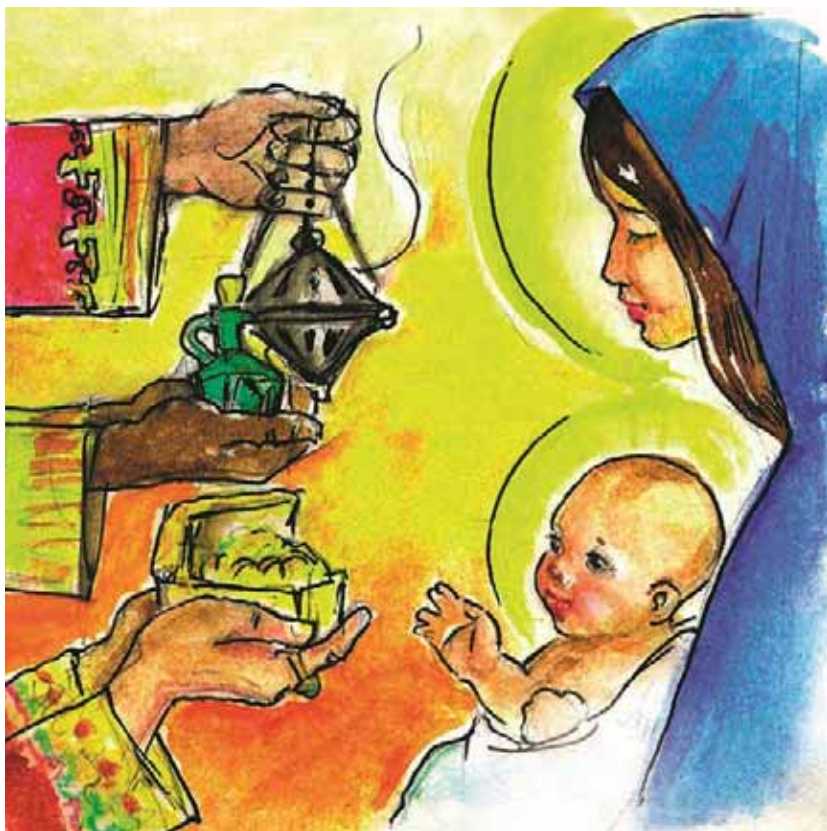


Parish Bulletin Župni Vjesnik



January 7, 2018 - 7. siječnja 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

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, January 8 - Ponedjeljak, 8. siječnja**THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD**

KRŠTENJE ISUSOVO

7:30 a.m.† Millie Ledoro *Matthew and Marla Scalise*† Ann Kavalauskas *Catherine and Nick Perisin***Tuesday, January 9 - Utorak, 9. siječnja****7:30 a.m.**† Lenny Van Hecke *Catherine and Nick Perisin*† Daniel Bajic *Catherine and Nick Perisin***Wednesday, January 10 - Srijeda, 10. siječnja****7:30 a.m.**† Skippy Parrilli *Catherine and Nick Perisin*† Maria Strmečki *Marlene and Butch Salvato***Thursday, January 11 - Četvrtak, 11. siječnja****7:30 a.m.**† Rosemary Stephens *Catherine and Nick Perisin*†† Ivo and Sofija Antuničević *Evica Vukotić***8:05 a.m.**

PRO POPULO – For all Parishioners – Za župljane

7 – 8 p.m.Eucharistic Adoration – *Euharistijsko klanjanje***Friday, January 12 - Petak, 12. siječnja****7:30 a.m.**† Jack Platt (birthday remembrance) *family*† Rosemary Stephens *Chris and Matt Pesce***Saturday, January 13 - Subota, 13. siječnja****7:30 a.m.**† Anthony LoCoco *sister in law*† Camille Kristich *Theresa Scopacasa and Jane Pivac***5:30 p.m.**† Angelina Szatkowski *Theresa Crisanti*† Vera Bozich *Michael and Rocio Halloran*† Carol "Pug" Terrazas *Hellen Segvich*† John Caruso *Mary Fratto*† Carmen Butera *Cannatello family*† George Babick *Terri and Sam Babich*†† Božo and Marija Antuničević *Evica Vukotić***Sunday, January 14 - Nedjelja, 14. siječnja****2ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

