

# Parish Bulletin Župni Vjesnik



September 24, 2017 - 24. rujna 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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### 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

**Monday, September 25 - Ponedjeljak, 25. rujna****7:30 a.m.**

† Vera Bozich ..... *Cathy Amato*  
 † Jennifer Savarino ..... *Cathy Amato*

**Tuesday, September 26 - Utorak, 26. rujna****7:30 a.m.**

† Anthony LoCoco ..... *sister in law*  
 † Maria Strmečki ..... *Mary and Debbie*

**Wednesday, September 27 - Srijeda, 27. rujna**

St. Vincent de Paul – *sv. Vinko Paulski*

**7:30 a.m.**

† Margaret Marcello ..... *James Pace*  
 † James F. Caruso ..... *cousin Jimmy and Frances*

**Thursday, September 28 - Četvrtak, 28. rujna****7:30 a.m.**

†† Gene and Josephine Pelletier ..... *Gen and family*  
 †† Jim and Pat Haferbecker ..... *friend*

**8:05 a.m.**

PRO POPULO – For all Parishioners – Za župljane

**7 – 8 p.m.**

Eucharistic Adoration – *Euharistijsko klanjanje*

**Friday, September 29 - Petak, 29. rujna**

Sts. Michael, Gabriel and Raphael, Archangels  
*sv. Mihael, Gabriel i Rafael, arkandeli*

**7:30 a.m.**

† Katy Morano (birthday remembrance) ..... *Marion*  
 † Anthony Roscich ..... *Louis and Mary Scalise*

**Saturday, September 30 - Subota, 30. rujna**

St. Jerome – *sv. Jeronim*

**7:30 a.m.**

† Anita Becich ..... *Frank and Donna Louzon*  
 † Jennifer Rabon Savarino ..... *Catherine and Nick Perisin*

**5:30 p.m.**

† Mildrad Bazan ..... *Bazan family*  
 † Angelina Szatkowski ..... *Mickey Wilhelm*  
 † Loretta Pesha ..... *Carol and Frano Marasovich*  
 † Mary Budich ..... *Virginia Wentz*  
 † Vera Bozich ..... *Anthony and Colleen Scalise*  
 † Frank McDaniels ..... *Butch and Marlene Salvato*  
 † Michael Rojewski ..... *Babich family*  
 † Rosa Folino ..... *Gazzi family*  
 † Jane Pokusa ..... *Tomich family*  
 †† William and Mary O'Shea ..... *Russ and Bev Pullano*  
 †† James and Mary Alroth ..... *Rose and Bob Bazan*

**Sunday, October 1 - Nedjelja, 1. listopada****26<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

26. NEDJELJA KROZ GODINU

**7:30 a.m.**

† Irene Grubisic ..... *Anthony Nudo Jr. and family*  
 † Giggie Cortese (birthday remem) .. *Jim and Mary Ann Saracco*  
 † Steve Bilandic ..... *Heather Black*  
 † Jimmy Tavolino ..... *Mary and Debbie*  
 †† Kazimeris and Ona Miseikis ..... *Grubisic family*  
 †† of Tadin family ..... *Perisin family*  
 †† Čondić brothers and sisters ..... *Duško*

**9:30 a.m.**

† John "Ish" Botica ..... *Gen and family*  
 † Elsie Cemen ..... *Nancy Link*  
 † Ann Bittner ..... *Ken, Jan and John Zekich*  
 † Giggie Cortese ..... *Ferro family, Mary Ann and grandkids*  
 † Steve Bilandic ..... *nephew Michael Bilandic*  
 † Russell Pullano ..... *Frano and Carol Marasovich*  
 For special intentions of Wally Gusich ..... *Camille and Mike*

