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

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Mass schedule • Raspored misa

Saturday • Subota 5:30 p.m. English 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

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PARISH BULLETIN / ŽUPNI VJESNIK

Monday, February 1 - Ponedjeljak, 1. veljače

7:30 a.m.

+ John Čondić	 Cathy Amato
+ Mary Somen	 <i>sister</i>

Tuesday, February 2 - Utorak, 2. veljače The Presentation of the Lord *Prikazanje Isusovo u hramu - Svijećnica*

7:30 a.m.

> Wednesday, February 3 - Srijeda, 3. veljače St. Blase – sv. Blaž (Vlaho)

7:30 a.m.

+ Carole "Sis" Marano	family
+ Peter Perisin	Mike and Camille Kristich
8:05 a.m.	
PRO POPULO – For all Parishioners – Za	a župljane

Thursday, February 4 - Četvrtak, 4. veljače

7:30 a.m.

+ Concetta Marnell	Perisin grandchildren	
++ John and Johnny Grubisic	Irene Grubisic and family	
7 – 8 p.m.		
Eucharistic Adoration – <i>Euharistijsko klanjanje</i>		

Friday, February 5 - Petak, 5. veljače St. Agatha – sv. Agata

7:30 a.m.

+ George Berndt Catherin	e and Nick Perisin
Special intention	Vicko Glunčić

Saturday, February 6 - Subota, 6. veljače

St. Paul Miki and Companions – sv. Pavao Miki i drugovi

7:30 a.m.

+ Donald Byrnes	WZG
Special intention	Zeba family
5:30 p.m.	
+ Maria Ann Gazzi	Gazzi family
+ Anton Plevel	George Rozman
+ Anthony Barbara	Rose Ann Gurgone
+ Laurie Ann Harzich	Robert Terzich
+ Peter L. Perisin	Louis and Mary Scalise
+ Marlene Donato	Julianna Babich
+ Harrold Peter Hansen	Jure and Milka Kutleša
+ Milorad J.	Vukotić family
++ souls in Purgatory	Neva Zelić and family



Sunday, February 7 - Nedjelja, 7. veljače 5TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 5. NEDJELJA KROZ GODINU

7:30 a.m.

7:50 a.m.
+ Mary DiFrancisco daughter
+ Tony Barbara Catherine and Nick Perisin
+ Joe Cubelic <i>N. N.</i>
+ Peter Perisin Cathy LoCoco
+ Mario Arizzi Cathy LoCoco
++ Joe and Helen Muskus family
++ Evelyn, Sr. Bernardine and Jozo Čondić Duško
9:30 a.m.
+ John "Ish" Botica Gen and family
+ August Walters Book Club
+ Kenneth Mitchell Mark Gusich and family
+ Concetta Marnell Maria and Miriam Rodriguez
++ Carm Barbara and Angie Previte Katie Ferro
11 a.m.
VANJSKA PROSLAVA SPOMENDANA BL. ALOJZIJA STEPINCA
† Nevenka Mulc Blago i Ivanka Planinić
+ fra Nikola Jureta, OFM Conv Blago i Ivanka Planinić
+ Lenka Barbarić obitelj Šimić
+ Ante Šimić obitelj Šimić
+ Martin Pero Boras obitelj Šimić
+ Josip Armić obitelj Armić
+ Tomislav Hostićka obitelj Hostićka
++ Vice i Mara Čuvalo Ante Čuvalo i obitelj
++ Stipan i Dragica Hrkać Vlado i Nevenka Hrkać
++ Marko i Anša Kožul Vlado i Nevenka Hrkać
++ Ljubo i Dumica Tanfara djeca
++ Frank i Maria Cecchini Bruno i Jasna
++ iz obitelji Čondić Duško
Na čast Srca Isusova Zdenka Sičić
Na nakanu obitelj Zeba

LECTORS - (ČITAČI

5:30 p.m. – Jan Ferro 7:30 a.m. – Luanne Munizzi 9:30 a.m. – Sonia Antolec

11 a.m. – Josip Novak, Ozana Paraga, Antonia Štula

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

IZVANREDNI POSLUŽITELJI SV. PRIČESTI

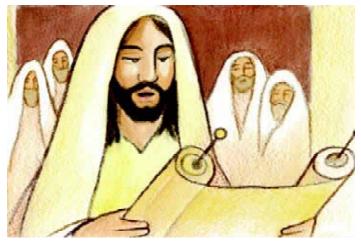
5:30 p.m. – Jan Ferro 7:30 a.m. – Ellen O'Donnell 9:30 a.m. – Pablo Iglesias 11 *GAN! GETRATISTAD* Šulentić

