinu od tkanine. Kušnja nas čisti. Nadalje, kušnja nas prisiljava da dadnemo ono najbolje od sebe, upravo kao što maslina daje ulje tek nakon što je zgnječena.

LET US PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED

Joseph W. Rogul, 88. Korean War Army Veteran. Companion and best friend of Susan Schnick; brother of ++Anthony (Phyllis) Rogul and John and Ann Rogul; uncle of Joe (Mary Lee) Rogul, Karen Boyes and +William Rogul and Diane Rogul; uncle of Eileen, Katie, Christopher and +Kelly; friend of many. He was buried on Saturday, February 25, at St. Mary Cemetery, Evergreen Park, IL.

Vincent F. Davino, 68. Father of Kate (Jeremy) Hucksold; son of ++Ernesto and Anne Davino; grandfather of Adam and Evan; brother of Ernie Davino, Marianne (Bob) Borthwick, Geraldine (John) Peluso, Madeline (Andy) Lockner, Lilly Peluso, and +Donna Davino; uncle of many nieces and nephews; friend of many; member of the O.N.I.A.C. He was buried on Monday, February 27, at St. Mary Cemetery, Evergreen Park, IL.

May they rest in peace.

SECOND COLLECTION

This Sunday's Second Collection will help THE CHURCH IN CENTRAL AND EASTERN EUROPE. We will help in building up the Church in the region oppressed for so many decades by atheist regimes.

THE STATIONS OF THE CROSS

We will have the devotion of the Stations of the Cross during Lent in English on Fridays at 7 p.m. and in Croatian on Sundays at 10:30 a.m.

90TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE CROATIAN FRANCISCAN CUSTODY

The Croatian Franciscans have been present on this continent for more than 100 years. The Croatian Franciscan Custody of the Holy Family was founded 90 years ago. We would like to celebrate this anniversary together with you. The solemn banquet and presentation of our shared history will be held at the Croatian Cultural Center in Chicago today (Sunday, March 5) beginning at 1 pm. Entrance is free, but you will not be allowed to enter without a reservation.

RENEW MY CHURCH - STUDY & DISCUSS

Renew My Church is a multi-year process with the purpose of strengthening parish vitality and better aligning its resources and mission. The whole Archdiocese of Chicago started with this process almost 2 years ago. Where are we now with it? How will that process affect us? What are we going to look like in 2 or 3 years from now? What about in 2030? We would like to look into the future of the Catholic Church in Chicago. Join us in studying and discussing the vision behind the whole process. Meetings will be on Thursdays from 6 to 6:50 p.m. in the Small Hall, starting with Thursday, March 9.

YOUTH/YOUNG ADULTS GATHERING

Once a month young adults of our parish get together to pray, sing, and plan activities. Gathering is held in the Parish Office starting at 12:15 p.m. Upcoming dates: March 12, April 2, May 14, June 11.

CROATIAN LANGUAGE FOR ADULTS

Do you want to learn Croatian? Are you over 18 years old? Join the group that is going to be formed soon. All levels are welcome. Mario Ivančić will be a teacher. If you would like to find more information, please, call 773-875-3350 or stop at our Parish Office.

25TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION OF PRIJATELJI ORCHESTRA

The Prijatelji Orchestra will celebrate its 25th anniversary with concert and dinner on Saturday, March 11, at the Crystal Sky Banquets (7941 W. 47th St., McCook, IL), with special performance of the Lyric Opera Chicago voices show "Kumovi" featuring the Kirin-Gornick band and guests. Doors open at 4 p.m., concert start at 5 p.m. Tickets for concert and dinner are: adults \$45 and children \$20. For tickets and more info call Joan Sipich (312-326-3205) or John Gornick (773-586-7723).

ST. JOSEPH'S TABLE WITH BISHOP ROJAS BY SANTA LUCIA-SANTA MARIA INCORONATA



Santa Lucia parish will celebrate St. Joseph's Table with bishop Alberto Rojas on Sunday, March 19. Holy Mass will be celebrated at 10 a.m. followed by blessing of St. Joseph's table and altar in the school hall. Dinner will be served from 11 a.m. until 2:30 p.m. If you are able to help, please, contact Mary Rose Longo at 312-515-8540. Donations are appreciated.

JOIN US IN OUR WEEKDAY ACTIVITIES

ZUMBA - If you want to get in shape and have fun - join Zumba every **Tuesday** and **Thursday** in the Big Hall from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m.

