

MASS INTENTIONS

TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

DVADSIATA-ŠTVRTÁ NEDEĽA CEZ ROK

SEPTEMBER 13, 2009

9:00 A.M. †† Helen and Gene Chmielewski rb Julia Mala
11:00 A.M. † Milan Hornik rb Dominik Sokolovic
12:30 P.M. † Dr. Ladislav Hinterbuchner rb Holy Family
6:00 P.M. † Julia Rotondo rb Family

MEDZISPEV: Pred tvárou Pána budem kráčať v krajine žijúcich.

PSALM: I will walk before the Lord, in the land of the living.

THE EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS

MONDAY PONDELOK SEPTEMBER 14, 2009

8:00 A.M. † Mary Siska rb Daughter Helen

TUESDAY UTOROK SEPTEMBER 15, 2009

OUR LADY OF SORROWS

8:00 A.M. † Anna Ondrek rb Zakutny Family

WEDNESDAY STREDA SEPTEMBER 16, 2009

ST. CORNELIUS AND ST. CYPRIAN

8:00 A.M. †† Juraj and Imrich Turoci rb Klinovsky Family

THURSDAY ŠTVRTOK SEPTEMBER 17, 2009

ST. ROBERT BELLARMINE

8:00 A.M. † Pasquale Rotondo rb Family

FRIDAY PIATOK SEPTEMBER 18, 2009

8:00 A.M. † Pavol Skrkon rb Sister and Family

BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

SATURDAY SOBOTA SEPTEMBER 19, 2009

ST. JANUARIUS

8:00 A.M. For Special Intention of Skreko and Turoci Families rb Klinovsky Family

TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

DVADSIATA PIATA NEDEĽA CEZ ROK

SEPTEMBER 20, 2009

9:00 A.M. †† Maria and Jozef Strnak rb Son
11:00 A.M. For Members and Visitors of Our Parish rb Marta Stefancova
12:30 P.M. † Maria Balco rb Sevcik Family
6:00 P.M. †† Ellen and William McGuire rb Family

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — The Lord GOD is my help; who will prove me wrong? (Isaiah 50:5-9a).

Second Reading — Faith, if it does not have works, is dead (James 2:14-18).

Gospel — Jesus asked his disciples, "Who do you say that I am?" (Mark 8:27-35).

LISTENING AND RESPONDING

There are three interwoven themes in today's readings: listening to God, faith vs. good works, and losing our life in order to find it. How are they related? The Suffering Servant of Isaiah undergoes much distress and ridicule, but is able to bear it because he has listened to the promptings of God day after day. The psalm tells us that God listens, too. God hears our prayers for help and is always ready to save us. As our faith deepens, so does our desire to do the works of justice and charity that build up the reign of God. God directs our actions in ways we often cannot see, and we don't always see

the results. We are called upon in faith to trust that what we do is enough, and that willingness to listen to God's promptings will lead us in the right way.

Potom sa nás opýtal: „Za hoho pokladajú ľudia Syna človeka?“ My sme v strachu neodpovedali ani slovo. No potom sa ozval ktorýsi z nás: „Jedni ťa považujú za Jána Krstiteľa, iní za proroka Eliáša, ďalší ...“ Znova sa na nás pozrel a opýtal sa priamo: „A vy? Za koho ma pokladáte vy?“ Opäť nastalo veľké ticho. Jeho oči spočívali na nás. Jazyk sa nám lepil na ďasná. Ako vypovedať to, čo sme tušili? Ale Šimon Peter naraz zvolal: „Ty si Kristus!“ – to znamenalo Pomazaný, čakaný Mesiáš. Keď sme počuli tieto slová z úst Šimona Petra, zdalo sa nám, že hrom udrel doprostred nás. Ale on povedal: „Blažený si, Šimon...“ Ani sme nedýchali. Pred nami stála nádej Izraela!

Ján Chryzostom Kardinál Korec

SLOVAK HERITAGE FESTIVAL IN NEW JERSEY

will be held on Sunday, September 27, 2009 in the PNC Bank Arts Center, N.J. This year the Holy Liturgy will be celebrated according to the Byzantine rite. There will be Slovak entertainment and in the afternoon music for listening and dancing. The Festival will commemorate the 80th anniversary of death of Milan Rastislav Stefanik.

