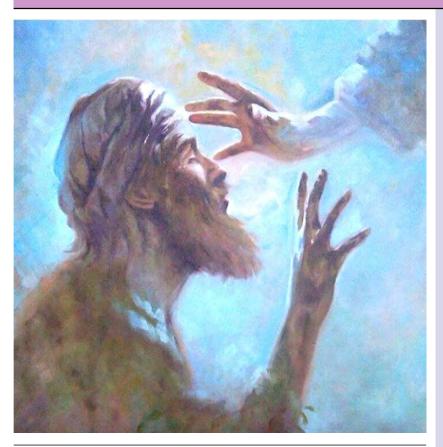




March 26, 2017 - 26. ožujka 2017.



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

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Croatian Franciscan Friars Fr. Ivica Majstorović, OFM - Fr. Stipe Renić, OFM

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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 12:30 poslije podne na 750 AM

Croatian Catholic Radio Chicago Saturday: noon - 12:30 p.m. on 750 AM

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

PARISH BULLETIN / ŽUPNI VJESNIK

Monday, March 27 - Ponedjeljak, 27. ožujka

7:30 a.m.

+ Margaret Marcello Ja	ames Pace
+ Alfred De Francisco	daughter

Tuesday, March 28 - Utorak, 28. ožujka

7:30 a.m.

Wednesday, March 29 - Srijeda, 29. ožujka

7:30 a.m.

+ Graldine Maratea	Chris and Matt Pesce
For intentions of all St. Jerome parishioners	WZG

Thursday, March 30 - Četvrtak, 30. ožujka

7:30 a.m.

Eucharistic Adoration – Euharistijsko klanjanje

Friday, March 31 - Petak, 31. ožujka

7:30 a.m.

+ Hortencia Flores	Patricia and Charles Marino
+ Danny Hiser	Marian Segvich
7 p.m.	
Stations of the Cross	

Saturday, April 1 - Subota, 1. travnja

7:30 a.m.

	Mary Fratto
	os <i>Elaine Martincic</i>
5:30 p.m.	
+ Elaine Scorza	Patricia and Andy Sperando
	Pete and Sandy Schurla
+ Philly Levato	Pete and Sandy Schurla
+ Carol Palmsone	Nicolette Bernardi
+ Joseph LoCasto	Gazzi family
+ Barry Babich	Lisa and Christine
+ Ante Vulich	Joe and El Grzetich and family
+ Danny Hiser	Frank and Luanne Munizzi
+ Angelina Szatkowski	Cathy Amato
+ Mildred Bazan	Joseph Crisanti
† Slavko Garić	Marija and Branimir Mamić and family
++ Ray and Sue Fritz	Jan and Rich Ferro

ALTAR SERVERS - MINISTRANTI

5:30 p.m. – Nicole and Nora Zeimys 7:30 a.m. – Olivia Mangan, Lucas Mizera 9:30 a.m. – Gabriel and Lourdes Filipović 11 a.m. – Emilijan i Kristijan Kosić, Drago Skinger

Sunday, April 2 - *Nedjelja, 2. travnja* 5th SUNDAY OF LENT - 5. KORIZMENA NEDJELJA

7:30 a.m.

7.50 d.m.
+ Irene Grubisic Ken and Nancy Kozlar
+ John Grubisic family
+ Palma Ursetta Carmen and Carmella Catizone
tarry Pustari Patricia and Charles Marino
† James Monson Patricia and Charles Marino
+ Angelina Szatkowski Rose and Robert Bazan
++ Anthony and Ann DiLoreto family
++ Čondić brothers and sisters Duško
9:30 a.m.
+ Elaine Scorza Mark Gusich and family
+ John "Ish" Botica Gen and family
+ Katie Ferro Perisin grandchildren
+ Patricia Jentel Mark Gusich and family
* Katherine "Katie" Bulow WZG
+ Nicola Salerno Gerard
† Margaret Haptas family
10:30 a.m. Križni put
11 a.m.
+ Ante Žgela Petar i Anna Varvodić
† Anton Hostićka Stipe i Jaka Pudar
+ Lovro Rudman Ante Lončar
† Nick Došen Drago i Ankica Uremović
 Ivan Matijević Luca Zeba i obitelj
 Marijan Babić
 Marija Banić
† Anka Lončar
† Zdravko Habl
 + Mladen Bugarija
† Jure Žaper (Car) Anđelko Šušnjara i obitelj
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 + Ante Šimić - <i>obitelj Šimić</i>
tenka Barbarić obitelj Šimić
 Marko Radman Livaja
 Mirko Tavra
 Jeanette Ruth Marovitch (9. godišnjica) suprug Louis
+ Josip Armić obitelj Armić
 Josip Armie
++ Ljubo i Dumica Tanfara
t+ Frank i Maria Cecchini
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t+ iz obitelji Čondić
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Lectors - Čitači