2. NEDJELJA KROZ GODINU

7:30 a.m.† John Caruso *Catherine and Nick Perisin*†† Sam and Millie Leodoro *Catherine and Nick Perisin*†† Čondić brothers and sisters *Duško***9:30 a.m.**† Vera Bozich *ONIA Women's Alliance*† Maria Strmečki *Louis and Mary Scalise*† Anastasia Kavalauskas *Gerald and Roe Catino*† Bernadette Walters *Eva Mossman*† Ivan Ivanko *daughter Vesna Krišto*† Camille Kristich *Catherine and Nick Perisin*† Jean Zekich *Ken, Jan and John Zekich*† Hon. Michael Bilandic *Ken, Jan and John Zekich*†† Adolph and Margaret Betz *family*†† Luka and Iva Majjić *Majjić family***11 a.m.**† Lovro Rudman *Martin i Marija Milković*† Theresa Nagy *Vinko i Ana Bebek*† Tanco Tancev *Tomislav Golubov i obitelj*† Štefa Šego *Zdravko i Luca Šego*† Marija Strmečki *Katica Kosić i obitelj*† Slavko Renko *Lana i Pat Cimaglia*† Antun Rudman *Dragica i Jure Rudman*† Marko Dugandžić *Zdravko i Luca Šego*† Iva Kosir *Agnes Rodich*† Iva Čubelić *suprug Nediljko*† general Slobodan Praljak *Nikola Vlastelica*† Ante Vulich *Milena i Denis*† Jakov Uremović *Paško i Iva Jakelja*†† Luka i Bisera Tomić *obitelj Tomić*†† Petar i Mara Munitić *kći Danica*†† Nevenka Mulc i obitelj *Tomo Mulc i obitelj*†† Martin i Lucija Šuper i obitelj *Mate i Anna Šuper*†† iz obitelji Jurković *Pero Erceg*†† iz obitelji Čondić *Duško*Na nakanu sv. Ante *obitelj Zukanović*Na čast bl. Alojzija Stepinca *Bože Guvo*Za zdravlje Mate Mulca *obitelj Scalise***LECTORS - ČITAČI**

5:30 a.m. – Vincent Kenny

7:30 a.m. – Luanne Munizzi; 9:30 a.m. – Diane Krolo

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

IZVANREDNI POSLUŽITELJI SV. PRIČESTI

5:30 p.m. – Nino Folino

7:30 – Rosemary Brcich; 9:30 a.m. – Joe Magyar

11 a.m. – Domagoj Paraga

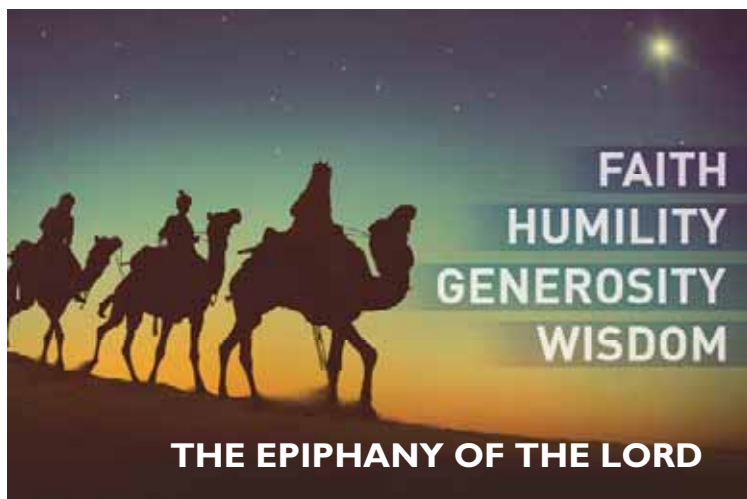
ALTAR SERVERS - MINISTRANTI

5:30 p.m. – Victoria Luna, Koki Murray

7:30 a.m. – Nicole and Nora Zeimys

9:30 a.m. – Victoria Duncan, William Ruich

11 a.m. – Dario Ivančić, Luka Ivančić, Josip Paraga, Drago Skinger



Then they opened their treasures and offered him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh. What a wonderful example the Magi give us in their visit to the infant Jesus. First of all, they demonstrate profound faith in God's word, spoken through the prophet Micah: *And you, Bethlehem ... from you shall come a ruler who is to shepherd my people Israel* (cf. 5:2). Embarking on a long and difficult journey, they trust that they will find this newborn king of the Jews in Bethlehem as the prophecy announced.

