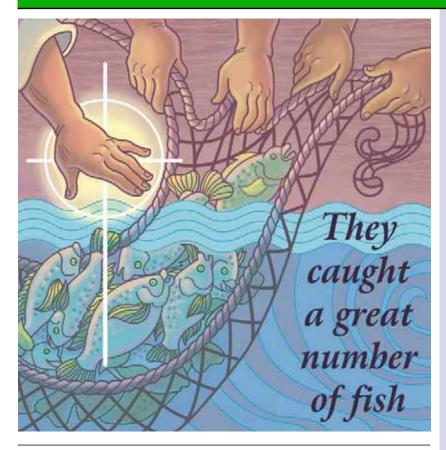




February 7, 2016 - 7. veljače 2016.



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

2823 S. Princeton Ave. • Cardinal Stepinac Way Chicago, IL 60616

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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

TELEPHONES

Hrvatski katolički radio Chicago subotom od podne do 1 poslije podne na 750 AM

Croatian Catholic Radio Chicago Saturday: noon - 1 p.m. on 750 AM

stjeromecroatian.org • stjeromecroatian@gmail.com • stjeromeschool.net

Monday, February 8 - Ponedjeljak, 8. veljače

7:30 a.m.

++ Alex and Dina Mohovich	family
++ of Vukotić family	Evica Vukotić and family

Tuesday, February 9 - Utorak, 9. veljače

7:30 a.m.

+ John Condic	Mary Tadin
+ Peter Perisin	Ray and Donna DeGrazia

Wednesday, February 10 - Srijeda, 10. veljače ASH WEDNESDAY

ČISTA SRIJEDA - PEPELNICA

7:30 a.m.

+ Josephine Odo (10th Anniversary) family	
Special intention Jagoda Ćorić and family	
9 a.m.	
PRO POPULO – For all Parishioners – Za župljane	
7 p.m.	
+ Vinka Turčinović Mario and Mare	
Thursday, February 11 - Četvrtak, 11. veljače	

Our Lady of Lourdes – Gospa Lurdska

7:30 a.m.

+ Charlene DeSanto	Catherine and Nick Perisin
Special intention	Zeba family
7 – 8 p.m.	
Eucharistic Adoration – Euharistijsko k	lanjanje

Friday, February 12 - Petak, 12. veljače

7:30 a.m.

+ Shirley Mackey	Bilaver family
++ John and Marge Sobocan	,
7 p.m.	
Stations of the Cross	

Saturday, February 13 - Subota, 13. veljače

7:30 a.m.

+ John Botica	Michelle and Brian
++ John and Irene Grubisich	Catherine and Nick Perisin
5:30 p.m.	
+ Josephine Odo	family
+ Rose Scalfaro	Pete and Sandy Schurla
+ Joseph Worth	Tina and Frank Cannova
+ John "Ish" Botica	Cannatello family
+ Barry Babich	Lisa and Chris
+ Becky Bozich	loe and El Grzetich and family
++ Anto, Kata and Andrijana	Evica Vukotić and family

LECTORS - ČITAČI

Sunday, February 14 - Nedjelja, 14. veljače 1st SUNDAY OF LENT 1. KORIZMENA NEDJELJA

7:30 a.m.

