

Parish Bulletin Župni Vjesnik



April 24, 2016 - 24. travnja 2016.



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

2823 S. Princeton Ave. • Cardinal Stepinac Way
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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 1 poslije podne
na 750 AM

Croatian Catholic Radio Chicago

Saturday: noon - 1 p.m.
on 750 AM

Monday, April 25 - Ponedjeljak, 25. travnjaSt. Mark, Evangelist – *sv. Marko, evanđelist***7:30 a.m.**† Shirley Dewald *Catherine and Nick Perisin*
† Bill O'Shea *Cathy Amato***Tuesday, April 26 - Utorak, 26. travnja****7:30 a.m.**† Bill O'Shea *Albina Marasovich and Paul*
For well-being of Bagnola and Kristich families *Gusich family***Wednesday, April 27 - Srijeda, 27. travnja****7:30 a.m.**† Nora Curtin *Michelle and Brian*
† Margaret Marcello *James Pace***Thursday, April 28 - Četvrtak, 28. travnja****7:30 a.m.**In honor of St. Anthony *Zdenka Sicich*
For intention of Wally Gusich and family *Marie Panozzo***8:05 a.m.**

PRO POPULO – For all Parishioners – Za župljane

7 – 8 p.m.Eucharistic Adoration – *Euharistijsko klanjanje***Friday, April 29 - Petak, 29. travnja**St. Catherine of Siena – *sv. Katarina Sijenska***7:30 a.m.**† Marin Turčinović *Mare and Mario*
†† Mike and Mary Romano *family***Saturday, April 30 - Subota, 30. travnja****7:30 a.m.**† John Čondić *Catherine Borovina*
†† Frank and Connie Fratto *daughter Mary***5:30 p.m.**† Maria Ann Gazzi *Gazzi family*
† Toma Šćurla *Pete and Sandy*
† Mary Butera Conroy *Cannatello family*
† Frank Petrone *Gene and Lynn Gazzi*
† Giggie Cortese *Mary Fratto*
† Thomas Egan *Joe and Lisa Amoruso*
† Louis Budvaitis *Joe and Lisa Amoruso*
In honor of Our Lady of Sinj *Yvonne Mangiaracina***Sunday, May 1 - Nedjelja, 1. svibnja****6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER**

6. VAZMENA NEDJELJA

7:30 a.m.† John Tiardović *Gabrić Boosters*
† Laurie Harzich *Jane Pivac*
† Carlotta Roberts *Carmen and Carmella Catizone*
†† Evelyn, Sr. Bernardine and Jozo Čondić *Duško***9:30 a.m.**† John "Ish" Botica *Gen and family*
† Connie Marnell *Ms. Bernardi and 2nd Grade Class*
† Giggie Cortese *Rose Marie Sestito*
† Lawrence Cortez Jr. *Rose Marie Sestito*
† John Marasovich *Frank Kotarac*
† Dolores Draski *Joan Sipich*
† Jakica Becich *Scalise family*
†† Carmen, Carmella and Tommy LaPapa *daughter***11 a.m.**† Nevenka Mulc *Jure i Milica Lišnić*
† fra Nikola Jureta, OFM Conv *Ante i Ana Hostička*
† Jozo Dugandžić *Blago i Ivanka Planinić*
† Josip Armić *obitelj Armić*
† Ante Žgela *Giggie*
† Jure Dugandžić *brat Pero i obitelj*
† Anton Hostička *Jadranka Jurić i sinovi*
† Lovro Rudman *Stipe i Mary Tokić*
† Marija Tokić *Iva Pavljašević*
† Alen Kozić *Jakov i Milenka Bilonić i obitelj*
† Karmila Knezović *stric Karlo i strina Dragica Karačić*
† Ljuba Juričić *obitelji Olujčić i Prusak*
† Luca Varenina *Iva Pavljašević*
† Dragan Lončar *Ante i Anica Lončar*
† Nediljko Šipić *Petar Žaper i obitelj*
†† Šimun i Iva Dugandžić *Zlata Dugandžić i obitelj*
†† Marijan i Andrija Jukić *Nediljko i Jasminka Jukić*
†† Ljubo i Dumica Tanfara *djeca*
†† Frank i Maria Cecchini *Bruno i Jasna*
†† Petar i Joza Zelić *Ilija Zelić i obitelj*
†† iz obitelji Lončar *Ante i Anica Lončar*
†† iz obitelji Čondić *Duško***1:30 p.m.**

