



April 8, 2018 - 8. travnja 2018.



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

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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

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Monday, April 9 - Ponedjeljak, 9. travnja		
7:30 a.m. † Francis Fratto		
Tuesday, April 10 - Utorak, 10. travnja		
7:30 a.m. † Frances Fratto		
Wednesday, April 11 - Srijeda, 11. travnja		
7:30 a.m.† Josephine Spolec		
Thursday, April 12 - Četvrtak, 12. travnja		
7:30 a.m. † Nick LoCoco		
Friday, April 13 - Petak, 13. travnja		
7:30 a.m. † Marie Diamond		
Saturday, April 14 - Subota, 14. travnja		
7:30 a.m. † Cynthia Martin		

ALTAR SERVERS - MINISTRANTI

5:30 p.m. – Victoria Luna, Matthew McCormick 7:30 a.m. – Gabriel and Lourdes Filipović 9:30 a.m. – Nicole and Norah Zeimys

Sunday, April 15 - Nedjelja, 15. travnja 3RD SUNDAY OF EASTER

3. USKRSNA NEDJELJA

7:30 a.m.	
† Sonny Spalla	Cathy and Pete Wilkie
† Michael Bozich	
† Dorothy Damico Conroy	Cathy LoCoco
† Gene Dengler Sr	
++ Čondić sisters	Duško
9:30 a.m.	
† Mamie Ortega	
+ Carmen Tadeo	Maria Majić
† Tomo Mulc	Louis and Mary Scalise
† Pat Petrizzo	Nancy Link
† Paul Bauer (Commander)	Cathy Amato
+ Mijo Lovrić	
† Domenica Deskovic	
11 a.m.	_
† Lovro Rudman	Dujo Šušnjara
† Theresa Nagy	
† Helena Kustwan	
† Josip Flanjak	
† Desa Vujić (1. godišnjica)	
† Karmila Knezović	Živko i djeca
† Tomo Mulc	
† Marija Kvasić	
† Josip Armić	
† Mijo Jurčić	
† Darinka Pemaček Pavlečić	
† Mijat Filipović	_
† Ljuba Baričević	
† Jure Dugandžić	
† Ivan Milićević	-
† Anđela Kadić	
† Božica Pintar	
† Nikola Planinić	
† Mare Miškulin	
† Frane Alfirević	
† Stane Glavić	
†† Mijo i Ruža Jukić	sin Nedieliko i Jasminka Jukić
†† Stipan i Dragica Hrkać	Vlado i Nevenka Hrkać
†† iz obitelji Čondić	
++ iz obitelji Bralo	РҮНӨ ZUENKA DANIN

LECTORS - ČITAČI

5:30 a.m. - Bobby Cannatello

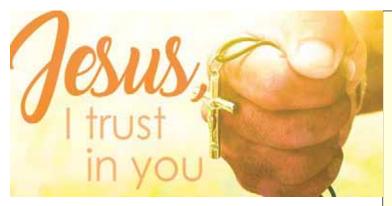
7:30 a.m. – Luanne Munizzi; 9:30 a.m. – Jan Zekich

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

IZVANREDNI POSLUŽITELJI SV. PRIČESTI

5:30 p.m. – Karen Mizera

7:30 a.m. – Rosemary Brcich; 9:30 a.m. – Pablo Iglesias



2ND SUNDAY OF EASTER SUNDAY OF DIVINE MERCY

Should we be a little easier on Thomas? The last few days have been a whirlwind. On Thursday, a Passover celebration went horribly awry as Jesus was betrayed and taken into custody for unstated crimes. Less than 24 hours later, the arrest has turned into a death sentence to be carried out that very afternoon. Most of the disciples fled, including Thomas. He would have heard of the events of Good Friday secondhand, in shock over the death of his Lord and Master. Then Sunday morning arrives with joy from a few disciples-Jesus is risen! But there is no persistent sight of him, only Mary Magdalene's quick moment in the garden and an empty tomb. Another day passes. The Apostles are gathered that Monday night, but Thomas is absent. He returns to a jubilant report of the risen Lord. Again, Thomas has seen nothing.

