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SVETO REŠNJE TELO IN KRI THE SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

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Praznik sv. Rešnjega telesa in krvi

V ne tako davni preteklosti je bil praznik sv. Rešnjega telesa in krvi obdan z velikim sijajem. Vse cerkve so bile bogato okrašene. Dolge procesije vernikov so se pojoč vile med cvetočimi polji. Danes tega ne vidimo več povsod.

Naj nam božja beseda danes pomaga razložiti to veliko skrivnost. Danes nam Jezus v božji besedi govori o kruhu, ki se spremeni v njegovo telo. Apostol Pavel pa govori o Cerkvi, ki je prav tako Kristusovo telo. Kakšno je razmerje med obojim? Kakšen odnos je med nami, ki smo Cerkev, in evharistijo, ki jo obhajamo?

Sv. Avguštin daje na to naslednji odgovor: »Odkar ste postali Kristusovo telo in njegovi udje, se na Gospodovem oltarju obhaja skrivnost vas samih. Vašo skrivnost prejemate in z besedo Amen! pritrjujete temu, kar ste. Ko tako odgovarjate, sprejemate to skrivnost. Rečeno vam je: Kristusovo telo in na to odgovorite: Amen! Bodи ud Kristusovega telesa, da bo tako tvoj Amen ustrezal resnicu« (Ser. 272; PL 38, 1246).

Na oltarju sta torej navzoči resnično Kristusovo telo kot tudi njegovo skrivnostno telo, ki je Cerkev. Hkratna navzočnost Kristusovega telesa ali Cerkve na oltarju se še posebej lepo izraža pri darovanju, pri posvečenju in pri obhajilu. Pri darovanju Kristusovo skrivnostno telo postane navzoče, ko se po zgledu Kristusa, svoje Glave, daruje Očetu. Kruh, ki se daruje, je »sad zemlje in dela človeških rok«. V darovanju postavlja Cerkev pred Boga celotno človeško bivanje v vsej njegovi konkretnosti, kakor ga je od učlovečenja dalje živel tudi Jezus Kristus, ki je njena Glava. Ko duhovnik vlije nekaj kapljic vode v kelih, moli: »Po skrivnosti te vode in vina naj bomo deležni božje narave Kristusa, ki je postal deležen naše človeške narave.«

V polnosti dojeti vrednost darovanja pri sv. maši pomeni spoznati to bogastvo vsebin, se jih zavedeti in jih prevajati v življenje. To se zgodi, če tudi sami osebno pridružimo Gospodovemu kelihu naše »kaplje vode«, to pomeni naše napore, preizkušnje, veselje, načrte in upe.

Bled Planica Social Club



Cordially invites you all to
**FATHER'S DAY
PICNIC**
June 10, 2018
Mass 1:00 p.m.
FEATURING FROM SLOVENIA
MLADI KORENJAKI



St. Gregory the Great Slovenian Parish

125 Centennial Pkwy N, Hamilton, ON L8E 1H8

Saturday, June 23, 2018

The 29th Annual Slovenian Day 29. Slovenski dan

Slovenian Coordination Committee Niagara



- 10:30 AM** Holy Mass
- 12:00 noon** Lunch Available for Purchase
- 2:00 PM** Cultural Program
and highlight of the day
- 4:00 PM** Social time, Picnic & Dancing
to Ansambel Hervol from
Slovenija

Entrance:

\$12 Adults, \$6 Students, children under 12 free

**A fun filled day for the whole family!
Welcome to the celebration of Slovenian
Independence & Canada Day**

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V soboto, 2. junija je bil zadnji dan **Slovenske šole** v šolskem letu 2017-18. Ob devetih zjutraj smo se z učiteljicama, Lorie in Matejo, nekaterimi otroci in starši, zbrali pri daritvi svete maše, potem pa so vsi odhiteli k »Flying Squirrel«, kjer so vzeli paket »The Bounce Party« - dobri dve uri in pol skakanja ... pa še pizza, od 10:30 do 1:00 popoldne, ko so jih starši prišli iskat.



Soboto, 26. maj, so tisti, ki so se prijavili za kuharski tečaj imeli nepozaben dan, saj so se naučili kako pravilno zameisti **KROFE** in jih speci tako lepo in dobro, da so vsi imeli lep bel »krancelj«. Tečaj je vodila Jožica Vegelj ob pomoči Sonye Podrabarac in Elke Peršin. Lepa skupina se je zbrala in na kocu so bile vse vesele, saj so šle domov z dobrimi zlatorumenimi krofi.



