

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

SATURDAY & SUNDAY, July 22nd/23rd

4:00 August, Alvina, Bill & Mark Malensek
 9:00 Bishop A. Edward Pevec
 For our Parishioners
 10:30 Franc & Ana Kamin

MONDAY, July 24: Weekday

5:00 Dec. Alois & Ivana Kodrich
 & Joseph & Eva Bruening Foundation – Chapel

TUESDAY, July 25: St. James Apostle

5:00 Mary Tomsick – 41st Ann. – Chapel

WEDNESDAY, July 26: Ss. Joachim & Anne

5:00 Tone & Mici Kocjan Fam. & Prijatelj Fam. – Chapel

THURSDAY, July 27: Weekday

5:00 Hinko Zupančič – Chapel

FRIDAY, July 28: Weekday

5:00 Murray Snyder – for Health – Chapel

SATURDAY, July 29: St. Martha

4:00 Josie Valencic

SUNDAY, July 30: 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

10:00 Marija (Mimi) Vitulich
 Kristina Leksan & Rudy Leksan
 For our Parishioners



PSALM RESPONSE * ODPEV PRI PSALMU

Lord, you are good and forgiving.
 Ti, Gospod, si dober in odpuščaš.

LECTORS/BRALCI --- July 29th/30th, 2017


Sat. 4:00 P.M. David Fink
 Sun. 10:00 A.M. Andrea & Greg Plassard

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS – July 29th/30th, 2017

Sat. 4:00 P.M. Joe Hocevar
 Sun. 10:00 A.M. Sr. Mary Avsec/Mary Petelin

MASS TIME CHANGE

NEXT SUNDAY, JULY 30TH, THERE WILL BE ONE PARISH SUNDAY MORNING MASS AT 10:00 O'CLOCK. PLEASE TAKE NOTE OF IT AND KINDLY TELL OTHERS ABOUT IT!

 **WORD OF GOD FOR THIS SUNDAY** – Our faith in Jesus Christ assures us the greatest gift of total unity with God in eternity. This gift is the reward of our faithfulness to God in this life and for all the good we have done for others in Jesus' name. Along the way we learn that our life is never perfect because we are selfish and sinful. Our efforts of loving God and neighbor are not always consistent and strong. God knows all our sins and failures and is still patient with us. He gives us many opportunities to repent and become more faithful to Him. Someday we will come to the end of God given opportunities. God will ask us to make an honest evaluation of our choices and actions. Hopefully, He will find only good reasons to invite us forward to share eternal life with Him. Until such time, we have much work to do so that He will recognize us as His on this Day of Judgment.



WHAT A TERRIFIC PICNIC! – Last Sunday St. Vitus Parish held a family centered, friendly and successful picnic at *Slovenska Pristava*. Several hundred people attended the Noon Mass and hundreds more came throughout the afternoon and evening. The 400 roast beef and chicken dinners with all the many trimmings, prepared by Linda Plecnik and helpers were delicious and quickly served. Throughout the remainder of the day there was a long line of people ordering burgers, hot dogs, Slovenian sausage, french fries, "čevapčiče" and a variety of refreshments. Families and friends visited with one another, exchanged family news and enjoyed a beautiful, warm summer day. All enjoyed the music and entertainment along with other various events. Our guests gave great reviews on the dinner and commented on the wonderful cooperation of volunteers and friendly atmosphere. This annual event, in effect since 1993, is due to the leadership of the parish Summer Picnic Committee. Key organizers: Chairperson – Frank Zitko, Joe Hocevar, Stan Kuhar, Linda Plecnik, Ann Zitko, Nevia Avzlahar, Ivanka Matic, Polonca Zakelj, Ann Zakelj, Louise Strauss, Rich Taricska, Mike & Maggie Milakovich and all their respective helpers.