On their arrival at the home of the Holy Family, the Magi also give us an example of profound humility. These important men, to whom kings look for guidance and advice, do not hesitate to bow down, to *prostrate themselves* and give homage to a tiny babe. Putting their own position out of their minds, they reverently worship the infant Lord even as he sits on the lap of his mother.

The generosity of these three *kings* is also evident as they open their treasure boxes and give to the poor child the richest of gifts. Traditionally, we understand the gold to symbolize the earthly kingship of Christ, the frankincense to represent his divinity, and the myrrh to stand as a symbol of the anointing he will receive upon his death. Finally, the wisdom of these men is evident in their decision to return to their country *by another way*. Understanding the threat that King Herod posed to Jesus, they followed a plan that would help keep the divine child safe even though it meant inconvenience to themselves.

Faith, humility, generosity, and wisdom. These gifts are the real legacy of the Three Kings. Today, let us ask God for the blessing of having these gifts in our lives.

BOGOJAVLJENJE

- SVETA TRI KRALJA

U bogojavljenjskoj poruci glavna je stvarnost novorođeni kralj Isus Krist, na čijem se vanjskom obličju ne vide tragovi kraljevskoga dostojanstva. On stanuje u seoskoj kolibi među siromašnim ljudima. On je kralj koji nema svećanih primanja, on je skriven, gotovo stavljen u stranu. A ipak je njegovo rođenje navijestila zvijezda te dovela mudrace s Istoka s darovima, da mu se poklone. Oni su tu ne radi sebe, već da svrate pažnju na novorođenoga Kralja. On se objavljuje kao obećani Mesija, Spasitelj svih naroda. On se i danas kao Bog, čovjek i Spasitelj, želi objaviti svakome narodu i svakome pojedincu preko svoje poruke u Evanđelju, želi se objaviti i preko nas kršćana, ali to će biti moguće samo ukoliko smo prihvatili njegovu poruku i ukoliko je proživljavamo.

Uoči Bogojavljenja običava se blagosloviti voda kojom se onda škrope ljudi, predmeti i prostori prigodom blagoslova. I naše obitelji svojim životom morale bi objavljivati Krista. Blagoslov kuća morao bi biti vanjski znak da će se u obitelji živjeti kršćanskim, to jest Kristovim životom, po načelima Evanđelja. Raspelo na vidnom mjestu u stanu morali bi na vanjski način pokazivati kome obitelj pripada i tko je njezin Gospodar i Učitelj.

Mudrace s Istoka, o kojima govori sv. Matej, ne spominjući im ni imena ni broja, kasnija je predaja pretvorila u kraljeve daviši im i imena: Gašpar, Melkior i Baltazar. Poslije smrti tih triju kraljeva njihove relikvije su bile donesene u Carigrad, a odande u Milano, odakle su 1164. godine prenesene u Köln. Nad tim je relikvijama podignuta veličanstvena katedrala koja je još i danas najveći ures grada Kölna, u kojem se veoma razvilo njihovo štovanje.

OFFERTORY ENVELOPES

Boxes of offertory envelopes for year 2018 are in the entrance area of the church. Please, pick up your boxes as soon as possible. Thank you for your financial support through the year. Please, let us know if you are regular parishioner but without offertory envelopes.

CALENDARS FOR 2018

St. Jerome wall calendars for 2018 will be available soon in the entrance area of the church thanks to Michael Coletta Sons Funeral Home.

WELCOME BACK

We welcome back our school teachers, students and the entire St. Jerome School staff for the second part of this school year. We wish them much success. Classes will resume on Monday, January 8.



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 in the Parish Office starting at 12:15 p.m. Upcoming dates: January 14, February 11, March 11.

