



East River Catholics

St. John Nepomucene St. John the Martyr St. Frances Xavier Cabrini

Slovenský Kostol Sv. Jána Nepomuckého

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Monday-Thursday 9 am - 5 pm

Friday 9 am - 3 pm ,

Saturday 11 am - 5 pm

Sunday 10 am - 3 pm

Slovak-speaking secretary is in the office on Mondays and Tuesdays from 9 am to 3 pm except on holidays.

ST. JOHN NEPOMUCENE MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil: 5:30 pm

Sunday Mass: 10:30 am (Slovak)

12:30 pm

6:00 pm

Daily Mass:

Monday-Saturday: 12:15 pm

DEVOTIONS - FOLLOWING THE MASS AT 12:15 PM

Monday - Miraculous Medal Novena

Tuesday - Anointing of the sick

Wednesday - Adoration - Benediction

Thursday - St. Peregrine Novena for the ill members of our Parish and those in surrounding hospitals

Sunday 10:00 am Holy Rosary (Slovak)

ST. FRANCES XAVIER CABRINI CHAPEL

564 MAIN STREET, ROOSEVELT ISLAND

Sunday Mass:

Cabrini Chapel 8:15 am

Cabrini Chapel 9:15 am

Good Shepherd Chapel 11:15 am

Daily Mass (Tuesday-Friday)

Cabrini Chapel: 9:00 am

DEVOTIONS - FOLLOWING THE MASS AT 9:00 AM

Wednesday - Miraculous Medal Novena

Thursday - St. Peregrine Novena for the ill members of our Parish and those in the surrounding hospitals

CONFESSION

Monday-Saturday: 12:00 noon

Saturday: 5:00 pm

Sunday 10:00 am (Slovak)

Sunday: 5:30 pm

BAPTISMS AND MARRIAGE

Baptism - by appointment.

Marriage - arrangements six months before wedding.

Please contact Pastor at pastor@eastrivercatholics.org

NEW MASS SCHEDULE

AT ST. JOHN NEPOMUCENE

Effective Saturday, September 9, 2017

SATURDAY

5:00 PM - (Vigil) *earlier time*

SUNDAY

9:00 AM - **Additional / new Mass**

10:15 AM - (Slovak) *earlier time*

12:00 PM - (Choral) *earlier time*

6:00 PM - no change

ZMENA OMŠOVÉHO PROGRAMU

V KOSTOLE SV. JÁNA NEPOMUCKÉHO

Od soboty 9. septembra 2017

SOBOTA

5:00 PM - (vigilná) skôr

NEDEĽA

9:00 AM - **pridaná sv. omša**

10:15 AM - (slovenská) skôr

12:00 PM - (so zborom) skôr

6:00 PM - nie je zmena

August 27, 2017 ~ Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

MASS INTENTIONS

August 27, 2017

**TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
DVADSIATA PRVÁ NEDEĽA V OBDOBÍ CEZ ROK**

8:15 am Cabrini Chapel - At discretion of the Celebrant

9:15 am Cabrini Chapel - At discretion of the Celebrant

10:30 am St. John's - Peter Zelina † rb Zeman Family

Medzispev: Pre svoje večné milosrdenstvo neopust' nás, Pane.