ALTAR SERVERS - MINISTRANTI

5:30 p.m. – Lucas Mizera, Natalia Ruich, John Zekich 7:30 a.m. – Angelina Caruso, Victoria Luna 9:30 a.m. – Francesca Bertucci, Jasmine Esparza, Monica Matual 11 a.m. – Martin Galić, Marina Hostićka, Frano i Marija Kraljević

4TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

An actor was playing the part of Christ in a 'Passion Play'. As he carried the cross up the hill, a bystander in the crowd began mocking him. The actor lost his cool, threw down his cross, walked over to the bystander and punched him. The director stopped the play and said, "I have to fire you. We just can't behave this way while playing the part of Jesus." The actor begged for a second chance and the director yielded his request. The next day same thing repeated. While he was carrying his cross up the street, the heckler showed up again. The actor tried hard to control himself. Finally, grinding, his teeth he looked at the heckler and said, "I'll meet you after the resurrection!"



Christianity is founded on the concept of love. During the last supper Jesus said to his disciples, "A new command I give you: Love one another...By this everyone will know that you are my disciples..." (John 13:34-35). However, often times our love is exclusive. The Synagogue official rejected Jesus precisely for this reason. They wanted salvation strictly for the chosen people. Hence, when Jesus announced salvation to the whole world, quoting from the book of Isaiah, people were furious.

It is hard to love everyone. This is because we cannot like everybody. Loving and liking is not the same. Liking is the function of instinct of which we have no control. Loving is act of will. It is a decision that one makes. It is easy to love someone if that person is likeable. Jesus loved everyone because Jesus was love. It was the expression of who he was. His love was not determined by the merit of others. To love everyone, therefore, the primary condition is to fill your heart with love; that is Holy Spirit.

4. NEDJELJA KROZ GODINU

Kada čuju riječ "prorok" većina pomisli na čovjeka koji može predvidjeti budućnost. Biblijsko shvaćanje je drugačije. U Bibliji je prorok onaj koji je izabran od Boga i poslan da narodu propovijeda ono što Bog želi. Ali uloga proroka je gotovo uvijek bila nezahvalna. Njegovo je poslanje često proturječilo trenutnoj situaciji: u vremenima mira on je opominjao i prijetio, a u vrijeme rata i stradanja tješio.

Luka u svome evanđelju Isusa prikazuje kao proroka. Prošle nedjelje je evanđelje završilo tako da Isus u sinagogi čita Izaijino proroštvo i primjenjuje ga na sebe. Tada nam nije spomenuto kako su ljudi reagirali na njegove riječi. Danas evanđelje nastavlja od retka gdje je stalo prošli put i kaže da su se ljudi divili milini Isusovih riječi. Ali su se i pitali među sobom "Nije li to sin Josipov?" Znajući tko je on i odakle dolazi kao da njegovu poruku žele relativizirati. Na to se i Isusova poruka mijenja. On upozorava da Izrael nije prihvatio gotovo nijednoga proroka. Ostajali su gluhi na poruku proroka jer su govorili: "Znamo tko si i odakle dolaziš, najprije izliječi sam sebe". Isus ih upozorava na slučajeve gdje su se stranci-nevjernici obratili i povjerovali proročkim riječima, dok su ih vjernici zanemarivali ili u nekim slučajevima i ubijali. Na drugačiju poruku i ljudi reagiraju drugačije. Dok su se još maloprije divili Isusu, sada ga odvode izvan grada i žele kamenovati. Isto onako kako su to radili i ranije s onima čija im poruka nije odgovarala. Isus se nekako izvukao iz pogibelji i nastavio svoje djelovanje, ali je to bilo početak onoga nezadovoljstva koje će ga odvesti na križ.

Upravo su oni koji se drže vjernicima u velikoj opasnosti da prečuju Božju poruku, da ne prihvate obraćenje jer drže da su već postigli sve što trebaju.

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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!

