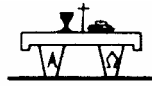


MASS INTENTIONS**Monday – Ponedjeljak, June 15, 2009**

7:30 a.m. Anđa Šipić ob. Jozo i Milena Badrov
 Bob Hanson Mucenski family
 Sam Contino Ann
 Branko Jelić (health & God's blessings) Rose Lukascyk

Tuesday – Utorak, June 16, 2009

7:30 a.m. Franziska Mora Anica Ostojić
 Joseph Čondić St. Jerome Parish Council
 Augustin Rodich M/M John Ilić

Wednesday – Srijeda, June 17, 2009

7:30 a.m. Marija Mišetić ob. Agnes Rodich
 Babetta Smith Perisin family
 Joe Bozich wife & family
 Tony (Tonch) Bozich N.N.
 Fred Siani wife

Thursday – Četvrtak, June 18, 2009

7:30 a.m. Augustin Rodich M/M Joe Grzetic
 Louis Grubisic Cabo John & Gen Botica
 Millie Bogetich Pauline, Carol, Marilyn & Joe
 Tony Contino Ann

**Friday – Petak, June 19, 2009
 Feast of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus**

7:30 a.m. Juliana Perisin Perisin family
 Tony Doria Albina & Paul Marasovich

**Saturday – Subota, June 20, 2009
 Feast of the Immaculate Heart of Mary**

7:30 a.m. Tony Tadin John Vitkovic
 Na nakanu Anđa Novak

5:30 p.m. Michael Phillips Mary Fratto
 Mike Iozzo Iozzo family
 Frank Fratto family
 Barry Babich Mom, Dad, Lisa & Chris
 Dano Maslač Stojan Maslač
 Mary DiPasquale family
 John Ferro family

Sunday – Nedjelja, June 21, 2009

7:30 a.m. Tony Tadin Butch & Marlene Salvato
 Evelyn & Sr. Bernardine Čondić Duško
 Tony Lazzari Maria
 Tony Lazzari Jr. Maria
 John Mladinov family family

9:30 a.m. God's blessings for Hailey Diana Link family
 Theresa Link family
 Frank Narel family
 Barry Babich M/M William Babich
 Nick LoCoco family
 Mike Brcich family
 Frances Doileau (née Nizetich) Mike & Christine Nizetich
 Joe Zekich Ken, Jan & John Zekich
 Lori Reilly Jan Zekich
 Mark Bozich Vera & family
 Joe Bozich wife & family
 Mary (Baba) Sucak Ann Contino
 Catherine Modrich Ann Contino
 Christopher & Chris Tukich family

11:00 a.m. u spomen

Robert Jurlina Jurlina family
 Ivan Babić Valeria Babić
 Augustin i Maria Mišetić Ante Šipić
 Ljilja Grgić Mate i Mira Mulac
 Stjepan Šego Josip Novak i ob.
 Petar i Joza Zelić i Marija Kovačević ob. Ante Zelić
 Luka i Kata i Frano Brajković ob. Neva Zelić
 Josip Lišnić obitelj
 Bud Alfirevich Toni Alfirevich family
 Ivan Kosić ob. John Kosić
 Pok. iz ob. Čondić Duško
 Pok. iz ob. Filipović i Bubalo ob. Filipović

LECTORS / EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

Sat., June 20, 5:30 p.m. Robert Cannatello Jr. /
 Jan Ferro
Sun., June 21, 7:30 a.m. Matt Pesce/Matt Pesce
Sun., June 21, 9:30 a.m. Jan Zekich/Mary Beth
 Insalaco
Sun., June 21, 11:00 a.m. Mara Kosir, Anela
 Kosić, Darko Grgić

ALTAR SERVERS:

Sat., June 20, 5:30 p.m. Bova, Garcia, Rubio
Sun., June 21, 7:30 a.m. M. Meo, R. Meo
Sun., June 21, 9:30 a.m. K. Mangan, M. Mangan,
 Nowacki,
Sun., June 21, 11:00 a.m. M. Brajković, K.
 Cikoč, A. Šušnjara, I. Babić, M. Kosir, N. Brčić

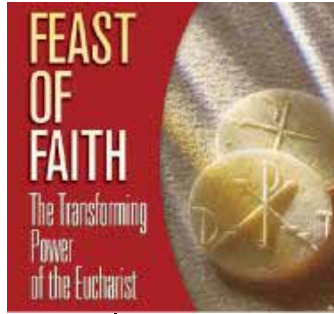
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WEEKLY MEDITATION for the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

In the fullness of time, the Father sent his only begotten Son to be our Savior, and he established a new and everlasting covenant with us. Jesus sealed the covenant in his own blood.

When we celebrate the Eucharist, we give thanks to God for the gift that Jesus made



with the Bread of Life.

But the Eucharist is not

of himself on our behalf. The Eucharist (which means "thanksgiving" in Greek) is the heart of everything. In the Eucharist Jesus nourishes us

meant to be a one-way process.

Having received from Jesus, we are expected to give something in return, not to him but to one another — unselfish giving of oneself in the service of others. Just as Jesus gave of himself unselfishly, especially on the Cross.