7:50 a.m.
† Mary Rizza Catherine LoCoco
+ John "Ish" Botica Ken, Jan and John Zekich
+ Dominic Bertucci Mary Tadin
+ Luca Galić children
++ Mike and Mary Romano family
++ Frank and Connie Fratto Mary Fratto
++ Evelyn, Sr. Bernardine and Jozo Čondić Duško
9:30 a.m.
+ John "Ish" Botica Gen and family
+ Charlene DeSanto Cathy Amato
+ Bernadette Zito Mark Gusich and family
+ Connie Marnell Cathy Amato
+ Scully Scalise Scalise family
++ Frank and Jay Sorich Wally Gusich
10:30 a.m.
Križni put
11 a.m.
+ Nevenka Mulc Katica Kosić
† fra Nikola Jureta, OFM Conv Jeanet Badrov Cuomo
† Dragica Požek Angela Brajković
+ Shirley Mackey obitelj Bilaver
+ Ivan Babić
† Veselko Sivrić Mario i Ankica Pehar
+ John "Ish" Botica Ken, Jan i John Zekich
+ Mile Bagarić Ante Čuvalo i obitelj
+ Marko Šuper (1. godišnjica) roditelji
+ Josip Armić obitelj Armić
+ Iva Mešin Stoja Kosir
++ Ivan i Ana Mlinarić sin Ivan i obitelj
++ Andrija i Tuna Strbić kći Vesna Mlinarić i obitelj
++ Božo i Marija Evica Vukotić i obitelj
++ Luka i Iva Majić Ante Čuvalo i obitelj
++ Petar i Estera Badrov <i>Tina Cannova</i>
++ Josip i Mira Špišić Damir i Maja
++ Krunoslav, Franca i Ružica Bašić Damir i Maja
++ iz obitelji Čondić Duško
++ iz obitelji Alex Boris Tanfara i obitelj
Na čast bl. Alojzija Stepinca Gože Guvo

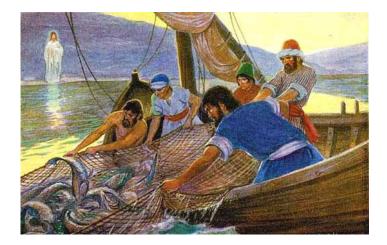
EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

IZVANREDNI POSLUŽITELJI SV. PRIČESTI

5:30 p.m. – Jan Ferro 7:30 a.m. – Rosemary Brcich; 9:30 a.m. – Pablo Iglesias 11 a.m. – Domagoj Paraga

ALTAR SERVERS - MINISTRANTI

5:30 p.m. – Lucas Mizera, Koki Murray, Isabella Wroblewski 7:30 a.m. – Matthew and Molly McCormick 9:30 a.m. – Angelina and Juliana Caruso, Michael Passarelli 11 a.m. – Darko Grgić Jr., Luka Ivančić, Tomislav Jerković, Drago Skinger



5TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Jesus teaches from Simon's boat. Jesus turns to Simon and instructs him about where to lower the fishing nets. Simon and others have been fishing throughout the night and have not caught anything. Simon protests, claiming that such an effort would be futile. Simon ultimately obeys Jesus and lowers his nets into the deeper water as directed. Notice here that Peter calls Jesus by the title "master." He already recognizes Jesus as a person of authority. They catch so many fish that the nets begin to tear; Jesus' presence has created abundance out of scarcity, just as it did at the wedding feast at Cana.

Simon Peter becomes a follower of Jesus immediately. He calls Jesus "Lord"—the title given to Jesus after his Resurrection—and protests his worthiness to be in Jesus' presence. That marks a turning point in the relationship between Jesus and Peter.

Two of Simon's partners are also named as witnesses to the event described: Zebedee's sons, James and John. Yet Jesus' words are addressed only to Simon. Jesus gives Simon a new job, telling him that he will become a different kind of fisherman. No longer will he catch fish; instead he will catch people. In these words, we hear the beginning of the leadership role that Peter will have within the community of disciples. Peter was chosen for this role. His task will be to bring others to lesus. Already he is doing so; the Gospel tells us that all the fishermen with Peter also left their nets and followed lesus. We continue to speak of Peter's leadership and influence in the Church today when we call the pope the "successor of Peter." We participate in the mission of the Church when we bring people to Christ through the example and positive influence of our lives.

5. NEDJELJA KROZ GODINU

Tko zna kako se Petar osjećao dok je ribario a ništa nije uspijevao uloviti. Cijeli je život bio ribar i sve je radio onako kako je trebalo, pa opet nije uspio. I mi toliko puta nešto pokušavamo, ali jednostavno ne ide. Što se više trudimo, izgleda da stvari postaju još gore. Pokušavamo dobro odgojiti djecu, ali ona jednostavno ne slušaju. Trudimo se na poslu, ali su rezultati slabi ili se ne vide. Nastojimo biti uljudni i strpljivi s drugima, ali često izazovemo nesporazume. Ono što godinama stvaramo, nestane u jednom potresu ili požaru. Brinemo se za zdravlje, ali nas virus može ubiti u nekoliko tjedana. Stalno živimo u napetosti između svoje moći i nemoći.