MARCH FOR LIFE CHICAGO 2018

Join thousands on Sunday, January 14, from 2 to 4 p.m. at Federal Plaza (50 W. Adams St.) as we come together from across Chicago, the Midwest and the U.S. to defend, protect and celebrate life. Speakers are: Ramona Trevino – Former Planned Parenthood Director, Author of “Redeemed by Grace”; Cardinal Blase J. Cupich – Archbishop of Chicago; Bishop Donald J. Hying – Bishop of Gary, IN; Bishop Paul – Orthodox Church of Chicago & the Midwest; Pat McCaskey – Co-owner of the Chicago Bears; Pastor Ed Stetzer – Moody Church in Chicago; Sarah Storto – Vice President of Loyola Students for Life & Students for Life of Illinois Intern.

ST. JEROME CATHOLIC SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE

St. Jerome Catholic School will begin taking registrations for the Prekindergarten and Kindergarten classes on Sunday, January 28. Register as soon as possible. We welcome you to visit after the 9:30 a.m. Mass until noon and see firsthand everything St. Jerome Catholic School has to offer to your child. For more information call the School Office at 312-842-7668. There is no better way to invest in your child's future because great beginnings last a lifetime!

ST. BLAISE FEAST (FESTA SV. VLAHA)

Dubrovnik Club is organizing the celebration of their patron saint - the feast of St. Blaise, on Saturday, February 3 in the School Hall. Door will be open at 6:30 p.m. and dinner will be served at 7 p.m. There will be music and entertainment. Welcome! Holy Mass in honor of St. Blaise will be celebrated on Sunday, February 4 at 11 a.m. in Croatian. Blessing of the throats will take place on all Masses that Sunday.

FRANCISCAN SPIRITUALITY SERIES (4/6)

The 4th session of the Franciscan Spirituality Series titled *St. Francis with the lowly and powerful* will be on Wednesday, February 21, at 7 p.m. in the St. Jerome Small Hall. The presenter will be Fr. Lawrence Frankovich, OFM PhD - West Allis, WI.

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR 2017

We will make our annual collection financial recap for 2017 ready soon. We are grateful to all of you for your generosity to our parish community year after year. Thank you for all that you do for St. Jerome Parish and for making it your home.

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.

SAVE THE DATE

- Sunday, **January 14**
 - Young Adults gathering
 - March for Life Chicago 2018
 - Saturday, **January 27**
 - Croatian School bowling party
 - Sunday, **January 28**
 - St. Jerome Catholic School Open House
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- Saturday, **February 3**
 - St. Blaise Feast - Festa sv. Vlaho
 - Sunday, **February 11**
 - Stepinčev
 - Wednesday, **February 21**
 - Franciscan Spirituality Series

PREMINULI

Ovih je dana preminuo:

- u 84. godini života, **Tomo Mulc**. Za njim ostaju: sin Vlado (Janja) Mulc; kći Zrinka (Ted) Repass; unučad: Amanda, Tommy, Neven i Erika; sestra Milka Marinac; svastika Dragica (Julio) Flanjak; šurjak Milenko Krnić; rođak Nik Flanjak te ostala rodbina. Pred njim su u vječnost već pošli supruga Nevenka r. Krnić te roditelji Jure i Manda Mulac. Tijelo +Tome je pokopano u subotu 6. siječnja, na groblju St. Mary, Evergreen Park, IL.

Neka ga Gospodin obdari svojim mirom.

ŽUPNE OMOTNICE I KALENDARI

Župne omotnice za 2018. godinu se nalaze na dnu crkve. Molimo, uzmite ih ovih dana. Ako postoje kakve tehničke pogreške ili možda još nemate svoje župne omotnice, javite se u naš župni ured.

Zahvaljujemo i ove godine pogrebnoj kući *Michael Coletta Sons* na sponzorstvu zidnih kalendara za 2015. godinu. Možete ih uzeti na dnu crkve.

BOGOJAVLJENJE (TRI KRALJA)

Danas slavimo svetkovinu Bogojavljenja ili Tri kralja. Ova svetkovina povezuje tri događaja u kojima se Bog objavio po Isusu Kristu: poklon triju poganskih mudraca (kraljeva) malom Djetetu Isusu u Betlehemu, krštenje Isusovo na Jordanu i prvo Isusovo čudo u Kani Galilejskoj.

