

**OUR LADY OF BISTRICA PARISH BULLETIN**  
*(Week no. 28) - - SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - - - JULY 23, 2017*  
Rectorry Office: 822-0818

**PARISH LAWN FETE THIS WEEKEND**

*OUR 100TH ANNUAL LAWN FETE TAKES PLACE THIS WEEKEND. COME WITH YOUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS TO ENJOY DELICIOUS FOOD, GOOD MUSIC AND REFRESHING DRINKS. ON SATURDAY THE HOURS ARE FROM 4:00 P.M. TO 11:00 P.M., AND ON SUNDAY FROM 11:00 A.M. TO 9:00 P.M. TERRY BUCHWALD, ELVIS IMPERSONATOR WILL PERFORM FROM 7:00 P.M. TO 11:00 P.M. ON SATURDAY. "MAESTRAL" WILL PLAY FROM 1:00 P.M. TO 8:00 P.M. ON SUNDAY. BAKED GOODS SALE ON SUNDAY FROM 8:30 A.M. TO 11:00 A.M. FOOD AVAILABLE ON BOTH DAYS: LAMB AND PORK SOLD BY THE POUND, CHICKEN DINNERS, SARMA DINNERS, SARMA SNACK, SAUSAGES, CEVAPCICI, SANDWICHES, REFRESHING DRINKS ETC, THEME BASKETS, BELL JAR. (GAMES AND BOUNCE HOUSE ON SUNDAY FOR CHILDREN.) DON'T COOK AT HOME.....EAT AND DRINK AT OUR LAWN FETE WHILE YOU LISTEN TO EXCELLENT MUSIC!*

**DANAS: 16. NEDJELJA KROZ GODINU:** Isusova je srpljivost prema neprijateljima upravo smučivala njegove apostole. Oni bi najradije zazvali s neba vatru da ih Božja pravednost uništi i na licu mjesta kazni. Dobri Učitelj štiti na njihove izazove, strpljivo s njima razgovara, poučava ih i pušta da vrijeme donese svoje. No da ih još bolje pouči ispriповjedio im je prispodobu o pšenici i kukolju. Čitav je svijet velika i prostrana Božja njiva. Nitko ne može ni posumnjati da Božje sjeme ne bi bilo dobro. No sad onaj koji poznaje sve tajne i konačni uzrok svega što se zbiva otkriva da je na djelu i neprijatelj Božji - - - đavao. On dolazi po noći, kradomice i usred Božje sjetve sije, sije kukolj. I sad zajedno raste i pšenica i kukolj. Sve do žetve. Tek se tada, odijeli zdravo žito od štetna kukolja koji se spaljuje . . . Božja je dobrota i milosrđe neizmjenno. Koliko god Bog mrzi grijeh i svako zlo, prema čovjeku grešniku je milosrdan i blag. Neće smrti grešnika, nego čeka da se obrati i zato dalje živi.

**Tuesday, July 25: 100th anniversary meeting at 7:00 p.m.**

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:** Every Tuesday: starting at **6:00 p.m. only** with Rosary recitation and Benediction.

**TODAY, 16TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME:** Jesus' patience toward His enemies confused His apostles. They would rather call down fire from heaven, so God's justice might punish and destroy them. The Good Teacher keeps silent at their provocations; talking to them patiently, and teaching them. He will give them a clearer explanation in time. He taught them with parables at first, especially the parable about the wheat and weeds. The whole world is God's huge spacious field. God sows pure seed. Now He, who knows all the secrets and final causes of all that is happening, discovers that God's enemy, the devil is at work. The devil comes at night and sows the weeds among the wheat. They grow together until harvest time when the weeds are burned. God's goodness and mercy are immense. He hates sin and evil. Even so, He is merciful and lenient toward the sinner. God does not rejoice at the death of a sinner. He waits patiently for the sinner to convert and obtain Eternal Life.

