

Parish Bulletin

Župni Vjesnik

August 25, 2013 - 25. kolovoza 2013.



St. Jerome Croatian Catholic Parish
Hrvatska katolička župa sv. Jeronima

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Croatian Franciscan Friars

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YEAR OF FAITH²⁰¹²
2013



GODINA VJERE²⁰¹²
2013

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

Posjeta 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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Hrvatski Katolički Radio

Glas župe sv. Jeronima

Subotom od 10 do 11 sati (750 AM)

Croatian Catholic Radio

Voice of St. Jerome's

Saturday, 10 to 11 a.m. on 750 AM

Monday, August 26 - *Ponedjeljak, 26. kolovoza*

7:30 a.m.

† Josie Hanson *Michelle and Brian*
 † Marty Kraslen *Frano and Carol Marasovich*

Tuesday, August 27 - *Utorak, 27. kolovoza*
 St. Monica – *sv. Monika*

7:30 a.m.

† Sam F. Madia *sons*
 † Margaret Marcello *Pace family*

Wednesday, August 28 - *Srijeda, 28. kolovoza*
 St. Augustin – *sv. Augustin*

7:30 a.m.

† Vinka Turčinović *Ante i Neva Zelić*
 † Karmila Knezović *Božo i Stoja Kosir*

Thursday, August 29 - *Četvrtak, 29. kolovoza*
 The Passion of Saint John the Baptist
Smrt Ivana Krstitelja

7:30 a.m.

† Mary Ciaravino DiPasquale *family*
 † John Kostovich *Patrick Riley*

7 – 9 p.m.

Eucharistic Adoration – *Euharistijsko klanjanje*Friday, August 30 - *Petak, 30. kolovoza*

7:30 a.m.

† Mary Čondić *Mario i Mare Romanović*
 † Mary Iacullo *Marion*

Saturday, August 31 - *Subota, 31. kolovoza*

7:30 a.m.

† Kay Borovina *Milica Borković*
 Za duše u čistilištu *Nevenka Soldo*

5:30 p.m.

† JoAnn Passarelli *Giggie*
 † Karmila Knezović *Rich and Jan Ferro*
 † Marty Kraslen *Mary Fratto*
 † Jane Haptas *family*
 † Ivan Badrov *Marija Mišerda*
 † John Kraslen *Petar i JoAnn Pešo*
 Na čast bl. Alojzija Stepinca *N.N.*

Sunday, September 1 - *Nedjelja, 1. rujna*22ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

22. NEDJELJA KROZ GODINU

7:30 a.m.

† John "Ish" Botica *Gen*
 † Marty Kraslen *Matt and Anna Babich*
 † Mary Woratschek *sestra Ana*
 †† Evelyn, Sr. Bernardine and Jozo Čondić *Duško*

9:30 a.m.

† Tonka Scalise *Scalise family*
 † Jean Zekich *Krn, Jan and John Zekich*
 † JoAnn Passarelli *Kathy Krstulovich*
 † Louie Zaninovich *Fran Sabia*
 †† Carmen, Carmella and Tommy LaPapa *daughter*
 11 a.m.

† Josip Armić *Henrik i Mila Solina*
 † Ante Kosir *Božo i Stoja Kosir i obitelj*
 † Ilija Pavljašević *Giggie*
 † Marija Žuljević *Tomislav Lišnić i obitelj*
 † Ivan Grdić *Jerko i Ruža Šumera*
 † Ivan Lerotić *Ljubica and Tim McCartney*
 † Karmila Knezović *Perica i Marija Dušević*
 † Ivan Cvitanović *Marija Perković*
 † Maria Diacci *Iva Šipić i obitelj*
 † Kristina Dikmanas *obitelj Žignić*
 † Milan Žolo *obitelj Žolo*
 † Rozalija Galić *suprug i kći s obitelji*
 † Ivica Vaniš *obitelj Vaniš*
 † Frank Crnković *Duško i Jadranka Kraljević*
 † Zvonko Čabo *Louis and Mary Scalise and family*
 †† Ljubo i Dumica Tanfara *djeca*
 †† Frank i Maria Cecchini *Bruno i Jasna*
 †† iz obitelji Čondić *Duško*

LECTORS - ČITAČI

5:30 p.m. – Robert Cannatello Jr.

