

MASS INTENTIONS**Monday – Ponedjeljak, September 12, 2011**

7:30 a.m. Ivan Žužić Zdenko Hrvojević i ob.
William Ruyechan Paul & Kathy Krstulovich
Na nakanu ob. Vukašin Ljubica Vukašin

Tuesday – Utorak, September 13, 2011

7:30 a.m. Joseph DiPiazza Mary & Louis Scalise
Fannie Marasso Ron & Rosemary Marasso
Marta Magnan Joe & El Grzetich family
In thanksgiving N.N.

**Wednesday – Srijeda, September 14, 2011
Triumph of the Holy Cross – Uzvišenje sv. Križa**

7:30 a.m. Bob Hanson Michelle & Brian
Joseph DiCarlo daughters
Mary Romano Joe & El Grzetich
Na nakanu Milijana Vlastelica

**Thursday – Četvrtak, September 15, 2011
Our Lady of Sorrows – Gospa Žalosna**

7:30 a.m. Križan Morić Agnes Rodich & fam.
Mary & Angelo Pesce Chris & Matt Pesce

8:05 a.m. Branko Draženović Catherine & Nick Perisin

Friday – Petak, September 16, 2011

7:30 a.m. Ana Schurla Pete & Sandy Schurla
Ann Kotarac Ann Contino
Health of Mary Vaccarello Wally & Grace Gusich
Health of Jeanie Belmonti Wally & Grace Gusich

**Saturday – Subota, September 17, 2011
Stigmata of St. Francis – Rane sv. Frane**

7:30 a.m. Ann Kotarac Cathy Grcevic
William Ruyechan Jan & Rich Ferro

5:30 p.m. Dolly Vari Cannatello family
Louis & Mary "Peggy" Bajich Debbie & Joe Magyar
Joe Bozich wife and family
Pauline Munizzi Joe & Dominick Sperando
Mary Ann Romano Mike and Geri Alebich
Dec. of Thompson and Iozzo fam. Iozzo fam.

Sunday – Nedjelja, September 18, 2011

7:30 a.m. Jim & Libra Balestri Ann Contino
Evelyn, Sr. Bernardine & Jozo Čondić Duško
Leo & Jay Cosentino Ann Contino
Mickey Rose Nardi Mr. & Mrs. Angelo Ciaravino
Ignatia Capone Ron & Rosemary Marasso

9:30 a.m. Maria & Jose Tadeo Majic family
Josephine & Gene Pelletier Jan & Ken Zekich
Barbara Zaninovich Vulich family
Pauline Munizzi Giggie
Jay Rogosich Maria and Miriam Rodriguez

11:00 a.m. – u spomen

Velimir Kirinić ob. Ivica Penavić
Lucija i Mile Prša Josip i Kata Bajzec
Mara Runac Seka Rupčić i ob.
Bariša Šipić Ante Šipich
Augustin Rodich Mr. & Mrs. Petar Žaper
Pavao Plukavec Venessa Krpan
Ivan Žužić kći Željka Adelmann i ob.
Biserka Marušić Tomica i djeca
Jakov Klarić (3rd Anniv.) supruga i djeca
Steven Brajković Marija Lišnić i ob.
Pok. ob. Čondić Duško
Pok. ob. Lončar ob. Lončar
Pok. ob. Jurilj ob. Lončar

LECTORS / EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Sat., Sept. 17, 5:30 p.m. Mary Fratto / Jan Ferro
Sun., Sept. 18, 7:30 a.m. Matt Pesce / Matt Pesce
Sun., Sept. 18, 9:30 a.m. Sonia Antolec / Ellen Ryan
Sun., Sept. 18, 11:00 a.m. Darko Grgić, Marko Mamić, Anđela Bajić

ALTAR SERVERS

Sat., Sept. 17, 5:30 p.m. Bova, Valenti, Wilkie
Sun., Sept. 18, 7:30 a.m. Balazs, Ciambrone
Sun., Sept. 18, 9:30 a.m. Meo, Nowacki, Sandoval
Sun., Sept. 18, 11:00 a.m. M. Kosir, M. Golub, A. Ledić, L. Kutleša

