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**GOSPODOV  
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**ASCENSION  
OF THE LORD**

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## Sveti Duh kot »duša cerkve«

Noben evangelist ne opisuje Jezusovega delovanja tako dosledno v odnosu do božjega odrešenjskega načrta, kot Luka. Bog je sklenil svet odrešiti in Jezus je tisti, ki je ta božji sklep uresničil. Odtod vedno ponavljajoči se „mora“, v Lukovem pripovedovanju: „Tako je pisano in tako je bilo treba Kristusu trpeti ...“ (v. 46b) in prav tako je bilo treba „v njegovem imenu oznaniti pokoro ...“ (v. 47). Jezus deluje tako, da uresničuje božjo zamisel odrešenja človeškega rodu. To pa je mogoče razbrati v svetem pismu.

Luka torej ni samo zapisoval dogodkov iz Jezusovega življenja, ampak jih je vrednotil v luči božje zamisli odrešenja, zato se je vse moralno tako zgoditi, kot se je dejansko zgodilo.

Jezusovo odrešenjsko delo Luka vrednoti teološko. Vse Jezusovo delo, zlasti smrt in vstajenje, motri tako, kot apostol Pavel (prim. 1 Kor 15, 3-4) v luči svetega pisma, ki naznana zveličanje vsega človeštva: „In vse bo videlo božje zveličanje“ (Iz 40, 5). Jezus je torej tik pred odhodom v nebesa apostolom dejal, da je storil vse tako, kakor je pisano in nato naročil, naj to oznanijo svetu. Krščansko oznanilo se je od vsega začetka glasilo tako kot pridiganje Jezusa Kristusa: spreobrnite se, da se vam odpustijo grehi! Od Janezove pridige se krščansko oznanilo razlikuje v tem, da oznanja odpuščanje grehov v Jezusovem imenu, kar ne pomeni „v imenu Jezusa ali namesto Jezusa“, ampak da je odpuščanje grehov mogoče doseči samo zaradi Jezusovega odrešenja. Jezus je sprava za naše grehe. Njegovo ime je odrešenje in izhodišče evangelija, to je veselega sporočila o odrešenju. To oznanilo se mora začeti v Jeruzalemu in mora obseči vse narode (v. 47b).



V soboto, 4. maja 2013, se je na kratkem gostovanju v Kanadi in Ameriki tudi pri nas ustavil **Obrtniški moški pevski zbor iz Šmarij pri Jelšah**. Pod vodstvom dirigenta g. Franca Plohla so peli med večerno sveto mašo in po maši so dodali še osem pesmi v obliki kratkega koncerta. Sponsor gostovanja zbora je g. Anton Škrabl, ki vodi podjetje Orglarstvo Škrabl. Program je povezovala ga. Marija Ahačič Polak. Po programu v cerkvi smo se skupaj z našimi pevci in čani župnijskega sveta zaustavili še na večerji in družabnem klepetu v naši dvorani.





## The Moste Reverend Daniel Joseph Miehm

Auxiliary Bishop of Hamilton, Ordained Bishop May 7, 2013

V torek, 7. maja 2013 je bil v hamiltonski baziliki, **Daniel Joseph Miehm** posvečen za škofa. Postal je hamiltonski pomožni škof. Glavni posvečevalci je bil hamiltonski škof Douglas Crosby, OMI, sopsvečevalca pa Anthony F. Tonno in Richard W. Smith, nadškof iz Edmontonja. Na slovesnosti je bil tudi Torontski kardinal Tomas Collins. Za svoje škofovsko geslo si je izbral moto »Fides Per Caritatem« - »Vera, ki deluje po ljubezni« iz pisma apostola Pavla Galačanom 5,6. Pri maši je sodelovali veliko število škofov, duhovnikov, stalnih diakonov in božje ljudstvo je napolnilo baziliko in se dvorano spodaj. Ob koncu maše je novi škof Danijel nagovoril vse navzoče, potem je šel po bazili gor in dol in podelil svoj škofovski blagoslov, prav tako tudi tistim v dvorani spodaj. Pri maši je pel zbor, ki so ga spremljale orgle in orkester. Po maši so bili vsi povabljeni na okreplilo v Nicholas Mancini center zadaj za baziliko.



## Sunday's Readings

### Ascension of the Lord

#### First Reading      Acts 1:1-11

Jesus gives his disciples many demonstrations of his resurrection, and promises the Spirit.

**Response: God has gone up with a shout, the Lord with the sound of a trumpet.**

#### Second Reading    Heb 9:24-28; 10:19-23

Jesus, our true high priest, has entered the sanctuary of heaven.

