

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

SATURDAY, August 14: St. Maximilian Kolbe

4:00 James Svekric – 13th Ann.

SUNDAY, August 15: Assumption of Blessed Virgin Mary

9:00 Frank & Dorothy Zitko

10:30 Stefan & Justina Duh
For our Parishioners

MONDAY, August 16: Weekday

5:00 Marija Kordič – Chapel

TUESDAY, August 17: Weekday

5:00 Al Podmore – 2nd Ann. – Chapel

WEDNESDAY, August 18: Weekday

5:00 Katarina & William Dreu – Chapel

THURSDAY, August 19: Weekday

5:00 Družina Stefanič – Chapel

FRIDAY, August 20: St. Bernard

9:30 Mass of the Holy Spirit – Church
St. Martin de Porres High School

5:00 James P. Hurley – 30 Day – Chapel

SATURDAY, August 21: St. Pius X, Pope

4:00 Mary & Frank Koncan & Family

SUNDAY, August 22: 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 John, Julia, & Mirko Ferkul
For our Parishioners

10:30 Vinko (2nd Ann.) & Maria Lipovec

PSALM RESPONSE * ODPEV PRI PSALMU

The queen stands at your right hand, arrayed in gold.
Kraljica stoji na tvoji desnici.

LECTORS/BRALCI --- August 21st/22nd, 2021

Sat. 4:00 P.M. David Fink

Sun. 9:00 A.M. Jean Kendzierski

Sun. 10:30 A.M. Mojca Slak

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS – August 21st/22nd, 2021

Sat. 4:00 P.M. Stan Kuhar

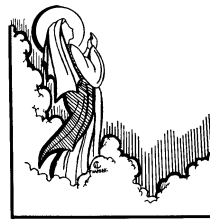
Sun. 9:00 A.M. Larry Sterk

Sun. 10:30 A.M. Sr. Mary Avsec/Matt Plecnik



PILGRIMAGE TO SORROWFUL MOTHER SHRINE IN BELLEVUE, OHIO

– will be next Sunday, August 22nd. Mass will be celebrated at 12:15 p.m., followed by lunch. Everyone is free to bring their own picnic lunches. The cafeteria will be open, but dinners must be reserved in advance. After lunch we will walk the Stations of the Cross and conclude with sung Litanies of the Blessed Virgin Mary and Benediction in the church. St. Joseph #169 KSKJ Foundation will provide a motorcoach to pick up pilgrims. **Boarding time:** 9:00 a.m. from St. Mary's Church & 9:30 a.m. from St. Vitus Church. To reserve a free seat on the bus, call Tom Percic, 440-833-0018 (leave a message) or email tommypeekak@gmail.com. If it has been many years since you made this pilgrimage, or if you have never had the opportunity to do so, we encourage you and invite you to join us!



THE ASSUMPTION OF MARY

On this day the Catholic Church observes the great feast of the Assumption of Mary into heaven. Catholics believe that the Blessed Virgin Mary, the Mother of Jesus, after her earthly life ended, was miraculously taken into heaven, body and soul.

Mary is thus the first created human being to attain this particular dignity of assumption into heaven. In this way, Mary models for us what we hope and believe God will one day do for us in eternity. The new Catechism of the Catholic Church describes this Catholic belief about the Blessed Virgin in this way: "Finally the Immaculate Virgin, preserved free from all stains of original sin, when the course of her earthly life was finished, was taken up body and soul into heavenly glory and exalted by the Lord as Queen over all things so that she might be more fully conformed to her Son, the Lord of Lords and conqueror of sin and death." The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin is a singular participation in her Son's Resurrection and an anticipation of the resurrection of other Christians: "In giving birth you kept your virginity; in your Dormition you did not leave the world, O Mother of God, but were joined to the source of Life. You conceived the living God and, by your prayers, will deliver our souls from death." ...she is our Mother in the order of grace." (*From the Catechism of the Catholic Church*)