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

**LECTORS - ČITAČI**5:30 p.m. – Vincent Kenny
7:30 a.m. – Rosemary Brcich; 9:30 a.m. – Michael Passarelli
11 a.m. – po rasporedu**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION**

IZVANREDNI POSLUŽITELJI SV. PRIČESTI

5:30 p.m. – Joe Magyar
7:30 a.m. – Rosemary Brcich; 9:30 a.m. – Pablo Iglesias
11 a.m. – Tomislav Šulentić**ALTAR SERVERS - MINISTRANTI**5:30 p.m. – Victoria Luna, Lucas Mizera, Isabella Wroblewski
7:30 a.m. – Matthew and Molly McCormick
9:30 a.m. – Lucas Mizera, William Ruich, John Zekich
11 a.m. – Lorin Draženović, Martin Galić, Frano i Marija Kraljević
1:30 p.m. – Gabriel and Lourdes Filipović, Koki Murray

5TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

One of the great lines of the Bible, and one of its most important theological concepts, appears in this Sunday's second reading from the Book of Revelation. The author testifies that he hears the One who sits on the throne say: "Behold, I make all things new" (Rev 21:5). Recall that when Revelation was being written, the church was undergoing persecution. Those Christians familiar with Jewish writings (what we Christians call the Old Testament today) looked to the past to seek out the ways that God had acted before. They found resonance in the oracles of deuterio-Isaiah, who promised a Messiah after the leaders of Israel had been taken to captivity in Babylon. In chapter 43 of Isaiah, God proclaims that he will restore Israel, he will do something new by rebuilding the city of Jerusalem.

Jerusalem becomes symbolic of the eternal dwelling of God's chosen people. It is the place of peace and contentment. It is God's dwelling to which every nation on earth comes to dwell. And so it is no surprise when the writer of Revelation proclaims to the persecuted Christian community (who saw themselves as God's new chosen people, enduring trials just like the Hebrews of long ago) that a new Jerusalem is coming down out of heaven as a dwelling place for God and his people.

This promise of hope in a time of persecution is meant to encourage those who may be tempted to falter. In our own day, so many of us have been battered by difficult times. Each of us may have our own tale of woe. The Gospel for today reminds us that Jesus gave us a new commandment: to love one another. No matter how difficult things may be, that commandment endures. It also gives us hope, for we are united in love.



5. VAZMENA NEDJELJA

"Po ovom će svi znati da ste moji učenici: ako budete imali ljubavi jedni za druge." Ništa nije vjerodostojnije kao prava, življena ljubav prema bližnjemu. Nikakvi pametni argumenti ne mogu uvjeriti da su Krist i kršćanstvo u skladu. Samo ljubav može uvjeriti, samo se njoj može vjerovati.

Iskustvo to sasvim jasno pokazuje. Zašto je bl. Majka Terezija iz Kalkute ostavila dubok dojam kod ljudi diljem svijeta? Samo iz jednog razloga: njoj se vjerovalo, da je stvarno živjela ljubav. Ona je ostavila dubok dojam na hinduse i muslimane, kršćane i ateiste, jer ih je uvjerila svojim životom.

Već je u ranom kršćanstvu primjetio sv. Ivan Krizostom: "Ako kod nas nedostaje ljubavi, jedva da će na nevjernike nešto drugo djelovati i njih izazvati". "Ljubite jedni druge!" Isus to zove "novom zapovijeđu". To je temeljna zapovijed Evanđelja: Boga ljubiti svim srcem, a bližnjega kao samoga sebe. Svi mi to vidimo bilo kada, iz praktičnog razloga: ja ljubim to, da budem ljubljen! Nitko ne želi sebi da bude odbijen ili omražen. Svatko se osjeća dobro, ako zna da je zaštićen u ljubavi drugoga.

Isus je govorio da mi sami trebamo pokloniti ljubav. A to je puno teže. Što znači ljubiti jedni druge, ako se ne susrećemo s uzvraćanjem ljubavi? I tada: što znači ljubiti jedan drugoga, ako sam od drugoga bio iskorišten, prevaren, ožalošćen, povrijeđen? Sve je lijepo ako je ljubav obostrana, ako su davanja i primanja u dobroj ravnoteži.

