

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

SATURDAY & SUNDAY, April 22nd/23rd

- 4:00 Dec. Friends: Robert, Larry, Mark & Tom
- 9:00 Dec. of St. Vitus Alumni
- 10:30 Rihtar & Cerar Families
For Our Parishioners
- 11:30 Sung Litanies of the Blessed Virgin Mary

MONDAY, April 24: Easter Weekday

- 5:00 Dec. Stempihar & Jarc Families – Chapel

TUESDAY, April 25: St. Mark, Evangelist

- 5:00 Charles Winter – 1st Ann. – Chapel

WEDNESDAY, April 26: Easter Wednesday

- 5:00 Angela Bolha – Chapel

THURSDAY, April 27: Easter Thursday

- 5:00 John Jurkovic – Chapel

FRIDAY, April 28: Easter Friday

- 5:00 Joze Dolenc – 30 Da y – Chapel

SATURDAY, April 29: Easter Saturday

- 4:00 Sophie Genovese & Kosmerl Family

SUNDAY, April 30: Third Sunday of Easter

- 9:00 Bishop A. Edward Pevec &
Dec. Parish Priests & Religious
- 10:30 Marija Cugelj – 1st Ann.
For our Parishioners
- 12:00 Donald & Marceline Mauser
60th Wedding Anniversary



– **NOVENA PRAYER TO DIVINE MERCY** – which St. Vitus Village residents have been praying since Good Friday concludes this Sunday, the Feast of the Divine Mercy. The residents of St. Vitus Village will conclude the novena at 4:00 p.m. with the exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and concluding prayers at 5:00 p.m. in the Village Chapel. Parishioners are welcome to pray with the residents.

LITANIES OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY – the customary sung litanies in honor of the Blessed Virgin Mary will be prayed **this Sunday** after the 10:30 a.m. Mass.

CONFIRMATION MEETING – for Confirmandi and their parents will be held this Sunday at 11:30 a.m. in the lower church hall. Those attending the 9:00 a.m. Mass may come down after Mass and enjoy some light refreshments until the meeting begins.

THANK YOU EVERYONE! – The days of Lent and Holy Week are now past. Many parishioners traveled many miles to St. Vitus to take part in the beautiful Holy Week liturgies. Our parish relies on numerous parishioners to decorate the church for the high holy days like Christmas and Easter. Special thanks to Louise Strauss and all her helpers for the beautiful work throughout Holy Week and Easter. How blessed we are to have two parish choirs working harmoniously with their respective music directors, Franci Coffelt and John Srsen and producing the kind of seasonal singing which, in all honesty, isn't easily matched in city parishes, save perhaps at St. John's Cathedral.



The pastor's pride and joy are also the St. Vitus Mass servers. They all come to their assigned tasks full of youthful enthusiasm and devotion. Most servers travel long distances to reach St. Vitus, and we are grateful to their parents for bringing them on time.

Many thanks to Betty Svekric and her crew of helpers including several volunteer students from St. Edward High School, who prepared 60 food baskets for the needy of the neighborhood; to our Eucharistic ministers, readers, ushers, CWV Post 1655 Honor Guard on Holy Thursday evening; the young men and women in national costumes, who took part in the pageantry of the Easter morning procession and to Mark Kuhar who cleaned the inside and outside grounds of the church.

Most of all, thanks to the faithful parishioners who came to all the Holy Week liturgies, and to our homebound parishioners who prayed at home and sometimes joined their suffering to that of Jesus for the good of our parish. Father Boznar and Sr. Mary Avsec thank the many parishioners who remembered them with Easter cards, gifts, pastries and words of support of their ministry at St. Vitus.

Thank you everyone and God bless!

PSALM RESPONSE * ODPEV PRI PSALMU

Give thanks to the Lord for He is good, His love is everlasting.
Zahvaljajte se Gospodu, ker je dober.