#### Gospel               Luke 24:46-53

Jesus, the crucified, risen and ascended Lord, is our way to the Father.

*"Why are you men from Galilee standing here looking into the sky?"*

#### **Illustration**

The little boy looked up into the sky. He was what – nine or ten years of age? He had been told that God lived in heaven, and that heaven was "up there" somewhere. Today would be a good day to see if he could see right into heaven. The sky was blue, so blue, and not a cloud to be seen. He went outside and stood in front of his house and craned his neck to look piercingly into the blue. He stood there for some time, but to no avail. The blue refused to open up. God remained hidden.

That same little boy also looked for God in his school playground, together with his classmates. They had been told, in class, that "God is everywhere", and so, during their playtime, they point-



ed to various objects. "God is behind that wall," said one. "God is in that bin," said another. They strove to outdo one another in finding intriguing places where God might be found. The idea of God being everywhere fascinated them.

Finally that little boy found out that God also resides inside his own heart. He was told that God knows our every thought and feeling, that God is closer to us than we are to ourselves. It was an idea that caused the boy to appreciate that God must be a loving God, "if he wants to know me as much as that"; that the God who created this world also lives close to the inner self of each person, and knows them through and through.

#### **Gospel Teaching**

Today's feast of the Ascension marks God's closeness to us, and not, as one could think, God's leaving us. Jesus seemed to leave this world on the day that he died, and his disciples were devastated. They felt that the adventure was over, and this cruel world had done its worst. But the day of resurrection tells us that God lives, and because God lives, we too shall live with God.

For many days Jesus appeared to his friends so that they would know for sure that he is truly risen, and that they could now witness to his resurrection. Jesus also wanted to teach his followers the meaning of his life, and why things happened the way they did. This way of life will now become the pattern of their own lives. It is the way of the crucified and risen Lord of life.

As God lives and loves us all, so we are called to live and love one another. This will involve suffering, as we come face to face with our own weaknesses, and with this world's sorrows and sins. The way of life that Jesus has shown us is a conversion of our hearts to God, so that the forgiveness of sins may happen. We will not solve this world's woes by hostile or aggressive actions. We will ease the sufferings of people, if we persevere in loving them through all the trials of life.

## Application

When Jesus was lifted up from the earth at his ascension, he did not go into some faraway part of the sky. He went to "sit at God's right hand". And God is close to us always. So too is the Lord: "I am with you always, until the end of time." At this moment of his departing from our eyes, Jesus promised to send us his Spirit, who will dwell within us, to strengthen us and to be our guide. Jesus left us in one form, only to return to us in another. He has not left us orphans.

The disciples continued to look up into the sky, just like the little boy once did. They had to be reminded, by two men in white, that they need not stay here looking upwards. We are not left alone. It is the same message that was given on the day of resurrection itself: "Why look among the dead for someone who is alive?" They went back to Jerusalem, not sad at heart but rejoicing. Jesus is alive, and the Spirit will come to them. The Lord is faithful to his promises.



V nedeljo, 5. maja smo imeli v dvorani London-Triglav mesečno sveto mašo in pri tej sveti maši smo se spomnili vseh mater, ki praznujejo v tem času. Ob koncu so vsem ženam podarili nageljček v spomin, dva fanta pa sta recitirala in zapela pesmice za vse mamice.



# OBVESTILA - ANNOUNCEMENTS

## PEVSKI ZBOR

Pevske vaje za mešani zbor bodo v četrtek po večerni maši. Zbor poje naslednjič v mesecu maju, za praznik prvega svetega obhajila, 26. maja.



## KONZULARNE URE V TORONTU

Veleposlaništvo Republike Slovenije v Ottawi obvešča, da bodo konzularne ure v prostorih Generalnega konzulata Republike Slovenije v Torontu (naslov: 747 Browns Line, Etobicoke, tel.: 416 201 8307) v naslednjih mesecih potekale:

- sobota **8. junij 2013**, od 11.30 in 16.30 ure
- v torek **25. junij 2013**, od 14.00 do 17.00 ure

Naslednji predvideni termin konzularnih ur je v drugi polovici julija in nato v septembru.

Nov potni list si lahko uredite le osebno na Veleposlaništvo RS v Ottawi. Priporočamo, da se predhodno dogovorite za termin obiska (telefon: 613 565 5781 ali e-pošta: [VOT@gov.si](mailto:VOT@gov.si)).

## SLOVENIAN CANADIAN SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION

The Slovenian Canadian Scholarship Foundation invites you to participate in their 25<sup>th</sup> Annual **Golf Tournament** which will be held Saturday, May 25<sup>th</sup> at Rockway Glen Golf course in Vineland followed by the banquet at BLED, Beamsville.