Kad Isus Petra potiče da ponovno pokuša loviti, on mu odogvara: cijelu noć smo se trudili i ništa nismo ulovili, ali kad hoćeš, ponovno ćemo baciti mreže. Ovaj put uspijeva, iako su mu iskustvo i razum govorili da je to nemoguće. Jer, bio je dan a u ribolov se ide po noći. To je trenutak u kojem Petar shvaća da Isus nije običan čovjek. Tek nakon toga Petar je spreman ostaviti sve i poći za Isusom. Tada shvaća da poslušati Isusovu riječ donosi više i bolje rezultate od onoga što on sam zna i može.

Povjerovati riječi Božjoj, to je glavna tema koja se provlači u biblijskim čitanjima ove nedjelje. Povjerovati da je Bogu dostatna naša slabost, ne prepusti se razočaranju. Božji izabranici (Izaija, Pavao, Šimun Petar) su svjesni svoje nedostojnosti. Niti jedan od njih nije zavrijedio Božje poslanje. Nitko nije Boga zadužio da bi mu on na neki način morao uzvratiti. Bog ih je slobodno izabrao i darovao im svoju milost da izvrše ono na što su pozvani. Zajedničko im je da su prihvatili Božje poslanje. Nisu zaboravili da je milost Božja, a ne njihova moć, ono što postiže rezultate.

THANK YOU

The members of Klub Dubrovnik-Chicago would like to thank everyone who supported our event this past Saturday. Because of your attendance and donations we were able to help a family in our Chicago Croatian community and send a donation to an orphanage in Dubrovnik. Živio Sveti Vlaho!

CARDINAL STEPINAC DAY

Today we honor Bl. Cardinal Alojzije Stepinac whose image is taking central place in our right sided altar. We remember an event that took place during the visit of pope St. John Paul II to Croatia (October 2-4, 1998) when he beatified Cardinal Aloysius Stepinac. At the same time, on October 3, the Mayor of the City of

Chicago, Richard M. Daley, granted the Croatian community in Chicago and, in a special way to St. Jerome's Parish, a street named after this honorable and blessed Cardinal. Princeton Ave. between 26th and 33rd streets was designated as "Cardinal Stepinac Way". The dedication took place on Sunday, April 18, 1999. We were privileged to have His Excellency Francis Cardinal George, 9th Archbishop of Chicago, for the solemn opening.

ASH WEDNESDAY

The holy time of Lent begins on Ash Wednesday, February 10. Holy Masses will be celebrated at 7:30 a.m. and 9 a.m. in English, and 7 p.m. in Croatian. Ashes (sign of penance and conversion) will be distributed after each Mass.

LENTEN FAST AND ABSTINENCE

The U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops has declared that "the age of fasting is from the completion of the 18th year to the beginning of the 60th." The USCCB also allows the substitution of some other form of penance for abstinence on all of the Fridays of the year, except for those Fridays in Lent. Thus, the rules for fasting and abstinence in the United States are:

- Every person 14 years of age or older must abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday, Good Friday, and all the Fridays of Lent.

- Every person between the age of 18 and 60 must fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday.

- Every person 14 years of age or older must abstain from meat on all other Fridays of the year, unless he or she substitutes some other form of penance for abstinence.

THE STATIONS OF THE CROSS

We will have the Stations of the Cross during Lent in English on Fridays at 7 p.m. and in Croatian on Sundays at 10:30 a.m. Join us.

TRANSFORMATIONAL MUSIC AND SPEAKING EVENT WITH TAJČI CAMEROON

What if this Lent really was a turning point in your life? Join us for an afternoon with Tajči - Award winning singer, TV show host, Published author, and Croatian "Rockstar Mom". Discover how your faith can be a powerful tool to help you live the life you were created for. Join us on Sunday, March 21, from 1 to 3 p.m. in our church. Admission is free.

