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Sunday, June 23 – Sunday of All Saints / Недеља Свих Светих

Epistle Hebrews 11:33-12:2 Gospel Matthew 10:32,33,37-38; 19 27-30 tone 8th

3rd & 6th hours at 9:40 am; Divine Liturgy at 10 am. Pizza lunch for all fish fry workers and their families as thank you for all hard work.

Monday, June 24 – Sts Bartholomew and Barnabas / Beginning of Apostolic fast / Почетак Апостолског поста

Thursday, June 27 Vespers/ confession at 6 pm

Friday, June 28 – Vidovdan / St Lazar of Serbia and All Serb martyrs Divine Liturgy at 9 am

Saturday, June 29 – St John of San Francisco Maximovich / Св Јован Максимовић

Vespers / confession at 5 pm

Sunday, June 30 – 2nd Sunday after Pentecost / Parish celebration of Vidovdan / Прослава Видовдана

Epistle Hebrews 11:33-12:2 Gospel Matthew 4:18-23 tone 1st 3rd & 6th hours at 9:40 am; Divine Liturgy at 10 am. Parastos for All Orth Serbs who gave their lives for Freedom and Orthodoxy from Kosovo battle in 1389 until today. Posno potluck in the bar area of the Social Center. Parishioners are asked to bring some food and/or desserts. Please talk to Sue Kljaich or Danielle Serdar.

Upcoming feast days/events:

July 7 – Nativity of St John the Baptist / Ivandan

14 – St Mardarije celebration in St Sava Monastery. Our church will be closed that Sunday

21 – Serb Fest picnic

We are praying especially for: Mary Book, Millie Stapinski, Ceba Severns, Radovan Jovanovich, Art Schumann, Richard Jovanovich, Judy Lockwood, Alysha Bojovic, Stevan Iacsin, Stevan Lunich, and all others in our parish who are ill, afflicted, suffering and/or unable to attend services. May Our Lord Jesus Christ Touch Them with His Healing Hand!

Pomens: + Michael O'Leary, given by Millie O'Leary; +Michael O'Leary, given by Annette O'Leary, +Michael O'Leary given by Nadine O'Leary and Josh Pott; +Peter and +Trifko Laketa and +Pavao Susich, given by Anka Laketa and family.

SNF Lodge #97 has scheduled a meeting after the liturgy on Sunday, June 23 in the lower level of the church. The agenda will be the election of delegates for the upcoming SNF convention.

SERBFEST JOLIET 2019 ---- July 21: Serbfest Joliet is right around the corner and the parish is seeking everyone's assistance. How can you help? Baking, working at the bar, in the kitchen or at the bakery table, grilling or cooking the lambs, tickets sales or bingo and cleanup. You can also donate items like pop and water as well as participate in the raffle. Signup sheets are available in the lower level of the church or you can contact Dave Laketa at dlaketa@stfrancis.edu.

Just a friendly reminder to our retired parishioners to make an effort to attend Feast Days Services during the week days, especially if you reside in Joliet or not too far from the church.

Prepare yourself to confess this Apostolic fasting season and partake of holy Communion. Remember a member of good standing of the Church is the one who fulfils all sacramental, liturgical and financial obligations of his parish church.

Reminder: During the Memorial Service in church, all faithful receive a candle to hold. Every candle has a plastic or foil cup in the middle to prevent wax from dripping on the floor or on clothing. Please, please hold your candles straight and make sure your child/children are doing the same so that wax does not drop on the floor or church furnishings. Hvala

If you would like to send a card to Stevan Iacsin and wish him a blessed and speedy recovery, here is his address: 300 Warren Ave; Rockdale, IL 60436.

A special booklet for the preparation and the service of confession can be found on the warden's table. Before confession, please take one and read the prayers and the questions to help you with your confession. In the same booklet you will find a service of confession which will be conducted before you go to make your personal confession with the priest. One of the faithful should read the prayers and everyone should read the Creed together. If you want, you may take the booklet home and get more familiar with it. Please return it back to the warden's table on the next Sunday.

У недељу 30 јуна ће бити парохијска прослава Видовдана са парастосом за све православне Србе који су дали своје животе за слободу и правослаvlе од Косовске битке до данас. После литургије биће посни ручак, Сви парохијани могу донети нешто посно, храну или колаче.

Црквени пикник ће бити у недељу 21 јула у St Joseph park у Џолијету од 12 до 9 увече. Забележите датум у ваш календар

У понедељк 24 јуна почиње апостолски пост и траје до празника Св Петра и Павла. Припремите се за исповест и причест.