ST. MARY'S SUMMER PICNIC – is this Sunday

at Slovenska Pristava. The day will begin with Mass at Noon, followed by a Wiener Schnitzel Dinner. Cost is \$16.00 for adults and \$8.00 for children. Only 250 dinners will be sold, so first come first served. Hamburgers and Italian Sausage Sandwiches will also be available after Mass in the International Biergarten. There will be a Bake Sale, Chinese Auction, 50/50 Raffles, & Main Raffle. Children's games will begin at 5:30 p.m. Music for your listening and dancing pleasure will be provided by the *Veseli Godci. Everyone invited!*

2021 One World Day – CLEVELAND CULTURAL GARDENS

The 75th annual *One World Day* of the Cleveland Cultural Garden's will be on Sunday, Aug. 29th, between MLK Blvd. and East Blvd. from 11:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. The Gardens represent the many nationalities that make up the mosaic of Cleveland's population. The day will include The Parade of Flags, a variety of ethnic performances throughout the Gardens including two Slovenian bands: the *Veseli Godci and Patty C & the Guys*, and diverse ethnic food at the individual Gardens including our own Slovenian Cultural Garden on East Blvd. near St. Clair Ave. There will be a Beer Garden, a Children's Village, free *Lolly the Trolley* Tours of all the Gardens, free parking, and much more. Come and celebrate Cleveland!





ST. VITUS ALTAR SOCIETY ANNUAL BENEFIT DINNER – will be on Sunday, September 12th. The Breaded Chicken Dinner prepared by Sophie Mazi and helpers will be served from 11:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m. in the **new St. Vitus Parish Hall**. Tickets are available from members of the Altar Society and in the parish house office. Cost is \$17.00 for adults and \$8.00 for children. Take-out dinners will be available. There will also be a Raffle and Bake Sale. **All cordially invited!**

ALTAR SOCIETY DINNER BAKE SALE – We kindly ask for home baked goods for the **Bake Sale**. Every donation is very much appreciated!

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.

PAT RULLO – LIVE! – “SPEAK UP AND STAY ALIVE”
Join AMLA Kras Lodge # 8 for a special presentation of **Pat Rullo Live!**, “*Speak Up and Stay Alive*”, the first nationally syndicated radio program dedicated to hospital and healthcare safety, patient advocacy, the patient experience, and preventative solutions. The presentation will be at the North Chagrin Metroparks’ Old River Farm Shelter, 2845 River Road, Willoughby Hills, Ohio 44094, on Wednesday, September 1st, at 11:30 a.m. A limited number of FREE lunches will be served at 11:30 a.m. Reservation for lunch is required; call 216-531-3413 by August 23rd. After lunch Pat Rullo will speak followed by question-answer time.

PARISH OFFERING – last Sunday amounted to \$3,578.00
PayPal On-line Donations (8/7/21 – 8/10/21) \$485.

ST. VITUS ENDOWMENT TRUST – FOR NEW PARISH HALL

- \$1,250.00 – (\$4,000. Pledge) – Mr. John J. Zakelj
- \$ 650.00 – Family & Friends in memory of Jim Hurley
- \$ 150.00 – (\$5,100. Pledge)–M/M Tony & Nancy Dolenc
- \$ 60.00 – (\$1,000. Pledge)–M/M David & Elizabeth Kern
- \$ 50.00 – M/M Stan & Marge Kuhar in memory of Luka & Jožefa Kuhar toward new hall tables & chairs
- \$ 50.00 – M/M George & Veronica Novotney in mem. of Jim Hurley
- \$ 45.00 – Anonymous

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

KOSILO OLTARNEGA DRUŠTVA – bo v nedeljo, 12. sept. Postregli bodo s pohanim piščancem z vsemi prikuhami. Servirali bodo od 11:30 dop. do 1:00 popoldne v **novi farni dvorani**. Kosilo, ki ga želite vzeti domov, bo tudi na razpolago. Dar je \$17 za odrasle in \$8 za otroke. Imeli bodo tudi srečolov in prodajo peciva. Nakaznice lahko dobite pri članicah društva in v farni pisarni. **Vsi lepo vabljeni!**

Za **PRODAJO PECIVA** pri kosilu vas lepo prosimo za domače pecivo! Vsak dar bo hvaležno sprejet!



