

MASS INTENTIONS**Monday – Ponedjeljak, October 27, 2008**

7:30 a.m. Margaret Marcello Pace family
 Joseph Cepuran Joan Sipich
 Mary Madia Crisanti sister Eleanor

**Tuesday – Utorak, October 28, 2008
 Feast of Sts. Simon and Jude, apostles**

7:30 a.m. Ivan Babic Valeria Babic
 Pete Tiardovich Catherine & Nick Perisin
 Effica Zawacki Ana Novak

Wednesday – Srijeda, October 29, 2008

7:30 a.m. Diane T. Bozich (1st anniv.) family
 Mary Peso Perkovich Mary Vujic
 Rose Capinegro Marion
 Sam Cicero Catherine & Nick Perisin

Thursday – Četvrtak, October 30, 2008

7:30 a.m. Mary Tiardovich John Tiardovich
 Nick LoCoco wife
 Joseph Zawacki Ana Novak

8:05 Children's Mass**Friday – Petak, October 31, 2008**

7:30 a.m. fra Ante Grbeš (10th anniv.) Diana Krolo
 pok. iz ob. Erceg Pero Erceg

7:00 p.m. Josip Strmečki (15th anniv.) Mary Fratto

**Saturday – Subota, November 1, 2008
 All Saints Day**

7:30 a.m. Kata Botica Josephine Hanson
 Sr. Bernardine Condic Dusko
 Rafo Rogić zena i djeca
 Na nakanu Olga Puljic

5:30 p.m. Connie Fratto children
 Fr. Ante Grbeš Mary Fratto
 Frank Vulich Ginny & children
 Virg & Joe Ferro Jan Ferro
 Kata Botica John & Gen Botica
 Joseph W. Paradiso Jan & Rich Ferro
 Michael Haptas daughter Jane
 Nicholas Milicevic family

**Sunday – Nedjelja, November 2, 2008
 All Souls Day**

7:30 a.m. Joe Cubelic Mary & Debby
 Marge & John Sobocan Chris & Matt Pesce
 Mary & Angelo Pesce Chris & Matt Pesce
 Michaelleen Kudulis family
 Marie Crosby Perisin grchildren
 Mary Crosby Perisin family
 Evelyn & Sr. Bernardine Čondić Duško

9:30 a.m. Scully Scalise John Bogovic
 Carlos Iglesias Iglesias family
 Jean Zekich M/M Robert Humbert
 Marion Alebich family
 Corich-DeGregorio-Senerchia families family
 Joe & Frank Barbara family
 Diane T. Bozich family
 Mary DiPasquale Chuckie & Jamyn Scalfaro

11:00 a.m. u spomen

Josip Lišnić Janice & Dragan Subašić
 Robert Jurlina Jurlina family
 Jose Villoponde Jurčev family
 Bozica i Marijan Jurković Nevenka i djeca
 Petar i Joza Zelić i Mara Kovačević ob. Ante Zelić
 Luka, Kata i Frano Brajkovic ob. Neva Zelić
 Kata Troščan Milkica Julia Vučić
 Anton Barun ob. Mijo i Zdenka Barun
 Antonija Bagarić rodice
 Andrija i Marija Mrzljak ob. Katica Kosić
 Marija Dukić ob. Žolo
 Ankica Uremović Vlado i Janja Mulc
 Dujo Braovac Jason i Katarina Morandi
 ob. Uremovic i Turkalj Ivan Uremović
 Pok. iz ob. Kralj i Belan ob. Ivan i Ljubica Belan
 Pok. iz ob. Maroš Ivan i Iva Maroš
 Pok. iz ob. Čondić Duško
 za sve pk. ob. Karačić ob. Ivan Karačić
 za sve Hrvatske borce koji su dali živote za Hrvatsku
 državu Josip i Anda Novak
 za duse u čistilištu Josip i Anda Novak

LECTORS

Sat., Nov. 1, 5:30 p.m. Jan Ferro
 Sun., Nov. 2, 7:30 a.m. Matthew Pesce
 Sun., Nov. 2, 9:30 a.m. Family Mass
 Sun., Nov. 2, 11:00 a.m. Milan Žolo, Antonia
 Kraljević, Andjela Bajić

ALTAR SERVERS

Sat., Nov. 1, 5:30 p.m. M. Meo, R. Meo, Mossman
 Sun., Nov. 2, 7:30 a.m. Balazs, R. Insalaco
 Sun., Nov. 2, 9:30 a.m. Mangan, Wilkie, Wroblewski
 Sun., Nov. 2, 11:00 a.m. K. Cikoč, M. Kosir, A.
 Šušnjara, I. Babić, A. Kraljević, M. Brajković

WEEKLY MEDITATION for the 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

The question of which commandment was the greatest was frequently discussed among rabbis of Jesus' time. Jesus was asked to name one greatest commandment, but responded by naming two. That is because, for him, the second followed directly and necessarily from the first. Love of neighbor arises out of love of God. Both commandments are found in the Old Testament.

What is new is not the fact that Je-

sus brought these two commandments together, but that he ranked them together. To separate the two great commandments is a tragedy and goes contrary to the Gospel.

Unfortunately this often happens. Those who have faith sometimes have no love for others, and those who love others, sometimes have no love for God. Jesus didn't say they were the same thing, but



that they are like two sides of one coin. If we want the total Gospel we must have both.