5:30 p.m. – Michael Passarelli 7:30 a.m. – Matthew Pesce; 9:30 a.m. – Jan Zekich

11 a.m. – Tomislav Jerković, Tomislav Kikaš, Josip Novak

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

IZVANREDNI POSLUŽITELJI SV. PRIČESTI



4TH SUNDAY OF LENT

The waiting area of any hospital emergency room is likely to be filled with people in need of moderate care. It is the most critical who are swept into cubicles and trauma rooms upon their arrival. Heavy bleeders as well as heart attack and stroke victims are seen right away. But those with less dramatic injuries or people presenting with seemingly more minor symptoms often end up waiting for the medical care they seek. Corralled in a waiting area and watching on-wall-mounted television, many of the sick simply suffer and endure until their names are called and they are ushered in to be seen by the emergency room staff. For those who wait, there is no quick end to suffering, no "Go wash in the Pool of Siloam" and be made whole again. All they can do is wait, and beg for healing in the crowded emergency room.

The man who was blind from birth did not expect to be healed. He was a beggar in the Temple and had probably resigned himself to that lot in life. After all, he was blind from birth. There wasn't any real prospect for a cure. But Jesus comes along and opens his eyes. Jesus doesn't just cure the man's blindness. Jesus gives sight to the man in the physical world, but also in the spiritual world. The man confesses Jesus as Lord while some of the Pharisees reject who Jesus is and so are portrayed as blind to the reality of his divinity.

Like the sick in the emergency room, we can wait for a long time before we come to the realization of who Jesus is in our own lives. Some people find him early in life, others only after a long wait. Those who will be baptized at Easter are seeking enlightenment by Christ, and the rest of us who are going through Lent are looking to cast darkness aside. Christ is here to heal us all.

4. KORIZMENA NEDJELJA

Prateći tekst evanđelja, pratimo dvostruki proces. S jedne strane proces u kojemu vjerski poglavari ispituju ozdravljenoga i koji završava njegovim isključenjem iz zajednice. Čak se ni njegovi roditelji ne usuđuju stati iza njega kao svjedoci. Istodobno se u srcu slijepca događa sasvim drugačiji proces. Njegove se oči otvaraju i on prepoznaje onoga koji ga je izliječio. U prvi čas on je za njega samo čovjek koji se zove Isus. Tek ga farizejsko osporavanje Isusa tjera na razmišljanje: Pa zar je Isus grešnik? Zar zbog toga što je učinio nešto plemenito u subotu? Nemoguće. Onaj koji je u stanju takvo što učiniti mora biti Bogu jako blizak, on mora da je prorok.