**PICNIC DONATIONS:** Anonymous donation:  
Thank you for your donation.

**100TH ANNIVERSARY DONATIONS:** Joseph and Charlotte Gentile and family: Mr. & Mrs. Darko Vranic and family: patron: Mr. & Mrs. Darko Vranic in memory of Petar and Marija Golubic: Felix Senozetnik in memory of his wife Marija Senozetnik: David Dole in memory of his wife Andrea: Steve and Gail Gojevic in memory of Mato i Lucija Gojevic: Judith and Michael Alvarez in memory of Marko and Mary Kezman: Paul and Nan Malysza: Joanne Barbic in memory of Stephen and Katherine Barbic from daughters Joanne and Lorraine and grandchildren: Anthony Cacic and Anna Dominski in memory of Andja Cacic by son Ante and daughter Anna Dominski: Jeffrey and Lisa DePasquale: We are very grateful for all your donations.

**IMPORTANT NOTICE:** for anyone wishing to submit a monetary donation for a memorial in the **HISTORY BOOK ONLY**, it must be submitted by July 28.

**VOCATION THOUGHT JULY 23**

In various ways we are all stewards and custodians of God's Kingdom. How is God calling you to exercise stewardship in His kingdom? If God is calling you, call Fr. Andrew Lauricella at 847-5535.

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| <b><u>LECTORS THIS WEEKEND</u></b> | <b><u>LECTORS JULY 30 &amp; Aug.5</u></b> |
| 5:00 p.m. David Petrus             | 5:00 p.m. Richard Moretti                 |
| 9:00 a.m. Jim Carr                 | 9:00 a.m. Jim Carr                        |
| 10:15 a.m. Zdenka Juric            | 10:15 a.m. Zdenka Juric                   |

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**MASS INTENTIONS WEEK OF JULY 23, 2017**

- Saturday, July 22: 5:00 p.m. = dec:** Catherine Manka (Birth remembrance) by daughter Deanna Zak and family.  
*(Vigil Mass for Sunday)*
- Sunday, July 23 9:00 a.m. = dec:** Robert Bartokvich by children and grandson. Marija Senozetnik by husband Felix.  
*(16th Sunday in Ordinary Time)*  
**10:15 a.m. = dec:** Sister Clarissa by Petre family. Ante Višić (75th birth remembrance) by wife Jelka and family.  
*(+ 2nd Mass September 23 at 7:30 a.m.)*  
*(+ 2nd Mass September 29 at 7:30 a.m.)*
- Monday, July 24: 7:30 a.m. = dec:** Robert Bartokvich (birth remembrance) by wife and family and grandson Michael.  
*(St. Sharbel Makhlof, Priest)*
- Tuesday, July 25: 7:30 a.m. = :** For all our parishioners. *(St. James, Apostle)*  
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- Wed. July 26: 7:30 a.m. = dec:** Charles and Mary Barone by son Robert. Leon and Ann Bek by Bek children. Mary Smerski and deceased members of Smerski family by Genowefa Czupryna Robert Bartokvich by wife Patricia and children.  
*(Saints Joachim and Anne, parents of the Bl. Virgin Mary)*
- Thursday, July 27: 7:30 a.m. = dec:** Living and deceased members of Petre family by Phyllis Petre.  
*(Weekday)*
- Friday, July 28: 7:30 a.m. = dec:** Robert Levulis by Gddaughter Karen Zak. Domenico and Maria Ianarelli by Guy and Delia Ianarelli.  
*(Weekday)*
- Saturday, July 29: 7:30 a.m. = dec:** Frank and Mary Levulis by Charlotte Gentile and family. Elio and Joseph Liberta by wife and mother Ida Liberta.  
*(St. Martha)*
- (Vigil Mass for Sunday) 5:00 p.m. = dec:** Valentine and Anna Abram by Gregory Schenck. Frances Sajda by Henry and Dorothy Widlak.  
*(+ 2nd Mass October 19 at 7:30 a.m.)*
- Sunday, July 30: 9:00 a.m. = dec:** Joseph Klemenich by son Peter and family. Intentions of Our Lady by Petre family.  
*(17th Sunday in Ordinary Time)*  
**10:15 a.m. = dec:** Lucija Gojević by family and friends Posebne nakone obitelji by David Krezić.  
*(+2nd Mass October 20 at 7:30 a.m.)*