PRVO SV. OBHAJILO IN SV. BIRMA

V nedeljo, 28. maja 2018, je bilo v naši župniji zopet slovesno. Osem prvoobhajancev je prejelo sv. obhajilo in osem birmancev je prejelo zakrament sv. birmbe po rokah hamiltonskega škofa v pokoju, Anthonyja F. Tonnosa. Praznovanje smo začeli pri kipu Marije Pomočnice. Tam so prvoobhajanci položili pred Marijo sveče in rože, vsi pa smo se posvetili Mariji s posvetilno molitvijo, potem pa se v procesiji podali v župnijsko cerkev, kjer smo nadaljevali s sveto mašo. Sodelovala sta tako mešani pevski zbor, kakor tudi angleški zbor. Na začetku maše je Clark Novak, v imenu župnijskega sveta, pozdravil škofa. Prvo berilo je v angleščini prebrala Rosemary Balažic, drugo v slovenščini pa Andreja Jamnik. Po evangeliju je župnik najprej predstavil birmance, potem pa je škof nagovoril tako prvoobhajance kot tudi birmance. Po uvodni molitvi in pesmi angleškega zбора so birmanci s svojimi botri stopili pred škofa, da jih je mazilil s krizmo. Nekateri so si izbrali birmanska imena, drugi so bili birmani z krstnimi imeni. Birmanci so nato prebrali prošnje, družina Davis pa je prinesla darove. Srednji del maše je pel angleški zbor. K svetu obhajilu so najprej pristopili prvoobhajanci z družino, potem pa birmanci in ostali. Prvoobhajanci so pripravili lepe zahvale za po obhajilu, pa jih zaradi župnikove »pozabljivosti« niso naglas povedali - so pa ostale v njihovih srcih. Na koncu maše se je birmanka Anna Marie Horvat zahvalila škofu, župniku in učiteljicama Lorie in Mateji, ki sta pomagale pri prapravi prvoobhajancev in birmancev. Po zaključni pesmi, Marija skoz življenje, smo še ovekovečili dogodek s kamerami. - Iskrena zahvala vsem, ki ste sodelovali pri pripravi dogodka: pevcem, čistilkam cerkve, Olgi Glavač, ki je zelo lepo okrasila cerkev in pripravila oltarček pri Mariji; Mateji in Lorie, hvala za vse priprave; obema zboroma, Carlu in Ivanu za igranje. Hvala vsem, ki ste se tako ali drugače pripomogli, da je bil to res lep dogodek za župnijo.







SERRA CLUBS
OF HALTON & HAMILTON

35th ANNUAL



Serra Clubi iz okrožja Halton že 35 let organizirajo podelitev škofovih priznanj zaslужnim ministrantom (redni ministrantje morajo biti vsaj tri do 4 leta). Letos sta priznanje dobila tudi naša dva ministranta, **Jan in Victoria JANIAK**. Med sveto mašo je škof poudaril pomen ministrantske službe, blagoslovil je medalje in ob koncu maše so vsi ministranti - 141 iz naše škofije - dobili medalje in priznanja in se rokovali s škofom. Po maši pa so bili vsi povabljeni na pizzo in slikanje s škofom.

Altar Servers Awards

Bishop's Award
for Service

TUESDAY MAY 29th, 2018
CATHEDRAL BASILICA
OF CHRIST THE KING
Hamilton, Ontario





BISHOP CROSBY INVITES YOU

*to participate in a listening session for a proposed Diocesan capital campaign.
This session will provide you information about the goals for the potential campaign and
will allow you the opportunity to ask questions and provide feedback through a survey.*

DATES, TIMES AND LOCATIONS FOR THE SESSIONS ARE:

MONDAY
JUNE 11

7:00 p.m.
CATHEDRAL BASILICA
OF CHRIST THE KING
Hamilton

TUESDAY
JUNE 12

7:00 p.m.
SACRED HEART
PARISH
Walkerton

WEDNESDAY
JUNE 13

7:00 p.m.
ST. PAUL THE
APOSTLE PARISH
Burlington

MONDAY
JUNE 18

7:00 p.m.
OUR LADY OF
LOURDES PARISH
Waterloo

TUESDAY
JUNE 19

7:00 p.m.
ST. PIUS X PARISH
Brantford

WEDNESDAY
JUNE 20

7:00 p.m.
BASILICA
OF OUR LADY
Guelph

Your input is integral to this important process.
Please consider attending a session and sharing your thoughts.

thank you!