**11 a.m.**

† Lovro Rudman ..... *Vince i Branka Armić*  
 † Marija Banić ..... *Šime i Roze Hrvojević*  
 † Anka Lončar ..... *Laura i John Perseghin*  
 † Josip Armić ..... *obitelj Armić*  
 † Josip Lisnić ..... *Jakov i Milenka Bilonić*  
 † Marija Lisnić Stephens ..... *Jakov i Milenka Bilonić*  
 † Marko Lovrić ..... *Zorica Krišto i obitelj*  
 † Šimun Dugandžić ..... *Zdravko i Luca Šego*  
 † Theresa Nagy ..... *Ante i Danica Čuvalo*  
 † Rafo Rogić ..... *Željka i djeca*  
 † Ana Barać ..... *Ružica Golub i obitelj*  
 † Josip Flanjak ..... *Mile Zadro*  
 † Nevenka Mulc ..... *Tomo Mulc*  
 †† Ljubo i Dumica Tanfara ..... *djeca*  
 †† Frank i Maria Cecchini ..... *Bruno i Jasna*  
 †† iz obitelji Čondić ..... *Duško*  
 †† iz obitelji Mulc ..... *Tomo Mulc*  
 Na nakanu (za obitelj Marije Perković) ..... *klub Dubrovnik*  
 Na nakanu ..... *Jadre i Krystyna Rogić*

**LECTORS - ČITAČI**

5:30 a.m. – Vincent Kenny

7:30 a.m. – Luanne Munizzi; 9:30 a.m. – Diane Krolo

**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION**

IZVANREDNI POSLUŽITELJI SV. PRIČESTI

5:30 p.m. – Karen Mizera; 7:30 a.m. – Rosemary Brcich

9:30 a.m. – Joe Magyar; 11 a.m. – Tomislav Šulentić

**ALTAR SERVERS - MINISTRANTI**

5:30 p.m. – Nicole and Nora Zeimys

7:30 a.m. – Juliana Caruso, William Ruich

9:30 a.m. – Victoria Duncan, Olivia Mangan

11 a.m. – Frano Kraljević, Drago Skinger,  
 Matea i Mihael Toromanović





*Are you envious because I am generous?* The landowner in today's Gospel parable surprised everyone. Contrary to standard practice, he paid all of his laborers the same wage, regardless of how many hours they had worked! Of course this was a very pleasant surprise for those who had begun their job late in the day. And, understandably, it was something of a disappointment for those who had toiled since the morning. From their perspective, they should have gotten more than the others. But in fact the landowner was not cheating anyone; he was simply being especially generous with the latecomers.

This story would have had a special meaning for the Jewish audience listening to Jesus. They, the Chosen People, were the laborers who had started at 9:00 am. They belonged to the group with a long history of worshipping the true God. Non-Jewish Gentiles, on the other hand, had appeared late in the game. Jesus was making the point that just because he would offer the same salvation and mercy to everyone, there should be no reason for the Jews to complain. They had received their promised Messiah; so what if, in God's mercy, he allowed others who had not waited so long to be saved as well? Divine generosity is not meant to be a cause for jealousy.

Now, we may feel removed from the concerns of those Jews. But the basic lesson remains relevant: that we ought to appreciate God's generosity, even when it reaches to those whom we may not expect God to forgive. Those who have long been faithful might think they deserve more benefits than sinners who repent late in life. But instead, we should all rejoice to see God's mercy extended to everyone, no matter when they joined the fold.

## 25. NEDJELJA KROZ GODINU

Zavisti i ljubomore ima posvuda. Čini se da je ljudima teško vjerovati da je netko pravedan ukoliko odmah ne vidi i nagradi njihove zasluge. Umjesto da se raduju i budu zadovoljni što imaju sve potrebno, najčešće su nesretni zbog onoga što drugi imaju. Slični su djeci koja kada primijete i najmanju razliku odmah viču: *To nije u redu, on ili ona dobili su veći komad kolača od mene.* Ovakvo razmišljanje često primjenjujemo i na Boga. Ne osjećaju li mnogi kršćani stanovitu zavist kada uspoređuju sebe koji su čitav život bili vjerni i trudili se biti vjerni Bogu, i one koji su možda tek u poznim godinama došli na pomisao kako mora postojati *netko* pred kime će morati položiti račune. Pomisao na *sređivanje računa* svima kad-tad prostruji glavom.