The cost is \$130 per person and includes golf, power cart, coffee &, donuts, sausage/hot dog and beverage, dinner & draw for prizes. The tournament will be a shot gun start at 11:30 AM sharp.

All proceeds go directly to the support of scholarships and bursaries for our Slovenian

youth. Register early as last year was a sell out!!!

To register - contact: Karl Ferko @905-578-5890; Ed Kodarin @ 905-309-4050; Andy Habjan @905-899-3876; Jerry Ponikvar @ 905-333-5813 or email -Robbie Letnik letnikreal@hotmail.com

## SLOVENIA CREDIT UNION

Slovenia Credit Union would like to remind all members of the summer office hours.

All SCU offices will be closed Saturdays starting May 18th, 2013 until after the Labour Day weekend.

For further information about branch hours, special rates or community news, please consult our website at [www.sloveniacu.ca](http://www.sloveniacu.ca)

Thank you for your valued membership and have an enjoyable summer.

## PRAZNIK PRVEGA SV. OBHAJILA

V naši župniji imamo prvo sveto obhajilo že dolga leta na zadnjo nedeljo v mesecu maju. Na ta dan bo nekaj naših otrok prvič prejelo Jezusa v svoja srca. **Da bi lahko vsi doživljali lepoto tega praznika bomo imeli samo eno sveto mašo in sicer ob 10:00h dopoldne.** Začeli bomo, če bo vreme dopuščalo, pri kipu Marije pomočnice nato nadaljevali s sveto mašo v cerkvi. Prvobhajanci bodo imeli v mesecu maju neposredno pripravo na praznik, v soboto 25. maja dopoldne pa bodo pristopili tudi k zakramenu svete pokore - spovedi.



## SLOMŠKOVO OLTARNO DRUŠTVO

Za SLOMŠKOVO OLTARNO DRUŠTVO je PRAZNIK Marije Pomočnice, 24. maj, velik dan, ko se vse članice zberemo pri sv. maši in z litanijami in blagoslovom počastimo Marijo. Tudi letos vabimo vse članice, na srečanje v petek, 24. maja.

Po sv. maši še kratko razvedrilo.

## POKOJNI

V torek, 7. maja ob 10:00h dopoldne je bila smo obhajali pogrebno mašo za pokojno **MARIJO PUSCHER**, ki je umrla že 25. aprila. Po maši smo žaro pokopali na Mountanview Gardens Cemetery v Stoney Creek.

V ponedeljek, 6. maja 2013 pa je odšla k Bogu po večno plačilo naša faranka **VERA IVANA STANIŠA**.

V svojem 87. letu starosti je zadnji čas prezivali v starostnem domu. Pokojna je ležala v Donald V. Brown Funeral Home na Lake Ave v Stoney Creek. V četrtek popoldne smo za pokoj njene duše zmolili rožni venec, v petek 10. maja OB 10:00 h dopoldne pa smo opravili še pogrebno sveto mašo in nato jo pokopali na Slovenskem delu pokopališča Gate of Heaven. Iskreno sožalje vsem domaćim in sorodnikom. Pokojni pa večni mir in pokoj.

## DOGODKI V BLIŽNJI PRIHODNOSTI

- ◆ 12. maj 2013: **MATERINSKI DAN** - Hamilton
- ◆ 18. maj 2013: Pri večerni maši bo pel bas baritonist Luka Debevec-Majer.
- ◆ 26. maj 2013: **PRVO OBHAJILO**: There will be on at 10:00 a.m. Mass.

- ◆ 2. junij 2013: Procesija sv. Rešnjega Telesa in Krvi v župniji in popoldne v Londonu;
- ◆ 9. junij 2013: 1:00 p.m. - Maša in procesija sv. Rešnjega Telesa in Krvi v Slovenskem parku.
- ◆ 16. junij 2013: Očetovski dan - Bled /Maša ob 12:30/
- ◆ 23. junij 2013: **SLOVENSKI DAN** - Društvo SAVA

## 2013 MEMORIAL MASS ON CEMETERY

The first masse is held on **Saturday, June 1st at 11:00 a.m. at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery**, Burlington, Most Reverend Daniel Miehm, DD, Auxiliary Bishop of Hamilton will celebrate Mass. All are invited to attend.



V mesecu maju bomo imeli še enega glasbenega gosta. LUKA DEBEVEC-MAJER iz Argentine, ki je bil na gotovanju pri nas pred dvema letoma na spomladan-skem banketu. Kanadski slovenski kongres ga je za 11. maja povabil na Brown's Line.