LECTORS/BRALCI --- April 29th/30th, 2016

- Sat. 4:00 P.M. David Fink
- Sun. 9:00 A.M. Mia & Robert Graf
- Sun. 10:30 A.M. Emily Stupica

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS – April 29th/30th, 2016

- Sat. 4:00 P.M. Stan Kuhar
- Sun. 9:00 A.M. Mary Kaplan/Rick Jaksic
- Sun. 10:30 A.M. Michelle & Matt Plecnik

GRATITUDE TO ST. VITUS PARISHIONERS
 “Thank you to everyone at St. Vitus for warmly welcoming and supporting Joseph House of Cleveland during your Palm Sunday Benefit Dinner; and for making the event possible. The day was beautiful - warm, sunny weather, new friends to be made, a delicious home cooked meal, and much love felt by those who attended. Many of the guests who attended had never been to one of your church dinners before- they were from other churches, or neighbors in Cleveland who read about the event in the Plain Dealer. Thank you to everyone who worked hard behind the scenes setting up, organizing, preparing food, cooking, cleaning, and all the other vital tasks that goes into making an event of this size successful. In addition, thank you for your church’s ongoing support of Joseph House that goes far beyond this event. We are so grateful.” *Michelle O'Donnell, Dir. of Operations, Joseph House and Board Members of JHCI*





KOROTAN CONCERT – Slovenski Pevski Zbor

KOROTAN will celebrate 65 years of song in its annual spring concert on Saturday, May 6, 2017 at 6:00 p.m. at the Slovenian National Home, 6409 St. Clair Ave. in Cleveland, Ohio. Admission is \$12.; children of high school age and under are Free. Tickets may be purchased at the door, with table seating on a first come, first served basis. As in years past, the mixed chorus will present a varied program including classic Slovenian compositions and folk songs, this year highlighting songs about the many forms of love. As a special treat, the men's choral group **Fantje na Vasi**, which is celebrating 40 years of song, will present a guest performance in the concert. Refreshments will be available before and after the performance. Doors will open at 5:00 p.m. **Stan Mejac** will provide music for your dancing and listening pleasure. All are welcome!

MIHEVC GRANT APPLICATIONS – for 2017/2018 school year are now available. Applicants must be registered parishioners. For eligibility requirements, please call the rectory, 216-361-1444. Deadline for completed applications is Friday, April 28, 2017.

WASHINGTON, D.C./GETTYSBURG TRIP – St. Vitus Parish will be hosting a 4-day bus trip, September 14–17, 2017. It will include a visit to Washington D.C., Arlington, VA, Alexandria VA, The National Arboretum, Gettysburg, PA and the Flight 93 Memorial in Shanksville, PA. Cost per person for 2–nights stay at Key Bridge Marriott, Arlington, VA and 1–night stay at the Eisenhower Hotel, Gettysburg, PA, 3 breakfasts, 1 lunch, 3 dinners: 1 in room–\$949.; 2 per room–\$669.; 3 per room–\$579. Parishioner, Louise Strauss, is making the arrangements. A \$100.00 non-refundable deposit is due by **May 31st**. Make checks out to St. Vitus Parish and include phone number, address and email. If interested, please contact Louise Strauss, 440-364-8224 or cantsayno@ameritech.net (be sure to type "St. Vitus Trip" in Subject Line.) A minimum of 40 individuals is needed.

"STARA MAMA'S TABLE: Slovenian Recipes of St. Vitus and St. Mary Parishes" – is the name of the cookbook that Toni Srsen, of **"Cooking with Micka"** classes, has graciously offered to organize and edit. Along with each recipe, we are hoping for a short story or anecdote describing how your favorite recipe came to you from your stara mama or babica. This is a wonderful way of preserving for posterity so many of the culinary delights, as well as stories that we have received from our grandmothers. You may submit your recipe to the rectory offices of St. Vitus or St. Mary Parish or to Toni Srsen's e-mail, srsen@sbcglobal.net

PARISH OFFERING – last Sunday amounted to \$3,206.00 **Easter** – \$28,650.31; **Easter Flowers** – \$2,604.; **Holy Land** – \$675.; **Parish Needs** – Mary & John Stempihar in mem. of John Stempihar–10th Ann. of Death – April 22nd. **Sincerest thanks to our generous parishioners, benefactors and friends and many blessings on everyone!** (Easter & Easter Flower donations are in this week's bulletin insert.)

NOVENA BOŽJEGA USMILJENJA – ki jo molijo stanovalci St. Vitus Village že od Velikega petka, bo zaključena to nedeljo, ki je praznik Božjega usmiljenja. Stanovalci St. Vitus Village bodo zaključili noveno to nedeljo ob 4ih popoldne s češčenjem Najsvetejšega in molitvami ob 5h v kapeli. Farani so povabljeni, da pridejo in se jim pridružijo v molitvi.