Naša mjerila pravednosti mogu biti kriva. Prispodoba iz evanđelja ilustrira pravednost po Božjim mjerilima, držanje koje se i od nas kršćana očekuje. Očito je da mi nikad ne prestajemo misliti odveć ljudski te pokušavamo i Bogu propisati svoje norme. A on nam govori: *Moje misli nisu vaše misli i puti moji nisu vaši puti.* Božju pravednost nije moguće odijeliti od njegova milosrđa i velikodušnosti, dok kod nas ljudi to nije tako. Bog računa drukčije od nas, on daje ne brojeći, njegova pravednost ne uspoređuje. Njegova plaća je dar čija vrijednost izmiče svim našim ljudskim procjenama. Svi smo ovisni o Božjoj dobroti, i tko bi smio uopće pomisliti da se može ubrojiti među one *prve*, zaslužnije, one koji u usporedbi s drugima *trebaju* primiti više? Boli je da *izračun plaće* prepustimo Bogu čija *matematika* nije vođena ljudskim kriterijima, gdje se ne važu zasluge koje u našim očima imaju nekakvu cijenu, već *matematika* koja je iznad svih zasluga i koja počiva na ljubavi, milosrđu i velikodušnosti.

## LET US PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED

**Mary Carmella Dalfonso** (nee Valentino), 82. Wife of Michael P. Dalfonso for 62 years; mother of Bruce (Lori), Cathy (Greg), Michael, and Sharon White (David); grandmother to Liz Olson, Alex Dalfonso, Matt Marks, Sarah Dalfonso, Ryan Marks, Alex Johanson (Richard), Cheyenne Rolon (Chris), Chelsea Spears (Turner), Dannielle White and Sydney White and great-grandmother of Jakob, Johanna and Reagan; sister of Jan Valentino (Chris). Funeral Mass was celebrated in our church on Saturday, September 23.

May she rest in peace.

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION REGISTRATIONS

We started with Religious Education classes last Sunday. The annual tuition: one student \$65; two or more students from the same family \$85. There is a \$25 per student book fee. It is not too late to enroll your child. For more information call 312-479-4004.

## TODAY'S SECOND COLLECTION FOR SEMINARIAN EDUCATION FUND APPEAL

This Sunday we have a second collection for the annual Seminary Education Fund. The monies collected help to alleviate the monthly expenses of tuition and fees, room and board, and health insurance. All funds collected will be used solely for the formation of new priests for the Archdiocese of Chicago. Please, be as generous and continue to pray for an increase in priestly vocations.

## OPPORTUNITY FOR STUDYING IN CROATIA

Please be advised that today - September 24, our parish will be visited by Don Hudspeth, Dean of RIT Croatia. RIT Croatia is the only American private educational institution in Croatia and is a part of Rochester Institute of Technology (RIT), from Rochester, NY. RIT Croatia is enrolling its 22nd generation of students in Dubrovnik and its 8th generation in Zagreb. Students can apply throughout the year, and enroll for a semester, a year or the full program of study in English at one of the two locations: Dubrovnik or Zagreb. More information can be found at: [croatia.rit.edu](http://croatia.rit.edu).

All interested students and their parents can join us today at 12:15 p.m. in the Upper Small Hall.

## RENEW MY CHURCH - STUDY & DISCUSS

RENEW MY CHURCH is a multi-year process of strengthening parish vitality and better aligning its resources and mission. We will continue with studying and discussing the vision behind the whole process on Thursday, September 28, at 6 p.m. in the St. Jerome Small Hall. We will use *Autopsy of a Deceased Church: 12 Ways to Keep Yours Alive* by Thom S. Rainer.

