

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

SATURDAY & SUNDAY, February 4th/5th

4:00 Jeanette Polomsky
 9:00 Frank (3rd Ann.) & Antonia Šega
 10:30 Liv. & Dec. Members of St. Vitus KSKJ Lodge #25
 For Our Parishioners

MONDAY, February 6: St. Paul Miki & Comps.

5:00 Sajovec & Starin Families – Chapel

TUESDAY, February 7: Weekday

5:00 Intentions of Donna & Walter Boekley – Chapel

WEDNESDAY, February 8: Weekday

5:00 Maks & Francka Stanonik – Chapel

THURSDAY, February 9: Weekday

5:00 Pok. Družine Vidmar & Ovsenik – Chapel

FRIDAY, February 10: St. Scholastica

5:00 Marija Lipovec – Chapel

SATURDAY, February 11: Our Lady of Lourdes

4:00 Zita Brezavšek

SUNDAY, February 12: Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 Andrew & Lillian Krainz
 For Our Parishioners
 10:30 Terry Rihtar – 5th Ann.



PSALM RESPONSE * ODPEV PRI PSALMU

The just man is a light in darkness to the upright.
 V temi zasije luč poštenim.

LECTORS/BRALCI --- February 11th/12th, 2017

Sat.	4:00 P.M.	Sr. Mary Avsec/Pat Mckibben
Sun.	9:00 A.M.	Paul Ferkul/Donald Kern
Sun.	10:30 A.M.	Mojca Slak/Neja Turk

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS – February 11th/12th, 2017

Sat.	4:00 P.M.	Mary Ann Janout
Sun.	9:00 A.M.	Carolyn & Roger Mallik
Sun.	10:30 A.M.	Jim Szymanski/Milan Rihtar

ANNUAL CATHOLIC CHARITIES APPEAL – "You Did it for Me"– Many parishioners have already received a letter from Bishop Thomas asking for a contribution to this year's Catholic Charities Appeal. If you have received the mailing, please review it carefully. The programs and services supported by this Appeal require financial support from each one of us in order to continue to meet the challenges of our diverse communities.

This annual collection is the most important of the many special collections sought from parishioners throughout the year. The Sunday bulletin insert explains the importance of the Catholic Charities Appeal. This year there will again be two IN-Pew Appeals. The first, Feb. 11/12th, and the 2nd, May 20/21st. Parishioners will be asked to make the annual pledge at next weekend's Masses. After the homily, pledge envelopes will be distributed to everyone in church. If you have already made a donation or pledge, simply indicate this on the envelope. Our parish goal this year is \$42,116. We pray that every parishioner will be able to make a sacrificial offering this year to Catholic Charities.



BLESSING OF THROATS – will be at this weekend's Masses in church. Please receive it with faith in the power of prayer of the entire Church. **Prayer:** "Through the intercession of St. Blaisé, Bishop and Martyr, may God protect you from every illness of the throat and other evil. In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen."

WELCOME! – to the officers and members of **St. Vitus KSKJ Lodge #25** who gather at this Sunday's 10:30 a.m. Mass and luncheon in the Auditorium. Congratulations to all the **50-year members** who will be honored on this occasion!

CANDLEMAS – The feastday of the Presentation of Jesus in the Temple was Thursday. Candles for church and home use are blessed on this day, and will take place at this Saturday's 4:00 p.m. Vigil Mass. Various candles are available for sale for home use by Marija Pomagaj Chapel. Prices will be noted and donations may be placed in the usual container for candle donations by the statue of St. Vitus. Parishioners who would like to donate towards the purchase of candles used in church throughout the year can use the (CANDLEMAS) envelope in the January packet.



COFFEE & DONUTS – in the lower church hall after the Sunday Masses until Lent. Please join us!

ST. VITUS ALTAR SOCIETY – has its monthly Mass and Holy Communion this Sunday at the 10:30 a.m. Mass. The meeting will follow in the Village Slovenian Room.

KROFE SALE – next Sat., Feb. 11th, during morning hours in the Social Room. Please tell others about it!

PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING – is on Wednesday, Feb., 8th, at 6:30 p.m. in the lower church hall.