Ozdravljeni po drugi put susreće Isusa, i tek tada mu se otvaraju oči srca. Ono što mu je u srcu odjeknulo izriču njegove usne: Vjerujem, Gospodine! Sve drugo što bi još htio reći pokazuje njegovo tijelo: baca se pred Isusa i priznaje ga Sinom Božjim. U dvostrukom smislu taj čovjek izlazi iz tame na svjetlo: gleda svojim tjelesnim očima, a očima srca prepoznaje u Isusu onoga koji je svjetlo istinsko, koje prosvjetljuje svakog čovjeka. Iz tame u svjetlo - to je tipično za krsno događanje. Kod pružanja svijeće na krštenju krstitelj izgovara riječi: Dijete vam je Krist prosvijetlio da živi kao dijete svjetla. Vama se, roditelji i kumovi, povjerava da podržavate ovo svjetlo. Prije samog čina krštenja, roditelji i kumovi su pitani da se u ime krštenika odreknu tame, zla i Zloga i da ispovjede vjeru u trojedinog Boga. To čine i svi odrasli u vazmenoj noći. To da od Krista dolazi snaga koja liječi našu sljepoću, izra-žava se znakom: uskrsna svijeća, simbol Krista uskrsnuloga, unosi se u mrak, u tamu crkve i od nje svi primamo svjetlo. U tom času Krist nam govori: Ja sam svjetlost svijeta, ja sam i tvoje svjetlo!

CCY PALAĆINKA FUNDRAISER

The Croatian Catholic Youth from our parish are raising funds to participate in Vancouver MladiFest 2017 (vancouvermladifest.com) and grow in faith. Since the destination is so far away, they are organizing a Mladifest Palaćinka fundraiser which is taking place this Sunday, March 26, from 10:15 a.m. to 1 p.m. in our Big Hall. Taste palaćinke (Croatian crepes) and help our youth and young adults (from 16 to 30 years of age) to go to the Vancover MladiFest 2017. Thank you for your support.



MARIAN SOCIETY BAKE SALE/BRUNCH

On Sunday, April 2, Marian Society will have a bake sale/brunch in the Big Hall. Bake sale will start after 7:30 a.m. Mass. You will be able to buy the whole cake to take home. Starting at 10:30 a.m. luncheon will be served as well. Enjoy meal in the Hall or take it home. Please, join us in this event. We need bakers, kitchen servers and setup help. Please, contact any of the Marian Society Board member to volunteer. You may drop off your cakes/baked goods on Saturday afternoon or early Sunday morning.

YOUTH/YOUNG ADULTS GATHERING

Once a 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: April 2, May 14, June 11.

PALAĆINKA BREAKFAST

BY ST. JEROME PARENT CLUB

The Annual Palaćinka Breakfast (organized by St. Jerome Parent Club) will take place on Sunday, April 9, from 8 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. in the Big Hall. Taste Palaćinke (Croatian crepes) or Pancakes (with or without meat) for \$10 adults and \$5 children. There will be a \$6,000 raffle. Only 200 tickets is being sold at \$50 each (\$5,000 Ist, \$500 2nd, \$500 3rd place). Tickets are available in our Parish office and at the School office. This is an event for the whole family. Welcome!

PLEASE NOTE

Please note the Mass time change on Palm Sunday, April 9. We will have Mass at 9 a.m. instead of 9:30 a.m. This change will give us more time for Palm Sunday rich and deeply meaningful liturgy, as well to allow people to exchange in a nice fashion for 11 a.m. Croatian Mass.

CROATIAN WOMAN LUNCHEON

Croatian Woman Society is holding its Annual humanitarian luncheon on Palm Sunday, April 9, at the Croatian Cultural Center starting at 1 p.m.

PALM SUNDAY RECONCILIATION

It is time for peace. It is time for mercy. It is time for reconciliation. We invite you to join us on the evening of prayer, examination of conscience and the sacrament of reconciliation on Palm Sunday, April 9, at 6 p.m. There will be several priests to hear confessions and help us in preparation for Easter.

LIVING STATIONS OF THE CROSS BY ST. JEROME SCHOOL

On Monday, April 10, St. Jerome School will present the Living Stations in our church at 7 p.m.

100TH ANNIVERSARY BANQUET OF ST. MARY ISLAND OF CRES BENEVOLENT SOCIETY

St. Mary Island of Cres Benevolent Society will celebrate its 100th anniversary on Saturday, April 22, at the Mayor's Mansion (5445 Harlem Ave.) with the banquet. Cocktail will start at 6:30 and dinner at 7:30 p.m. Music by Sinovi. Cost: adults \$65, children (3-12) \$40. Last day for ticket sales will be April 8. Tickets can be purchased by the members of St. Mary Society or at our Parish Office.

