

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

SATURDAY, October 30: Weekday

4:00 Lisa Abood

SUNDAY, October 31: 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

10:00 All Parish Mass

St. Vitus Alumni & St. Vitus CWV Post 1655

For our Parishioners

MONDAY, November 1: FEAST OF ALL SAINTS

9:30 St. Martin de Porres High School Service – Church

5:00 Liv. & Dec. Parishioners & Benefactors – Chapel

7:00 Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament – Church

TUESDAY, November 2: ALL SOULS

5:00 Liv. & Dec. Parishioners & Benefactors – Chapel

WEDNESDAY, November 3: Weekday

5:00 Peter Sterk – Chapel

THURSDAY, November 4: St. Charles Borromeo, Bishop

5:00 Marilyn Genovese – 3rd Ann. – Chapel

FRIDAY, November 5: Weekday

5:00 Carolyn & Roger Mallik - 50th Wedd. Ann. – Chapel

SATURDAY, November 6: Weekday

4:00 P.F.C. Anthony Fortuna

SUNDAY, November 7: 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 Rev. Victor Cimperman

For our Parishioners

10:30 Dec. Mejač & Zakrajšek Families

PSALM RESPONSE * ODPEV PRI PSALMU

I love you, Lord, my strength.

Ljubim te, Gospod, moja moč in moja skala.

LECTORS/BRALCI --- November 6th/7th, 2021

Sat. 4:00 P.M. Pat McKibben

Sun. 9:00 A.M. Paul Ferkul

Sun. 10:30 A.M. Kati Likozar-Cup

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS – November 6th/7th, 2021

Sat. 4:00 P.M. Joe Hocevar

Sun. 9:00 A.M. Margie Lavrishia

Sun. 10:30 A.M. Matt Plecnik

ST. VITUS YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY – hour of prayer and adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will be this Monday at 7:00 p.m. in church. All are invited and welcome. Please use side entrance. For more information, please contact youngvitusministry@gmail.com

ST. VITUS ALTAR SOCIETY – will have its monthly Mass and Holy Communion next Sun., Nov. 7th, at the 10:30 a.m. Mass. Meeting will follow in The Village Slovenian Room.

MASSES FOR ALL SOULS – All Masses are being said for the repose of souls of your deceased loved ones, our deceased parishioners, and benefactors. Please use the special envelope in your October packet and indicate the names and intentions you wish to have remembered in the Masses. These intentions are prayed for throughout the month of November. Additional Mass intentions are sent to other priests to be prayed.



WORD OF GOD FOR THIS SUNDAY –

It is always necessary to listen to the word of God with a loving heart in order to "hear" rightly. Today's beautiful readings nearly compel us to listen with our hearts. "Hear O Israel: the Lord is our God, the Lord alone. Love your Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul and with all your might." (Deut. 6:4-5). Jesus then proceeds to explain that our love must be three directional: love of the Lord first, then love of self, and love of neighbor because of the Lord. (Mk 12:30-31).



WELCOME ST. VITUS ALUMNI!

St. Vitus Parish and the St. Vitus Alumni welcome all alumni and friends to the Annual Homecoming Mass and Dinner today. Our special honoree is our beloved former pastor, **Rev. Joseph Boznar**, who dedicated many years of service to St. Vitus Parish. Father Boznar retired from St. Vitus Parish on July 1, 2021. He was the associate pastor from 1972 until 1979, at which time he was appointed as Pastor. He served St. Vitus Parish and the greater Slovenian community for 49 years and was involved in the establishment of St. Vitus Alumni in 1987. Many projects and initiatives were completed under his tenure at St. Vitus. Thank you, Father Boznar, and God Bless you for your devotion to our parish!

A special welcome to members of the Classes of 1945 and 1946 celebrating their 75th anniversary, the Classes of 1970 and 1971 celebrating their 50th anniversary, and the Classes of 1995 and 1996 celebrating their 25th anniversary. We are grateful to the **St. Vitus Catholic War Veterans Post 1655** and **Auxiliary** who are here today and celebrating their Corporate Communion with us. Thank you all for joining us at this Mass. Enjoy the day.



Monday, Nov. 1st, is All Saints Day. This feast day speaks of Christian heroes, the saints, men and women whom the Church deems worthy of imitation. All Saints Day also speaks of the untold numbers of faithful Christians who are saints because they have attained the goal of heaven. Where they have gone, one day we hope to follow. All Saints Day Masses: 9:30 a.m. - St. Martin de Porres H. S. in church and 5:00 p.m. at the Village Chapel.

ALL SOULS DAY – is Tuesday, Nov. 2nd. It is the Church's teaching that souls of the faithful departed undergo spiritual cleansing from sin before they enter the presence of God. For this reason, the Church asks us to pray for the dead and thus shorten the time of purgation through the mercy of God. A plenary indulgence may be gained for the souls in Purgatory on this day under the usual conditions: freedom from mortal sin, attendance at Mass and reception of the Eucharist, and praying for the intentions of the Holy Father. The Mass on Tuesday will be at 5:00 p.m. at the St. Vitus Village Chapel.



IT'S TIME AGAIN – Please remember that next weekend, November 6th/7th, we turn our clocks **BACK** one hour!



ARE YOU VOTING? – Tuesday, November 2nd, is Election Day in America. Thousands of choices will have to be made. Issues are as important as the candidates backing them. We don't have to agree with cynics' observations that citizens deserve the people they elect. America needs the very best people in government. We can and should vote for those candidates for whom Judeo-Christian outlook on life is as important to them as it is to us. This is the spiritual and moral heritage of the founding fathers of our country and of most Americans today. Be proud of it!