11:15 am Good Shepherd Chapel - For Parishioners

12:30 pm St. John's - Magnus "Bill" Wick † rb Lillian Wick

6:00 pm St. John's - Marek Gregolec † rb Lucy & Barbara

Monday, August 28

SAINT AUGUSTINE

12:15 pm St. John's - Ľubica Škrkoňová † rb Anna Bilik

Tuesday, August 29

THE PASSION OF SAINT JOHN THE BAPTIST

9:00 am Cabrini Chapel - At discretion of the Celebrant

12:15 pm St. John's - Antonio Luciano † rb Lourdes Tajiri

Wednesday, August 30 - Weekday

9:00 am Cabrini Chapel - At discretion of the Celebrant

12:15 pm St. John's - At discretion of the Celebrant

12:45 pm St. John's - Adoration 1:45 pm - Benediction

Thursday, August 31 - Weekday

9:00 am Cabrini Chapel - At discretion of the Celebrant

12:15 pm St. John's - At discretion of the Celebrant

Friday, September 1 - Weekday

9:00 am Cabrini Chapel - John J. Martin † rb Parish

12:15 pm St. John's - Larry Belloni † rb Annette Belloni

Saturday, September 2 - Weekday

12:15 pm St. John's - Louis Earl Norton † rb Dian Chiamulera

5:30 pm St. John's - Rosemary D. Maria † rb Family

September 3, 2017

**TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
DVADSIATA DRUHÁ NEDEĽA V OBDOBÍ CEZ ROK**

8:15 am Cabrini Chapel - At discretion of the Celebrant

9:15 am Cabrini Chapel - At discretion of the Celebrant

10:30 am St. John's - For Intentions of Henrieta Daitova rb Miloslav Dait & Family

11:15 am Good Shepherd Chapel - For Parishioners

12:30 pm St. John's - Jan Holka † rb Family

6:00 pm St. John's - Marek Gregolec † rb Lucy & Barbara

FAITH DIRECT

Our newly incorporated and united parish of St. John and St. Frances has been set up to use **Faith Direct** as the new online giving tool that can be made directly through a bank account or a credit card. There are printed slips on the table in the back of the church to explain setup. For more information e-mail Lisa at parishfin@eastrivercatholics.org.

COMBINED COLLECTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF 8/20/2017

Collection	\$ 2,348
2nd collection	\$ 216
Candles	\$ 1,496
Holy Day	\$ 461
Weekday	\$ 160

Faith Direct for period from 7/1-7/31/17
\$ 1,649

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Monday: 1 Thes 1:1-5, 8b-10; Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b; Mt 23:13-22
- Tuesday: 1 Thes 2:1-8; Ps 139:1-6; Mk 6:17-29
- Wednesday: 1 Thes 2:9-13; Ps 139:7-12ab; Mt 23:27-32
- Thursday: 1 Thes 3:7-13; Ps 90:3-5a, 12-14, 17; Mt 24:42-51
- Friday: 1 Thes 4:1-8; Ps 97:1, 2b, 5-6, 10-12; Mt 25:1-13
- Saturday: 1 Thes 4:9-11; Ps 98:1, 7-9; Mt 25:14-30
- Sunday: Jer 20:7-9; Ps 63:2-6, 8-9; Rom 12:1-2; Mt 16:21-27

DISCOUNTED PARKING FOR PARISHIONERS

Parishioners receive discounted parking at the **Garage Management Company Parking Garage** located at **337 East 64th Street** between 1st and 2nd Avenues on Sundays from 10am to 3pm. To receive the discount have your parking ticket stamped by a church representative in the downstairs hall at coffee hour following the 10:30am Mass and pay \$3 at that time. When picking up your car present the ticket and the church will reimburse the garage.

THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK

will be administered every Tuesday after the 12:15 Mass and every second Sunday of the month at the end of the Mass at 10:30 and 12:30 and on Roosevelt Island after the 11:15 Mass.

LECTOR MINISTRY St. John and St. Frances are in need of lectors for the weekend/Sunday English Masses. Proclaiming the Word of God is one of the many ways to be directly involved in the Divine Mass. If you are interested and would like to serve, please contact Judith Quintana, quintanaj25@gmail.com.

NEW PARISHIONERS

Are you a registered parishioner? We would like to add your name to our list of parishioners. If you are not registered yet, why not do it today either in person, by phone or fill out the registration coupon below and give it to one of the priests or drop it in the collection basket.

PARISH REGISTRATION FORM

Please return this form in the collection baskets, support box, by mail, or in-person.

___ New Registrant

___ Updating Contact Information

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Phone: _____

E-Mail: _____

Contact the rectory for volunteer opportunities!