## FEAST OF ST. JEROME - OUR PATRON SAINT

We celebrate the feast of St. Jerome (patron saint of our parish) on Saturday, September 30.

## OCTOBER - MONTH OF MARY

The month of October is dedicated to Mary. On October 7 the feast of Our Lady of the Rosary is celebrated. During October we pray rosary before Sunday Masses. Join us!

## OCTOBER MASS ATTENDANCE COUNT

For the 5 Sundays in October, every Catholic parish is required to take a count of the number of people attending each Mass. This is an important source of information when the Archdiocese plans and makes decisions about the future.

## BABY BOTTLES - BABY BOTTLE PROJECT

Beginning on Sunday, October 1, our parish will be participating in the Baby Bottle Project benefiting The Women's Centers of Greater Chicagoland. This nonprofit organization assists mothers and families experiencing crisis pregnancies by offering emotional, financial, material, and spiritual support through counseling, clothing & monetary provisions, prayer...



Please, take home a baby bottle and use it to collect any change you may have. When the bottle is full simply return it to the church. Please note the Baby Bottles cost almost \$1 per bottle and are recycled afterwards so please return upon completion of the project.

Thank you for helping defend life.

## YOUTH/YOUNG ADULTS GATHERING

Once a month our youth and young adults get together to pray, sing, reflect on the Bible and discuss the current topic. Gathering is held on Sundays at 12:15 p.m. in the Upper Small Hall. Upcoming dates: October 1, November 12, December 10.

## BLESSING OF PETS

The blessings of pets traditionally takes place on the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi, October 4. This year the blessing will take place in our south parking lot on Wednesday, October 4, starting at 2:30 p.m.

## "FIT TRAINING" NEW FITNESS PROGRAM

There is a new fitness program offered to parishioners and friends of St. Jerome. "Fit training" is taking place every Tuesday at 7 p.m. in our Big Hall. It is incorporating various training styles. Program is tailored for all fitness and age levels. For more information call Dawn Urso-Pegausch on 312-405-4947.

**WEDDING BANS NAJAVA VJENČANJA**

III) John Michael Novak &amp; Antonia Iva Kraljević

II) Krešimir Mihaljević &amp; Katarina Šušnjara

I) Tom Hamblin &amp; Mary Perisin

**NOVA ŠKOLSKA GODINA HRVATSKE ŠKOLE**

Hrvatska škola Kardinal Stepinac je započela novu školsku godinu. Nastava se održava subotom od 8:30 sati ujutro do 12:30 sati poslije podne. Ako još niste upisali svoju djecu, učinite to što prije. Za više pojedinosti pogledajte kardinalstepinacchicago.org.

**NOVA VJERONAČNA GODINA**

Započeli smo s novom vjeronaučnom godinom. Molimo roditelje čija djeca ne idu u katoličku školu da nam se jave u župni ured te da se što prije uključe u vjeronaučni program.

**MOGUĆNOST STUDIRANJA U HRVATSKOJ NA ENGLJESKOM JEZIKU**

Danas, 24. rujna, je s nama Don Hudspeth, dekan RIT Croatia iz Hrvatske. RIT Croatia dio je Rochester Institute of Technology iz Rochestera, NY, i ove godine upisuje svoju 22. generaciju studenata u Dubrovniku i 8. generaciju studenata u Zagrebu. Hrvatski studenti iz Amerike imaju jedinstvenu mogućnost steći diplomu američkog koledža RIT studirajući na engleskom jeziku u Hrvatskoj. Više informacija se mogu naći na: [croatia.rit.edu](http://croatia.rit.edu).

Pozivamo svu hrvatsku mladež koja planira započeti ili nastaviti studij sljedećih godina, kao i njihove roditelje da porazgovaraju s dekanom Hudspethom danas u 12:15 sati poslije podne tj. nakon sv. mise.