"Ljubav boli do bola" govorila je bl. Majka Terezija. Kako to ide? Isus daje odgovor: "Kao što sam ja vas ljubio, tako i vi trebate ljubiti jedni druge". Kako je on ljubio nas? Kako me Bog ljubi? Njegova je ljubav uvijek uzorak. On ne kaže: Ako ti ljubiš mene, ja ću ti uzvratiti ljubav. On nas ljubi bez da pita je li se to isplati, je li se nagrađuje.

BAPTIZED

In our church were baptized:

Jimmy Israel Morales Carrasco

(Jimmy Israel Morales and Jessica Carrasco)

Maxwell Timothy Anderson

Theodor Clayton Anderson

(Spencer Anderson and Lisa Marie Thompson)

May God's abundant blessing be always
with our newly baptized,
their parents and sponsors!

MAY - MONTH OF MARY

The month of May is "especially dedicated to Our Blessed Lady. During this month Christians, both in church and in the privacy of the home, offer up to Mary from their hearts an especially fervent and loving homage of prayer and veneration. In this month, too, the benefits of God's mercy come down to us from her throne in greater abundance" (Pope Bl. Paul VI). During May we pray rosary before Sunday Masses. There are many intentions to pray for. Join us.

FIRST COMMUNION CELEBRATION

Our second graders will celebrate their First Holy Communion on Sunday, May 1, at the Mass at 1:30 p.m. Please, keep all of our young people in your prayers. We hope that receiving Jesus in the Sacraments may never become routine, for them or for us.

MAY CROWNING

May Crowning celebration will be on Thursday, May 5, at 7 p.m. in the church. Join us for a special devotion to Our Lady, our Queen and Mother.

MOTHER'S DAY FLOWER SALE

Flowers will be sold after Masses on Sunday, May 8. Beautiful bouquets of fresh-cut flowers make a wonderful gift for any Mom, Step-Mom, Mother-in-law or Grandmother. Proceeds will be used to help young women who are in a crisis pregnancy situation and seeking assistance through The Women's Centers of Greater Chicagoland.

MOTHER'S DAY PRAYER SERVICE

Join us on Thursday, May 12, at 7 p.m. for a Mother's Day prayer service honoring mothers, living and deceased. Please, sign name of your deceased mother or grandmother on the list in the back of the church as we will remember them during our devotion. Please, bring us a framed photo of your deceased mother or grandmother as we would like to put them in front of the altar. Let us bring them to Our Lady, our heavenly mother.

CROATIAN DAYS AT DALEY PLAZA CELEBRATING 25 YEARS OF INDEPENDENCE OF THE REPUBLIC OF CROATIA

Enjoy Croatian culture on Daley Plaza on Friday, May 13. Speeches and cultural performances will take place at noon. On Saturday, May 14, there will be a book presentation by *Večernji list* journalist. On Sunday, May 15, there will be an exclusive premiere of "Život s prijevodom" with lunch at the Croatian Cultural Center.

MLADIFEST 2016

Mladifest is a youth rally for all Croatian Catholics throughout the USA and Canada who wish to participate in a different and eye opening weekend-long event. It is not necessary to speak Croatian, but you must be at least 16 years old and not older than 30. So far, three Mladifests were held in Norval, ON, Canada. Mladifest 2016 will be hosted by Sacred Heart Croatian Parish in Milwaukee, WI from June 3-5. For more details & to register see: milwaukee mladifest.com or croatiancatholicyouth.com.

VOLUNTEER CATECHISTS WANTED

We are looking for a few good men and women to teach CCD in school year 2016-2017. If you are looking for ways to make meaningful contributions to our church, or to help our children be all they can be - become a CCD teacher. Assistance and training will be provided so you will be prepared to be an effective teacher. Please, call the Parish office and talk to one of our priests.

ARE YOU A REGISTERED PARISHIONER?

If you attend Mass here regularly, we encourage you to register as a member of St. Jerome. Registering is important because: ● If a parish doesn't know who is out there, how can it adequately serve the needs of all - especially those who may not see the immediate need to register? ● Registering in the parish also makes the process much easier when it is time for baptism, religious education, weddings and when asked to be a sponsor for baptism or confirmation. ● Registered parishioners receive all mailings sent throughout the year, as well as helpful information about our many parish ministries and activities.

