

MASS INTENTIONS**Monday – Ponedjeljak, May 17, 2010**

7:30 a.m. Josephine Hanson	Curkov family
Joe Bozich	wife & family
Vinka Kraljević	Zdravko i Luca Šego

Tuesday – Utorak, May 18, 2010

7:30 a.m. Josephine Hanson	Ika Botica
John Botica	Silvio & Elaine Martincic
Mary Ruyechan	Giggie

Wednesday – Srijeda, May 19, 2010

7:30 a.m. Rafaela Fratto	grandchildren
James Gurgone	wife & children
Joseph Bogetich (10 th Anniv.)	Pauline, Carol, Marilyn, Joe
John Marasovich	family
Na nakanu za djecu	Ana Kelava

Thursday – Četvrtak, May 20, 2010

7:30 a.m. Sam Biamonte	Rose Ann Gurgone
Pok. ob. Valentić	ob. Žigniĉ
Za duše Hrvata u čistilištu	Anica Ostojić

8:05 a.m. Pro populo – for all parishioners, living & deceased

Friday – Petak, May 21, 2010

7:30 a.m. Ann Bittner	Bittner family
Josipa Belan	Iva i Paško Jakelja
Josephine Vetos	Jim & family

Saturday – Subota, May 22, 2010

7:30 a.m. Ben Kasro	Wilkie family
Rogerio Cardero	Filipović family
Na nakanu	Luca Šego

5:30 p.m. John Fratto	nieces & nephews
Martha Depeder	Gen & + John Botica
Anthony DeGrazia	family
Michael Phillips	Mary Fratto
Maria Ann Gazzi	Gazzi family
Marko Cerina	Vera & family
John Segvich	Louis & Mary Scalise family
Marge & John Sobocan	Chris & Matt Pesce
Mary & Angelo Pesce	Chris & Matt Pesce

Sunday – Nedjelja, May 23, 2010

7:30 a.m. Evelyn & Sr. Bernadine Čondić	Duško
John Botica	Albina Marasovich & Paul
Vito Balestri	Ann Contino
Deceased of Dengler family	Gene & Emily Dengler
Deceased of Bubla family	Gene & Emily Dengler

9:30 a.m. Mary Contino
Sam Biamonte
Mary Ruyechan

Cathy Amato
Frank & Marie Balestri
Giggie

11:00 a.m.

Zvonko Banić
Jerina Lišnić
Marica Gleđ
Maša Marić
Anica Perković
Iva Dugandžić
Dumica i Ljubo Tanfara
Marija Ujčić
Jakov Klarić
Ivan i Mara Ilić
Ivan Hećimović
Pok. ob. Čondić
Pok. ob. Bralo

Jure i Milica Lišnić
Jure i Milica Lišnić
Marija Perković i ob.
Agnes Rodić
Ivan i Ines Kutleša
ob. Pero Dugandžić
Maria Diacci
Maria Diacci
supruga i djeca
ob. Marinko i Božana Ilić
ob. Jure i Marija Hećimović
Duško
Mijo i Zdenka Barun

LECTORS / EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

Sat., May 22, 5:30 p.m. Jan Ferro / J. Ferro

Sun., May 23, 7:30 a.m. Matthew Pesce / M. Pesce

Sun., May 23, 9:30 a.m. Jan Zekich / Mary Beth Insalaco

Sun., May 23, 11:00 a.m. Darko Grgić, Kristiana Jurković, Tihana Jurković

ALTAR SERVERS:

Sat., May 22, 5:30 p.m. Garcia, R. Meo, B. Wilkie

Sun., May 23, 7:30 a.m. J. Moreno, M. Wilkie

Sun., May 23, 9:30 a.m. Ciabrone, Hernandez, Insalaco

Sun., May 23, 11:00 a.m. T. Čuvalo, M. Brajković, M. Kosić, I. Paraga, L. Čosić, A. Ledić

For Rent

► Apt. vic. 31st Princeton, newly remodeled, 2 bdrm, stove, fridge, carpeting, blinds. Pay own utilities. No pets. 312 403 5311

► 3 BR Apt, 28th & Wells, \$900/mo, appliances, washer/dryer, no pets, tenant pays utilities, cred. check, 1 mo. security deposit, 708-732-0316

► Vicinity 31st Wells. Newly remodeled; central heat/AC; hardwood flrs, stove, fridge, washer/dryer. No pets. 312 225 4458 after 5 p.m.

WEEKLY MEDITATION for the Feast of the Ascension of the Lord

On the feast of the Ascension we celebrate the glorification of Jesus. Jesus, who humbly suffered and died, is risen and now reigns in glory at the right hand of the Father.

The foremost place of honor belongs by right to the only Begotten Son of God. But he set such power aside when he humbled himself by being born a human being in all things but

sin. The earthly life that he humbly led — a life of service and self-sacrificial love even unto death — was a life and death from which he emerged victorious by his resurrection.

He sought the glory of the Father. The path traveled by Jesus to glory was no easy one.