**HRVATSKA ŠKOLA ZA ODRASLE**

Želite li učiti hrvatski jezik a stariji ste od 18 godina? Pridružite se grupi koja se okuplja u Gornjoj maloj dvorani. Učitelj je Miro Marcikić. Za više detalja pošaljite poruku na [miromarcikic@gmail.com](mailto:miromarcikic@gmail.com) ili nazovite 224-436-0255.

**SPOMENDAN SV. JERONIMA**

Spomendan sv. Jeronima - zaštitnika naše župe ćemo obilježiti u subotu 30. rujna. Sv. misa je u 7:30 sati ujutro.

**LISTOPAD – MJESEC POSVEĆEN MARIJI**

Mjesec listopada je posvećen Bl. Djevici Mariji i molitvi krunice. U krunici od Marije učimo kako slušati Evanđelje, odnosno Isusa, te želimo da nas ona vodi na putu kroz otajstva Isusova života. Krunicu molimo u 10:30 sati prije podne tj. prije hrvatske sv. mise.

**POHAĐANJE SV. MISE U MJESECU LISTOPADU**

U mesecu listopadu svaka župa treba prebrojiti koliko ljudi dolazi na sv. misu. To je vrlo bitan pokazatelj vitalnosti pojedine župe. Ovo je prigoda da iskreno razmislimo o svome sudjelovanju u sakramentima te u životu naše hrvatske župe.

**BOČICE ZA BEBE**

Od nedjelje 1. listopada sudjelovat ćemo u projektu "Bočice za bebe". Moći ćete uzeti dječje bočice, napuniti ih novcem te ih na kraju mjeseca vratiti u crkvu. Na taj način pomažemo The Women's Centers of Greater Chicagoland i majke u nevolji da mogu roditi svoju djecu te dobiti potrebnu pomoć.

**SUSRETI MLADIH**

Jednom mjesečno mladi naše župe imaju susret u Gornjoj maloj dvorani - nedjeljom u 12:15 sati poslije podne. Nadolazeći susreti su: 1. listopada, 12. studenoga, 10. prosinca, 14. siječnja.

**PROSLAVA SV. FRANJE ASIŠKOG**

U utorak 3. listopada slavimo prijelaz s ovoga svijeta u vječnost - Transitus sv. Franje Asiškoga. Obred preminuća će biti u kapelici sv. Ante na Drexelu u 7 sati navečer. Proživljavamo posljednje trenutke zemaljskog života sv. Franje koji je smrt nazvao sestricom te joj zahvaljivao što ga vodi prema Stvoritelju.

U srijedu 4. listopada je blagdan sv. Franje. Molimo osobito za sve članove franjevačke obitelji koji su ostavili traga u životu naše župe. Blagoslov životinja će biti također u srijedu 4. listopada i to na starome parkiralištu u 2:30 sati poslije podne tj. nakon škole. Donesite ili dovedite svoje ljubimce.

**100. GODIŠNJICA HRVATSKE ŽUPE SRCA ISUSOVA - MILWAUKEE, WI**

Hrvatska župa Srca Isusova, Milwaukee, WI nas poziva na proslavu stote obljetnice osnutka. Proslava će biti u nedjelju 8. listopada. Svečanu sv. misu u 11 sati prije podne predvodit će nadbiskup Jerome Listeki. Nakon misnog slavlja bit će gala banquet u župnoj dvorani.



## CROATIAN LANGUAGE FOR ADULTS

Do you want to learn Croatian? Are you over 18 years old? Join the group. All levels are welcome. Miro Marcikić is teacher. For more information, please, call 224-436-0255 or stop at our Parish Office.

## 100TH ANNIVERSARY OF END OF OUR LADY'S APPARITIONS IN FATIMA PUBLIC SQUARE ROSARY CRUSADE

Join the 2017 Public Square Rosary Crusade in honor of the 100th anniversary of Our Lady's apparitions in Fatima. We are all in need of prayer, repentance and conversion. We ask God to save America through the Rosary of his Most Holy Mother. Please, join us in prayer on Saturday, October 14 at noon. The Rosary Rally will take place in front of Our Lady of Medjugorje statue.