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Pastor's Notes

BAKER'S BITS

Last week I traveled to Slovakia with members of the parish staff for a week of business, retreat and networking. Some of the highlights of the week included meetings with the Lux Slovakia team, Bishop Halko (auxiliary bishop of

Bratislava), performing arts organizations, and the monks at the Monastery of the Transfiguration of the Lord (near Sliač). I had very productive conversations with the Lux media team in Bratislava and we're looking forward to broadcasting from St. John soon! Bishop Halko gives his best regards and offers great prayers and blessings to all at St. John and St. Frances, especially for the launch of the new worship space at St. Frances on Roosevelt Island.

Earlier this year, several priests from the Monastery in Sampor (Sliač) visited St. John. It was a wonderful two days of retreat at the monastery and we are certainly blessed by their prayers for our community. Following the dense, non-stop, five-day itinerary, our last event included the Pilgrimage at the Basilica of Assumption in Lutina in eastern Slovakia. Please continue to keep the religious in Slovakia in your prayers as they keep us in theirs.

OKTOBERFEST

St. John Nepomucene Parish is cordially inviting you to Oktoberfest dinner-dance on Sunday, October 22nd 2017 from 12:30 P.M. to 6:00 P.M. in the scholl gym.

Reservations are required, ticket price is \$40 per person, children 18 years of age and under \$5, it includes dinner with choice of entrees, beer on tap, soft drinks, coffee and desert. The music will be provided by Slovak musicians. For tickets call 347-612-1934 Mária Božeková, or the Rectory – Ms. Lisa 212-734-4613 for more information e-mail parishfin@eastrivercatholics.org.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Religious education classes at St. John Nepomucene will begin on Wednesday, September 13th from 6pm to 7 pm and at St. Frances Cabrini Chapel on Sunday, September 10th from 10 am to 11 am. If you are interested and would like to register please contact Lisa Calabrese at e-mail address parishfin@eastrivercatholics.org.

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OUR SICK

Zita Gabric-Peculic
Maryann Gangi
Genny Urso
Malaika Gunawansa

OUR DECEASED

Jozef Bilík
Reed P. Devlin
Carole Ernest
John Fialkovich
Margaret Mc Andrews
Margita Boďová
Maureen Michel
Ruth G. Robinson
Olga Mulroy
Alex Pacoe
Valéria Gašparová
Lubica Škrkoňová
Helen Rostak
Betty Blasko

FORMER PASTORS

Msgr. John G. Woolsey
Fr. Martin Svitan
Msgr. Lawrence Connaughton

40. SLOVAK HERITAGE FESTIVAL IN NEW JERSEY will be held on Saturday, September 16th, 2017 from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Festival will be in a new location - Middlesex County Fairgrounds, 655 Cranbury Road, East Brunswick. Bishop Milan Lach, apostolic administrator *sede vacante* of Eparchy of Parma, will celebrate Byzantine Catholic Liturgy at 11. a.m. Slovak cultural program and entertainment will start at 2 p.m., there will be exhibits, Slovak and American food, sale of Slovak artifacts and games for children. Admission is \$10 for adults, children up to age of 14 free, parking is free.

TIME TO JOIN THE CHOIR!

The choir at both St. John and St. Frances will begin the season the first week of September. If you have interest in singing and being part of a fruitful, rewarding ministry, contact Mark Pacoe for more information. The 'choral' season begins with rehearsals in the first full week of September and Sunday liturgies (11:15am on Roosevelt Island and 12:00 Noon, respectively), on September 10. Contact Mark Pacoe, 212-734-4613 or pacoe@eastrivercatholics.org.