FOR MORE INFORMATION
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DIOCESE OF HAMILTON



CORPUS CHRISTI

Response:

I will lift up the cup of salvation, and call on the name of the Lord.

First Reading Deuteronomy 4:32-34. 39-40

Moses exhorts the people to remain faithful to the one true God, so that they may prosper and have a rich life.

First Reading Exodus 24:3-8

Worship is a matter of obedience, because only God can reveal God.

Second Reading Hebrews 9:11-15

In Christ death, which was the end, becomes the way to eternal life.

Gospel Mark 14:12-16. 22-26

Old wine for new wine. Old lives for new lives. That is the kingdom.

"Make the preparations for us there."



Illustration

A book by a Dutch Dominican theologian confronts a question often posed to Christians by those who do not believe in life after death. They ask us if we do not see that believing in a life after death makes this life seem trivial. The Dominican gives an answer based on a story about two boys who are playing with footballs. One is told that if he loses his ball, he will never receive another one. The other boy is told that if he loses his ball, he will be given another one in its place. The question he asks is, which boy will make best use of his ball? Wouldn't the boy who thinks this is the last football he will ever see be afraid to do anything with his ball, other



than hug it to himself? The other boy will kick his ball high into the air, bounce it against any amount of walls and in general will go wild.

It is a good analogy but, in the Eucharist, Jesus goes further than that. The Eucharist is the transformation of our bodily life. It is a pledge that we will not just get our old bodies back, but will receive them in the resurrection as a transfigured body, a body transfigured in Christ. The Eucharist here on earth is not just a sign of this; it is the presence of the new heaven and new earth.

Gospel Teaching

A common complaint against the Catholic doctrine of the Eucharist is that we believe that Christ can be present in every tabernacle throughout the world. How can he be in so many places? We could reply that God is everywhere, but God is present to all things as the creator. God is not in everywhere but God is present to everywhere, by causing it to be. In the Eucharist, Jesus is present in his humanity. Yet many Christians believe that when they pray to

Our Lord, they are heard by a human ear; that our prayers enter into his human heart; and that his compassion is both human and divine. If we believe that, then we are already committed to a Christ who is extended in time and space, able to be present to all the human beings who call on him. How this can be is beyond our understanding while we live on earth. Yet how we are to make use of this great mystery is very simple. St John Vianney, that great nineteenth-century priest and pastor also known as the Curé d'Ars, used to simply say over and over again, "He is there; he is there." That is all we need to know.

In the Gospel, at the Last Supper Jesus says he will not drink from the branch of the vine until the day comes when he will drink it new in the kingdom of God. This may not be quite the translation that we hear in the Mass, but it is important to understand that Christ does not just drink new wine in the kingdom, he makes the new wine that he drinks with us because when we share in the body and blood of Christ we are receiving something altogether new. The resurrection has transformed the body of Christ into a new wine, for all to share.

Application

We too, if we live in Christ, share in this extension of the self. This is not so strange as it might

sound. We may pray for people all over the world, we may pray for the dead, and pray for those who are yet to be born in this world. Our prayer is more than just an extension of our goodwill. Prayer is sharing in the power of the risen Christ. If it is sincere prayer, then it will bring us beyond ourselves and lead us to be healers with him. In heaven, through Christ, all the redeemed will be in a continual presence to each other and to all creation. We cannot understand how this is to be, but in our prayer before Christ in the Eucharist, we can already begin to perceive the reality of this. Jesus departs from this life through his death on the cross, but he assures us, in the concluding words of Matthew's Gospel, that "I am with you always; yes, to the end of time."

22nd ANNUAL SLOVENSKI PARK GOLF TOURNAMENT

Saturday, June 9th, 2018

Cambridge Golf Club

With banquet to follow at
Slovenski Park, Puslinch

Shotgun Start: 1pm

FOR REGISTRATION PLEASE CONTACT:

Dan Demsar - ddemsar1@gmail.com or (905) 330-3460

Tickets are limited. Please confirm your spot as soon as possible to avoid disappointment.

\$125.00 PER PERSON

Includes: Golf, Cart Rental, Sandwich, Hotdog or Sausage
at the turn. Dinner, Prizes & Starter's Package

OR

\$15.00 Dinner Only

Dinner will be served promptly at 6:30 p.m.