Danas blagoslivljamo vodu i sol na spomen Isusova krštenja vodom u rijeci Jordanu. Blagoslovljenu vodu ponesite svojim kućama, čuvajte s poštovanjem i u važnim životnim prilikama tijekom godine s njome blagoslivljajte (škropite) ukućane, kuću, drugu svoju imovinu, radno mjesto i slično. Voda je znak očišćenja i ozdravljenja, a sol znak mudrosti.



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.

NOVČANI IZVJEŠTAJ

Uskoro ćemo pripremiti novčani izvještaj o darovima u godini 2017. Hvala za sve što ste učinili za našu župnu zajednicu. Hvala za sve vaše darove: župi, radijskom programu, za blagdane i Veliku Gospu, za siromašne te za ostale potrebe i događaje.

SV. MISA U ROCKFORDU

Jednom mjesečno okuplja se hrvatska zajednica u gradu Rockfordu i okolici. Sv. misa se slavi u crkvi sv. Brigitte (600 Clifford Avenue in Loves Park, Rockford) u 4 sata poslije podne. Slijedeća sv. misa je danas - u nedjelju 7. siječnja. Pošto je to vrijeme blagoslova obitelji, organizirat ćemo i pohod svećenika obiteljima i zajedničku molitvu za Božji blagoslov. Za sve pojedinosti možete se javiti Josipu Matoševiću (815-298-8218).

SUSRETI MLADIH

Jednom mjesečno mladi naše župe imaju svoj redoviti susret u Gornjoj maloj dvorani. Susret se održava danas u 1 sat poslije podne. Nadolazeći susreti: 14. siječnja, 11. veljače, 11. ožujka, 8. travnja.

FESTA SVETOG VLAHA

U subotu 3. veljače će biti proslava spomen-dana sv. Blaža (sv. Vlahe). Klub Dubrovčana organizira proslavu - festu u Velikoj dvorani s početkom u 6:30 sati navečer.. Sv. misa će biti u nedjelju 4. veljače. Blagoslov grla će biti na kraju sv. mise u subotu kao i na nedjeljnim sv. misama. Svećenik izgovara riječi: "Po zagovoru sv. Blaža biskupa i mučenika, neka te Gospodin oslobodi od bolesti grla i od svakog drugog zla. U ime Oca i Sina i Duha Svetoga. Amen." Naš narod se stoljećima utjecao zagovoru ovoga sveca, a posebice Dubrovčani koji su osobito bliski svome zaštitniku.

STEPINČEVO 2018.

Svečana proslava Stepinčeva – spomendana blaženog kardinala Alojzija Stepinca će biti u nedjelju 11. veljače. Planirajte proslaviti s nama taj veliki dan.

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 are 6 for \$5. They can be purchased at Turtle's Bar & Grill or at our school.

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.

WHAT IS RENEW MY CHURCH

Jesus Christ calls us to constantly renew His Church. Renew My Church is the Archdiocese of Chicago's response to His call and our invitation for renewal. Called by Jesus Christ we are making disciples, building communities and inspiring witness.

Renew My Church fosters belonging, particularly among young people, and invites them to have a true encounter and relationship with Jesus Christ. Renew My Church supports vibrant parishes and schools that cultivate bonds with each other and provoke active participation in His Church. Renew My Church asks us to come together in solidarity and spread the light and hope of Jesus Christ in order to transform the world.

MAKE DISCIPLES

Renew My Church fosters belonging, particularly among young people, and invites them to have a true encounter and relationship with Jesus Christ.

- Evangelize and form new and existing Catholics in faith
- Increasing vocations

BUILD COMMUNITIES

Renew My Church supports vibrant parishes and schools that cultivate bonds with each other and provoke active participation in His Church.

- Improving leadership development and support
- Increasing parish mission vitality and Catholic school mission vitality

INSPIRE WITNESS

Renew My Church asks us to come together in solidarity and spread the light and hope of Jesus Christ in order to transform the world.

- Building Solidarity



MAGAZIN U CHICAGU

Grupa Magazin će imati koncert u Joe's Live (5441 Park Pl, Rosemont, IL) u petak 9. veljače u 8:30 sati navečer. Ulaz je samo za one koji imaju 21. godinu ili više. Cijena ulaznice je \$45, a mogu se nabaviti na purlivemusic.com ili u našem župnom uredu.

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. Pogledajte: mississauga mladifest.com ili croatiancatholicityouth.com.