PIGRIMAGE TO WASHINGTON

First Catholic Slovak Union, Branch 856, in cooperation with the Embassy of the Slovak Republic in Washington, DC, General Consulate of the Slovak Republic in NY and Slovak parishes in Clifton, NJ and Trenton, NJ invites you to the solemn holy Mass that will be celebrated on the occasion of the Feast of Our Lady of Sorrows, the patroness of Slovakia, in the Jubilee Year of the Century of Fatima Apparitions. The Mass will be celebrated on Sunday, September 17 at 11.00 a.m. in the lower crypt of the National Basilica of Immaculate Conception in Washington, DC. (Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception, 400 Michigan Ave NE, Washington, DC 20017).

PARKING IN THE PARKING LOT NEXT TO THE CHURCH

Everyone who parks in the church parking lot **during the holy Mass** should leave their mobile phone number on a slip of paper behind the front window so that they could be contacted if someone needs to leave and the car is blocking them.

PRAYER LIST FOR OUR SICK AND DECEASED

Names remain on our Prayer List for the sick for three months and for the deceased for one year.



BAKER'S BITS Z PERA OTCA BAKERA

Minulý týždeň som bol na Slovensku s niekoľkými členmi našej farnosti; išli sme za účelom vybavovania, zúčastnenia sa púte a nadväzovania

kontaktov. Zvlášť chcem spomenúť stretnutia s tímom Lux Slovakia, biskupom Haľkom (bratislavský pomocný biskup), predstaviteľmi umeleckých organizácií a rehoľnými bratmi z kláštora Premenenia Pána v Sampore, neďaleko kúpeľného mesta Sliač. Mal som veľmi produktívne rozhovory s mediálnym tímom Lux v Bratislave a dúfame, že onedlho začneme vysielat' z kostola Sv. Jána. Biskup Haľko vám posielal úprimné pozdravy a bude na vás pamätať vo svojich modlitbách. Pán biskup dáva svoje požehnanie farníkom kostola Sv. Jána a Sv. Františky, a zvlášť požehnáva otvorenie nových priestorov kostola Sv. Františky na Roosevelt Island. Začiatkom tohto roka navštívilo kostol sv. Jána niekoľko rehoľných bratov z kláštora Premenenia Pána v Sampore (Sliač), sme im vďační za modlitby za našu farnosť. Navštívili sme ich kláštor a strávili sme tam dva krásne, duchovne naplnené dni. Po rušnom päťdňovom pobyte, naša posledná cesta bola púť do Baziliky Zosnutia Presvätej Bohorodičky v Ľutíne na východnom Slovensku. Modlite sa, prosím, za veriacich a Cirkev na Slovensku, aj oni sa modlia za vás.

JESENNÁ OBERAČKOVÁ ZÁBAVA – OKTOBERFEST

Kostol Sv. Jána Nepomuckého vás pozýva na jesennú obaračkovú zábavu "OKTOBERFEST" v nedeľu, 22. októbra 2017 od 12:30 do 6:00 odpolednia v telocvični školy. Do tanca a na počúvanie bude hrať slovenská hudba. Rezervácie sú nutné. Vstupné je \$40.00, deti do 18 rokov a mladšie \$5, v čom je zahrnuté predjedlo, bohatý výber slovenskej kuchyne, točené pivo, nealkoholické nápoje, zákusky a káva. Vstupenky si môžete rezervovať na čísle 347-612-1934 Mária Božeková, alebo na fare p. Lisa 212-734-4613, ak potrebujete viac informácií, pošlite e-mail na adresu parishfin@eastrivercatholics.org.

ZÁPIS DETÍ DO SLOVENSKEJ ŠKOLY

Od septembra začne nový školský rok Slovenskej školy pri našom kostole. Prihlásiť dieťa a získať viac informácií môžete u Renáty Bukovičovej (tel. 917-678-0912) do 31. augusta 2017. Zápisné na školský rok 2017/18 je \$80 za dieťa (druhé dieťa \$40).

