

Parish Bulletin Župni Vjesnik



February 5, 2017 - 5. veljače 2017.



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

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

Croatian Franciscan Friars

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 12:30 poslije
podne na 750 AM

Croatian Catholic Radio Chicago

Saturday: noon - 12:30 p.m.
on 750 AM

Monday, February 6 - Ponedjeljak, 6. veljačeSt. Paul Miki and Companions – *sv. Pavao Miki i drugovi***7:30 a.m.**† Leonard Yerkes *John Segvich*
† Joseph Venditti *Laura Venditti***Tuesday, February 7 - Utorak, 7. veljače****7:30 a.m.**† Mary DeFrancisco *daughter*
† Milodar *Evica Vukotić***Wednesday, February 8 - Srijeda, 8. veljače****7:30 a.m.**† Carmella Barbara (birthday remembrance) *family*
† Scully Scalise *Scalise family***Thursday, February 9 - Četvrtak, 9. veljače****7:30 a.m.**† Elaine Scorza *Catherine and Nick Perisin***8:05 a.m.**

PRO POPULO – For all Parishioners – Za župljane

7 – 8 p.m.Eucharistic Adoration – *Euharistijsko klanjanje***Friday, February 10 - Petak, 10. veljače**Bl. Alojzije Stepinac – *bl. Alojzije Stepinac***7:30 a.m.**† Giggie Cortese (1st anniversary) *family*
† Katie Ferro *Jim and Maryanne Saracco***Saturday, February 11 - Subota, 11. veljače**Our Lady of Lourdes – *Gospa Lurdska***7:30 a.m.**† Joey Locasto *Rose Marie Sestito*
For health of Jim Wanger *Duško***5:30 p.m.**† Teresa Zelkovich *Chris and Matt Pesce*
† Stella Ruggiero *family*
† Debbie Bozich *Frank and Luanne Munizzi*
† Lillian Cozzi *Louis and Mary Scalise*
† Nancy Mustari *Louis and Mary Scalise*
† Richard Basso *Gerald and Roe Catino*
† Barbara Iozzo *Terri and Sam Babich*
† John "Ish" Botica *Cannatello family*
† Barry Babich *Lisa and Christine*
† Giggie Cortese *Debbie and Bo Secor*
† Petar Schurla *Pete and Sandy Schurla*
In honor of Bl. Alojzije Stepinac *Zeba family***LECTORS - ČITAČI**5:30 p.m. – Eva Mossman
7:30 a.m. – Luanne Munizzi; 9:30 a.m. – Jan Zekich
11 a.m. – Anela Kosić, Josip Novak, Mara Kosir**Sunday, February 12 - Nedjelja, 12. veljače****6TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME****6 . NEDJELJA KROZ GODINU****7:30 a.m.**† Irene Grubisic *Genevieve Botica*
† Josie Pascente *Cathy LoCoco*
†† John and Marge Sobocan *Chris and Matt Pesce*
†† Čondić brothers and sisters *Duško*
†† parishioners, family and friends of St. Jerome parish
..... *Grubisic family***9:30 a.m.**† Emily Dengler *Lisa and Bob Link*
† Lillian Cozzi *Nancy Link*
† Larry Pusateri *Mancy Link*
† John "Ish" Botica *Gen and family*
† Michael Ivers *Ginni Vulich and family*
† Manuel Rios Sr. *Ken, Jan and John Zekich and Baba*
† Marie Balestri *family*
†† Dominic and Rose Scalfaro *Joseph and Elizabeth Cairo*
†† William and Toots Gusich *WZG*
For intentions of Frances Panatera *WZG***11 a.m.**† Ante Žgela *Josip i Anđa Novak*
† Anton Hostička *John i Venessa Krpan i obitelj*
† Lovro Rudman *Pero Galić*
† Nikola Planinić *obitelj i prijatelji*
† Nick Došen *Iva Šipić i obitelj*
† Kata Pravdić *Katica Kosić i obitelj*
† Marija Banić *Božo Guvo i obitelj*
† Ivan Zeba *Luca Zeba i obitelj*
† Nevenka Bebek *Vinko i Ana Bebek*
† Paul Pavletić *obitelj*
† Ante Vulich *Vera Bozich i obitelj*
† Mark Šuper *kuma Ana Došen*
† Tomo Vlaičević *Zlata Dugandžić i obitelj*
† Frano Grepo *sin Ivica i obitelj*
† Marko Dugandžić *Mila i Henrik Solina*
† Blaž Karlović *obitelj Karlović*
† Veselko Sivrić *kći Ankica Pehar i obitelj*
† Ivo Bogdanović *John i Marija Kosić i obitelj*
†† Marijan i Anica Lerotić *kći Ivanka Šušnjara i obitelj*
†† iz obitelji Čondić *Duško*
Na čast bl. Alojzija Stepinca *Bože Guvo*
Na nakanu *Maja Dugandžić***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. – Victoria Luna, Lucas Mizera
7:30 a.m. – Koki Murray, William Ruich
9:30 a.m. – Francesca Bertucci, Monica Matual



5TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"You are the light of the world." Speaking to his followers, Jesus tells them of the influence they are meant to have. Like the seasoning that gives food its flavor, they are to be "the salt of the earth" and like a lamp on a lampstand that "gives light to all in the house." Clearly, their influence on the people around them is meant to be positive and substantial. But what is the source of this irreplaceable influence?

Elsewhere in the Gospels, Jesus declares that he is "the light of the world" (cf. Jn 8:12). So when he tells his disciples that "your light must shine before others," he is speaking about the light that comes from following him, from believing in him, from living their lives for him and with him. The light of Christ brightens the world, showing us the truth and meaning of our existence. And to the extent that we have that light in our hearts, it naturally spreads out to impact those around us.

So, today we must ask ourselves whether or not we are shining the way we are meant to as Christians. Do we brighten up our families, our workplaces, our neighborhoods, and our parishes? Are people encouraged, inspired, edified, and supported by our presence? Do we bring the kind of flavor that enriches life with a taste of the authentic truth, beauty, and goodness that comes from God alone? Or have we become a bit bland, like salt that "loses its taste" or light that is hidden "under a bushel basket"? It's important to be on guard against any tendency to let our faith be reduced to a mere routine or ritual. Rather, when we nurture our faith to be a living force that defines us and our actions, it will be a source of joy and renewal not only for us, but for the whole world.

5. NEDJELJA KROZ GODINU

Često se čuje prigovor kako kršćanstvo nije promijenilo ljude. Iako se propovijeda već 2000 godina, svijet kao da nije postao bolje mjesto. Čak i među kršćanima ima zla i sebičnosti. Možda nam u pokušaju odgovora na izrečenu kritiku može poslužiti slika sapuna. Sapun ničemu ne služi ako ga se ne primijeni. Ako ostaje zapakiran, ostaje bez učinka. Isto tako ako se sol ne pomiješa s hranom ili zbog lošega mjesta čuvanja obljutavi, gubi svoj okus. Ako se svjetlo prikrije, nije nikom od pomoći.

Kršćanstvo u sebi nosi snagu promjene. Isus kaže: *Vi ste sol zemlje! Vi možete ljudima pomoći da steknu ukus za dobar i ispunjen život. Vi imate priliku zasoliti neukusnu juhu ravnodušnosti. Dakle, ne ovisi o kršćanskoj vjeri, nego o nama, jer je bit vjere da ona daje okus i da rasvjetljuje život. Zašto onda slika Crkve i kršćana tako odudara od onoga što bi ustvari trebali biti u svijetu? Zato što se radost vjere pretvorila u kuknjavu nad zlim svijetom. Kršćanski pisac Bernanos jednom se zapitao: "Kršćani, gdje ste sakrili milost?"*

Čini se da mi više ne shvaćamo ozbiljno zadaću da budemo sol zemlje i svjetlo svijeta. Izgubili smo povjerenje u snagu naše vjere, zapleli se u svoje probleme i zaboravili da smo poslani svijetu. Sol bez okusa u sebi je proturječne. Skriveno svjetlo nikomu ne koristi. Tko svoj sapun ne raspakira i ne primijeni, ne može biti sasvim čist. Tko se zadovoljava minimumom, slegnut će ramenima i pomisliti da se ionako ništa ne da učiniti. Istinski nasljedovatelji Kristovi ne mire se sa stanjem svijeta, nego vjeruju da se uvijek nešto može napraviti. Istinski Kristovi učenici ne proklinju tamu svijeta, nego donose zrnice životne radosti, i pale tračak nade i optimizma među ljudima.