ST. VITUS HOLY NAME SOCIETY – monthly group Mass and Holy Communion is next Sunday, Feb. 12th, at the 9:00 a.m. Mass. The usual meeting and Annual Homecoming Brunch will follow in The Village Slovenian Room. Cost for brunch is \$13. Reservations required; call Joe Hocevar, 881-9586. Friends and acquaintances of members are also welcome to attend this most enjoyable gathering!

ROSARY FOR RIGHT TO LIFE – The Holy Name Society invites everyone to join them in praying the Rosary next Sunday after the 9:00 a.m. Mass. Please bring a rosary and join in asking for Our Lady's help. Remember to pray for peace in our world.



PREŠEREN DAY – sponsored by the **Slovenian American Times**, will honor both Slovenia's greatest poet, France Prešeren, and the 100th issue of the **Slovenian American Times**. This will occur next Sun., Feb. 12th, in St. Mary Parish Hall. The festivities will begin with a benefit dinner at 11:30 a.m. to help SAT defray the cost of producing this monthly newspaper. Following the dinner, **Folklorna Skupina Kres** will perform Prešeren's ballad "Povodni mož" – "The Water Man". Tickets for the dinner and performance are \$30.; and may be purchased at either St. Mary or St. Vitus Rectories; or by contacting SAT Office, 440-833-0020.



SACRAMENTAL DATES - This year *First Holy Communion* will be on Sunday, May 7th. At the moment we have three parish children signed up, and we invite other parish children to avail themselves of this special occasion. Please contact Fr. Boznar for more information at 361-1444.

The **Sacrament of Confirmation** will be bestowed on Sun., Nov. 19th, with Bishop Roger Gries, O.S.B., officiating. The last time we had a parish Confirmation was four years ago with the late Bishop Edward Pevec. We have had regular Confirmations every three years which enabled us to have classes of 20-30 confirmandi. Also, previously for pastoral reasons unique to St. Vitus Parish, the Pastor had some discretion in allowing children just under the customary age for Confirmation to receive this sacrament.

The Pastor will seek advice from Bishop Gries concerning this matter and others pertaining to Confirmation. Until Bp. Gries returns from an assignment in the second week of February, we cannot say for certain what the age of some candidates will be this year.

ST. VITUS SLOVENIAN LANGUAGE SCHOOL & ST. VITUS PARISH - will have a joint benefit **brunch** on **Sunday, Feb. 26th**, in the St. Vitus Parish Auditorium, 9:30 a.m. to Noon! Cost for the brunch will be \$10.00 for adults and \$7.00 for children. Tickets may be purchased from Slovenian School parents, at the Rectory or at the door on the day of the brunch.



REVERSE RAFFLE - St. Vitus Catholic War Veterans Post 1655 with St. Vitus Alumni will have the **Annual Reverse Raffle** on Tues., April 18th, at Slovenian National Home on St. Clair Ave. Main Board - tickets \$60. per person. Dinner only tickets - 25.00 per person. For reservations and more details, call John Kirk, 216-432-1199, Frank Zitko, 440-488-8284 or Mia Graf, 440-442-1635. Make checks out to St. Vitus CWV Post 1655 c/o John Kirk, 1093 E. 64th St., Cleveland, OH 44103 or St. Vitus Alumni c/o Andrea Plassard, Treas., 6625 Great Oaks Parkway, Independence, OH 44131.

PARISH OFFERING - last Sunday amounted to \$2,483.00 **St. Vitus Endow. Trust:** \$100. -M/M Dan & Karoline Weir; **Winter Heating:** \$185. **Sincerest thank you to all!**

PREŠERNOV DAN - bodo sponzirali **Slovenski Ameriški Časi** v nedeljo, 12. feb. v farni dvorani Marije Vnebovzete. Počastili bodo največjega Slovenskega pesnika Franceta Prešerna in praznovali 100 izvod časopisa **Slovenski Ameriški Časi**. Proslava se bo začela s kosilom ob 11:30 dop. Nato bo **Folklorna Skupina Kres** predstavila Prešernovo balado **"Povodni mož"**.



Kosilo bo v podporo SAT za tiskanje in razpošiljanje tega lista. Kartice za kosilo so \$30. in jih lahko dobite v župnišču fare Marije Vnebovzete in Sv. Vida ali pa kličite SAT pisarno, 440-833-0020.