RENEW MY CHURCH - STUDY & DISCUSS

Renew My Church is a multi-year process with the purpose of strengthening parish vitality and better aligning its resources and mission. The whole Archdiocese of Chicago started with this process almost 2 years ago. How will that process affect us? Join us in studying and discussing the vision behind the whole process. Meetings are on Thursdays from 6 to 6:50 p.m. in the Small Hall.

THE STATIONS OF THE CROSS

We have devotion of 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 IN OUR WEEKDAY ACTIVITIES

ZUMBA - Get in shape and have fun - **Tuesday** and **Thursday** in the Big Hall from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m.

BOOK CLUB - Next meeting with "Big Little Lies" by Liane Moriarty on **Wednesday, April 12**, at 7 p.m. in Lower Small Hall.

RENEW MY CHURCH - STUDY & DISCUSS -On **Thursdays** from 6 to 6:50 p.m. in Lower Small Hall.

AA - Meetings are held every **Thursday** at 7:30 p.m. in Upper Small Hall.

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament every **Thursday** from 7 to 8 p.m.

ŽUPNI VJESNIK



PRODAJA PALAĆINKI

Hrvatska katolička mladež (Croatian Catholic Youth) naše župe planira ići na susret mladih u Vancouver. Pošto se radi o dalekom putu, CCY organi-CatholicYouth zira prodaju palaćinki. Kušajte domaće

palaćinke danas - u nedjelju 26. ožujka, od 10:15 sati prije podne do 1 sat poslije podne u Velikoj dvorani. Podržimo naše mlade. Hvala unaprijed.

SUSRETI MLADIH

Jednom mjesečno mladi naše župe se okupljaju na zajedničku molitvu, rast u vjeri te razgovor o aktualnim pitanjima. Susret se održava u župnom uredu s početkom u 12:15 sati poslije podne. Nadolazeći susreti: 2. travnja, 14. svibnja, 11. lipnja.

PRODAJA KOLAČA I RUČAK U ORGANIZACIJI MARIJINOG DRUŠTVA

U nedjelju 2. travnja Marijino društvo priređuje prodaju kolača u Velikoj dvorani. Kolači će se moći kupiti već od 8:30 sati ujutro. Možete kupiti dio ili cijeli kolač. Ručak će se posluživati od 10:30 sati.

ISPOVIJED STARIH I BOLESNIH

Ako imate bolesnu ili nepokretnu osobu u kući, bolnici ili staračkom domu, javite nam u naš župni ured, kako bismo ih mogli posjetiti i podijeliti sakramente ispovijedi i sv. pričesti prije Uskrsa.

PALAĆINKE ZA DORUČAK

Tradicionalni doručak u organizaciji St. Jerome Parent Club bit će u nedjelju 9. travnja. Palaćinke i ostala hrana će se posluživati od 8 ujutro do 12:30 sati poslije podne. Bit će i lutrija s nagradnim fondom od \$6,000. Prodaje se samo 200 lutrijskih listića po \$50. Možete ih dobiti u župnom uredu ili u školi.

MASLINOVE GRANČICE ZA CVJETNICU

Na Cvjetnicu, 9. travnja, društvo Hrvatska žena će prodavati maslinove grančice ispred naše crkve. Prihod od prodaje ide za pomoć potrebnima.

RUČAK DRUŠTVA HRVATSKA ŽENA

Tradicionalni dobrotvorni ručak društva Hrvatska žena održava se na Cvjetnicu, u nedjelju 9. travnja, s početkom u 1 sat poslije podne. Bit će organizirano besplatno valet parkiranje. Ulaznice se mogu dobiti kod članica odbora (\$35 za odrasle, \$20 za djecu do 12 godina starosti) ili u našem župnom uredu.

CVJETNICA - DAN POMIRENJA

Na Cvjetnicu, 9. travnja, imat ćemo više svećenika za sakrament pomirenja (sv. ispovijedi). Pokorničko bogoslužje će započeti u 6 sati navečer.