LITANIJE MATERE BOŽJE – bodo to nedeljo ob 11:30 dopoldne takoj po sv. maši.



KOROTAN – Pevski zbor KOROTAN bo praznoval 65 let pesmi z pomladanskim koncertom v soboto 6. maja ob 6. uri zvečer v Slovenskem Narodnem Domu na St. Clair Ave. Vrata bodo že odprta ob 5ih. Na razpolago bodo okrepčila: klobase, goveji sendviči in krompirjeva solata. Sodeloval bo tudi moški pevski zbor **Fantje na Vasi**. Vstopnina je \$12. Prost vstop za mlade študente. Vstopnice lahko kupite pri vratih na dan koncerta. Za ples in zabavo bo igral orkester **Staneta Mejača**.

Vsi vabljeni!

"STARE MAME MIZA: Slovenski Recepti od župnij Sv. Vida in Marije Vnebovzete", je naslov nove kuharske knjige, za katero se je Toni Sršen, voditeljica **"Cooking with Micka"** tečajev ponudila da zbere in uredi. Poleg receptov, upamo za anekdoto opisa kako je vaš priljubljen recept prišel do vas od vaše stare mame ali babice. To je lep način, da ohranimo za bodočnost naše mnoge kulinarčne dobrote, ki smo jih prijeli od naše stare mame. Vaše recepte lahko pošljete v župnijski urad St. Vida in Marije Vnebovzete, ali direktno na e-mail k Toni Sršen na srsen@sbcglobal.net

FARNA NABIRKA – pretekle nedelje je znesla \$3,206.00 **Za Veliko noč** \$28,650.31; **za okrasitev cerkve** \$2,604., **za nabirko Velikega petka** \$675. Za vse druge podrobnosti in imena darovalcev si oglejte angleški del oznanila. Darovi za Veliko noč in velikonočno cvetje je v prilogi tega Oznanila.

Vsem prav prisrčna hvala!

TAMBURITZANS CONCERT – The Tamburitians (formerly the Duquesne University Tamburitians) will be in concert this Sunday at 3:00 p.m. in the Breen Center for the Performing Arts, 2008 West 30th St., Cleveland, Oh. 44113, directly across from St. Ignatius High School and just west of the West Side Market. The theatre is fully handicapped accessible and has ample free parking. Tickets are \$20.00 for adults and \$15.00 for students under 18 and can be purchased online at <https://www.ignatius.edu/breencenter> or by calling Judi Zivic, 216-261-7153. Reception with live music and dancing following the show at Sterle's, 1401 E. 55th St., Cleveland. Food and beverages will be available for purchase. Any questions, call 216-398-4737.

WHAT IS JOSEPH HOUSE?

Joseph House of Cleveland Inc. is a Catholic based corporal work of mercy. It is located at 6104 St. Clair Avenue, in the commercial building formerly owned by the Slapnik Family on E. 61st St. and St. Clair Ave. It works together with our Cluster Group consisting of Immaculate Conception, St. Paul Croatian and St. Vitus Parishes; and Divine Word Parish in Kirtland, Oh. The primary mission of Joseph House is to resettle immigrants coming to Cleveland. JHCI works with Cleveland Catholic Charities Migration & Refugee Services through protocols established by the US State Department. The second mission of JHCI is to provide clothing to all new immigrants and neighborhood residents. Over \$80,000.00 has been spent to remodel and upgrade a store front and basement, install 36 new windows, new heating and/or cooling systems, upgrade electrical wiring and panels, dry-wall work, painting, repairing a two section brick garage, and remodeling four of six apartments. Expenses have been paid by Immaculate Conception, St. Paul Croatian, St. Vitus and Divine Word Parishes and JHCI plus grants from various foundations and donations by private individuals. Hundreds of volunteer hours have been provided by H2O, (Lakewood, Ohio), St. Edward H. S., St. Vitus and Divine Word Parishes, and local college students. Michelle O'Donnell is director of operations for JHCI. JHCI is a recognized 501 c 3 organization by the IRS.

BETHANY RETREAT CENTER – Do you need time for silence and spiritual growth? Take a flier by the main church entrance. The Sisters of Notre Dame have information about their upcoming sessions on Auburn Road, Chardon, Ohio. For details visit www.sndchardon.org.



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