Cambridge Golf Club, 1346 Clyde Rd., Cambridge, ON. N1R 5S7
15 minutes from Slovenski Park

DONATION OF PRIZES WOULD BE GREATLY APPRECIATED
CONTACT DAN DEMSAR

GOLF TOURNAMENT REGISTRATION FORM

NAMES: (FOURSOME OR INDIVIDUAL)

1. _____

3. _____

2. _____

4. _____

DINNER ONLY: _____ (NUMBER)

WE APPRECIATE YOUR SUPPORT AND PARTICIPATION!
SLOVENSKI PARK ORGANIZING COMMITTEE

OBVESTILA - ANNOUNCEMENTS

PEVSKE VAJE

V četrtek, 7. junija so po večerni maši pevske vaje za mešani pevski zbor. Zbor bo pel pri maši na Slovenski dan, 23. junija ob 10:30 a.m. skupaj z angleškim zborom.

DOGODKI V BLIŽNJI PRIHODNOSTI

- ◆ 3. junij-nedelja: **St. Gregory the Great** - Mass at 10:00 a.m. & Procession of Corpus Christi
- ◆ 3. junij-nedelja: **Triglav-Hall** - Mass at 2:00 p.m. & Procession of Corpus Christi
- ◆ 9. junij-sobota: **Slovenski Park** - Golf Tournament 1:00 p.m. and Dinner
- ◆ 10. junij-nedelja: **Bled Planica Social Club 13** - Mass at 1:00 p.m. - Father's Day - Ansambel Mladi korenjaki
- ◆ 10. junij-nedelja: ob 1:30 p.m. je v **KATEDRALI-BAZILIKI** maša za vse pare, ki obhajajo obletnice porok - mašo vodi škof Douglas Crosby
- ◆ 23. junij-sobota: **St. Gregory the Great - SLOVENSKI DAN.** Mass at 10:30 a.m., Lunch, Cultural program at 2:00 p.m.
- ◆ 29. junij - 2. julij: **Slovenski Park** - Long Weekend events: Saturday Sporting Events, DJ Joe; Sunday: Mass at 1:00 p.m., Picnic
- ◆ 8. julij-nedelja: **Lipa Park** - Summerfest Picnic - **Ansambel Hervol** from Slovenia
- ◆ 21. julij-sobota: **Slovenski Park** - Pečenka-fest, Band

GIFT BEARERS - DAROVE PRINAŠAJO

- ◆ 3. junij 10:00 a.m.: Eva Erzetič in Jožica Vegelj
- ◆ 10. junij 9:30 a.m.: Glavač Family
- ◆ 17. junij 9:30 a.m.: Gizela Hauzar in Emilija Mertuk

CWL-KŽZ - MESEČNO SREČANJE

CWL reminder: Our next general meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, June 6th immediately following 7:00 p.m. Mass. All ladies are welcome.

MASSES AT THE CEMETERIES

Saturday, June 9, 11:00 a.m., Our Lady of the Angels (Stoney Creek); Saturday, June 16, 11:00 a.m., Gate of Heaven (Burlington)

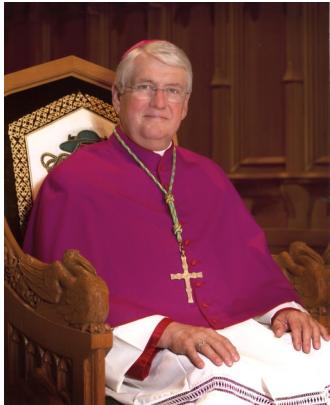
POKOJNI

V Avstraliji je umrl **Stanko Malevič**, brat našega farana Martina. Pokojni je bil star 86 let. Za pokoj njegove duše bomo v **ponedeljek ZVEČER ob 7:00** darovali sveto mašo. Iskreno sožalje Martinu in družini, pokojnemu Stanku pa večni mir in pokoj.

BAPTISM - KRST

V soboto, 2. junija 2018 je zakrament sv. krsta prejel **DAVID GAŠPAR**, sin očeta Andreja in matere Danijele, rojene Vuksan. Iskrene čestitke staršema. Naj ju spreminja božji blagoslov in varstvo nebeške Matere Marije.





His Excellency Bishop Crosby recently announced a planning study, which is now under way, to help the Diocese evaluate the merits of a **Diocesan capital campaign**. This campaign will involve each of our Parishes. The proposed goals focus centrally on Parish life, but will also help enhance several Diocesan ministries important to parishioners.

The Diocese wants to hear from as many parishioners as possible as they evaluate their proposed campaign plan. Your feedback will be critical to the success of this effort. Further details of the proposed goals of the campaign and opportunities for you to give feedback will be shared in the coming weeks.

SLOVENSKI DAN 2018 PRI SV. GREGORIJU VELIKEM

Our 29th annual Slovenski Dan celebration will be taking place right here at our Parish on Saturday, June 23rd.