PŮT DO WASHINGTONU

Prvá katolícka slovenská jednota, spolok č. 856, v spolupráci s Veľvyslanectvom Slovenskej republiky vo Washingtone, DC, Generálnym konzulátom Slovenskej republiky v New Yorku a slovenskými farnosťami v Cliftone, NJ a v Trentone, NJ vás pozýva na slávnostnú svätú omšu, ktorá sa uskutoční pri príležitosti sviatku Sedembolestnej Panny Márie, patrónky Slovenska, v Jubilejnom roku storočnice fatimských zjavení v nedeľu, 17. septembra o 11.00 hod. v dolnej krypte Národnej Baziliky Nepoškvrneného Počatia vo Washingtone, DC. (*Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception, 400 Michigan Ave NE, Washington, DC 20017*).

40. FESTIVAL SLOVENSKEHO DEDIČSTVA V NEW JERSEY sa bude konať v sobotu 16. septembra 2017 od 10 a.m. do 6 p.m. Festival bude na novom mieste - Middlesex County Fairgrounds, 655 Cranbury Road, East Brunswick. Byzantská katolícka bohoslužba bude o 11 a.m., bude ju celebrowať Biskup Milan Lach, apoštolský administrátor *sede vacante* Ruténskej gréckokatolíckej eparchie Parma. Slovenský kultúrny program začne o 2 hod. popoludní. Budete mať možnosť pozrieť si výstavy, navštíviť stánky so slovenskými a americkými jedlami, bude predaj slovenských remeselníckych výrobkov a hry pre deti. Vstupné je \$10 pre dospelých, deti do 14 rokov majú vstup zdarma. Parkovanie je bezplatné.

ZĽAVNENÉ PARKOVANIE PRE FARNÍKOV

je pre vás vybavené v nedeľu od 10 am do 3 pm v **Garage Management Company Parking Garage** na 64. ulici, medzi 2. a 1. Avenue (**337 East 64th Street**, tel. 212-879-9796). Parkovací lístok, ktorý vám dajú v garáži, si dajte opečiatkovať po sv. omši v dolnej hale (kde mávame kávu) a zaplaťte \$3. V garáži už platiť nebudete, len dajte zamestnancovi opečiatkovaný lístok, a farnosť potom uhradí poplatok priamo garáži.

JE ČAS PRIHLÁSIŤ SA DO SPEVÁCKEHO ZBORU

Zbory u Sv. Jána a Sv. Františky začnú svoju sezónu prvý septembrový týždeň. Ak máte záujem spievať a byť súčasťou tohto tvorivého, hudobného speváckeho telesa, pre informácie kontaktujte Marka Pacoe. "Zborová" sezóna začína skúškami v prvom septembrovom týždni a nedeľnými liturgiami 10. septembra (11:15 na Roosevelt Island, o 12:00 napoludnie u sv. Jána). Kontaktujte Marka Pacoe 212-734-4613, pacoe @ eastrivercatholics.org.

PARKOVANIE NA PARKOVISKU VEDĽA KOSTOLA

Každý, kto parkuje počas sv. omše na parkovisku vedľa kostola, nech nechá na papieriku za predným sklom auta svoje telefónne číslo na mobil, aby sa mu mohli dovolať tí, ktorí budú potrebovať skôr odísť.

FAITH DIRECT Naša zlúčená farnosť Sv. Jána a Sv. Františky používa "Faith Direct" on-line službu na týždenné milodary farníkov. Cez túto službu môžete automaticky dať váš milodar na kostol buď z bankového účtu alebo cez kreditnú kartu. Na stolíku pri vchode do kostola sú inštrukcie, ako si zaviesť túto službu. Pre ďalšie informácie kontaktujte Lisu Calabrese na e-mail adrese parishfin@eastrivercatholics.org.