THANK YOU: to the Altar Society ladies, who organized and worked the Bake Sale and made the KROFE and to all the parishioners who baked for it; to all the generous individuals who created or bought and donated the items for the "Chinese Raffle"; to our good friends at **ZeLe Funeral Home** who underwrote the printing cost of the raffle and dinner tickets; to Linda Plecnik, Paul Lavrishia, Ann & Frank Zitko, Stan and Mark Kuhar and Matt Dolinar for transporting the supplies to Pristava; to all the ladies and gentlemen who cooked, served food and refreshments throughout the afternoon and evening; to the many young parishioners who graciously helped with the various tasks and activities, including all from Camp Pristava, who stayed, helped and joined in the festivities, it was truly a pleasure having you with us again!; to all the many and unnamed parish volunteers without whose help we could not have such a successful picnic. Special thanks to our newspaper and radio advertisers. Congratulations to all the winners of the Chinese and Main Raffle. Thank you to all who purchased the Main Raffle tickets. Thank you to the management of **Slovenska Pristava** for the good will and cooperation throughout the planning of the picnic, especially Metod Ilc, John Ferkul and Mike Kosir. **Most of all we thank God for blessing St. Vitus Parish so very much!**

PRELIMINARY PARISH SUMMER PICNIC RESULTS

Net proceeds from Picnic – \$ 7,325.00
Net proceeds Main Raffle – \$12,375.00
 Total Net Proceeds \$19,700.00



* **St. Vitus Parish Raffle Winners – July 16, 2017** *

| | |
|--|--|
| <u>Grand Prize - \$1,000.00</u> Marge Kuhar Wickliffe, OH | <u>8th Prize - \$ 100.00</u> Amy Jordan Sagamore Hills, OH |
| <u>2nd Prize - \$ 500.00</u> Breda Loncar Willoughby Hills, OH | <u>9th Prize - \$ 100.00</u> Tony & Rita Kosir Newburg, OH |
| <u>3rd Prize - \$ 250.00</u> Zdenka Zakrajsek Kirtland, OH | <u>10th Prize - \$ 100.00</u> Robert Peterlin Willoughby Hills, OH |
| <u>4th Prize - \$ 250.00</u> Deborah Davidson Willowick, OH | <u>11th Prize - \$ 100.00</u> Bob Graf Highland Hts., OH |
| <u>5th Prize - \$ 100.00</u> Anton Petrich Bethesda, MD | <u>12th Prize - \$ 100.00</u> Dale & Michelle Zidan Eastlake, OH |
| <u>6th Prize - \$ 100.00</u> Joe Petric, Jr. Euclid, OH | <u>13th Prize - \$ 100.00</u> John Cipollone Parma, OH |
| <u>7th Prize - \$ 100.00</u> David Fink Cleveland, OH | <u>14th Prize - \$ 100.00</u> AnneMarie Dolenc Rocky River, OH |



30TH ANNIVERSARY OF SLOVENSKA PRISTAVA

PENSIONERS – Pristava Pensioners will celebrate their 30th anniversary at their annual picnic on Sun., Aug. 6th. The day will begin with Mass at 12:30 p.m., followed by dinner, (\$15.00 for adults and \$8.00 for children). Kitchen and bar will be open until 7:30 p.m. There will be a short program by the Pensioners Singers at 3:30 p.m. In honor of the 30th anniversary, all 30 year olds, (born in 1987), will be admitted free and may get a complimentary drink if showing an ID. **All welcome!**

FOLKLORNA SKUPINA KRES – cordially invites you to its picnic and performance on Sat., Aug. 12th, at Slovenska Pristava. Doors open at 4:00 p.m. with a performance of traditional and stylized dances from every age group beginning at 7:00 p.m. The event will also include Chinese and 50/50 raffles, food items for purchase, a bake sale and an evening of wonderful music by Alpine Sextet. A fee of \$5. per person or (\$20. per family) will be charged for the performance. The KRES members truly look forward to performing for you! For additional information, please contact Mark Tomc, 216-797-8539.