The experience must have been surreal. Did Jesus really appear raised from the dead? Did he really suffer and die? Has all of this been some strange hoax? Desperate for an answer, Thomas insists, Unless I see the mark of the nails in his hands and put my finger into the nail marks and put my hand into his side, I will not believe.

After his resurrection, Jesus' body--mangled and bloody from the crucifixion--is restored. Did it need the scars? A perfected body would have taught us one lesson: everything is renewed as it once was, the past erased. Jesus chooses another lesson, however. He retains his scars that we might know him. In the whirlwind of our lives, we make our own mistakes, our own betrayals and compromises. In the resurrected Jesus, we see a God who does not forget his own sorrow. We are invited to meet him-wound for wound--and place our hand on his own nail-scarred palm, the eternal sign of his mercy.

2. USKRSNA NEDJELJA NEDJELJA BOŽANSKOG MILOSRĐA

Evanđelje govori o dva uskrsna ukazanja. Toma nije prisutan kod prvog ukazanja, ali kod drugog ima središnju ulogu. Njegova odsutnost u prvoj zgodi je zagonetna, budući da se u obje zgode govori da su vrata prostorije, unutar koje su se učenici okupili, bila zaključana iz straha od Židova. Zašto nije bilo Tome među apostolima? Je li zato što se on nije bojao? Ili je možda bio previše preplašen da ga ljudi ne bi povezali s apostolima? Razloge njegove odsutnosti pisac ne donosi. No, njegova odsutnost u prvoj zgodi nudi priliku za drugi susret s Uskrslim te mogućnost da Toma dokaže vjeru. Obje zgode imaju nekoliko zajedničkih detalja: obje su se dogodile prvog dana u tjednu, unatoč zatvorenim vratima Isus se pojavljuje u njihovoj sredini, upućuje im pozdrav mira, poziva ih da obrate pozornost na njegove rane. I na vrhuncu, Toma pokazuje snagu vjere. Toma ne bi trebao biti zapamćen zato što nije bio prisutan kod prvog ukazanja, niti zato što je posumnjao, nego bi ga trebalo zapamtiti zato što je povjerovao na riječ drugih. A poput Tome, svi znaju kako je to teško.



YOUNG ADULTS GATHERING

On the second Sunday of month young adults of our parish get together to pray, sing, reflect on the Bible, discuss the current topics and plan future activities. Gathering is held today - Sunday, April 8, in the Parish Office starting at 12:15 p.m. Upcoming dates: May 13, June 10.

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY IS TODAY

Today we celebrate Divine Mercy Sunday. God's love (Merciful Father) is one of Jesus's central messages. We will pray and sing the Divine Mercy Chaplet at a prayer service at 3 p.m. in our church. Join us.



Between 1930 and 1938, Jesus appeared to Sister Faustina, a Sis-

ter of Mercy in Poland who initiated the Divine Mercy devotion. She was canonized on April 30, 2000, the Sunday after Easter, the Feast of Divine Mercy. On Good Friday, 1937, Jesus requested that Faustina make a special novena before the Feast of Mercy, from Good Friday through the following Saturday. Jesus also asked that a picture be painted according to the vision of Himself as the fountain of mercy. He gave her a chaplet to be recited and said that it was appropriate to pray the chaplet at 3 o'clock each afternoon (the Hour of Great Mercy).

BOOK CLUB

Next meeting will be on Wednesday, April 11 at 7 p.m. in Lower Small Hall. They will be discussing *Wonder* by R. J. Palacio.

FRANCISCAN SPIRITUALITY SERIES (6/6)

The 6th session of the Franciscan Spirituality Series titled St. Francis and death will be on Wednesday, April 18, at 7 p.m. in the Small Hall. The presenter: Fr. Larry Frankovich, OFM - West Allis, WI.