BOOK CLUB - Next meeting will be on **Wednesday, March 8**, at 7 p.m. in Lower Small Hall. They are reading "A Man Called Ove" by Fredrik Backman.

AA - AA meetings are held every **Wednesday** at 7:30 p.m. in Upper Small Hall. This is a nice group of people who are following the 12 step program.

RENEW MY CHURCH - STUDY & DISCUSS - First meeting will be on **Thursday, March 9**, from 6 to 6:50 p.m. in Lower Small Hall.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament every **Thursday** from 7 to 8 p.m.

PROSLAVA 90. GODIŠNJICE HRVATSKE FRANJEVAČKE KUSTODIJE

Hrvatski franjevci djeluju na ovom kontinentu već 117. godina. Hrvatska franjevačka kustodija Svete obitelji utemeljena je 9. veljače 1926. godine a potvrđena 18. veljače 1927. godine. Danas obilježavamo 90. obljetnicu naše sustavne nazočnosti. Sjećamo se za zahvalnošću naših franjevaca koji su bili s nama sve ovo vrijeme. Ovu obljetnicu želimo obilježiti zajedno sa svima vama u svim našim crkvama u Chicagu. Svečani banket i predstavljanje naše zajedničke povijesti će biti danas u Hrvatskom kulturnom centru u 1:30 sati poslije podne. Hvala vam za vašu ljubav skazanu bilo kojem franjevcu.



RENEW MY CHURCH (OBNOVI MOJU CRKVU) - PROUČAVANJE I RAZGOVOR

Renew My Church (Obnovi moju Crkvu) je višegodišnji proces koji ima za cilj osnažiti župe te ih osposobiti da bolje iskoriste svoje potencijale i ostvare svoju svrhu. Cijela nadbiskupija je započela ovaj proces prije skoro dvije godine. Dokle smo stigli? Kako će taj proces utjecati na nas? Kako ćemo izgledati za dvije ili tri godine? A kako u 2030. godini? Htjeli bismo pogledati u budućnosti Katoličke Crkve u Chicagu. Pridružite nam se u proučavanju i razgovoru o viziji i cilju prema kojem cijeli ovaj proces želi ići. Susreti će biti u Maloj dvorani, četvrtkom od 6 do 6:50 sati navečer. Prvi susret će biti u četvrtak 9. ožujka.

POST I NEMRS, PUT KRIŽA

Na Pepelnicu i Veliki Petak su svi zdravi katolici od 12 do 65 godina obvezani na post i nemrs. Post znači da se taj dan najedemo samo jednom. Nemrs znači da taj dan ne jedemo meso. Također smo pozvani da u korizmi postimo petkom te obdržavamo nemrs kroz druge petke u godini. Pobožnost puta križa je petkom u 7 sati navečer na engleskom te nedjeljom u 10:30 sati ujutro na hrvatskom jeziku.

SUSRETI MLADIH

Jednom mjesečno okupljaju se mladi naše župe kako bi zajedno molili, pjevali, čitali riječ Božju, rasli u vjeri te razgovarali o aktualnim pitanjima. Susret se održava u župnom uredu s početkom u 12:15 sati poslije podne. Nadolazeći susreti: 12. ožujka, 2. travnja, 14. svibnja, 11. lipnja.

BLAGOSLOV OBITELJI

Škropljenje stanova i kuća prigodom blagoslova obitelji je vanjski znak da se u obitelji želi živjeti kršćanskim životom. U dogovoru s našim voditeljima, obavještavat ćemo vas i zvati unaprijed. Molimo, javite nam ako želite da dođemo i k vama, osobito, ako kod vas nismo bili duže vremena.

HRVATSKA ŠKOLA ZA ODRASLE

Želite li učiti hrvatski jezik a stariji ste od 18 godina? Pridružite se grupi koja će uskoro početi s radom u našoj maloj dvorani. Učitelj će biti Mario Ivančić. Za više detalja nazovite 773-875-3350 ili se raspitajte u naše, župnom uredu.