ST. JEROME CATHOLIC SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE

Join us today after 9:30 a.m. Mass for coffee and cake at the School Hall and see firsthand everything St. Jerome Catholic School has to offer to your child. We will be taking registrations for the Prekindergarten and Kindergarten classes. Space is limited so register as soon as possible. For more information contact the School Office at 312-842-7668. There is no better way to invest in your child's future because great beginnings last a lifetime!

ROLLER SKATING PARTY

On Monday, February I, starting at 6 p.m. there will be a Roller Skating Party sponsored by HAS. All St. Jerome students and families are invited. Admission, skate rental and food will be provided by the HAS. Party will take place at Fleetwood Roller Rink at 7231 W. Archer Ave., Summit, IL. Join us for a free, fun-filled evening as we kick off Catholic School's Week 2016.

ARCHBISHOP CUPICH'S NAME DAY



On Wednesday, February 3, the feast of St. Blaise is celebrated. For those who were named after St. Blaise, that is very important day - name day. Congratulations to archbishop Blase Cupich! This year archbishop Cupich will be in Dubrovnik, Croatia for the feast of St. Blaise, patron saint of Dubrovnik. Let us keep our archbishop in our prayers.

PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

On Wednesday, February 3, at 7:30 p.m. there will be a Parish Council meeting at the Parish office.

CARDINAL STEPINAC DAY

Mark your calendar for Cardinal Stepinac Day which will be celebrated on February 7. Join us as we honor Blessed Alojzije Stepinac, one of the most prominent figure in recent Croatian history. Solemn Mass will be celebrated at 11 a.m. followed with the program and lunch in our Parish Hall. Tickets can be purchased in the Parish Office or from the members of Croatian School Board.

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.

HOLY MASS PARTICIPATION SHEETS

Goal of Catholic school is to help children to live Catholic teachings as part of their lives. Mass is the center of our life and of religious formation, as well. Students of St. Jerome Catholic School are to use the Holy Mass Participation Sheets. While attending Sunday Mass, students will ask the priest or lector to sign proper form.

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

- Monday, February I
 - Roller Skating Party by HSA
- Wednesday, February 3
- Parish Council meeting • Saturday, **February 6** Fašnik by Hrvatska baština
- Sunday, February 7
 - Stepinčevo Bl. Cardinal Alojzije Stepinac celebration
- Wednesday, February 10
 - Pepelnica Ash Wednesday
- Sunday, **February 21** 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
- Saturday, March 12
 - Croatian-American Radio Club Banquet
- Sunday, March 20
 - Cvjetnica Palm Sunday
 - Palaćinka Breakfast by St. Jerome School
 - Croatian Women Luncheon
 - Parish Confessions

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.

SVIJEĆNICA

U utorak 2. veljače slavimo Isusovo prikazanja u jeruzalemskom hramu - Svijećnicu. Blagoslov svijeća će biti pod sv. misom u 7:30 sati ujutro. Također ćemo blagosloviti svijeće i danas. Neka blagoslovljena svijeća u svačijem domu predstavlja Krista – Svjetlo svijeta pred kojim uzmiče svako zlo i svaka tama.

IMENDAN NADBISKUPA CUPICHA

U srijedu 3. veljače slavi se spomendan sv. Blaža (Vlahe). To je veliki dan i za našega nadbiskupa Blasea Cupicha (Blaža Cupića). Čestitamo! Ovih dana naš nadbiskup će biti u Dubrovniku te sudjelovati u velikoj proslavi feste sv. Vlaha te biti gost dubrovačkog biskupa Mate Uzinića. Sjetite se našeg nadbiskupa u svojim molitvama.



STEPINČEVO 2016.

Kao župna i hrvatska zajednica, želimo i ove godine svečano proslaviti Stepinčevo – spomendan blaženog kardinala Alojzija Stepinca. Proslava će biti u nedjelju 7. veljače. U sv. misi u 11 sati zahvalit ćemo Gospodinu za primjer vjere koji imamo u bl. Alojziju Stepincu. Nakon svete mise imat ćemo program i ručak u Velikoj dvorani. Ulaznice možete uzeti u župnom uredu ili kod članova odbora Hrvatske škole. Planirajte proslaviti ovaj veliki dan s nama.

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.

KRŠTENI

Ovih je dana u našoj crkvi kršten: **Michael Luka Šimundić** (Ante i Sandra r. Bajić) Novokrštenika, njegove roditelje i kumove neka prati Božji blagoslov!