When we find ourselves going down a difficult and lonely road, we must remember that we are not truly alone. The risen Lord Jesus Christ journeys with us. And his ascension shows us the goal of our journey!

WISDOM'S CORNER

He ascended into heaven

Jesus, today is a day to celebrate!

You are enthroned,
you are powerful,
you have all authority,
and you love us!

Lord Jesus, we praise you
on this feast of hope and triumph!
We adore you, Lord,
raised up to heaven
and seated at the Father's right hand.

We praise you, Lord,
for every principality,
every power falls under your authority.

We exult in you, Jesus,
for you rule over history itself.
From your glorious throne,
you hold all of our lives in your hands.
Amen.

THOUGHT OF THE WEEK

**"For those who love one another
there is no such place as 'far away'."**

Dear friends,

A few days ago I was shown a copy of a booklet entitled "Muslim Cultural Sensitivity in Public Schools." The booklet was distributed to Chicago Public School teachers. Wow! It contains information about everything concerning Islam — their festivals, holy days, traditions, customs, etc. The publication serves as propaganda by recommending books, readings, web sites, videos, lectures, and presentations that can be used to teach about Islam and Muslims — in *public school* classrooms — including a one-sided history of how Christians killed Muslims.

Everything in the booklet is presented nicely, and worded so that you simply can't wait to become acquainted with Muslim culture. You can't wait to find a mosque and ask to be received as a repentant infidel. All the arguments and the so-called "facts" about Islam and the Muslims are so positively presented that you might think it is written by someone who just received the Nobel Prize.

And so this is what is going on in our public schools, and you still want to send your kids to a Chicago public school? Good luck. At the same time, any Christian who happens to be a teacher in the public schools is not allowed to mention God, Christ, or (God forbid) his or her faith. Are we crazy? Where are we headed? Who is behind this agenda? Do you even know about it?

If you have a child in the Chicago Public School system, do you know what they are allowed to teach your child? You'd better find out soon.

Your Father Joe jgrbes@gmail.com





At the recent Parish Council meeting, in a discussion about the 100th anniversary of St. Jerome Parish, that will be celebrated in 2012, it was decided that a pilgrimage to the Holy Land would be organized. This trip would take place during the first half of November of 2011, which is 18 months from now. We will visit the most sacred places of our Catholic faith: Bethlehem, Nazareth, Capernaum, Jerusalem, Galilee, and others. The cost of the trip will be about \$3,000.00, for approximately 10 days. The price and dates will be confirmed as soon as we know the details of the trip. Included in the cost are the airfare, hotel accommodations, buses, daily breakfast and dinner, and all the sights of the Holy Land. This is a once in a lifetime pilgrimage. All who are interested in making this special journey should notify us as soon as possible.

Church attire and behavior...

There is a place that deserves our respect and dignity. Many people have an innate sense of this regard for holy places. Many people know how they should act in church, but not all!

Therefore, since the weather is growing warmer and summertime is near, please be mindful and considerate of what is proper attire and behavior in church, especially at Mass. The manner in which we dress and the ways we conduct ourselves are important!

MARIAN SOCIETY MEETING.....Sunday, May 23, at 12:30 Noon in the 2nd floor small hall. All members are asked to attend.

Velika Gospa meeting: The first meeting for planning our annual Velika Gospa celebration will be Thursday, May 20 at 7:30 p.m. in the Small Hall. All who participate in organizing our Velika Gospa celebrations and all who would like to participate for the first time this year should come. All are welcome!

St. Jerome Events

Save the date and join us!

Sunday, May 16, Croatian American Day: Classical guitarist guest from Split: Concert at the University of Chicago's International House, 6 p.m. Free admission.

Monday, May 17, Chicago Cultural Center (Michigan Ave.) Book Presentation: *Croatians of Chicagoland* from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. Bill Kurtis (Investigative Reports), Toni Kukoc (Chicago Bulls), Bill Rancic ("The Apprentice" show), Chris Zorich (Chicago Bears) and others will be in attendance. Free event, but passes needed.

Wednesday, May 19, St. Jerome School Spring Music Show at 7 p.m.

Sunday, May 23, St. Jerome Church, 1 p.m., Club Sinj annual memorial Mass & luncheon.

Thursday, May 27, Kindergarten graduation at 7 p.m.

Saturday, May 29, 8th Grade Graduation.

Sunday, May 30, Farewell reception for our former Custos, Fr. Marko Puljic.

St. Jerome Annual Golf Outing

Please reserve the date:

Monday, June 28. Silver Lakes Country Club in Orland Park. This annual Outing goes to help our School Projects.

■ \$130.00 (18-hole course includes golf cart, lunch, dinner & open bar.)

■ \$80.00 (9-hole course includes golf cart, lunch, dinner & open bar.)

Forms are in the back of our church.

Please join us to help our school.

Mark your calendars for the St. Jerome School Students' Spring Show, featuring songs from Disney and Broadway productions such as "The Sound of Music," "Joseph & the Amazing Technicolor Dream Coat" and "The Music Man." Wednesday, May 19 at St. Jerome Church at 7 p.m.

Please pray as a family — every night between 6 & 7 p.m.