THE FEST – The 17th Annual Catholic Family **FEST**ival will be on Sunday, Aug. 6th, from 12:00 Noon–10:00 p.m. on the grounds of the Center for Pastoral Leadership in Wickliffe, Ohio. The day celebrates faith and family. Join thousands from across the region, for national Christian bands, and great faith based activities and interactive displays for the whole family. The day ends with an outdoor Mass at 8:00 p.m. followed by fireworks and more. It's **FREE!** Everyone is welcome. For more information go to www.theFEST.us



BOŽJA BESEDA DANAŠNJE NEDELJE – Naša vera v Jezusa Kristusa nam zagotavlja, da nas najlepši dar še čaka; to je dar popolnega združenja z Bogom v večnosti. Ta dar je nagrada

za našo zvestobo Bogu na tem svetu in za vse dobro, kar smo storili za druge v Jezusovem imenu. Mimogrede v življenju spoznavamo, da je naše življenje nepopolno, ker smo sebični in grešni. Naša prizadevanja ljubiti Boga in našega bližnjega niso vedno dosledna in čvrsta. Bog ve za vse naše pregrehe in polomije in je še zmeraj potrpežljiv z nami. Da nam mnogo priložnosti kesati se in Mu biti bolj zvesti. Ne-koč bomo prišli h koncu od Boga danim priložnostim. Bog bo zahteval od nas odkrit obračun naših izbir in dejanj. Upajmo, da bo Bog našel samo dobre vzroke povabiti nas naprej z Njim v večno življenje. Do takrat pa imamo dosti dela opravljati ga tako, da nas bo Bog prepoznal na dan Sodbe.

PIKNIK UPOKOJENCEV SLOVENSKE PRISTAVE – bo na Slovenski Pristavi v nedeljo, 6. avg. Dan se bo začel s sv. mašo ob 12:30 popoldne. Sledilo bo kosilo (\$15 za odrasle, za otroke pa \$8). Pridite!

FOLKLORNA SKUPINA "KRES" – vas vabi na piknik in prireditev, ki bo letos na Slovenski pristavi v soboto, 12. avg. Pričetek bo ob 4:00 pop. Kratek program, na katerem bodo nastopale tudi skupine mlajših članov, se bo začel ob 7:00 zvečer. Imeli bodo tudi "Chinese Raffle", ter hrano in domače pecivo za nakup. Za ples in zabavo bo igral ansambel **Alpine Sextet**. Vstopnina bo \$5 na osebo ali pa \$20 za družino. Za rezervacije kličite Mark Tomc, 216-797-8539. Vsi vabljeni!

ROMANJE V BELLEVUE, OH – bo v nedeljo, 27. avg. Sv. maša bo ob 12:15 pop. Daroval jo bo č.g. Peter Rožič iz Slovenije. Po kosilu bo križev pot po gozdni poti in pete litanije Matere božje ob 2h. Avtobus bo pripravljen za vstop romarjev ob 8ih zjutraj pri Slovenskem domu na Holmes Avenue in ob 8:30 izpred St. Vitus Village, 6114 Lausche Ave. Prosimo bodite točni! Cena za vožnjo je \$20. Za rezervacije kličite Janeza Zakelj, 440-943-9931. Pridite!



FARNA NABIRKA – pretekle nedelje je znesla \$4,788.00 Za vse druge podrobnosti in imena darovalcev si oglejte angleški del oznanila. Vsem prav prisrčna hvala!

PILGRIMAGE TO OUR SORROWFUL MOTHER SHRINE IN BELLEVUE, OH – will be on Sun., Aug. 27th. Mass will be celebrated by Fr. Peter Rožič from Slovenia at 12:15 p.m. followed by lunch. Stations of the Cross and Sung Litany of the Blessed Virgin Mary will be at 2:00 p.m. **Boarding time:** 8:00 a.m. from Slovenian Home on Holmes Ave. & 8:30 a.m. from St. Vitus Village on Lausche Ave. Cost for transportation is \$20.00. For reservations please call Mr. John Zakelj at (440) 943-9931.

PARISH OFFERING – last Sunday amounted to \$4,788. **Parish Needs:** \$4,500. –The Pevec Family in mem. of Bp. A Edw. Pevec & Immediate Family; **St. Vitus Endow. Trust:** \$200. – M/M Ed & Linda Baznik in celebration of Erin and Michael Baznik's Wedding; \$100. – Anon.; **St. Vitus Bldg. Fund:** \$800. – Mr. Boris Kodrich. **Sincerest thanks to all!**