BAPTIZED

In our church was baptized:

Richard Joseph Dalcamo

(Joseph and Alicia)

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

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR 2016

We will make our annual collection financial recap for 2016 ready soon. We are grateful to all of you for your generosity to our parish community year after year. Thank you for all that you do for St. Jerome's and for making it your home.

CARDINAL CUPICH'S NAME DAY

On Friday, February 3, the feast of St. Blaise was celebrated. For those who were named after St. Blaise, that was very important day - name day. Congratulations to our Archbishop Blase Cardinal Cupich! Let us keep him in our prayers.

OUR LADY OF THE LOURDES WORLD DAY OF THE SICK

On Saturday, February 11, we celebrate the feast day of Our Lady of the Lourdes which is also celebrated as the World Day of the Sick. Let us visit and pray for all in hospitals, nursing homes or who are homebound.

CARDINAL STEPINAC DAY

Join us in celebrating Cardinal Stepinac Day on February 12. We honor Blessed Alojzije Stepinac, one of the most prominent figure in recent Croatian history. Mass will be celebrated at 11 a.m. followed with the program and lunch in our Parish Hall. Our guests are: a cappella group Klapa Sebenico, from Šibenik, Croatia.



YOUTH/YOUNG ADULTS GATHERING

Every second Sunday of month young adults of our parish get together to pray, sing, and plan activities. Gathering is held in the Parish Office starting at 12:15 p.m. Upcoming dates: February 12, March 12.

EVENING OF PRAYER & THANKSGIVING

God granted us many graces by recent visit of Fr. Ivo Pavić. We want to express our gratefulness with the evening of prayer, worship and sharing. Join us on Friday, February 17 at 7 p.m. in our church.

ASH WEDNESDAY

The holy time of Lent begins on Ash Wednesday, March 1. 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.

BAKALAR DINNER

On Saturday, March 4, traditional Bakalar Dinner will be served at 7 p.m. in the Big Parish Hall. This delicious Lenten tradition is organized by Club Poljica. Get your tickets as soon as possible because they are in great demand. All are welcome.

90TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE CROATIAN FRANCISCAN CUSTODY

The Croatian Franciscans have been present on this continent for more than 100 years. The Croatian Franciscan Custody of the Holy Family was founded 90 years ago. We would like to celebrate this anniversary together with you. The solemn banquet and presentation of our shared history will be held at the Croatian Cultural Center in Chicago on Sunday, March 5, beginning at 1 pm. Entrance is free, but you will not be allowed to enter without a reservation. You may make your reservations and pick up your tickets at the parish rectories.

CROATIAN LANGUAGE FOR ADULTS

Do you want to learn Croatian? Are you over 18 years old? Join the group that is going to be formed soon. All levels are welcome. Mario Ivančić will be a teacher. If you would like to find more information, please, call 773-875-3350 or stop at our Parish Office.

JOIN US IN OUR WEEKDAY ACTIVITIES

BOOK CLUB - Next meeting will be on **Wednesday, February 8**, at 7 p.m. in Lower Small Hall. They are reading "Prayers For Sale" by Sandra Dallas.

SAVE THE DATE

- Sunday, **February 12**
Bl. Cardinal Alojzije Stepinac celebration
- Friday, **February 17**
Evening of prayer and thanksgiving

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- Wednesday, **March 1**
Ash Wednesday (Čista srijeda - Pepelnica)
 - Saturday, **March 4**
Bakalar Dinner by Club Poljica
 - Sunday, **March 5**
Croatian Franciscan Custody 90th Anniversary Banquet (at Croatian Cultural Center)
 - Monday, **March 13** - Friday, **March 24**
Pilgrimage to Holy Land
 - Saturday, **March 18**
Croatian-American Radio Club Banquet

PREMINULI

Ovih su dana preminuli:

- u Domovini, u 78. godini života, **Jure Žaper**.

Za njim ostaju u Chicagu sin Mate te brat Petar sa svojim obiteljima. U Domovini ostaju: supruga Ana, sinovi Hrvoje i Mijo te sestra Blaženka; braća i sestre +Mijo, Stipe, +Filip, Nediljko, Iva Voloder te Mara Bilonić; te druga rodbina i prijatelji.

