

OUR LADY OF BISTRICA PARISH BULLETIN
(Week no. 29) - - SSEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - - - JULY 30, 2017
Rectory Office: 822-0818

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

Tuesday, Aug. 1: Parish Council meeting at 7:15 p.m. Everyone who worked at our Lawn Fete is also asked to come to the meeting.

Friday, Aug. 4: First Friday of the month. Rosary, Litany and Benediction at 7:30 a.m. Mass.

Saturday, Aug 5: First Saturday of the month. *"Act of Reparation for Blasphemies Against the Blessed Virgin Mary."*

SUNDAY, AUG. 6: Second collection will be for **Diocesan Priests' Retirement Fund.**

Today, 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time: Embedded in the heart of each of us is an unexpected thirst for happiness and joy that will never end. We want to find what was lost in the immense horizons and we believe that we will not be disappointed. When Jesus talks about the buried treasure, He points to His Heavenly Kingdom. It is mysterious reality, and only Jesus can give us its nature. For now He is revealing it to the small and humble, but not the wise of this world. That Kingdom is coming when Jesus Himself addresses people with God's Word. To enter the Kingdom of truth, justice and love means to accept Him, listen to His Word and be open to Him.

DANAS, 17 NEDJELJA KROZ GODINU: U naše je srce usseđena neutraživa žedza srećom i radostima koje ne prolaze. "U beskrajnim vidicima" zerlimo poražiti izgubljeni vjerujemo da se nećemo razočarati. Kad Isus govori u "sakrivenom blagu", tada želi tim blagom označiti nebesko kraljevstvo. Ono je otajstvena stvarnost i samo Isus može dati da se spozna njezina narov. Zasad je on objavljuje samo pšoniznima i malenima, a ne umnima i mudrima ovoga svijet. (Mt 11, 25) To kraljevstvo dolazi, kad se ljudima obrati Božje riječ, sam Isus Krist, Prihvati Njega poslušati njegovu riječ, otvoriti se Njemu znači ući u to kraljevstvo istine, pravde i ljubavi.

WINNERS OF RAFFLE AT OUR LAWN FETE: Janet Dragone
Gerald Gorman Ivan Andrijevic
Krolikowski family, Linda Kovacs, Nate & Aiden, Jagica Subaric, Carol Nickel, Joe Draganjac, Eileen Collins, Deanna Zak, Rachel Sylvia, Phyllis Petre. Congratulations to all winners. We thank you for buying our raffle tickets.

DINNER TICKETS

Celebration of the 100th Anniversary of our Parish will take place on Sunday, September 17th. Dinner tickets for this event will be sold in the vestibule of our church before and after all weekend Masses. Tickets will not be sold at the door on September 17 and the deadline to buy the dinner tickets is September 1. We encourage everyone to stop in the vestibule and get tickets as soon as possible, to join us at this very special occasion.

MESSAGE FROM FATHER CHRIS: I want to thank everyone who worked so many hours at our Lawn Fete: preparing the grounds for the event, shopping, cooking, selling tickets, working the bar, preparing and cutting the meat, hours to make up Theme baskets, kitchen workers, baked goods workers, Bell Jar, and cleaning up after the Lawn Fete. A special 'thank you' to Ante (Tony) Čačić who comes from Oklahoma for three weeks every year to help us with the Lawn Fete. May God bless you all for your devotion and dedication to our parish. Because of your hard work this was the most successful picnic in a long time.

100 ANNIVERSARY DONATIONS: Michael Ciko in memoriam of Anthony and Agnes Ciko and in memory of extended Ribarich and Cikojevic families: David and Sara Hrizak in memory of Jean and John Hrizak and Mary Smerski and Klementina and Steve Shroba: Nancy and Ron Gawronski in memory of Joseph Loncarevich: Tom and Debbie Krakowski: Rita and Thomas Radich in memory of Margaret and John Radich:

Vocation Thought: Of all the various treasures to be found, the Kingdom of God is most worthy of our pursuit. We can sometimes forget this and need to be reminded. Can God be calling you to help His children focused on His Kingdom? If God is calling you to a Church vocation, call Fr. Andrew Lauricella at 716-847-5535.

LECTORS THIS WEEKEND	LECTORS AUG. 5 & 6:
5:00 p.m. Richard Moretti	5:00 p.m. Gregory Schenk
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 30, 2017

- Saturday, July 29: 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.
(+ 2nd Mass September 30 at 7:30 a.m.)
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.)
- Monday, July 31: 7:30 a.m.= :** For all our parishioners.
- Tuesday: Aug. 1: 7:30 a.m. = dec:** Lillian Manka by daughter Linda, Karl, Christopher and Stacy Kovacs. Albin Schenck by Phyllis Petre. Gino Dire by Ida Liberta. *(+ 3rd Mass August 16 at 7:30 a.m.)*
- Wednes. Aug., 2: 7:30 a.m. = dec:** Emma Pericak by Dominic and Tina Salemi. Tihomir and Anica by son and obitelji.
- Thursday, Aug. 3: 7:30 a.m. = dec:** Kenneth Petre by Diana Skobarczak.
- Friday, Aug. 4: 7:30 a.m. = dec:** Kenneth Petre by the Bowen family. Divine Mercy Prayer Group members by all members.
(FIRST FRIDAY)
- Saturday, Aug.5: 7:30.a.m. = :** Special intention by Kujawski family.
(FIRST SATURDAY)
- (Vigil Mass for Sunday)* **:00 p.m. = dec:** For all souls in Purgatory.
- Sunday, Aug. 6 : 9:00 a.m. = dec:** Robert Levulis by Alex and Barbara Druz bik. Marija Senozetnik by husband Felix.
(+2nd Mass October 10 at 7:30 a.m.)
10:15 a.m. = dec: Michael and Anna Klemenich, and Thomas and Catherine Grgas by granddaughter Marie and grandson Joseph Grgas.