## MASS INTENTIONS



#### Monday - Ponedjeljak, May 28, 2007

**7:30 a.m.** Mile Rak (4th anniv.) family Danny Halloran (1st anniv.) Catherine & Nick Perisin Angelo Madia Jr. Joey & Mary Ralph Bonello Jennifer & Erica

#### Tuesday - Utorak, May 29, 2007

7:30 a.m. Angelo Madia Jr. sister Eleanor
Mike Tiardovich
Michael Roscich family
Russell Biamonte Susie Meyer

#### Wednesday - Srijeda, May 30, 2007

7:30 a.m. Ann Sexauer Marion Roti James Bertucci (1st anniv.) Debby Kodzoman Vica Sekso Lovro & Dragica Rudman William Catena Jr. Miller family Frank Roti Sr. Marion

#### Thursday - Četvrtak, May 31, 2007 Feast of the Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

7:30 a.m. Eva Butera Caroline Markovich
Tona & Charles Knetl Catherine & Nick Perisin
Mary Iser Bill Mahon
In thanksgiving to the Blessed Mother Ann Scalise

#### Friday - Petak, June 1, 2007

**7:30 a.m.** Anne Čondić LaScola Duško Robert Kudulis, Sr. Mr. & Mrs. John Aranza Ann Sexauer sisters Carlos Iglesias family

#### Saturday - Subota, June 2, 2007

**7:30 a.m.** Dolores Montesano Chuckie Scalfaro Jocko Becich Barbara Novicki Christine Overholser Michaeline & Jerry Considine Na čast Presv. Trojstvu ob. Velčić

5:30 p.m. Anne LaScola Mike & Joann Passarelli
Connie Fratto Mario & Mare Romanović
Barry Babich Mom, Dad, Lisa & Christine
Lucy Matkovic friend
Rosemary Mavigliano Angie Szatkowski
Dolores & John Clore Vangica Rudman

#### Sunday - Nedjelja, June 3, 2007

7:30 a.m. Libra Balestri
Evelyn Čondić
Sr. M. Bernardine Čondić
Carol Ann Herrera
Adeline Szpara
Nikolina, Ana & Darijo Grubisić-Čabo
Ann Contino
Debby Kodzoman

9:30 a.m. Charles Knetl
Ann Sexauer
Fred Siani
Carlos Iglesias
In honor of St. Anthony

Louis & Mary Scalise
Mr. & Mrs. Joe Serio
wife
Jim & MaryAnn Saracco
Bonnie

#### 11:00 a.m. u spomen

Joso Žgela ob. Mare Žgela Anton Mora David & Katica Škaro Mirko i Mara Kosir Božo i Stoia Kosir Bariša Šipić sinovac Ante Katica Kosić sa djecom Marija Mrzljak Luca Šego i ob. Iva Dugandžić Mike Brcich Peter & Ljubica Jurčević Josip Joko Lišnić ob. Stipe Tokić ob. Petar Pavić Ana Vidović Žarko Ostojić Anica Ante Dukić ob. Žolo Ante Ercea Nevenka i ob. Pok. iz ob. M & T Čondić sin Za Hrvatske branitelje Križa Ostojić i ob.

#### **LECTORS**

Sat., June 2, 5:30 p.m. Bobby Canatello Sun., June 3, 7:30 a.m. Matt Pesce Sun., June 3, 9:30 a.m. Domingo Rodriguez Sun., June 3, 11:00 a.m. Prva Sveta Pričest

#### **ALTAR SERVERS**

Sat., June 2, 5:30 p.m. C. Garcia, S. Garcia, Racinowski Sun., June 3, 7:30 a.m. Passi, Rudmin Sun., June 3, 9:30 a.m. Iglesias, Nowacki, Perseghin Sun., June 3, 11:00 a.m. T. Kikaš, T. Čuvalo, D. Paraga, I. Jureta, D. Kikaš, M. Golub

Help Wanted: Full-time babysitter needed for three children (ages 10, 8, and 20 months); must have driver's license & transportation, references required, bilingual Croatian a plus; call Jo Ann at 708-699-6074.

Available for Rent: 29th & Princeton, 3 room apt, 1 bedroom – w/ heat, washer & dryer, stove & refrig in apt. 312-842-5166.

- ▶ 28th Princeton. 1½ bdrm, central air/heat. Free laundry in bldg. \$750/mo + 1 mo. sec. dep. Non-smkg, no pets. Leave message 11am-7pm 312-501-0918.
- ▶ One bdrm apt. 32nd Princeton. 312-225-7959.
- ► Apt 36th Normal, 3 bdrm, \$850. 312-671-2160.
- ▶ 1st flr. apt. 31st Princeton, 4 rms (2 bdrms), redecorated. 312-842-6176.

For Sale: 2818 S. Wells. house for sale. 773 704 7302

## **WEEKLY MEDITATION** — Pentecost Sunday

We naturally want to cling to someone we love and depend on. We often can't bear the thought of that person leaving us. When Jesus told the Apostles that he was leaving them, they were sad. It must have been very hard for them to see how his going away could be for their good.

Loving at times means distancing oneself from the person loved. This means that the person is free to develop in his

own way. He is made to feel he has a contribution to make, and is free to receive from another.