MINI-RETREAT IN APRIL

Please, join us on Sunday, April 15, for a miniretreat with the guest Michael O'Neill. He will talk about: How the Catholic Church Investigates the Supernatural. Michael O'Neill is an author, speaker, and creator of the



website MiracleHunter.com, the web's top resource on Marian apparitions cited in news articles and blogs around the world. O'Neill, a graduate of Stanford University and member of the Mariological Society of America, has been interviewed about his research numerous times for features on Catholic media outlets like EWTN and Ave Maria and secular publications like

National Geographic and Live Science magazine. He is the host of the weekly Relevant Radio program *The Miracle Hunter*. The event will start at 12:30 p.m. in the Big Hall with the rosary, continue with a talk, questions and answers... and finish by 2 p.m. Croatian Catholic Youth will provide burek, sirnica, krumpiruša, zeljanica (Bosnian style meat, cheese, potato, vegetable pies), and Marian Society will provide coffee and cake.

CARDINAL STEPINAC CROATIAN SCHOOL ANNUAL CONCERT

Cardinal Stepinac Croatian School annual concert will take place on Saturday, April 21, at 3 p.m. at Benito Juarez Community Academy (2150 S. Laflin St.). Concert and party entrance is \$20 and a dance and dinner will follow in our Big Hall. Dinner tickets can be purchased for \$15. Entertainment will be provided by DJ Luka.

MAY CROWNING

May Crowning celebration will be on Thursday, May 10, at 7 p.m. in the church. Join us for a special devotion to Our Lady, our Queen and Mother.

MISSISSAUGA MLADIFEST 2018

Mladifest is a youth rally for Croatian Catholics throughout the US and Canada who wish to participate in a different and eye opening weekend-long event. It is not necessary to speak Croatian, but you must be at least 16 years old and not older than 30. Mladifest 2018 will be hosted by Croatian Martyrs Parish in Mississauga, ON, Canada from June 29 - July 1. For more details see: mississaugamladifest.com or croatiancatholicyouth.com.

WEDDING BANNS NAJAVA VJENČANJA

II) John M. Pavlin & Kendra R. Weber

ARE YOU A REGISTERED PARISHIONER?

If you attend Mass here regularly, we encourage you to register as a member of St. Jerome. Registering in the parish makes the process much easier when it is time for infant baptism, religious education registration, weddings and when asked to be a sponsor for baptism or confirmation. Registering is easy. Visit our parish office.

PRESENTATION OF THE GIFTS TO THE ALTAR

If you would like to present the gifts to the altar at any Mass, please, see one of our ushers before the Mass. It would be beautiful if we would have different families at each Mass, or to have you if a Mass is being celebrated for your intention.

SUSRETI MLADIH

Jednom mjesečno mladi naše župe imaju svoj redoviti susret. Susret se održava danas - u nedjelju u 12:15 sati poslije podne u Župnom uredu. Nadolazeći susreti: 13. svibnja, 10. lipnja.

MINI-DUHOVNA OBNOVA U TRAVNJU

U nedjelju 15. travnja imamo duhovnu obnovu za cijelu župu. Predavač će biti Michael O'Neill. On će govoriti o temi: Kako Katolička Crkva istražuje nadnaravno (How the Catholic Church Investigates the Supernatural). Michael O'Neill je autor, predavač i kreator stranice MiracleHunter.com - najvećeg izvora podataka o ukazanjima Blažene Djevice Marije. Michael O'Neill je član Mariološkog društva Amerike.

Duhovnu obnovu ćemo započeti molitvom krunice u 12:30 sati u Velikoj dvorani, nastaviti s predavanjem, razgovorom... te završiti oko 2 sata poslije podne. Hrvatska katolička mladež će ponuditi burek, sirnicu, krumpirušu, zeljanicu... za okrepu (u dvorani ili za ponijeti kući, a Marijino društvo će ponuditi kavu i kolače. Dobro došli.