SV. MISA U ROCKFORDU

Jednom mjesečno okuplja se 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. Slijedeća sv. misa će biti u nedjelju 7. veljače. 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.

"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.

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 će biti: *"Oganj* dođoh baciti na zemlju pa što hoću ako je već planuo!" Lk 12:49. VoJUNE 3-5, 2016

ditelj će biti don Damir Stojić, studentski kapelan u Zagrebu. Očekuju se gosti iz Hrvatske, Kanade i SAD-a. Za više pojedinosti pogledajte: milwaukeemladifest.com ili croatiancatholicyouth.com.



CAPUCHIN SAINTS CHOSEN AS SYMBOLS OF THE YEAR OF MERCY: RELICS OF ST.'S PADRE PIO AND LEOPOLD MANDIC BROUGHT TO ROME

As part of the celebration of the Jubilee Year of Mercy, Pope Francis has called the relics of the bodies of St. Leopold Mandic and Padre Pio to Rome. The relics have been brought for the veneration of the faithful as a reminder of the ministry of mercy.

Like St. Pio, St. Leopold was a renowned confessor and a wise spiritual father. As a young Capuchin, he had great missionary aspirations and wished to preach the Gospel around the world. His superiors asked him to surrender this desire in order to undertake the work of a confessor. He is reported to have said that "I am like a bird in a cage, but my heart is beyond the seas". He became a much sought out spiritual guide and a great deal of those who turned to him had not been to confession for many years. For 40 years he spent 12 hours a day in the confessional. He was spiritually strong but physically weak and in addition to abdominal pain and a stammer, he also had crippling arthritis. St. Leopold is a patron for those who feel physically weary and yet seek to gain spiritual strength during this jubilee year. He is also a patron of those who enter the confessional with trepidation after many years of absence.



NERASPADNUTA TIJELA SV. PIJA I SV. LEOPOLDA MANDIĆA BIT ĆE IZLOŽENA U VATIKANU U SVETOJ GODINI MILOSRĐA

"Sveti Otac izrazio je veliku želju da relikvija sv. Pija iz Pietrelcine (Padre Pio) bude izložena u bazilici sv. Petra na Čistu srijedu tijekom Jubileja milosrđa", stoji u pismu predsjednika Papinskog vijeća za novu evangelizaciju nadbiskupa Rina Fisichella.

"Želio bih da sv. Leopold Mandić bude jedan od zaštitnika ove Svete godine milosrđa", upravo je tim riječima na audijenciji 22. travnja 2015. godine papa Franjo uputio svoju poruku okupljenima na trgu sv. Petra, najavljujući Svetu godinu milosrđa.

Relikvije navjestitelja milosrđa i Božjeg praštanja svetaca stižu u Rim već 1. veljače 2016. i bit će izložene u crkvi sv. Lovre u Rimu. U toj glasovitoj rimskoj bazilici 2. veljače bit će proslavljen Dan posvećenog života, a zatim će se tijela prenijeti u crkvu San Salvatore in Lauro, gdje će se na molitvi okupiti molitvene skupine sv. Pija iz cijelog svijeta. U petak 5. veljače tijela svetaca milosrđa u procesiji će biti dopraćena do bazilike sv. Petra, gdje će naši sveci zaštitnici biti izloženi na štovanje u blizini otvorenih Svetih vrata bazilike sv. Petra u Rimu.



Ta Čista srijeda (10. veljače) ima posebno značenje, jer će na taj dan u vatikanskoj bazilici Papa "misionarima milosrđa" udijeliti ovlasti za odrješenje i od onih grijeha koji su inače pridržani Svetoj Stolici. Nazočnost relikvija u tom tjednu u bazilici tijekom Svete godine milosrđa bit će "važnim znakom potpore za sve misionare i svećenike, jer su Padre Pio i sv. Leopold Mandić bili primjer ustrajnog i strpljivog ispovjednika, pravi svjedoci Božjeg milosrđa".

Potvrđeno je kako će tijelo sv. Pija biti izloženo u Rimu od 8. do 14. veljače 2016., a tijelo sv. Leopolda Mandića nakon Rima dolazi u Zagreb, gdje će biti izloženo na štovanje vjernicima od 13. do 18. travnja u župi svetoga Leopolda Bogdana Mandića – Dubrava koju vode franjevci kapucini.