## FOOTBALL MANIA RAFFLE TICKETS

Tickets for St. Jerome School's Annual Football Mania Raffle are on sale. Each \$20 ticket has 11 chances to win a share of \$925 in weekly prize money for each of the 17 weeks of this fundraiser. Incentives are being offered to anyone who would like to become a ticket seller. Contact Jan Ferro at 312-560-3864 or the St. Jerome School office at 312-842-7668 to purchase tickets or for info on how to become a ticket seller. Flyers are available in the back of church that explains how this raffle works.



## ST. JEROME SCHOOL FUNDRAISER

We started off the school year with a fun and exciting raffle. It is called the Queen of Hearts Raffle. Tickets can be purchased at Turtle's Bar & Grill (238 W. 33rd St.). It is a 50/50 split the pot played with a 54 deck of cards on a board. When the Queen of Hearts is revealed we have a winner. Drawing will be every Sunday at 8 p.m. at Turtle's. If no one wins, the pot rolls over. Winner need not be present. For more info, stop at Turtle's or call the St. Jerome School office at 312-842-7668. Tickets will be available at School. See Eva Mossman.

## JOIN US IN OUR WEEKDAY ACTIVITIES

**FIT TRAINING** - If you want to get in shape and have fun - join Fit Training every **Tuesday** in the Big Hall from 7 to 8 p.m.

**BOOK CLUB** - Nex meeting will be on **Wednesday, October 11**, at 7 p.m. in Lower Small Hall. They are reading „My Mrs. Brown“ by William Norwich.

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

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

## RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA) CLASSES BEGIN SOON

Are you curious about the Catholic Church? Have you been baptized Catholic but never formed in the faith? Have you never been baptized? Were you baptized in another Christian denomination but interested in the Catholic faith? If you, or someone you know, can answer "yes" to one of the above questions, RCIA may be what you are looking for.

RCIA is the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults. It is a program for adults who were never baptized, baptized and formed in another faith tradition, or baptized Catholics who didn't receive the other sacraments of initiation (Confirmation, Eucharist), and now would like to explore the possibility of fully entering the Catholic Church. For more info, get in touch with our priests at [stjeromecroatian@gmail.com](mailto:stjeromecroatian@gmail.com).

## SAVE THE DATE

- Thursday, **September 28**  
Renew My Church - study and discuss group
  - Saturday, **September 30**  
Feast of St. Jerome
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- Sunday, **October 1**  
Holy Mass in Rockford, IL
  - Wednesday, **October 4**  
- Feast of St. Francis of Assisi  
- Blessing of animals
  - Sunday, **October 8**  
Sacred Hearth Croatian Parish - Milwaukee, WI  
100th Anniversary
  - Monday, **October 9**  
LADO Ansamble in Skokie, IL
  - Saturday, **October 14**  
100th Anniversary of Our Lady of Fatima  
Public Square Rosary Crusade
  - Sunday, **October 22**  
Croatian Woman Fashion Show

## NASTUP GRUPE LADO

Ansambli LADO dolazi u Chicago u sklopu svoje sjevernoameričke turneje. U ponedjeljak 9. listopada će nastupiti u North Shore Center for the Performing Arts in Skokie (9501 Skokie Blvd., Skokie, IL) s početkom u 7 sati navečer. Program *Ispod duba stoljetnoga* prikazat će neke od koreografija koje su nagrađivane na hrvatskim i inozemnim festivalima, kao i koreografije koje na repertoar Ansambla LADO prvi put donose pjesme i plesove Hrvata u Austriji, Mađarskoj te s područja uz rijeku Sutlu. Ulaznice za ovaj lijepi kulturni događaj se mogu nabaviti na stranici [northshorecenter.org](http://northshorecenter.org) ili na tel. 847-673-6300.