- u River Forestu, u 73. godini života, **Iva Čubelić** (r. Pervan). Za njom ostaju: suprug Nediljko; sin Mike Mijo (Laura); kći Suzi (John) Ilić; unučad Nick, Joey, Kristen, Danny, Marko, Ana; braća i sestre Ivan (Anka) Pervan, Nikola (Jelka) Pervan, Mara (+Martin) Jukić, Mila (+Jure) Čubelić, +Ruža (Slavko) Brčić, +Stipan (Ljuba) Pervan; djever Anđelko (+Maryann) Čubelić, Ivan (Anka) Čubelić, +Mara Čubelić; te druga rodbina i prijatelji. Tijelo +Ive je pokopano u utorak 31. siječnja na groblju All Saints, Des Plains, IL.

Neka ih Gospodin obdari svojim mirom.

SVIJEĆNICA

U četvrtak 2. veljače smo proslavili Isusovo prikazanje u jeruzalemskom hramu. I danas blagoslivljamo svijeće. Neka blagoslovljena svijeća u svačijem domu predstavlja Krista – Svjetlo svijeta pred kojim uzmiče svako zlo i svaka tama.

IMENDAN KARDINALA CUPICHA

U petak 3. veljače slavio se spomendan sv. Blaža (Vlahe). To je bio veliki dan i za našega nadbiskupa Blasea kardinala Cupicha (Blaža Cupića). Čestitamo! Sjetite se našeg nadbiskupa u svojim molitvama.

SV. MISA U ROCKFORDU

Danas se okuplja hrvatska zajednica grada Rockforda i okolice. Sv. misa se slavi u crkvi sv. Brigite (600 Clifford Avenue in Loves Park, Rockford, IL) u 4 sata poslije podne. Pošto je ovo vrijeme blagoslova obitelji, organizirat ćemo i pohod svećenika obiteljima i zajedničku molitvu za Božji blagoslov. Za sve pojedini možete se javiti Josipu Matoševiću (815-298-8218). Sljedeća sv. misa će biti u nedjelju 5. ožujka.

GOSPA LURDSKA – SVJETSKI DAN BOLESNIKA

U subotu 11. veljače slavimo blagdan Gospe Lurdske. Ovaj blagdan obilježavamo i kao Svjetski dan bolesnika. Molimo za sve župljane koji su ovih dana u bolnici, za sve stare i nemoćne, za njihove obitelji i za sve one koji im pomažu (liječnici i medicinske sestre).

STEPINČEVO 2017.

Kao župna i hrvatska zajednica, svečano slavimo Stepinčevo – spomendan blaženog kardinala Alojzija Stepinca. Proslava će biti u nedjelju 12. 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. Imamo goste iz Domovine: klapa Sebeniko iz Šibenika. Planirajte proslaviti ovaj veliki dan s nama.



„FRA LEON PETROVIĆ I 65 SUBRAĆE“

Proces proglašenja blaženima fra Leona Petrovića i 65 hercegovačkih franjevaca se još odvija u BiH i Hrvatskoj. Prikupljaju se svjedočanstva o njihovom životu, radu i mučeništvu. Svi koji mogu pomoći u tome neka je jave na adresu: Vicepostulatura, Kardinala Stepinca 14, 88 220 Široki Brijeg, BiH; (387)39-700-325; mostar@pobijeni.info; www.pobijeni.info.

SUSRETI MLADIH

Svake druge nedjelje u mjesecu okupljaju se mladi naše župe kako bi zajedno molili, pjevali, čitali riječ Božju, rasli u vjeri te razgovarali o aktualnim pitanjima. Susret se održava u župnom uredu s početkom u 12:15 sati poslije podne. Nadolazeći susreti: 12. veljače, 12. ožujka, 9. travnja, 14. svibnja.

VEČER MOLITVE I ZAHVALE

Nedavnim dolaskom fra Ive Pavića u našu župu Bog nam je udijelio mnoge milosti. Želimo se na tome Bogu zahvaliti molitvom, pjesmom i svjedočenjem u petak 17. veljače u 7 sati navečer u crkvi.