Often however, we hug the limelight. We want to be there all the time. We don't know when or how to withdraw. We might not decrease so that the other might develop and increase.

This may give us some insight into what Jesus meant when he said it was *necessary* for the Apostles that he should go. Besides, until Jesus left, the

Holy Spirit would not be sent.

No one ever showed more confidence in, or respect for people than Jesus. He did not dominate. He handed over his entire work to the Apostles. He knew that they still needed help, and that is why he sent them the Holy Spirit.

We too need the Holy Spirit. We need him to help us realize the power and gifts we have within us so that we too can become witnesses for Christ.

### WISDOM'S CORNER

## A New Language

On Pentecost day the apostles spoke a *new language*.

What was this new language?

It was the language of peace rather than war; the language of cooperation rather than competition; the language of forgiveness rather than vengeance;

the language of hope rather than despair;
the language of tolerance rather than bigotry;
the language of friendship rather than hostility;
the language of unity in the Spirit
rather than division;
the language of love rather than hate.

Through the gift of the Spirit, people of different languages learned to profess one faith, in the Name of Jesus, to the praise and glory of Our Father.

That is a miracle of Pentecost, and it is a miracle that still happens.

## THOUGHT OF THE WEEK

"If you truly want to see your wealth, just count all the things you have that money can't buy."

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# We congratulate our St. Jerome Class of 2007!

Jonathan Arndt
Nolan Judycki
Jakov Juric
Vincent Kenny
Shirley Khong
Berislav Kristo
Robert Pervan
Alberto Pimentel
Thomas Platt
Juan Sanchez
Rebecca Sarkauskas



## Behold our 81st graduating class!

Dominick Vivirito

Alex Von Keudell

These young people, together with their family and friends, are celebrating their graduation from St. Jerome's School at this weekend's 5:30 p.m. Saturday Mass.

These graduates have been gifted in many ways. They have their God-given talents, and the gift of family and good friends. They have the gift of Faith. They have received the gift of a Catholic education with much self-sacrifice by their parents, teachers and even the Parish as a whole during their years at St. Jerome School. And many of these grads recently accepted the seven gifts of the Holy Spirit on their Confirmation day.

May these precious gifts always guide them, and may the love and support of St. Jerome Parish inspire them throughout their lives.

## St. Jerome White Sox tickets available at the Rectory

Tuesday, June 19, 7 p.m., is our second annual "St. Jerome Night" at Sox Park. The 2005 World Series champs take on 2003's champions, the Florida Marlins. This year we all can sit together! Tickets are only \$16 and going fast. Buy tickets at the Rectory or from Louis Scalise. Watch proudly as our parish's young people sing "The Star-Spangled Banner" for the stadium's audience!

Give the Gift of Life. Give Blood.



Our St. Jerome's Youth Service Corps has organized a **BLOOD DRIVE:** 

Sunday, June 10 8:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. in the St. Jerome School Hall.

Donors can sign up 3 ways: (1) on a sheet in the back of the church, (2) at the School Hall during the blood drive, or (3) with a LifeSource representative in the church the next two weekends after the Masses.

Blood donors of all types are needed every day for critically ill patients, accident victims, people needing surgery and those patients suffering from chronic diseases such as cancer. Unfortunately, 90% of us will need blood during our lifetimes. Let's help those who are in need now.

On Sunday, June 10, please remember to:

- Drink a lot of water and have a hearty breakfast.
- Bring a picture I.D. with you.

One-Minute Catholic Catechism:

This Pentecost, let's consider the Seven Gifts of the Holy Spirit, which are: wisdom, understanding, knowledge, counsel, fortitude, piety and fear of the Lord.

Each gift perfects one of the 7 basic virtues! Four gifts perfect the four *intellectual* virtues.

**Understanding** gives an intuitive penetration into truth known by *faith*. **Wisdom** perfects *charity*, in order to judge divine things. **Knowledge** perfects the virtue of *hope*. The gift of **counsel** perfects *prudence*.

The other three gifts perfect virtues of the will and appetites. The gift of **piety** perfects *justice* in giving to others that which is their due. This is especially true them *can* come earlier.

of giving God what is His due. Fortitude perfects the virtue of fortitude (surprise!), in facing dangers. Fear of the Lord perfects temperance in controlling disordered appetites.

Finally, the full and obvious action of these gifts does not appear until one is well advanced in the spiritual life, although fairly hidden assistance

This year's St. Anthony of Padua celebration on Wednesday, June 13 at our St. Anthony Friary at 4848 S. Ellis Avenue will be



uniquely memorable. It will feature a procession, followed by a solemn unveiling and blessing of the friary's new outdoor shrine for St. Anthony and finally the outdoor Mass. Please plan on attending this special 7 p.m. celebration. Call our rectory or the friary (at 773-373-3463) for more information.

Come and support our Bishop Gustavo as he leads a peaceful and prayerful "Vigil for Life." This Vigil on Saturday, June 2 starts with a Pro-Life Mass at 8:30 a.m. at St. Michael's Church (14327 Highland Ave. in Orland Park, 3/4 miles west of LaGrange Rd. on 143rd) and continues with a Vigil procession at 9:30 a.m. to a Planned Parenthood Express.

Be there, or be there in spirit with vour fervent prayers for the confused mothers and their unborn babies.