Wedding Banns

Bridget Bertucci and Rosario Bruno (III)
Rachel Erceg and Stephen Bryant (II)
Adriana Perovich and Jeffrey Johnson (I)

For Rent:

- ▶ **4-room house for rent: 249 W. 27th**, 2 bdrms, porch, hdwd flrs, appl, incl wash mach, dryer; cntrl AC & heat! Ref & Sec. Dep. req; yard, storage, pkg. 708-567-1591
- ▶ **3 Bedrm Apt**, 6 rms, 3418 Lowe. 773-315-4748
- ▶ **Apt. 29th Shields**, 5 rms, 2 bdrm, just painted, new carpeting, central heat & a/c, ceiling fans, blinds. 312-593-2864.
- ▶ Apt. 2-Bdrm, Dining Rm, front rm, kitchen. 312-282-0097
- ▶ **Apt. 29th & Shields**, 4 room, 2 bdrms, newly remodeled. Call 312 225 2952.
- ▶ **Apt. 33rd Lowe**, 5-Rm, 3 Bdrm., h/w flrs, Appliances, \$975 plus utilities & sec. 773-852-4244
- ▶ **Apt. 3030 S. Princeton**, 3rd flr., rear, 4 room, 2 bdrms, 1 bath, fully remodeled, hardwood flrs, stove & fridge, 312-671-0308

Health Fair

Mercy Hospital & Medical Center in partnership with ATI Ambulance invites you and your family to a Health Fair!

Sunday, September 11, 2011
After Masses beginning at 7:30am
St. Jerome Parish
2801 S. Princeton

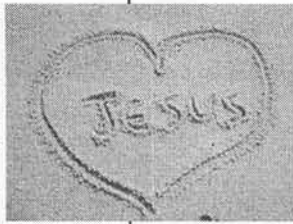
Mercy Hospital staff will be providing FREE health screenings including cholesterol, diabetes and blood pressure and ATI is showing off their new, state-of-the-art emergency medical rig! Interact with ATI staff and find out what it's like to be an EMT or paramedic.

Come out on Sunday with your family and join us for a few hours of fun and wellness.



WEEKLY MEDITATION for the 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

The main thing in Jesus' life (and it ought to be in ours too) was love, love for God the Father. There was an indestructible energy in him making him love more and more. He knew that the Father's purpose for the world was love, and he was shot through with



it. He knew that God's action in the world was for the world to love more and more, and he was transparent to it. In Jesus, who is truly God and truly human, the Father's love was translated into human terms that we can understand. Jesus gave

his life completely to doing the Father's will. The Gospel changes what is possible for all human beings: in and through Jesus, we are able to give and receive real love. Jesus shows us an expansiveness, an unlimited capacity for giving. His living of love brought an unlimited peace to the whole world.

WISDOM'S CORNER

9/11/2001 — 9/11/2011



This Sunday we remember all of the people killed in the attacks, all those who were injured,

and all their families.

We hold them in our hearts, and we pray for them.

- ◆ 2966 people were killed that day, September 11, 2001
- ◆ 247 passengers and crew members died in four planes
- ◆ 343 New York Firefighters lost their lives
- ◆ 23 New York Police officers died
- ◆ 1,609 people lost a spouse on 9/11
- ◆ More than 3,051 children lost parents

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THOUGHT OF THE WEEK

"Even if the forces of darkness appear to prevail, those who believe in God know that evil and death do not have the final say."

— Blessed Pope John Paul II, Sept. 12, 2001

Dear Friends,

Ten years ago, an event happened that we call 9/11 or September 11th. On that day, many people were killed in three areas – New York, Washington, D.C. and Pennsylvania. People all over the world were saddened that day because of all the death and destruction that occurred. In this weekend's Holy Masses, we will remember all those who died in the attacks, all those who were injured, and all their families. We hold them in our hearts, and we pray for them.