Pri nas bo nastopal v soboto, 18. maja 2013 pri večerni maši; po maši pa nam bo zapel še kakšno primerno. Vabljeni!



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**SVETE MAŠE - MASS TIMES:** Ponedeljek/Monday – Petek/Friday: 7:00 P.M. Sobota/Saturday: 8:00 A.M. – slovenska / in Slovenian 5:30 P.M. – slovenska / in Slovenian – Nedelja/Sunday: 9:30 A.M. – slovenska / in Slovenian – 11:00 A.M. – angleška / in English **KRSTI / BAPTISMS:** Po dogovoru, prijava 1 mesec prej. - For an app't, call one month before. **PÓROKE / MARRIAGE:** Prijava eno leto prej. / For an app't, call one year before the wedding date. **SPOVED / CONFESSIONS:** Vsak prvi petek ob 6:00 P.M. / 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 (person counselling) with your priest – please call during business hours for an appointment. Tel: 905-561-5971.

OD 12. 05. 2013  
Do 19. 05. 2013

# SVETE MAŠE - MASSES

<b>GOSPODOV VNEBOHOD</b>	Za žive in rajne župljane	9:30 A.M.	
<b>ASCENSION OF THE LORD</b>	† Jožefa Kastelic	John in Olga Kastelic	
12. MAJ	Bogu v zahvalo za 40 let poroke	Jože in Albina Antolin	
<i>Pankracij, mučenec</i>	† Ethel Simončič	11:00 A.M. Družina	
	MATERINSKI DAN	12:30 P.M. Župnijska dvorana	
<b>PONEDELJEK</b>	† Blaž Čulig, obl.	7:00 P.M. Olga in Janet Čulig	
<b>MONDAY</b>	† Anton Božin	Anton in Marija Šverko	
13. MAJ	†† Ludvik in Irma Hull	Ignac in Marija Korošec	
<i>Fatimska M. Božja</i>	† Peter Mihalič	Mihalič Family	
<b>TOREK</b>	†† Anton in Malka Marušič	8:00 A.M. Frank in Thea Marušič	
<b>TUESDAY</b>	† Janez Števančec	Marija Števančec	
14. MAJ	† Frank Gimpelj	Veronika Obal	
<i>Bonifacij, mučenec</i>	†† Ethel in Ivan Simončič	Društvo sv. Jožefa	
<b>SREDA</b>	† Ivan Obal	7:00 P.M. Janko Demšar z družino	
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	†† Štefan in Verona Prša	Viktor in Olga Glavač	
15. MAJ	†† Horvat Family	Družina Likavec	
<i>Zofija (Sonja), muč.</i>	† Vlado Doma	Družina Raduha	
	†† Max in Maksimilian Sagadin	Julija Sagadin z družino	
<b>ČETRTEK</b>	† Irma Hull	7:00 P.M. Veronika Obal	
<b>THURSDAY</b>	† Štefan Prša	Mešani pevski zbor	
16. MAJ	†† Družina Kološa	Majda	
<i>Janez Nepomuk, duh.mu</i>	† Ivan Obal, obl.	Toni in Marija Franc	
	† Katarina Štefanec	Marina Štefanec	
<b>PETEK</b>	† Štefan Prša	7:00 P.M. Milena Volčanšek	
<b>FRIDAY</b>	† Apolonija Gjerek	Milena Volčanšek	
17. MAJ	† Jožef Sarjaš	Marija Tompa	
<i>Jošt, puščavnik</i>	† Marija Puscher	Slava Gomboša	
	Bogu in Materi božji v zahvalo	Družina Gašpar	
<b>SOBOTA</b>	† Ludvik Hull	8:00 A.M. Društvo v. Jožefa	
<b>SATURDAY</b>	†† Milka Kregar	5:30 P.M. Francka Cestnik	
18. MAJ	†† Ivan Obal, obl.	Veronika, Frank in druž. Obal	
<i>Janez I., pp-mučenec</i>	† Stane Napast	Žena Frančiška Napast	
	† Marija in Martin Ternar	Družina Zver (Montreal)	
<b>BINKOŠTI</b>	Za žive in rajne župljane	9:30 A.M. Janez in Marija Hočevar	
<b>PENTECOST</b>	† Ivan Sobočan	Kazimir in Anica Žižek	
19. MAJ	† Štefan Prša	Kazimir in Anica Žižek	
<i>Urban I., pp.</i>	† Janez Hočevar	11:00 A.M. Vera Marič z družino	
	† Rudi Kerec, obl.	1:00 P.M. SLOVENSKI PARK	
	Pokojni člani društva		