MARIJINO VNEBOVZETJE – Katoliška Cerkev slavi to nedeljo velik praznik, praznik Marijinega Vnebovzetja. Katoličani verujemo, da je bila Devica Marija, Mati Jezusova, ob koncu njenega bivanja na zemlji čudežno vzeta v nebo z dušo in telesom. Na ta način je Marija prvo ustvarjeno človeško bitje, ki je doseglo to posebno čast, da je bila vzeta v nebo. Tako je Marija naš vzor, za kakršnega upamo in verujemo, da ga bo Bog nekoč izvršil nam v nebesih. Novi katekizem katoliške cerkve popisuje to katoliško vero o Sv. Devici takole: "Ko je brezmadežna Devica, obvarovana v nedotaknjenosti od kakršnega koli madeža izvirnega greha, dovršila tek zemeljskega življenja, je bila končno s telesom in dušo vzeta v nebeško slavo; in Gospod jo je povišal za Kraljico veselstva, da bi bila v popolnejši meri upodobljena po svojem Sinu, Gospodu gospodov in zmagovalcu nad grehom in smrtjo." Vnebovzetje svete Device je posebna deležnost pri vstajenju njenega Sina in anticipacija vstajenja drugih kristjanov: "Ob svojem porodu si ohranila devištvo in ob svojem zaspanju nisi zapustila sveta, o božja Mati: vrnila si se k izviru življenja, ti, ki si spočela živega Boga in boš s svojimi molitvami otela naše duše smrti."... Je naša Mati v redu milosti." (***Iz Katekizma Katoliške Cerkve***)

ŽUPNIJSKI PIKNIK MARIJE VNEBOVZETE – je to nedeljo na Slovenski Pristavi. Dan se bo začel s sv. mašo ob 12:00 opoldne, sledi kosilo s dunajskim zrezku (\$16.00 za odrasle in \$8.00 za otroke). Mednarodni Biergartn bo imel izbiro mednarodnega piva, hamburgerje in italijanske klobase. Imeli bodo prodajo peciva, različne jedi in pijače, igre za otroke, Kitajsko loterijo in farni srečolov. Za ples in zabavo bodo igrali Veseli Godci.

Vsi lepo vabljeni!



LETNO ROMANJE K ŽALOSTNI MATERI BOŽJI V BELLEVUE, OH – bo prihodnjo nedeljo, 22. avg. Sv. maša bo ob 12:15 popoldne, sledi kosilo. Vsak lahko prinese svoje pikniško kosilo. Jedilnica bo odprta samo po naročilu. Po kosilu se bomo sprehodili po Križevem potu, in zaključili s petimi litanijami Matere Božje in blagoslov z Najsvetejšim v cerkvi. Društvo sv. Jožefa #169 KSKJ bo zagotovil avtobus za brezplačni prevoz romarjev. Avtobus bo pripravljen za vstop ob 9:00 zjutraj pri Mariji Vnebovzeti in ob 9:30 pri Sv. Vidu. Prosimo bodite točni! Za rezervacije pokličite. Tomaža Perčič, (440) 833-0018, ali po e-pošti tommypeekak@gmail.com. Če je že več let od kar ste zadnjikrat romali, ali še nikoli niste imeli priložnost, vas vzpodbujamo in lepo vabimo da se nam pridružite.

FARNA NABIRKA – pretekle nedelje je znesla \$3,578.00 Za vse druge podrobnosti in imena darovalcev si oglejte angleški del oznanila. **Vsem prav prisrčna hvala!**

JOSEPH HOUSE OF CLEVELAND, INC. – is kindly requesting donations of sheets & towels. Please call 216-431-7200 for the times and days to drop off the items at Joseph House, 6108 St. Clair Ave., Cleveland, OH 44103. **Thank you!**