MLADIFEST 2017

Peti susret hrvatske katoličke mladeži SAD-a i Kanade će biti od 23. do 25. lipnja u Hrvatskoj župi Prečistog srca Marijina u Vancouveru, BC. Očekuju se mladi iz Kanade, SAD-a i Hrvatske od 16 do 30 godina starosti. Tema susreta će biti "Gospodine, ako si ti, zapovjedi mi da dođem k tebi po vodi!" (Mt 14:28). Pošto se radi o dalekom putu, prijavite nam se već sada kako bismo mogli što bolje organizirati naše sudjelovanje. Možete se prijaviti u našem župnom uredu ili izravno na web stranicu. Prijava za jednu osobu je \$100 CAD. Tko se prijavi do 15. ožujka plaća \$50 CAD. Za prijavu i za više pojedinosti pogledajte stranicu: vancouvermladifest.com.



SAVE THE DATE

- Thursday, **March 9**
Renew My Church (Obnovi moju Crkvu)
- study and discuss group
- Monday, **March 13** - Friday, **March 24**
Pilgrimage to Holy Land

- Sunday, **April 9**
- Cvjetnica - Palm Sunday
- Palaćinka Breakfast by St. Jerome School
- Croatian Women Luncheon
- Parish Confessions
- Sunday, **April 15**
Uskrs - Easter Sunday
- Saturday, **April 22**
100th Anniversary Banquet of St. Mary Island of Cres Benevolent Society



2017 ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

Our 2017 goal is 6% of the previous year's offertory income. Our offertory income for Fiscal Year 2015-2016 was \$371,471. So, our goal is \$22,288. When parishioner contributions exceed the parish goal, we will receive a rebate of 100% of the funds donated over the goal.

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR 2016

Our annual collection financial recap for 2016 is ready. Please, let us know if you need it, and we will prepare it. Call our parish office. We are grateful for your generosity to our parish community year after year. Thank you for all that you do for St. Jerome.

SUNDAY ENGLISH MASS SCHEDULE AT ST. JEROME AND SANTA LUCIA

Regular English Mass schedule at St. Jerome is: Saturday evening at 5:30 p.m. and Sunday morning at 7:30 and 9:30 a.m. Regular Mass schedule at Santa Lucia is: Saturday evening at 4 p.m. and Sunday morning at 10 a.m. If your schedule calls for Mass attendance at an alternate time, feel free to bring your St. Jerome or Santa Lucia envelope to any of these Masses, and we will ensure your offering gets sent over to your home church.

LET US SUPPORT BENEFIT FOR JOHN P. CARUSO

Please, join us for a benefit for John Caruso on Saturday, March 25, from 5 to 11 p.m. At the O.N.I.A.C. (3031 S. Shields Ave.). John Caruso is battling NON-HODGKINS LYMPHOMA and is undergoing intense treatment. Let us all come together as neighbors, friends and family to help ease their financial burden. For tickets and donations, please, contact Mary Fratto (312-225-3231) or Vicky Fratto Czyuprinski (312-305-5120) or vaf4678@gmail.com. Thank you for your support and generosity.

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KOJI JE SMISAO KORIZME?

Pitanje koje djeca jedni drugima postavljaju u korizmi jest: „Čega ćeš se ti odreći?“ I onda slijede odgovori kako netko neće jesti slatkiše ili meso. Takva odricanja nisu besmislena, ali niti dovoljna. U korizmi možemo puno više učiniti od toga.

Odricanje od kojega tijekom korizme može se svesti na ono što nama koristi: Postimo da bismo izgubili težinu koju smo tijekom godine nakupili; suzdržavamo se pušenja ili pića da bi to sve nadoknadili nakon Uskrsa. Zar je to smisao korizme? Ovo je vrijeme u kojemu bi trebali postići nadzor nad vlastitim životom, a posebno u onim područjima koja ugrožavaju naše međuljudske odnose. Svatko ima poneku lošu naviku, osobinu, grijeh protiv kojega ne pronalazi snage kako bi ga nadvladao. Korizma je vrijeme u kojemu nas Crkva poziva da se postom, molitvom i djelima ljubavi, obnavljamo u vjeri i da se suživljavamo s Kristom koji je bio mučen, raspet i koji je slavno uskrsnuo kao pobjednik nad zlom i smrti.

Obratiti svoje srce – to je ono što Bog od nas traži ne samo u korizmi nego tijekom cijeloga života jer to je proces koji traje. Prorok Joel kaže: *Razderite srca, a ne halje svoje!* Ovo je vrijeme kada treba učiniti preokret u životu; to je vrijeme velikih obećanja i nadanja, najozbiljnije i najplodnije razdoblje godine. Korizma nije vrijeme žalosti već novo proljeće života i prilika da budemo zdraviji, plemenitiji i bolji.