FUNDRAISER FOR ST. JEROME SCHOOL

BLACKHAWKS VIEWING PARTY

Join us of Sunday, February 21, to watch the Chicago Blackhawks vs. Minnesota Wild game at Rocky's Restaurant (234 W. 31st St.). Doors open at 1 p.m. Open bar, food, raffle and games from 2-5 p.m. \$60 per person, must be 21 and over. For tickets or more information please contact St. Jerome School (312-842-7668) or Jan Ferro (312-560-3864). All proceeds to benefit St. Jerome School.

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR 2015

We mailed out our annual collection financial recap for 2015. We are grateful for your generosity to our parish community year after year. Thank you for all that you do. If there will be any errors in the report, please, let us know. Once again, thank you!

JOIN US IN OUR WEEKDAY ACTIVITIES

ZUMBA - Tuesdays and Thursdays in the Big Hall from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m.

BOOK CLUB - Next meeting will be on Tuesday, February 9, at 7 p.m. with "Breaking Out of Bedlam" by Leslie Larson.

AA (12 step program) - Wednesdays at 7:30 p.m. in Upper Small Hall.

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION - Every Thursday from 7 to 8 p.m. we pray and reflect with the Lord.

SAVE THE DATE

• Wednesday, February 10

Pepelnica - Ash Wednesday

- Sunday, February 21
 - Music and Speaking Event with Tajči
 - Blackhawks viewing party at Rocky's
 - (Fundraiser for St. Jerome School)
- Friday, **February 26** Concert by Chicago Bach Ensemble

• Sunday, March 5

Bakalar Dinner by Club Poljica



PREMINULI

Ovih su dana preminuli:

• u Mostaru (BiH), u 73. godini života, 53. godini redovništva, **s. Silvija (Dinka) Galić**. Rođena je u Gorici kod Gruda (BiH), kao sedmo od desetero djece. U novicijat Školskih sestara franjevaka stupila je 1963. godine u Bijelom Polju. Cijeli svoj život je posvetila bolesnicima. U Sarajevu je radila kao glavna sestra na odjelu kirurgije 20 godina, sve do 1994. godine. U samostanu sv. Ante u Chicagu je boravila od 2008. do 2013. godine. Brižno se brinula se za naše starije i nemoćne fratre. Tijelo +s. Dinke je pokopano u nedjelju 31. siječnja na groblju Gruban u Bijelom Polju kraj Mostara (BiH).

• u Chicagu, u 73. godini života, **Ante Žgela**. Za njim ostaje supruga Ana (r. Čengija); kći Jadranka (Dušan) Kraljević; unučad Antonia, Ante i Adriana; sestre Dragica (Lovro) Rudman, Mare (+Ante) Miškulin; nećaci George Rudman, Jure (Linda) Zgela, i nećakinja Milka (+Ivo) Vuković te brojna rodbina u SAD-u i Hrvatskoj. Tijelo +Ante je pokopano u subotu 6. veljače na groblju All Saints, Des Plaines, IL.

• u Chicagu, u 103. godini života, **dr. fra Častimir Majić**. Rođen je u Vitini, BiH. Za svećenika je zaređen 1939. godine u Mostaru. Stekao je doktorate iz filozofije i teologije. U SAD je došao 1951. godine. Bio je dugogodišnji urednik lista Danica. Pastoralno je djelovao u župama Sv. Josipa u



St. Louisu (1961.-1963.) i Sv. Ćirila i Metoda u New Yorku (1963.-1967.), a onda kao župnik u župi Srca Isusova u Milwaukeeju (1967.-1979.). Vršio je i druge službe u Kustodiji: bio je gvardijan samostana sv. Ante te kustos naše kustodije. Tijelo +fra Častimira će biti izloženo u našoj crkvi u ponedjeljak 8. veljače od 5 sati poslije podne a sprovodna sv. misa će se slaviti u 7 sati navečer. Potom ćemo se zadržati na večeru u našoj Velikoj dvorani. U utorak 9. veljače će biti pokop u 10 sati ujutro na groblju Holy Sepulchre, Alsip, IL.