PEPELNICA – ČISTA SRIJEDA

Pepelnica označava početak korizme - vremena pokore, razmišljanja i posta, koje nas priprema za Kristovo uskrsnuće. Pepeo je simbol pokore i pomaže nam razviti duh poniznosti i žrtve. Pepelnicu - Čistu srijedu slavimo u srijedu 1. ožujka. Sv. misa na hrvatskom jeziku će biti u 7 sati navečer. Na kraju sv. mise će biti obred pepeljanja.

ST. JOSEPH'S TABLE

Santa Lucia parish will celebrate St. Joseph's Table on Sunday, March 19. Mass (10 a.m.) will be followed by blessing of St. Joseph's table and altar in the school hall. Pasta dinner will be served from 11 a.m. until 2:30 p.m. If you wish to help, please, contact Mrs. Longo at 312-515-8540. Donations are appreciated.

SUNDAY ENGLISH MASS SCHEDULE

AT ST. JEROME AND SANTA LUCIA

Regular English Mass schedule at St. Jerome is: Saturday evening at 5:30 p.m. and Sunday morning at 7:30 and 9:30 a.m. Regular Mass schedule at Santa Lucia is: Saturday evening at 4 p.m. and Sunday morning at 10 a.m. If your schedule calls for Mass attendance at an alternate time, feel free to bring your St. Jerome or Santa Lucia envelope to any of these Masses, and we will ensure your offering gets sent over to your home church.

ARE YOU A REGISTERED AS A PARISHIONER OF ST. JEROME?

If you attend Mass here regularly, we encourage you to register as a member of St. Jerome. Registering 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 mailings sent throughout the year, as well as helpful information about our activities.

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

CARDINAL STEPINAC WAY SINCE 1998

A memorable event 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 Chicago, Richard M. Daley, proclaimed the 3rd day of October, 1998 as Cardinal Stepinac Day for the City of Chicago. By the same act, the Mayor 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. Namely, Princeton Avenue between 26th and 33rd streets was designated as "Cardinal Stepinac Way". This is a very important decision for our community especially because it is this street through which St. Jerome has held Velika Gospa procession. The dedication

took place on Sunday, April 18, 1999. We were privileged to have Francis Cardinal George, 9th Archbishop of Chicago, for the solemn opening.



BLAGOSLOV OBITELJI

Škropljenje stanova i kuća prigodom blagoslova obitelji je vanjski znak da se u obitelji želi živjeti kršćanskim životom. U dogovoru s našim voditeljima, obavještavat ćemo vas i zvati unaprijed. Molimo, javite nam ako želite da dođemo i k vama, osobito, ako kod vas nismo bili duže vremena.

HRVATSKA ŠKOLA ZA ODRASLE

Želite li učiti hrvatski jezik a stariji ste od 18 godina? Pridružite se grupi koja će uskoro početi s radom u našoj maloj dvorani. Učitelj će biti Mario Ivančić. Za više detalja nazovite 773-875-3350 ili se raspitajte u naše, župnom uredu.

BAKALARSKA VEČERA

U subotu 4. 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.

90. GODIŠNJICA

HRVATSKE FRANJEVAČKE KUSTODIJE

Hrvatski franjevci djeluju u Anerici više od 100 godina. Hrvatska franjevačka kustodija Svete obitelji utemeljena je prije 90 godina. Ove godine se sjećamo za zahvalnošću naših franjevaca koji su bili s nama sve ovo vrijeme. Ovu obljetnicu želimo obilježiti zajedno s vama. Svečani banket i predstavljanje naše zajedničke povijesti održat će se u Hrvatskom kulturnom centru u nedjelju 5. ožujka u 1 sat poslije podne. Ulaznice su besplatne, ali ih trebate podignuti u župnom uredu radi rezervacije. Dobro nam došli.



MLADIFEST 2017

Peti susret hrvatske katoličke mladeži SAD-a i Kanade će biti od 23. do 25. lipnja u Hrvatskoj župi Prečistog srca Marijina u Vancouveru, BC. Očekuju se mladi iz Kanade, SAD-a i Hrvatske. Pošto se radi o dalekom putu, prijavite nam se već sada kako bismo mogli što bolje organizirati naše sudjelovanje.