But on that sad day, something else happened, something good. We human beings opened our hearts and loved one another openly and freely that day. Parents kissed their children and said, "I love you." Teenagers called their grandparents to say, "I love you." Friends gathered to reassure one another and give hugs. People who don't often go to church went to church to pray for the victims and their families.

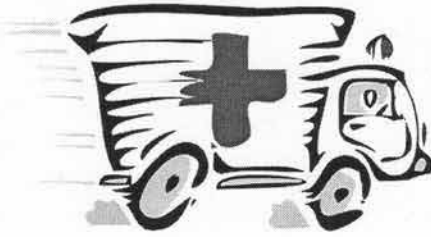
People were extraordinarily nice to each other, even to strangers. In New York City, the owners of shoe stores gave away sneakers to women who were walking home after the attacks who had only high-heeled shoes. Grocery store owners gave away free bottles of water to people who were thirsty. News reporters, who usually just reported the story, started giving hugs to the people they were interviewing. All over the country, people rushed to the Red Cross to donate blood, knowing that the injured would need it. People from many countries around the world sent expressions of concern and sympathy to U.S. leaders. Some nations sent rescue workers to work side by side with U.S. responders, and there are many more stories of how people acted with compassion. On that dark day, we turned to one another and showed love, helping out strangers and anyone in need. Can we do it again?

Your Father Joe — jgrbes@gmail.com



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CCD Registration this Sunday

Registration for CCD will be held Sunday, Sept. 11 between 9:30 am and noon in the school hall.

It is important that our children attend catechism classes continuously in order to receive the sacraments. We urge parents to take this responsibility seriously as we all try to do our best to raise our children in the faith.

CCD classes begin Sunday, September 25.

The Old Neighborhood Italian American Club and Women's Alliance will be honoring their 263 deceased members with their Annual Memorial Mass **this coming Saturday, Sept. 17** at Santa Lucia Church, 3022 S. Wells St., at the 5 p.m. Mass. All are welcome. Refreshments will be served after Mass at the Old Neighborhood Italian American Club, 3031 S. Shields Ave.

Mass for Wedding Anniversaries

On Sunday, Sept. 25, we will again celebrate the anniversaries of couples joined in the Sacrament of Matrimony who, in 2011, are celebrating their 5th, 10th, 15th, 20th, 25th, etc. Please call the rectory to renew your vows before the Lord at the 9:30 Mass.

CORRECTION: In last week's roundup of credits for Velika Gospa, we omitted Bobby Cannatello Jr. Our thanks go out to him and to all of our workers for their dedicated contributions!

Thanks for sharing your soles!

"Dear St. Jerome people: You have changed the world by your support of Share Your Soles. We are deeply grateful for your support. Thank you for your contribu-



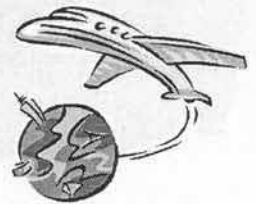
tion of 25 large bags of gently worn shoes. Know that every pair of shoes you collect, another person's life is literally transformed. Shoes prevent disease. Shoes allow attendance at work or school, even may break the cycle of poverty. Let's continue our work as a team. Since we can't walk in their shoes, let them walk in ours."

Mona Purdy

Founder & Executive director of "Share your Soles"

New York Conference

Fr. Joe will take part at the Peace conference in upstate New York next weekend. He will be gone between Friday and Sunday nights.



'First Mass' in Montreal, Canada for our newly ordained priest

Fr. Tomislav Pek, ofm, of our Croatian Franciscan Custody of the U.S. and Canada, has his First Mass in his hometown of Montreal this weekend. Please pray for Fr. Tomislav, who has been at St. Jerome's several times, as he enters evermore deeply into his ministry as a new Franciscan priest.



Fr. Ivan went to Montreal to celebrate with Fr. Tomislav, who is our Custody's first home-grown new priest since Fr. Ivan in 2005.

Continue to pray intensely for vocations!