Neka ih Gospodin obdari svojim mirom.

ZAHVALA KLUBA DUBROVNIK

Članovi kluba Dubrovnik-Chicago zahvaljuju svima koji su prošle subote uveličali proslavu sv. Vlahe. Svojim dolaskom i novčanim doprinosom pomogli ste klub Dubrovnik-Chicago da može uputiti novčanu pomoć jednoj hrvatskoj obitelji u Chicagu te dječjem sirotištu u Dubrovniku. Dobro je činiti dobro! Zahvajujemo svima na tome. Živio Sveti Vlaho!

STEPINČEVO 2016.

Danas se spominjemo blaženog kardinala Alojzija Stepinca - velikana naše nedavne povijesti. Njegov dan obilježavamo dostojnim sjećanjem i prigodnim programom. Naša Hrvatska škola s ponosom nosi njegov ime; jedan dio naše ulice s ponosom nosi njegovo ime; naša župa ga s ponosom slavi već desetljećima. I mi nastavljamo taj hod ponosa, sjećanja i dostojanstva. Teška vremena rađaju velike ljude koji nam pokazuju primjere ljudskosti, duhovnosti i časti. Kardinal Stepinac je svojim govorima, životom, svjedočanstvom, tamnicom i mučeništvom pokazao put kako se biva izgrađen, solidan, jak pojedinac koji je spreman služiti Bogu i bližnjemu te svome narodu ostaviti baštinu slobode.

"FRA LEON PETROVIĆ I 65 SUBRAĆE"

Proces proglašenja blaženima fra Leona Petrovića i 65 hercegovačkih franjevaca se još odvija na lokalnoj razini tj. u BiH i Hrvatskoj. Prikupljaju se svjedočanstva o njihovu životu, radu i mučeništvu. Svi koji mogu pomoći u tom pogledu neka je jave na adresu: Vicepostulatura, Kardinala Stepinca 14, 88 220 Široki Brijeg, BiH; tel.: 387-39-700-325; mostar@pobijeni.info; web stranica: pobijeni.info.

PEPELNICA – ČISTA SRIJEDA

Pepelnica označava početak korizme (pokore, razmišljanja i posta), koje nas priprema za Kristovo uskrsnuće. Pepeo je simbol pokore i pomaže nam razviti duh poniznosti i žrtve. Pepelnicu slavimo u srijedu 10. veljače. Sv. misa na hrvatskom jeziku će biti u 7 sati navečer. Na kraju sv. mise će biti obred pepeljanja.

POST I NEMRS, PUT KRIŽA

Na Pepelnicu i Veliki Petak su svi zdravi katolici od 12 do 65 godina obvezani na post i nemrs. Post znači da se taj dan najedemo samo jednom. Nemrs znači da taj dan ne jedemo meso. Također smo pozvani da u korizmi postimo petkom te obdržavamo nemrs kroz druge petke u godini. Pobožnost puta križa je petkom u 7 sati navečer na engleskom te nedjeljom u 10:30 sati ujutro na hrvatskom jeziku.

PREDSTAVLJANJE KNJIGE I SUSRET

S TIHOMIROM DUJMOVIĆEM

U nedjelju 14. veljače, s početkom u 12:30 sati poslije podne, u Velikoj dvorani naše župe, održat će se predstavljanje najnovije knjige hrvatskog novinara i kolumnista Tihomira Dujmovića. Knjiga se zove "Hrvatska u raljama djece komunizma". Uz predstavljanje knjige Tihomir Dujmović će govoriti o aktualnim temama i stanju u Hrvatskoj.