SV. OMŠE ZAMERANÉ NA DETI

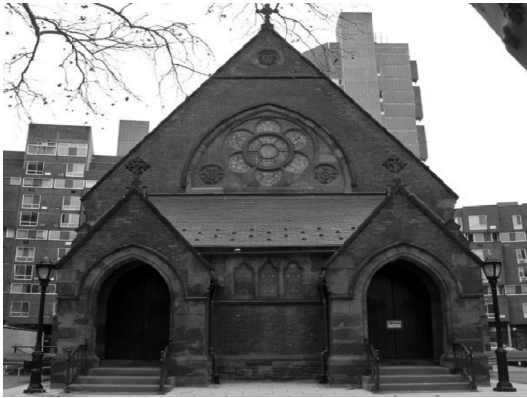
Počas letných mesiacov detské sv. omše nebudú. Najbližšia detská sv. omša bude po letných prázdninách, presný termín oznámime.

MODLITEBNÝ ZOZNAM CHORÝCH A ZOSNULÝCH

Mená zostávajú na našom modlitebnom zozname chorých tri mesiace a na zozname zosnulých jeden rok.

PARKOVANIE KEĎ IDETE K LEKÁROVI

Farníci, ktorí cez týždeň potrebujú navštíviť lekára v blízkom okolí kostola, môžu zaparkovať na malom parkovisku pri kostole. Ak chcete využiť túto možnosť, musíte sa prihlásiť v kancelárii farského úradu, kde dostanete parkovaciu kartu, ktorú treba nechať za predným sklom auta.



**The United Parish of
St. John Nepomucene
St. John the Martyr
St. Frances Xavier Cabrini**

TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Mass Intentions:

8:15 am Cabrini Chapel - **At discretion of the Celebrant**
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11:15 am Good Shepherd Chapel - **For Parishioners**

ROOSEVELT ISLAND UPDATE The building of our new church on Roosevelt Island is continuing. Please pray for us and the parish as we establish this permanent new worship site and church on Roosevelt Island!

COLER-GOLDWATER HOSPITAL AND NURSING FACILITY UPDATE - Over the past year, we have been working with the New York Archdiocese and the City of New York to establish pastoral care at Coler-Goldwater Hospital. In June we started celebrating the Holy Mass every Saturday at 10:30am in the hospital chapel. The sacraments of Anointing and Reconciliation will also be administered on a regular bases. We are blessed to have Fr. Antonio Ferrer spearheading this new outreach ministry of our parish - especially on Roosevelt Island.

PRAYER INTENTIONS You are invited to include any prayer intention at Sunday or weekday Mass. The basket will be brought up with the gifts and left on the Altar. The basket is available every day in the chapel.

MASS INTENTIONS If you are interested in offering a Mass for someone, please stop by the Rectory on 66th Street during regular office hours or call them at 1-212-734-4613.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION Religious education classes at St. Frances Cabrini Chapel on Sunday, September 10th from 10 am to 11 am and at St. John Nepomucene will begin on Wednesday, September 13th from 6pm to 7 pm . If you are interested and would like to register please contact Lisa Calabrese at e-mail address parishfin@eastrivercatholics.org.

ALTAR SERVERS If your child would like to become an altar server, please contact Guenther via email at guenthergross1@gmail.com.

MUSIC MINISTRY If you have a passion for singing and want to grow in faith and making music, consider joining the choir! All abilities welcome - beginner to experienced. The St. Frances choir rehearses Thursday evenings, 6:30-8:00pm and sings at the Sunday 11:15am liturgy at Good Shepherd Chapel, Roosevelt Island. Weekly rehearsals will start in early September. For more information and interest, contact Mark Paoe, Director of Music, paoe@eastrivercatholics.org or call 212-734-4613 x112.

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COFFEE HOUR AT GOOD SHEPHERD Our next coffee hour will be in celebration of our first Mass in the new space. Please watch the bulletin or e-Newsletter for announcement of exact date and time.

Cabrini Chapel hours: Monday Chapel is closed
Tuesday to Friday Chapel open 8:30 am to 7:30 pm
Saturday Chapel open 12:00 pm to 6:00 pm
Sunday Chapel open 8:00 am to 1:00 pm