7:30 a.m. – Emmett Turney

9:30 a.m. – Michael Passarelli

11 a.m. – Darko Grgić, Deni Grgić, Mario Pehar

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION
IZVANREDNI POSLUŽITELJI SV. PRIČESTI

5:30 p.m. – Jan Ferro

7:30 a.m. – Rosemary Brcich

9:30 a.m. – MaryBeth Insalaco

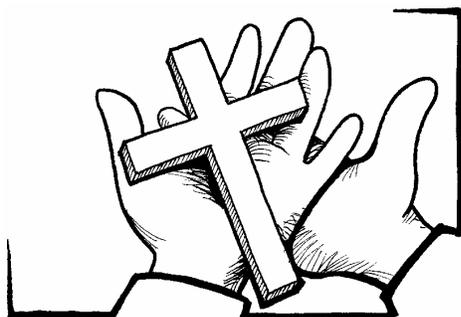
11 a.m. – Tomislav Šulentić

ALTAR SERVERS - MINISTRANTI

5:30 p.m. – Isabella Wroblewski, Olivia Wroblewski

7:30 a.m. – Francesca Bertucci, Michael Passarelli

9:30 a.m. – Natalia Ruich, Zach Sandoval, John Zekich

11 a.m. – Nikola Brčić, Ante Ledić, Adriana Hostićka,
Michael Karačić, Darko Grgić Jr.

21ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

State fairs are famous for their many contests. The best cow, the best pig, the best sheep are hailed as "Grand Champions." The best cake, the best raspberry jam, the finest pickles, and the most delectable pie are awarded blue ribbons. Cheese and butter, honey and maple syrup, fruits and vegetables, agricultural products of all kinds win prizes of distinction based on criteria for their category. Hand-crafted items are also entered into competition, and ribbons won displayed on the home mantle. While almost anyone can enter one of these contests, there is only one blue ribbon, only one grand champion.



In Sunday's Gospel we hear Jesus respond to a question posed to him about the number who will be saved. One of the tenets of our faith concerns the universal salvific will of God, that is, God wants everyone to be saved. But God has also given humankind free will, meaning that people have a choice in accepting God's invitation to salvation. For those of us who are believers, it can be difficult to comprehend that someone would not want to enjoy eternal life. But that is a choice that God offers, and the Gospel this Sunday reinforces the idea that being saved is more than just a casual acquaintance with Jesus.

Like a competition at the state fair, there are criteria for entering the kingdom of God. They are not mysterious. There is not some secret code that we need to know. What is needed is clearly spelled out just like the rules for entering a pie or jar of canned peaches. We need to love God. We need to listen to his word. We need to be compassionate toward others. We need to love our neighbor. The difference between these criteria and entering a state fair contest is that there is always more than one grand champion in the Christian life. Everyone who follows faithfully gets a blue ribbon.

21. NEDJELJA KROZ GODINU

Pripadati zajednici, bilo izraelskoj ili Crkvi, ne osigurava spasenje. Današnja liturgijska čitanja nas pozivaju na obraćenje i djelovanje. Pravovjerje bez pravog življenja ne spašava. Vjera se ne prenosi riječima, već djelima, životom. Prvo čitanje nam otvara neočekivana obzorja sveopćeg spasenja. Odlomak spada među najljepše bisere u knjizi Izaije proroka. Svi puci i jezici vidjet će Slavu Jahvinu. "Preživjeli" vjerni Ostatak nakon babilonskog izgnanstva naviještati će Slavu narodima u Taršišu, Putu, Ludu, Mošeku, Rošu i Tubalu, Javanu, k dalekim otocima. Znači, zahvaćen je cijeli tada poznati svijet. Oni će doći da prinesu prinos u Domu Jahvinu. Vrhunac u ovom proroštvu: "Gospodin će uzeti sebi između njih svećenike i levite". Najavljuje se novo svećeništvo, ne po krvi i baštinjeno, već po pozivu, karizmi, kao dioništvo u Kristovom svećeništvu. Izrael mora biti svjetlo narodima.

Na pitanje: "Gospodine, je li malo onih koji se spašavaju?", Isus odgovara kako to nije važno, a navodi što treba činiti da se spasiš. Svima upravlja riječ: "Borite se da uđete na uska vrata." Poziva na duhovnu, moralnu borbu. Traži se napor. I kad se vrata zatvore, kucat će oni koji se ne spašavaju. I oni pokazuju izvjesni napor, ali taj je uzaludan.

Oni koji su ostali "vani" pozivaju se da su s Isusom jeli i pili, slušali njegove propovijedi na svojim trgovima. Isus im upravlja teške riječi: "Ne znam odakle ste. Odstupite od mene, svi zlotvori!". To su oni koji su odbili Krista i drugima zabranili pristup. "Plač i škrgut zubi" slika je boli i patnje u paklu. Podsjeća nas to na Isusov pravorijek na sudu: "Odlazite od mene, prokleti, u oganj vječni, pripravljen đavlu i anđelima njegovim!"