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FEBRUARY 10 - BLESSED CARDINAL ALOJZIJE STEPINAC

Blessed Alojzije Stepinac was born to a peasant family in Krašić, Croatia. He lived under 4 different governments, all of which influenced his life and sculpted his courageous resistance. After serving in the military, he chose to be a priest and was ordained in 1930. Deep faith and a concern for human rights dominated his life. His voice, which defended people of all faiths, would be his legacy. Two years after he was consecrated archbishop of Zagreb, World War II began. Almost immediately, Stepinac used his position to speak out against the treatment of Jews and Orthodox Christians. He allowed people, mostly Jews, to hide in monasteries. Estimates of lives saved by Cardinal Stepinac are in the hundreds, including 60 residents of a lewish home for the elderly. After the war ended, falsely accused of war crimes, he was arrested and tried in September of 1946. Convicted, he was sentenced to 16 years of hard labor, despite vehement opposition from many Jews who credited Stepinac with saving their lives. He was released from prison in 1951 but put under house arrest, dying 9 years later from arsenic poisoning.

What is it about heroism that captures the human heart? Stepinac, a defender of life in its purest sense, was a restless, righteous spirit: What the Nazis sought to destroy, he fought to save. When nations turned a blind eye to those cruelly victimized, he shed a light as bright as heaven on them. He spoke for those whose own voices were muffled. Simply put, Stepinac wasn't afraid to stand up. He proves that speaking out is a noble act. Alojzije Stepinac's life exemplifies the passage from the Talmud: "Whoever saves one life is as though he had saved the entire world."



KORIZMENA DUHOVNA OBNOVA S TAJČI

Dođite u nedjelju 21. veljače u 1 sat poslije podne na duhovnu obnovu koju će predvoditi Tajči Cameroon. Otkrijte kako nam vjera može pomoći da otkrijemo Božju volju u svom životu. Ulaz je slobodan.

BAKALARSKA VEČERA

U subotu 5. ožujka klub Poljica priređuje tradicionalnu bakalarsku večeru u Velikoj dvorani s početkom u 7 sati navečer. Ulaznice nabavite što prije kod članova odbora kluba Poljica.

BLAGOSLOV OBITELJI

Škropljenje stanova i kuća prigodom blagoslova obitelji je vanjski znak da se u obitelji želi živjeti kršćanskim životom, po načelima Evanđelja. Molimo, javite nam ako želite da dođemo i k vama, osobito, ako kod vas nismo bili duže vremena.

SV. MISA U ROCKFORDU

Danas se okuplja hrvatska zajednica u gradu Rockfordu i okolici. Sv. misa se slavi u crkvi sv. Brigite (600 Clifford Avenue in Loves Park, Rockford) u 4 sata poslije podne. Pošto je to vrijeme blagoslova obitelji, organizirat ćemo i pohod svećenika obiteljima i zajedničku molitvu za Božji blagoslov. Za sve pojedinosti možete se javiti Josipu Matoševiću (815-298-8218).

PRINOS DAROVA NA OLTAR

Ukoliko želite prinijeti darove na oltar (kalež, vino i vodu, knjigu molitvenih nakana) javite se redarima prije početka sv. mise. Bilo bi lijepo da svake nedjelje imamo drugu obitelj ili pojedince koji će prinijeti euharistijske darove na oltar, osobito ako se sv. misa slavi za vaše pokojne ili na vašu osobnu nakanu.

NOVČANI IZVJEŠTAJ

Ovih dana smo poslali novčani izvještaj o darovima u godini 2015. Hvala od srca za sve što ste učinili za našu župnu zajednicu. Hvala za sve vaše darove: župi, radijskom programu, za blagdane i Veliku Gospu, za siromašne te za ostale potrebe. Hvala za sve što činite za ovu zajednicu koja je vaš dom. Ako postoje pogreške u izvještaju, molimo, obavijestite naš župni ured. Hvala.

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. Tema susreta: *"Oganj dođoh baciti na zemlju pa što hoću ako je već planuo!"* Lk 12:49. Voditelj će biti don Damir Stojić, studentski kapelan u Zagrebu. Očekuju se gosti iz Hrvatske, Kanade i SAD-a. milwaukeemladifest.com ili croatiancatholicyouth.com.