VISIT TO THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND – With the Covid regulations lifted, if someone in your family is no longer able to attend Mass, we would be more than happy to bring the Holy Eucharist to their home at their convenience. Please call the parish house, and Fr. John Retar or Sr. Mary Avsec, S.N.D. will be happy to visit your family member.

ST. VITUS POLO SHIRTS – are available again. The navy-blue shirts can be ordered in men's and women's sizes in cotton and polyester. The shirts will be on display after Masses. For more information, call Mia Graf at 440-442-1635.

ST. VITUS MINISTRY SUNDAY – was held last weekend. Parishioners have the opportunity to participate in parish life by the sharing of knowledge, wisdom, time, and talents. Pamphlets were disbursed at all Masses listing and describing options to think about. There is no obligation, but perhaps there is an organization that you wanted to know more about or a liturgical ministry that you were interested in joining. Or perhaps — there is something for you that you just didn't know was possible.

GOULASH AND POLENTA DINNER – sponsored by the St. Mary's Holy Name Society will be on Sat., November 13th, at 6:00 p.m. in the parish hall. Donation for the dinner is \$16.00. Tickets may be purchased at the door. Everyone is welcome!

CHURCH IMPROVEMENTS DONATIONS – Anonymous \$10,000. matching grant for various needed improvements. **This week's Donors:** \$480.00–M/M Paul & Carolyn Dare \$20.00 – Anon.

PARISH OFFERING – last Sunday amounted to \$3,552.00 **World Mission:** \$420. **PayPal On-line Donations (10/21/21 to 10/24/21)** \$450.

ST. VITUS ENDOWMENT TRUST – FOR NEW PARISH HALL
 \$300.00 – Mr. Thomas Percic
 \$150.00 – (\$5,100. Pledge) – M/M Tony & Nancy Dolenc
 \$115.00 – Anonymous
 \$100.00 – (\$3,000. Pledge) – M/M Veronika & Archer Blood
 \$100.00 – Mr. Steven Ciuni
 \$ 30.00 – (\$1,000. Pledge) – M/M David & Elizabeth Kern

Sincerest thanks to our generous parishioners, benefactors & friends, and many blessings on everyone!



BOŽJA BESEDA TE NEDELJE

Božjo besedo moramo vedno poslušati z ljubečim srcem, dajo zares prav slišimo in razumemo. Današnja lepa berila nas skoraj prisilijo, da poslušamo s srcem. "Poslušaj Izrael: Gospod je naš Bog, Gospod edini. Ljubite Gospoda svojega Boga z vsem srcem in z vso dušo in vso močjo" (Deut. 6:4-5). Jezus nato nadaljuje z razlago, da mora biti naša ljubezen trojna: ljubezen do Gospoda je prva, potem ljubezen do samega sebe in ljubezen do bližnjega zaradi Gospoda (Mk. 12:30-31).

"ST. VITUS ALUMNI HONOREE DAY"

Nekdanji učenci šole Sv. Vida ter člani St. Vitus Catholic War Veterans Post 1655 in Auxiliary, so danes pri skupni farni sveti maši ob 10:00 dopoldne. Po sv. maši bodo v novi farni dvorani počastili našega pokojnega župnika **č.g. Jožeta Božnarja** na svojem **"Annual Honorees' Banquet"**. **ČESTITAMO!**



PRAZNIK VSEH SVETNIKOV – V ponedeljek, 1. novembra, obhajamo lep praznik Vseh svetnikov. Ta praznik govori o krščanskih junakih, svetnikih, možeh in ženah, ki jih cerkev vidi vredne posnemanja. Dan Vseh svetih govori tudi o brezštevilnih vernih kristjanih, ki so svetniki, ker so se trudili doseči nebesa. Kamor so šli oni, upamo nekoč slediti tudi mi.

Farna Sv. maša za Vseh svetih bo v ponedeljek ob 5ih zvečer v kapeli St. Vitus Village. Gimnazija St. Martin de Porres bo imela sv. mašo ob 9:30 dopoldne v ponedeljek. Vabimo vas, da se udeležite sv. maše.

VERNIH DUŠ DAN – je v torek, 2. novembra. Cerkveni nauk je, da duše vernih rajnih dožive duhovno očiščenje od grehov in zemeljskih navezanosti, preden stopijo v božjo navzočnost. Zato Cerkev priporoča molitve za mrtve, da bi tako bil čas očiščevanja po božji milosti krajši. Ta dan je mogoče dobiti popolni odpustek za verne duše in sicer pod običajnimi pogoji: biti moramo prosti smrtnega greha, se udeležiti maše in prejeti obhajilo in moliti po namenu svetega Očeta. Duše rajnih naj po usmiljenju božjem počivajo v miru.

Sv. maša za Vernih duš dan bo ob 5:00 zvečer v kapeli St. Vitus Village.

MAŠE ZA VERNE DUŠE – Vse sv. maše se berejo za duše vaših ljubljenih pokojnih, za naše umrle farane in dobrotnike. Uporabite kuverto iz oktobrskega paketa ter napišite imena in namene, ki želite, da bi se jih spominjali pri teh mašah. Za te namene bomo molili ves mesec november.

OLTARNO DRUŠTVO SV. VIDA – bo imelo skupno mašo in sv. obhajilo prihodnjo nedeljo, 7. nov. ob 10:30 dop. Redni sestanek bo sledil v Slovenski sobi v St. Vitus Village.

SPREMEMBA URE – Ne pozabite, da prihodnji vikend, 6./7. novembra, pomaknemo kazalec na uri za eno uro **NAZAJ!**



FARNA NABIRKA – pretekle nedelje je znesla \$3,552.00 Za vse druge podrobnosti in imena darovalcev si oglejte angleški del oznanila. **Vsem prav prisrčna hvala!**