WISDOM'S CORNER

Loving God and neighbor

In the time of the desert monks there was an abbot named Moses who had a great reputation for holiness. Easter was approaching, so the monks decided to fast the entire length of Holy week. Then each monk went off to his cell to fast and pray.

About the middle of the week, two wandering monks came to visit the cell of Abbot Moses. Seeing that they were hungry, he cooked a little vegetable stew for them. To make them feel at ease, he took a little of it himself.

The other monks saw the smoke rising from his cell and knew that he had cooked some food. To them this could only mean that he had broken the solemn fast. They were shocked and went over to confront him. In reply to their accusations he said, "I have broken the commandment of men, but in sharing my food with these brothers of ours, I have kept the commandment of God that we should love one another." On hearing this the monks grew silent, and walked away humbled but wiser.

THOUGHT OF THE WEEK

"Where there is no love, sow love,
and you will reap love."



PASTOR'S DESK

Love, life, and
remembrance...

At the end of this month of October I always remember one man whom I loved very much—my brother Ante. He was a good and wonderful priest who died young, in the 39th year of life, on Oct. 31, 1998. Ten years ago! We were very close. His life and wisdom touched thousands of people. He left an impression upon many souls. Till today, many still tell me, "We remember your brother who touched us and changed our lives." During this month, as the leaves fall, as autumn brings colder weather, and as nature gradually dies, we contemplate life more and recall our loved ones who are no longer with us. It is also when we devote more time to our spirits. We ask ourselves how we are connected to the people around us and to those who have gone before us. How are our spirits able to be connected with the source of life, with the goal of our life's journey, with God? As my brother, Fr. Ante, would say, "With God, we can never become lost. Don't be afraid! Let His word be the bearer of life, and you yourself will have life."

Fraternallly,

Fr. Joe — JGrbes@gmail.com

**The year 2008-2009 is the 800th year
in the life of the Franciscan Friars.**



BABY BOTTLES that you have taken home to fill with coins to help the Women's Centers of Chicagoland are due TODAY.

Our Guest from Dubrovnik

Mr. Don Hudspeth, dean of the American university in Dubrovnik, will visit us today, Sunday, Oct. 26, in our hall after the 11:00 a.m. Mass. Anyone who wishes to find out about the school's fine program of studies, the excellent faculty, studying abroad at a much lower cost, etc. should come to this meeting.

New Altar Servers

Students who have made their first Holy Communion and are in grades 3 or higher, are invited to become altar servers. The ceremony of reception will take place on the feast of Christ the King, Nov. 23.

Importance of Religion Instruction

Our **CCD program** is a *full program* that begins in 1st grade and continues, grade by grade, through 8th grade. Some parents enroll their children only to prepare to receive a sacrament. Others allow their children to discontinue the program for a while and then return. Attending classes *regularly* and *coming each year* is an important way for your children to gain the knowledge of our Catholic faith that is so vital to their relationship with God. Parents, if you enroll your children in our CCD program, please make a commitment to see that they come to each class and continue to attend each year.

ADORATION of the Blessed Sacrament takes place in our church every Thursday from 7p.m.—9 p.m. Our Lord awaits your company!

TO KNOW YOUR FAITH BETTER... Learn about a variety of vital topics at your own convenience, listening at home or in the car. St. Jerome is offering our parishioners professionally recorded presentations from leading Catholic theologians, and lay speakers on high-quality audio CDs. It's easy and affordable. "The CDs and brochures are a welcome addition to the faith life and continuing education of our people. I heartily recommend your program to all the the people as a way to rekindle the faith of Chicago's Catholics and help fulfill Pope John Paul II's call for a New Evangelization." - Cardinal George. Suggested Donation for each CD is only \$3.00

FAREWELL Reception will be held to honor Croatian Consul Zorica Marica Matkovic this Sunday, Oct. 26 in our school hall beginning at 12:30 p.m. Ms. Matkovic, who has represented Croatia in Chicago, will be leaving on November 1 to take a new post, the ambassador in Israel. We congratulate her and thank her for her service here.

Once a Catholic, Always a Catholic... Catholics who have been away from their faith are invited to find the joy of returning to our Catholic family through a 6 week program at Holy Name Cathedral. Meetings will take place each Tuesday from Nov. 11—Dec. 16 from 7- 9 pm Contact Susanne at 312-932-9248.

INTERESTING GUEST The famous Croatian musical artist, Katarina Livljanic from the Sorbonne, along with her group **Dialogos Ensemble**, will give a special performance: *Judith, a biblical story from renaissance Croatia* in Chicago on Friday, November 7 at the Hyde Park Union Sanctuary on 5600 S. Woodlawn on the campus of the University of Chicago. Ms. Livljanic is one of the principal international specialists in medieval chant and liturgical theater of the Glagolitic tradition. Admission: \$25 adults; \$5 students.

All Saints—Cemetery visits will take place next Saturday, on the feast of All Saints, as is our annual tradition. **St. Mary (87th St.) 10 a.m.; Holy Sepulchre (111th St.) 10 a.m.; Resurrection (Roberts Rd.) 12 noon.** If you would like Frs. Joe and Ivan to visit graves at other cemeteries, please let them know as soon as possible.

Invitation to Prayer All parishioners are asked to participate in our family prayer hour each evening between 6 and 7, or as your schedules allow. We began this movement on Oct. 1st!

FLU SHOTS on the SPOT are available at Mercy Hospital on Sat. Oct 25 (9am-1pm) and Sat. Nov. 15 9am-noon. Cost is \$25. For more information call 312-567-2600.