SECOND COLLECTION NEXT SUNDAY

will be for the Archdiocesan Seminary System. The system includes young men studying at the major seminary, St. Joseph's in Dunwoodie; the pre-seminary for college and post-college candidates at Saint John Neumann Residence and Hall; and the Cathedral Preparatory Seminary High School Program. The Neumann program offers excellent spiritual and academic training for entrance into the major seminary, and Cathedral Prep program works with young men of high school age who wish to explore the possibility of priesthood. Thank you for your generosity and God Bless.

THE CHRISTOPHER LEADERSHIP COURSE

The Christopher Leadership Course provides a unique opportunity to develop your leadership style and abilities: It teaches and explores these concepts through the framework of the Gospel message. 8-week classes start Wednesday, September 30th 5:45 to 8:45 P.M. at The Christophers, 5 Hanover

FESTIVAL SLOVENSKEHO DEDIČSTVA V N.J.

Výbor Festivalu slovenského dedičstva v New Jersey oznamuje, že tohoročný festival sa bude ako zvyčajne konať vo štvrtú nedeľu v septembri, 27.9. 2009 v Garden State Arts Center v Holmdel, N.J. Tohto roku budú bohoslužby v byzantskom obrade. Festival bude venovaný pamiatke 80. výročia smrti Milana Rastilava Štefánika.

SV. OMŠE ZAMERANÉ NA DETI

Počas letných mesiacov omše zamerané na deti nebudú. Najbližšia takáto sv. omša bude v poslednú októbrovú nedeľu, t. j. 25. októbra.

OBERAČKOVÁ TANEČNÁ ZÁBAVA

Spolok sv. Štefana č. 716 IKSJ vás pozýva na Oberačkovú tanečnú zábavu, ktorá bude v nedeľu, 25. októbra o 1:00 hodine popoludní v osadnej hale kostola. Vstupné je \$25. V cene vstupenky je započítaný obed. Do tanca a na počúvanie bude hrať

Sq., 11th Floor, N.Y.C. 10004 or October 1st at the Holy Family Church, Parish Hall, 315 East 47th Street, N.Y.C. 10017. \$125 to Register (\$100 if by September 16th). Register at 212-759-4050 or leadership@christphers.org. Website www.christphers.org

POPE SEES ST. AUGUSTINE AS BRIDGE BETWEEN EASTERN, WESTERN CHURCHES

In a message to an ecumenical conference that took place in Rome from September 3rd to September 5th, Pope Benedict XVI remarked that the study of St. Augustine's works could be an important route to reunion between Eastern and Western Christianity. The Pontiff noted that St. Augustine is one of the most important intellectual founders of the European Christian tradition, but "the reception of his ideas in Orthodox theology has proved to be somewhat problematic." If Eastern theologians come to a better understanding of St. Augustine's work, he said, the result could be the discovery of "common doctrinal and spiritual ground which may help to build the City of God."

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Calvary Hospital's program Calvary@Home has volunteer opportunities assisting homebound patients and their caregivers. Bilingual applicants encouraged. Flexible training provided evenings and weekends through September. (718) 518-3811.

fa Bilíka (718) 463-2084, u Henriety Daitovej (201) 841-8922, a u Márie Božekovej (347) 612-1934.

MLÁDEŽNÍCKA SV. OMŠA

Pozývame vás na ďalšiu svätú omšu pre mladých, s mládežníckymi piesňami a kázňou zameranou na mladých. Radi privítame všetkých mladých vekom a duchom (od 15 rokov). Táto slovenská mládežnícka sv. omša bude **v sobotu 19. septembra o 6:30 P.M.** (už s platnosťou za nedeľu). Po sv. omši bude malé pohostenie a posedenie.

DRUHÁ ZBIERKA NA BUDÚCU NEDEĽU

bude na pomoc seminárovému systému v New Yorkskej Arcidiecéze. Patrí tam Saint Joseph's Dunwoodie, Saint John Neumann Residence and Hall, a Cathedral Preparatory Seminary High School Program. Cez tento systém môže Cirkev duchovne a intelektuálne pripravovať budúcich kňazov – mladých seminaristov. Pán Boh zaplať za vašu

OUR DECEASED

Dr. Ladislav Hinterbuchner Maria Vidovich
Maria Balco Marta Kaňová Martin Dragoš