Being in communion with Jesus means being in unselfish communion with one another.

WISDOM'S CORNER

Before the Blessed Sacrament

Outside the church, noisy traffic flows.

People rush here and there.

But I have left that world behind,
and I am here before you, Lord.

I do not exclude my brothers and sisters.

I bring them with me,

for I know they are equally dear to you.

I have nothing,

yet I know that because I have You,

I have everything.

I close my mind and open my heart,
and so I am at peace.

Here I experience my true worth,
which consists not

in my possessions or achievements,
but in knowing that I am loved by you.

THOUGHT OF THE WEEK

"What does love look like?

It has the hands to help others,

the feet to hasten to the poor and needy,

the eyes to see misery and want, and

the ears to hear the sighs and sorrows of men."

—*St. Augustine*

Dear friends,

I read, I write, I listen, I look, and I ponder. My encounters with a variety of people almost always make me happy, and I am struck with awe at the magnitude of the human heart, but also at the depth of human folly. An encounter with a person always brings wisdom, regardless of the topic of conversation, and this is good. I worry, however, about one reality that causes me great sadness. That reality hits me whenever I sense a person's emptiness. Perhaps some people think that as a priest I am called to speak about the human spirit. This is true, but it is also everyone's duty. These weeks, as we celebrate the mysteries of our faith—the feasts of Pentecost, Holy Trinity, Corpus Christi—and as we celebrate the power of our sharing in the life of Christ, I reflect upon the place wherein the human spirit dwells.

I am afraid for the people who do not have a depth of spirit in their lives, whose spiritual dwelling place is filled, but filled with emptiness.

When we encounter Christ, we receive, we grow, we experience a reality that we never before knew existed.

Do we feel that our lives are empty, or that we are worn out? Let us take advantage of this season of summer to replenish our spiritual batteries with the power of the Holy Spirit. Let us not remain empty. Emptiness kills our spirits. Emptiness turns us into unhappy people.

Fr. Joe / JGrbes@gmail.com



The Year 2009 is the 800th year in the life of the Franciscan Friar family.

Pope Benedict is the 265th successor of St. Peter as the leader of the church founded by Jesus. **Jose Rodriguez Carballo** is the 119th successor of St. Francis of Assisi as the leader of the Franciscan Order, now numbering about 14,000 priests and brothers. Fra Jose, age 55, was re-elected last week to another 6-year term as General Minister. Please keep him in your prayers because of his heavy responsibility.

Special Second Collection for Retired Archdiocese of Chicago Priests will be taken THIS weekend at the Masses. Be generous to those who worked so hard to bring the Body and Blood of Christ to the people.

Medjugorje Anniversary Mass
28th anniversary of the
first apparition of the BVM in Medjugorje

On the 28th Medjugorje anniversary, on Thursday, June 25, a 7 p.m. Mass will be held in our church and you are invited to attend. On June 25, 1981, Our Blessed Mother first appeared to six children in the Croatian village of Medjugorje.



Fr. Charles Becker, a priest of the Archdiocese of Chicago who has made nearly 40 trips to Medjugorje, will be the guest celebrant.

Fr. Becker will speak of his devotion to Our Lady in response to her call to prayer.

Since Our Lady began appearing to the 6 children, she has given a message of peace — requesting prayer, conversion, fasting and penance for the sake of world peace. Each year St. Jerome Parish holds an anniversary Mass in Our Lady's honor, beginning with the recitation of the rosary at 6:30 p.m. Refreshments will be served in the school hall after the Mass. Please join us in prayer, worship and fellowship. May this devotion deepen our faith and lead to personal and worldwide peace.

CLUB POLJICA “Bean Bag” Tournament

For the first time in our parish, a bean bag tournament will be held on Saturday, June 27, in our new parking lot from noon until 6 p. m. This special event is sponsored by Club Poljica and everyone is welcome. For more information contact Louis Scalise (312 287 3454) or Julie Grzetich O'Connor (773 373 6152).

St. Jerome Catholic School
2nd Annual Golf Outing

Monday, June 29, 2009
 Shotgun Start @ 9:30AM
 Silver Lakes Country Club
 14750 S. 82nd Avenue
 Orland Park, IL .
 More info call: 312 636 8551
 or 312 907 0240

See the registration forms
in the back of church to register
as a sponsor or as a golfer!

Dress code...

The church is a house of prayer, meditation, and sacred encounter with the Holy Eucharist. Therefore, everyone should come to church respectfully dressed. Especially now that we are now in the summer season, make sure that when you come to church you are properly dressed in a way that reflects the spirituality, appropriateness, and modesty that represents your regard for the House of the Lord. Please take this guidance to heart!



Next weekend's special second collection is the worldwide Peter's Pence collection, through which Roman Catholics around the world donate money for the Pope, St. Peter's successor, to use for charitable causes. Thank you for your generosity.

USEFUL WEBSITES ON
THE HOLY EUCHARIST:

- 1) <http://www.usccb.org/dpp/realpresence.htm>
- 2) <http://www.therealpresence.org/eucharst/a.html>,
- 3) http://www.catholic.com/library/Real_Presence.asp