FARNA NABIRKA - pretekle nedelje je znesla \$2,483.00 Za vse druge podrobnosti in imena darovalcev si oglejte angleški del oznanila. Vsem prav prisrčna hvala!



BLAGOSLOV GRL - bo ta vikend po vsaki sveti maši v cerkvi. **Molitev:** "Na priprošnjo sv. Blaža, škofa in mučenca, naj te Bog obvaruje vsakršne bolezni v grlu in vsega zla. V imenu Očeta in Sina in Svetega Duha. Amen."

DOBRODOŠLI! - odborniki in člani **Društva sv. Vida št. 25 KSKJ**, ki se zberete na današnjo nedeljo ob 10:30 dop. pri sv. maši in nato pri obedu v Avditoriju. Čestitke vsem, ki ste pri tej priložnosti počaščeni za svoje **50-letno članstvo!**

OLTARNO DRUŠTVO - ima skupno mesečno mašo in sv. obhajilo to nedeljo ob 10:30 dop. Po maši bo sestanek v Slovenski sobi v St. Vitus Village.

PRODAJA KROFOV - bo prihodnjo soboto, 11. februarja, v Društveni sobi, zjutraj in dopoldne. Obvestite tudi druge!

SVEČNICA - Praznik Jezusovega darovanja v templu je bil v 2. februarja. Že od nekdanj so na ta dan blagoslovili sveče za cerkev in domove. Letos bo blagoslov sveč to soboto pri sv. maši ob 4:00 pop. v cerkvi. Sveče za dom bodo na razpolago za nakup bliz kapele Marije Pomagaj. Cene bodo označene in denar zanje naj se da v nabiralnik pri kipu sv. Vida, kamor po navadi daste darove za sveče. Farani ki želite darovati za nakup sveč katere bodo uporabljene skozi vse leto v cerkvi pa lahko rabite posebno kuverto za Svečnico, katera je v januarskem paketu kuvert.

SEJA FARNEGA SVETA - bo v sredo, 8. februarja ob 6:30 zvečer v cerkveni dvorani.

DRUŠTVO NAJSV. IMENA - bo imelo skupno mesečno sv. mašo in sv. obhajilo prihodnjo nedeljo, 12. feb., pri 9:00 jutrajni maši. Sestanek in **"brunch"** bo sledil v Slovenski sobi v St. Vitus Village. Za rezervacijo kličite Joe Hocevar, 216-881-9586. Vsi člani vabljeni!

LETNA NABIRKA KATOLIŠKE DOBRODELNOSTI - se je pričela po vseh župnijah. Župljani so že po pošti prejeli pozitivno položnico od glavnega urada Catholic Charities.

Ta letna nabirka je najvažnejša med raznimi farnimi posebnimi nabirkami v letu. Priloga današnjega Nedeljskega oznanila razloži pomembnost nabirke za Katoliško dobrodelnost. Ko boste brali prilogo Oznanila, pogledajte na tretjo stran in boste opazili, da je cilj Sv. Vida zbrati \$42,116. kar upamo doseči z ozirom na naše pretekle nabirke Katoliške dobrodelnosti.

Letos bomo imeli dve nabirke, naslednji vikend, 11./12. feb., ter 20./21. maja. Farani boste naprošeni, da pismeno obljubite svojo podporo Katoliški dobrodelnosti, kot ste to storili lansko leto. Naslednjo nedeljo bomo dali vsakemu kuverto, na katero bo lahko napisal svojo obljubo. Kdor je letos že obljubil dar, bo na kuverto napisal: "Jaz sem svojo obljubljeno vsoto že sporočil Uradu Katoliške dobrodelnosti."

Iskreno vabimo župljane, da se radodarno odzvajajo tej pomembni nabirki.

DOBRODELNI "BRUNCH" SLOVENSKE ŠOLE IN FARE SV. VIDA - bo v nedeljo, 26. feb. v Avditoriju. Postregli bodo od 9:30 dop. do 12ih opoldne. Cena za odrasle je \$10 za otroke pa \$7. Nakaznice lahko kupite pri starših šolskih otrok, v župnišču ali pri vratih na dan prireditve. Vsi prisrčno vabljeni!