We welcome anyone who wants to share in the life of St. Jerome Parish regardless of where they live.

Registering is easy! Just drop us a note through email or stop by at the Parish Office.

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR PARISHIONERS / ST. JEROME SCHOOL ALUMNI DOING WELL

Trinity - The Sinsinawa Dominican College Preparatory
School for Young Women

First honors Tavia Bahena
Nicolina Balazs

KRŠTENI

Ovih je dana u našoj crkvi krštena:

Andrea Lucia Jović

(Tomislav i Ivana r. Miočić)

Novokrštenicu, njezine roditelje i kumove neka prati Božji blagoslov!

SVIBANJ – MARIJIN MJESEC

Svibanj nas poziva na zajedništvo s Blaženom Djevicom Marijom. Ona je uzor svima koji su otvoreni Božjoj riječi. Krunica nas odgaja da na Božji poziv odgovorimo Marijinim riječima Neka mi bude po riječi tvojoj. U mjesecu svibnju zajedno molimo krunicu u 10:30 sati prije podne tj. prije hrvatske nedjeljne sv. mise.

KONCERT „DALMACIJA U MOM SRCU“

Meri Cetinić, Zorica Kondža, Tedi Spalato, Ivo Amulić, Maja Blagdan, Neno Belan i grupa Fiumens nastupaju u House of Blues Chicago (329 North Dearborn St.) u nedjelju 1. svibnja u 8 sati navečer. Ulaznice nabavite na crown-ent.com ili u našem Župnom uredu.

KRUNJENJE GOSPE

U mjesecu svibnju krunimo Gospin kipa u našoj crkvi te na taj način iskazujemo svoju ljubav prema Isusovoj i našoj nebeskoj majci - Blaženoj Djevici Mariji. Molimo, pridružite nam se u ovoj lijepoj svečanosti u četvrtak 5. svibnja u 7 sati navečer.

DOBROTVORNA PRODAJA CVIJEĆA

Nakon sv. misa u subotu i nedjelju 7. i 8. svibnja imat ćemo prilike pomoći dobrotvornu akciju: prodavat će se ruže i ostalo prikladno cvijeće koje može biti lijepi poklon majkama. Sav prihod od prodaje će ići za pomoć *The Women's Centers of Greater Chicagoland*. Oni pomažu trudnim majkama u nevolji. Odazovimo se.

MAJČIN DAN

Majčin dan ćemo proslaviti u nedjelju 8. svibnja. Hrvatska škola Kardinal Stepinac će prigodnim programom izraziti zahvalnost svim majkama. Svečani ručak i program počinju u 12:30 sati poslije podne tj. poslije hrvatske sv. mise. Svi smo pozvani.

WEDDING BANNS NAJAVA VJENČANJA

III) Michael Miceli & Ivana Jurišić

MOLITVA ZA POKOJNE MAJKE

U četvrtak 12. svibnja, u 7 sati navečer, imat ćemo molitvu za naše pokojne majke. Molimo, dođite i zapišite ime svoje pokojne majke ili bake. Možete donijeti i fotografiju svoje majke. Želimo ih u molitvi i pobožnosti prinijeti Blaženoj Djevici Mariji, našoj nebeskoj majci, s kojom smo osobito povezani u mjesecu svibnju.

HRVATSKI DANI U CHICAGU

PROSLAVA 25. GODIŠNJICE

SAMOSTALNOSTI REPUBLIKE HRVATSKE

Obilježavamo po 12. put Hrvatske dane u gradu Chicagu s temom 25. godišnjice proglašenja samostalnosti Republike Hrvatske. U petak 13. svibnja program će se održati na Daley Plaza (50 W. Washington St.), od 11 sati ujutro do 2 sata poslije podne. U subotu 14. svibnja bit će predstavljanje knjige i Hrvatska noć u Pure Cafe. U nedjelju 15. svibnja će biti prikazan film „Život s prijevodom“ u Hrvatskom kulturnom centru.

GODIŠNJA SV. MISA KLUBA SINJ

Klub Sinj će u nedjelju 15. svibnja imati svoj godišnji susret i slavlje sv. mise u našoj crkvi u 1 sat poslije podne te potom ručak u župnoj Velikoj dvorani. Ovo društvo djeluje u našoj zajednici od 1947. godine.