FRANJEVAČKA DUHOVNOST (6/6)

Nastavljamo sa serijom susreta o franjevačkoj duhovnosti. Različite teme nam predstavlja fra Lawrence Frankovich, OFM - župnik iz župe sv. Augustina, West Allis, WI. Peti susret pod temom *Sv. Franjo i smrt* (St. Francis and death) će biti u srijedu 18. travnja u Gornoj maloj dvorani u 7 sati navečer.

GODIŠNJI KONCERT KOLO GRUPE KARDINAL STEPINAC

Godišnji koncert kolo grupe Kardinal Stepinac će biti u subotu 21. travnja u Benito Juarez Community Academy (2150 S. Laflin St.) u 3 sata poslije podne. Ovo je godišnja prigoda u kojoj mladi žele pokazati što su tijekom ove školske godine uvježbavali i na koji način kroz pjesmu, glazbu i ples uče i čuvaju kulturnu baštinu iz raznih krajeva naše domovine. Ulaznice za koncert, te večeru i zabavu u našoj Velikoj dvorani su \$20 za odrasle iznad 12 godina. Ulaznice samo za večeru i zabavu su \$15. Za zabavu će se pobrinuti DJ Luka.

PREDSTAVLJANJE KNJIGA I SUSRET S AUTORIMA

U nedjelju 28. travnja, s početkom u 12:30 sati poslije podne, u Gornjoj maloj dvorani, održat će se predstavljanje dviju knjiga iseljeničke tematike:

"Život je iša kako je iša" autora Ivana Vuletića, te "Stories of an American of Croatian Descent" autora Johna Dominisa.

Ivan Vuletić je rođen 1939. u mjestu Dobranje, općina Cista Provo. Godine 1958. bježi s prijateljem preko granice u Trst i detaljno opisuje život u poznatim talijanskim izbjegličkim logorima. Iste godine odlazi na rad u Njemačku i 1960. putuje brodom u Kanadu. Od svoje 19. godine živi izvan domovine.

John Dominis je rođen 1930. u New Yorku, u obitelji koja se doselila sa Dugog otoka (kraj Zadra). Kod kuće se govorilo hrvatskim jezikom. Školovanje, posao i obitelj su ga udaljili od aktivnog sudjelovanja u životu velikih hrvatskih zajednica SAD-a, ali ne i od ljubavi prema Dugom otoku i Hrvatskoj.

SV. MISA U ROCKFORDU

Jednom mjesečno okuplja se hrvatska zajednica u gradu Rockfordu i okolici. Sv. misa se slavi u crkvi sv. Brigite (600 Clifford Ave., Loves Park, Rockford) u 4 sata poslije podne. Slijedeća sv. misa će biti u nedjelju 6. svibnja. Za sve pojedinosti možete se javiti Josipu Matoševiću (815-298-8218).

KRUNJENJE GOSPE

Svake godine u mjesecu svibnju imamo krunjenje Gospina kipa u našoj crkvi te na taj način iskažemo svoju ljubav prema Isusovoj i našoj nebeskoj majci - Blaženoj Djevici Mariji. Ove godine će to biti u četvrtak 10. svibnja u 7 sati navečer. Molimo, pridružite nam se u ovoj lijepoj svečanosti.



MLADIFEST 2018

Šesti susret hrvatske katoličke mladeži SAD-a i Kanade će biti od 29. lipnja do 1. srpnja u župi Hrvatskih mučenika u Mississaugi, ON. Sudjeluju mladi iz Kanade, SAD-a i Hrvatske od 16 do 30

godina starosti. Tema susreta: *Bit ćete mi svjedoci sve do kraja zemlje.* (Dj 1,8). Pošto se radi o dalekom putu, prijavite nam se već sada kako bismo mogli što bolje organizirati naše sudjelovanje. Možete se prijaviti u župnom uredu ili izravno na internetsku stranicu. Prijava za jednu osobu je \$100 CAD. Tko se prijavi do 30. travnja plaća \$50 CAD. Za prijavu i više pojedinosti pogledajte: mississaugamladifest.com ili croatiancatholicyouth.com.