ČIŠĆENJE CRKVE PRED USKRS

Molimo, pridružite nam se da pripremimo našu crkvu za Veliki tjedan. Počet ćemo s čišćenjem u utorak 11. travnja u 6 sati navečer. Što nas više bude, to ćemo prije završiti i svima će nam biti lakše.

CVIJEĆE ZA USKRS

Želite li darovati cvijeće za Uskrs, molimo, javite se Louisu i Mary Scalise, Ken i Jan Zekich, Ivanu i Vesni Jureta ili u župni ured. Hvala svima.

100. GODIŠNJICA DOBROTVORNOG DRUŠTVA **SV. MARIJA OTOK CRES**

Dobrotvorno društvo Sv. Marija otok Cres poziva sve članove i prijatelj na proslavu 100. godišnjice postojanja. Svečani banket će biti u subotu 22. travnja u Mayor's Mansion (5445 Harlem Ave.). Koktel će početi u 6:30 a večera u 7:30 sati navečer. Za zabavu i ples će svirati grupa Sinovi. Ulaznice (odrasli \$65, djeca \$40) nabavite kod članova društva ili u našem župnom uredu najkasnije do subote 8. travnja.

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. Na susretu sudjeluju mladi od 16 do 30 godin



starosti. Tema susreta: Gospodine, ako si ti, zapovjedi mi da dođem k tebi po vodi! (Mt 14:28). Pošto se radi o dalekom putu, prijavite nam se već sada kako bismo mogli što bolje organizirati naše sudjelovanje. Možete se prijaviti na vancouvermladifest.com.

RENEW MY CHURCH (OBNOVI MOJU CRKVU)

- PROUČAVANJE I RAZGOVOR

Renew My Church je višegodišnji proces kojemu je cilj osnažiti župe te ih osposobiti da bolje iskoriste svoje potencijale. Cijela nadbiskupija je započela ovaj proces prije skoro dvije godine. Pridružite nam se u proučavanju i razgovoru o viziji i cilju prema kojem cijeli ovaj proces želi ići. Susreti se održavaju četvrtkom od 6 do 6:50 sati navečer u Maloj dvorani.

PARISH BULLETIN / ŽUPNI VJESNIK



FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR 2016

Our annual collection financial recap for 2016 is ready. Please, let us know if you need it, and we will prepare it. Call our parish office. We are grateful for your generosity to our parish community year after year. Thank you for all that you do for St. Jerome.

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.

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.



FOR RENT IZNAJMLJUJE SE

▶ 30TH ST. & PRINCETON AVE.

2 bedroom appartment. Ist floor with garage. Newly renowated with appliances. Call 708-306-0480.

LOOKING FOR TRAŽI SE

► APARTMENT

Mature female, who has lived for 31 years in current place, is looking for an apartment. She works fulltime in the Chicago Public School. Call Grace at 773-728-0689. Please, leave message.

▶ JOB - CAREGIVER OR NANNY

Dependable, experienced, caring female with excellent references looking for a job as a caregiver, companion or nanny. She speaks English, Croatian, Polish and Czech. Call Juliana at 312-409-8462.

SAVE THE DATE

- Thursday, **March 30** Renew My Church (Obnovi moju Crkvu)
 - study and discuss group
- Sunday, April 2
 - Marian Society Bake Sale/Brunch
- Sunday, April 9
 - Cvjetnica Palm Sunday
 - Palaćinka Breakfast by St. Jerome Parent Club
 - Croatian Women Luncheon
 - Parish Confessions
- Monday, April 10
 - Living stations of the cross
- Tuesday, April 11
 - PreEaster cleaning of the church
- Sunday, April 15
 - Uskrs Easter Sunday
- Saturday, April 22

100th Anniversary Banquet of St. Mary Island of Cres Benevolent Society

HRVATSKA ŠKOLA ZA ODRASLE

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

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: taj dan se najesti samo jednom. Nemrs znači: taj dan ne jesti 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.