PROSLAVA PRVE SV. PRIČESTI

Proslava prve sv. pričesti na hrvatskom jeziku će biti u nedjelju 22. svibnja u 11 sati prije podne. Molimo za sve naše prvopričesnike i njihove roditelje. Pokažimo im svojim primjerom kako je lijepo biti u zajedništvu s Isusom, osobito u sakramentu euharistije.

MLADIFEST 2016

Susret hrvatske katoličke mladeži SAD-a i Kanade bit će od 3. do 5. lipnja u Hrvatskoj župi Srca Isusova u Milwaukeeju, WI. Voditelj će biti don Damir Stojić, studentski kapelan u Zagrebu. Gosti-govornici su Jackie Francois i Fr. Michael Lightner. Posebni gosti iz Hrvatske su mladi iz grupe Nova Eva. Za više pojedinosti i kako se registrirati pogledajte: milwaukeemladifest.com ili croatiancatholicyouth.com.





SAVE THE DATE

- Sunday, May 1
 - First Holy Communion
 - Croatian Mass in Rockford, IL
 - Thursday, May 5
 - May Crowning
 - Sunday, May 8
 - Mother's Day flower sale
 - Mother's Day celebration (by Croatian School)
 - Thursday, May 12
 - Mother's Day Prayer Service (by Marian Society)
 - Friday, May 13 - Sunday, May 15
 - Croatian Days in Chicago
 - Sunday, May 15
 - Club Sinj Memorial Mass and Luncheon
 - Sunday, May 22
 - Prva sv. Pricest
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- Saturday, June 4
 - St. Anthony Novena - every evening
 - Sunday, June 5
 - Health Fair by Mercy Hospital
 - Croatian Mass in Rockford, IL

ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO PARISHIONER SURVEY

Archbishop Cupich announced the **"Renew My Church"** initiative. He invited everyone in the Archdiocese of Chicago to participate in the process of revitalizing our parish communities. Your help is needed as the Archdiocese begins a new listening phase of this important effort.

Please, take time and respond to a **survey** that is designed to help Archdiocese better understand the perspectives of Catholics across Cook and Lake Counties.

We encourage you to complete this survey online. The survey is available at www.archchicago.org/renew.

Pope Francis' Exhortation

AMORIS LAETITIA - THE JOY OF LOVE (II)

by bishop Robert Barron

In regard to the moral objectivities of marriage, the Pope is bracingly clear. (...) He is especially strong in his condemnation of ideologies that dictate that gender is merely a social construct and can be changed or manipulated according to our choice (56). Such moves are tantamount, he argues, to forgetting the right relationship between creature and Creator. Finally, any doubt regarding the Pope's attitude toward the permanence of marriage is dispelled as clearly and directly as possible: "The indissolubility of marriage - 'what God has joined together, let no man put asunder' (Mt 19:6) - should not be viewed as a 'yoke' imposed on humanity, but as a 'gift' granted to those who are joined in marriage..." (62).

In a particularly affecting section of the exhortation, Pope Francis interprets the famous hymn to love in Paul's first letter to the Corinthians (90-119). Following the great missionary Apostle, he argues that love is not primarily a feeling (94), but rather a commitment of the will to do some pretty definite and challenging things: to be patient, to bear with one another, to put away envy and rivalry, ceaselessly to hope. In the tones of grandfatherly pastor, Francis instructs couples entering into marriage that love, in this dense and demanding sense of the term, must be at the heart of their relationship. I frankly think that this portion of *Amoris Laetitia* should be required reading for those in pre-Cana other similar marriage preparation programs in the Catholic Church. Now Francis says much more regarding the beauty and integrity of marriage, but you get my point: there is no watering down or compromising of the ideal in this text.

However, the Pope also honestly admits that many, many people fall short of the ideal, failing fully to integrate all of the dimensions of what the Church means by matrimony. What is the proper attitude to them? Like Cardinal George, the Pope has a visceral reaction against a strategy of simple condemnation, for the Church, he says, is a field hospital, designed to care precisely for the wounded (292). Accordingly, he recommends two fundamental moves. First, we can recognize, even in irregular or objectively imperfect unions, certain positive elements that participate, as it were, in the fullness of married love.