Kome Isus upravlja ove riječi? Povijesno Židovima, kojima želi prodrmati lažnu sigurnost da pripadnost izabranom narodu sama po sebi osigurava spasenje. Prorok gleda u duhu kako sa svih strana svijeta dolaze pogani, i zasjest će za stol u kraljevstvu Božjemu. I ovi posljednji bit će prvi.

Ali ove riječi su upravljene i učenicima i svim vjernicima koji se hrane euharistijskom hranom i slušaju Kristovu riječ, ali ne žive po njoj. Isus želi i nama prodrmati lažne sigurnosti. Ulaze kroz uska vrata u kraljevstvo Božje oni koji žive u skladu s Božjom voljom, koji prihvaćaju bližnjega ne samo kao nužno zlo, već kao sputnika, brata, pa i onoga koji im ide na živce, koji usklađuju svoj život sa zahtjevima ljubavi prema Bogu i bližnjemu.

THANK YOU

Thanks to our parishioners who organized the 10th Annual Velika Gospa Golf Tournament. All the profit from these golf tournaments go to help orphanages and children in need. The Golf Tournament was held on Sunday, August 18, in Plainfield, IL. Thanks to all the golfers, sponsors, and all the donors for their generosity. Special thanks to the men who organized this: Ivan, Miro, Josip, John and Zvonimir.

VELIKA GOPSA RAFFLE WINNERS

- 1ST PRIZE - \$20,000
Paulette Damico
- 2nd prize - \$5,000
Tommy Zoretić
- 3rd prize - \$1,000
Alva & Anthony Lambre
- 4th prize - \$1,000
John Romano
- 5th prize - \$1,000
Venessa Krpan
- 6th prize - \$1,000
Michael Passarelli
- 7th prize - \$1,000
Charles Marino

Congratulations to all. Big thanks to all of you who bought or sold raffle tickets.

CCD REGISTRATIONS

Registration for CCD (religion) classes will be in our School Hall on Sunday, September 15, from 9:30 a.m. to noon. The annual tuition: one student \$65; two or more students from the same family \$85. There is a \$20 per student book fee. The late registration fee is \$75. Let our start of the new CCD year be a success.

GUESTS FROM CROATIA

As part of the cultural program of Club Poljica, the Klapa Pasika will come to Chicago. They will have a concert on Friday, September 6, at 7:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall. After the concert refreshments and music will take place. The price per ticket is \$20.

Accompanying the Klapa will be Mate Uzinić, bishop of Dubrovnik. Bishop Uzinić will celebrate the 11 a.m. Mass on Sunday, September 8. After the Mass a luncheon will take place in our Hall. The ticket price is again only \$20.

Should you wish to purchase both the concert and luncheon tickets, the cost is discounted to \$35. Tickets can be purchased at the Parish Office or at Louis Scalise (312)287-3454, Julie Grzetich (773)373-6152 or Mate Kovačević (847)673-5465.

Four years ago, Club Poljica sponsored Klapa Lišnjak in coming and performing in Chicago and it was a great success. So again, Club Poljica is appealing to all of us to help make this event successful.

WEDDING BANNERS NAJAVA VJENČANJA

- 11) Julius Barrutia & Iva Prša
- 11) Denis John Stašić & Vanessa Cabrales
- 1) Ante P. Kosir & Jacqueline T. Divito
- 1) Patrick Fitzpatrick & Stephanie Bertucci

LET US PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED

John J. Kraslen, 81. Uncle of Joseph, Steven, Martin, Mary Kaminski, and Michael Kraslen. He was buried on Friday, August 23, at Resurrection Cemetery. May he rest in peace.

ARE YOU READY FOR SOME FOOTBALL?

Football-Mania returns to St. Jerome for another season! Tickets for this fun-filled raffle are on sale now for \$20 each and are valid for the entire 17 week NFL football season. Your ticket gives you 11 chances to win a share of \$900 in weekly prize money for the entire season. What better odds could you ask for? The season kicks off Thursday, September 5, so purchase your tickets before it's too late. Don't be a benchwarmer - get in the game. Get your tickets by contacting Pauline Dengler (312)375-5416, Jan Ferro (312)225-9751 or the St. Jerome School Office (312)842-7668. All proceeds benefit the students of St. Jerome School.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

Each year our parish celebrates wedding anniversaries with a special Mass, which will be celebrated on Sunday, September 22 at 9:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. Please, let us know which anniversary you are celebrating (5th, 10th, 15th...). These days it is especially important to acknowledge your marriage vows - your promises to each other and God. Therefore, please, take this event seriously and contact us at the Parish Office.