RENEW MY CHURCH

- Renew My Church is a multi-year initiative to ensure the sustainable growth of our Church for the future. The objective of Renew My Church is to create vital, vibrant, life-giving, Catholic communities across the Archdiocese of Chicago and inspire disciples to accompany all members of our family of faith to seize this moment to make the mission of Christ our own for our time.
- All 344 archdiocesan parishes are divided into 97 groupings, which will meet over the next few years. The pastor and 3 others from each parish are part of the overall "grouping feedback and discernment team." The principal and 2 people from the school are also part of that team. St. Jerome Croatian Grouping Discernment Team: Fr. Ivica Majstorović, John Segvich, Jan Ferro, Gina Gio, Jadranka Jurić, Nevenka Jurković, Eva Mossman. They meet with other Bridgeport Grouping teams for learning and discussion sessions. They take what they've discussed back to the parish to share with the parishioners. The parishioners will be able to discuss and the team members will take that feedback back to the Grouping meetings. This will happen several times over about three months.
- During the process, the Grouping will discuss how various potential structures could serve our communities in Bridgeport, given the mission needs of the area and overall resource realities locally and across the archdiocese. Potential structures could include merging existing parishes into one parish with multiple churches, sharing a pastor or closing a site. Cardinal Cupich will make the final determination after evaluating all inputs. Please, pray for the success of Renew My Church process.

QUEEN OF HEARTS

ST. JEROME SCHOOL FUNDRAISER

This raffle is a weekly 50/50 split the pot. If your ticket is drawn and your number reveals the Queen of Hearts on the board, you are a winner. If no one wins, new tickets are purchased and the pot rolls over. Drawing is held every Sunday at 8 p.m. at Turtle's Bar & Grill (238 W. 33rd St.). Winner need not be present. Tickets (6 for \$5) can be purchased at Turtle's or at our school.



HRVATSKI DAN U CHICAGU

U petak 11. svibnja obilježavamo po 14. put Hrvatski dan. Program će se održati u središtu grada, na Daley Plaza (50 W. Washington St.), od 11 sati prije podne do 3 sata poslije podne. Želimo se i ove godine predstaviti stanovnicima Chicaga kroz umjetnost, izložbe, kulturni i zabavni program i slično.

HRVATSKI NACIONALNI JUNIORSKI NOGOMETNI TURNIR U CHICAGU

HNK Hrvat Chicago je ove godine domaćin nadolazećeg Hrvatskog nacionalnog juniorskog nogometnog turnira koji će se održati u subotu 30. lipnja i nedjelju 1. srpnja u Summit, IL (5700 S Archer Rd.).



Pozivaju se svi ljubitelji hrvatskog nogometa da doprinesu da ovaj juniorski turnir bude uspješan. Za više detalja kontaktirajte Ivicu Šimunića, Damira Čulinu ili pošaljite poruku na:

HrvatChicagoSC@gmail.com.

SAVE THE DATE

- Sunday, April 8
 - Young Adults gathering
 - Divine Mercy Chaplet at 3 p.m.
- Sunday, April 15

Mini-retreat (with Michael O'Neill)

Tuesday, April 17

First Reconciliation

Wednesday, April 18

Franciscan Spirituality Series (6/6)

• Saturday, April 21

Klub Stepinac Annual Concert

• Sunday, April 28

Book signing and meet the authors

• Sunday, May 6

Croatian Mass in Rockford, IL

• Thursday, May 10

May Crowning

• Friday, May II

Croatian Day at Daley Plaza

- Sunday, May 13
 - Mother's Day celebration (Croatian School)
 - Young Adults gathering
- Saturday, May 19

Father-Daughter Dance at St. Jerome School

• Sunday, May 20

Club Sinj Memorial Mass and Luncheon