Ansambel HERVOL

Our day will start with Mass at 10:30 a.m., followed by lunch at 12:00 p.m., a short program beginning at 2:00 p.m., children's activities at 4:00 p.m. and dinner available at 5:00 p.m.

Throughout the day and into the evening, we will have the pleasure of listening and dancing to the music of **Ansambel Hervol from Slovenija**.

Slovenski Dan boasts to be a great day again this year. However, in order to ensure the day runs smoothly, **we are in need of many volunteers to help out**. We have created shorter shifts so that everyone will still have an opportunity to enjoy the festivities.

Please sign the volunteer list at the back of the church or call Heidy Novak at 905-317-6002 (email: novakh@sympatico.ca) with a time and task you would be interested in helping with.

We look forward to seeing everyone on **Slovenski Dan - Saturday, June 23rd!**



SVETE MAŠE - MASS TIMES: Monday: 8:00 A.M., Tuesday to Friday: 7:00 P.M., Saturday: 8:00 A.M. and 5:30 P.M. (Slovenian); Sunday: 9:30 A.M. (Slovenian), 11:00 A.M. (English); From Long weekend in July to the Long weekend of the September Sunday Mass is only at 10:00 A.M. (Slovenian-English) - **KRSTI / BAPTISMS:** For an appointment, call one month before. **POROKE / MARRIAGE:** For an appointment, call one year before the wedding date. **SPOVED / CONFESSIONS:** First Friday of the month 6 -7:00 P.M. (or by appointment) **BOLNIKI** - Sporočite, če je kdo bolan ali v bolnišnici, da ga obiščemo. You are welcome to call for a personal conversation with your priest – please call for an appointment. Tel: 905-561-5971.

DON BOSCO

od 3. 6. 2018
do 10. 6. 2018

SVETE MAŠE - MASSES

SV. REŠNJE TELO IN KRI CORPUS CHRISTI	Za žive in rajne župljane †† Pavel in Paul Richard Novak † Anna Hochevar † Ed Kodarin †† Za pokojne člane društva Triglav	10:00 A.M. Maša in procesija! 2:00 P.M.	Jožica Novak z družino Peter in Francesca Kure Družina Truden Maša pri društvu Triglav
PONEDELJEK - MONDAY	Po namenu (7/22)	7:00 P.M.	Ana Tadić
4. JUNIJ <i>Frančišek Caracciolo</i>	V dober namen † Stanko Malevič	N.N. Brat Martin z družino	
TOREK - TUESDAY	† Anton Vengar	7:00 P.M.	Rose Marie in Tony Vengar
5. JUNIJ <i>Bonifacij, škof</i>	† Matilda Vengar †† Angela in Franc Urh		Rose Marie in Tony Vengar Rose Marie in Tony Vengar
SREDA - WEDNESDAY	† Matija Vlašič † Srečko Rev, obl. Po namenu CWL † Vid Kastelic	7:00 P.M.	Žena in otroci Žena in otroci CWL - KŽZ Žena Milka z družino
ČETRTEK - THURSDAY	† Mio Peršin † Ana Jurkaš † Karl Volčanšek	7:00 P.M.	Terezija Pučko Terezija Pučko Hči z družino
PETEK - FRIDAY	† Stane Konda Po namenu (8/22)	7:00 P.M.	Stanko in Elizabeth Petek Ana Tadić
SOBOTA	V čast Materi Božji † Vlado Škrban	8:00 A.M. 5:30 P.M.	Mikla Kastelic z družino Družina Žižek
SATURDAY	† Jože Hanc † Branko Ježovnik † Slavko Štern † Slavko Štern †† Jožef in Elizabeth Nedelko †† Venci in Marija Ferenčak		Družina Žižek Družina Žižek Žena Dorothea Ježovnik Žena z družino Sonya z družino Martin in Regina Nedelko Martin in Regina Nedelko
10. NEDELJA MED LETOM	Za žive in rajne župljane †† Frank, Pavel in Paul Novak † Ed Kodarin † Pavel Novak, obl. †† Za pokojne člane društva Bled	9:30 A.M. 11:00 A.M. 1:00 P.M.	Romana Novak z družino Kathy in Joe Prša Helena Špiler z družino Maša pri društvu Bled
10. JUNIJ <i>Bogumil, škof</i>	† Ed Kodarin † Štefan Gonza † Frank Gimpelj		Žena z družino Sandy z družino Brat Jože Gimpelj z družino