SAVE THE DATE

- Friday, September 6
Concert of Klapa "Pasika" from Poljica
- Sunday, September 8
Holy Mass and luncheon with Mate Uzinić, bishop of Dubrovnik
- Sunday, September 15
CCD Registration
- Sunday, September 22
Wedding Anniversaries
- Sunday, September 29
Marian Society Luncheon

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- Saturday, October 5
Marian Society Pilgrimage (Mini Retreat)
 - Saturday, October 12
100th birthday of Theresa Nagy
 - Sunday, October 13
Sacred Heart Croatian Parish 100 Anniversary

ZAHVALA

Velika hvala svima koji su sudjelovali na 10. do-brotvornom golfskom turniru *Velika Gospa*. Sav prihod odlazi za sirotišta i djecu u Domovini. Ovogodišnji turnir je održan u nedjelju 18. kolovoza u Plainfieldu, IL. Hvala svim golferima, sponzorima i dobročiniteljima. Hvala osobito Ivanu, Miri, Josipu, Johnu i Zvonimiru i ostalima koji su pomogli da je i ovogodišnji turnir bio uspješan.

DOBITNICI NAGRADA

- 1. NAGRADA - \$20,000
Paulette Damico
- 2. nagrada - \$5,000
Tommy Zoretić
- 3. nagrada - \$1,000
Alva & Anthony Lambre
- 4. nagrada - \$1,000
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- 6. nagrada - \$1,000
Michael Passarelli
- 7. nagrada - \$1,000
Charles Marino

Čestitamo svima. Velika hvala svima koji su kupili ili prodali svoje lutrijske karte.

SV. MISA U ROCKFORDU

Jednom mjesečno okuplja se hrvatska zajednica grada Rockforda i okolice. Sv. misa se slavi u crkvi sv. Brigitte (600 Clifford Avenue in Loves Park) u 4 sata poslije podne. Sljedeća sv. misa će biti u nedjelju 1. rujna.

GOSTI IZ DOMOVINE

U petak 6. rujna ćemo imati priliku ugostiti klapu Pasika iz Poljica. Oni će održati koncert u našoj Školskoj dvorani s početkom u 7 sati navečer. Ulaznice su \$20.



U nedjelju 8. rujna sv. misu u 11 sati će predvoditi dubrovački biskup msgr. Mate Uzinić, koji je rodom iz Poljica. Nakon sv. mise, priređuje se zakuska u dvorani. Ulaz na zakusku je \$20. Ukoliko želite biti prisutni na oba događaja, nabavite zajedničku ulaznicu za \$35. Klapa Pasika i biskup Uzinić dolaze na poziv Kluba Poljica koji preko 50 godina ustrajno promiče povezanost s Domovinom.

HRVATSKA ŠKOLA KARDINAL STEPINAC

Hrvatska škola Kardinal Stepinac započinje svoju novu školsku godinu. Prvi dan nastave će biti u subotu 7. rujna. Nastava se održava subotom od 8:30 sati ujutro do 12:15 sati poslije podne. Upišite svoju djecu što prije.

Hrvatska škola traži nove učitelje i učiteljice hrvatskog jezika. Ukoliko ste zainteresirani, javite se članovima odbora Hrvatske škole ili izravno fra Ivici.

PREMINULI

Ovih je dana u Domovini preminuo:

- u Rtini kod Zadra, u 81. godini, Ive Tabar, brat našeg župljanina Pave Tabra.

Neka ga Gospodin obdari svojim mirom.

UPIS ZA VJERONAUČ

Uskoro započnemo s novom vjeronaučnom godinom. Upis za djecu 3., 4. i 5. razreda će biti u nedjelju 15. rujna u Školskoj dvorani i to od 9:30 sati ujutro do podne. Upis za djecu 1., 2., 6., 7. i 8. razreda će biti u Župnom uredu već od nedjelje 1. rujna.

PROSLAVA OBLJETNICA BRAKA

Svi parovi koji ove godine slave obljetnicu braka (5., 10., 15...) neka se jave u Župni ured da bi u nedjelju 22. rujna, pod sv. misom u 11 sati, mogli obnoviti svoje bračne zavjete i dobiti poseban blagoslov. Ovom proslavom bračni parovi svjedoče da su bračna ljubav i vjernost doista mogući i lijepi. Molit ćemo i za one brakove koji su u krizi.

50. HRVATSKI NOGOMETNI TURNIR

HNNK Zrinski Chicago je domaćin Hrvatskog nogometnog turnira koji će se održati po 50. put. Turnir će se održati od 30. kolovoza do 1. rujna u Waukegan Sports Park. Na turniru će nastupiti 21 hrvatski nogometni klub iz Kanade i SAD-a.

"ST. JEROME CROATIAN CATHOLIC CHURCH: AN AUTHENTIC CHICAGO STORY FOR OVER 100 YEARS..." I "HISTORIC CROATIAN LANDMARKS OF CHICAGOLAND"

U Župnom uredu možete nabaviti dva nova zanimljiva projekta Marije Dugandžić-Pašić:

1) Knjiga "St. Jerome Croatian Catholic Church: an authentic Chicago story for over 100 years..." u dvije veličine. Cijena velike knjige je \$69 a male \$39;

2) Karta "Historic Croatian Landmarks of Chicagoland" prikazuje 33 najznačajnija hrvatska mjesta u Chicagu i okolici. Cijena je \$10.

FOR RENT – IZNAJMLJUJE SE

► Apt. 29th & Shields, 5 rooms, 2 bedrooms, just painted, new carpeting, central heat & a/c, ceiling fans, blinds. Call 312-593-2864.

► Apt. 4 room, 3010 S. Princeton, 1st or 2nd floor. \$750 + one month security. 1 Year lease, no pets. Call 630-734-155.

► 2 BEDROOM APARTMENT WANTED! None smoking married couple. No pets. Prefer updated with hardwood floors, central heat + air, laundry etc. Call 312-949-9629.



FIVE FAITH-FILLED LESSONS THAT SPORTS CAN TEACH YOU

Whether it's exclamation of "Thank You, Jesus!" after winning the championship or witnessing an entire team praying in support of an injured player, God's presence is experienced in sports. From little league diamonds and Friday Night Lights, to marathons and floor routines, here are 5 faith-filled lessons that sports can teach you.



1) THERE'S ALWAYS HOPE. JUST ASK THE CUBS.

...affliction produces endurance, and endurance, proven character, and proven character, hope, and hope does not disappoint, because the love of God has been poured into our hearts... (Rom 5: 3-5)

No other team in professional sports has suffered a championship drought like the Chicago Cubs. Though they have had some impressive seasons, the last time they won a World Series was 102 years ago. Despite their lack of a championship, Cubs fans remain ever vigilant, and always possess hope in the next play, the next game or the next season. You can too.

2) FAITH IS PERSEVERANCE. EVERYONE LOVES AN UNDERDOG.

Let us... persevere in running the race that lies before us while keeping our eyes fixed on Jesus, the leader and perfecter of faith. (Heb 12:1-2)

There is no narrative more fitting than that of a boy who uses his wits and a slingshot to claim victory over a muscled giant. The David vs. Goliath story lives on in the stories of Notre Dame walk-on Rudy Ruettiger, battle-of-the-sexes victor Billie Jean King and the famed 1955 Milan High School Basketball Team that inspired "Hoosiers." Like these great



underdogs, you too can overcome the impossible.

3) FAITH HONORS RITUALS AND TRADITIONS. DON'T WASH THOSE SOCKS!

...do this in memory of me. (1 Cor 11:25)

Traditions are preserved throughout sports and practiced by teams and individuals alike. Even though ritual won't ensure a victory, it's a good reminder that something important is happening. Touching a rock, doing a dance, reciting a prayer, or wearing the same unwashed socks may seem silly to an outsider, but it's downright sacramental. Honor the rituals that give your life meaning.

4) PRACTICE MATTERS. EXCELLENCE IS WORTH PURSUING.

Pray without ceasing. In all circumstances give thanks, for this is the will of God for you in Christ Jesus... (1 Thes 5:17-19)

Coaching great Vince Lombardi said, "Practice doesn't make perfect, perfect practice makes perfect." The quality of one's rehearsal impacts the quality of one's performance. Though it can be tedious and painful, practice conditions us and prepares us; it enables us to make the most of our gifts and abilities. Just as athletes train, Christians grow in relationship to God and others through practicing their faith. What daily or weekly exercises are strengthening your spiritual life?



5) MIRACLES HAPPEN. YOUR HOLE IN ONE IS COMING!

Jesus looked at them and said, "For human beings it is impossible, but not for God. All things are possible for God." (Mk 10:27)

In the final seconds of the 1980 men's Olympic semi-final game when U.S. beat the powerhouse Soviet Union by one goal, sportscaster Al Michaels declared, "Do you believe in miracles?" While perhaps overused in the world of sports, miracles are clear signs of hope — for both athletes and people of faith. So the next time you witness a three-pointer by a kid fresh off the bench, tell yourself: All things are possible!