

PARISH NEWS

FROM FATHER'S DESK

**IN THE NAME OF THE FATHER AND OF THE SON
AND OF THE HOLY SPIRIT.**

LET US ATTEND!!!

**WE ARE MOVING - THANKS BE TO GOD, ALL
THE SAINTS IN HEAVEN AND ALL OF YOU.**

Last service at our current location on West 16th street
will take place Saturday December 16 at 4 p.m..

**The first service at our new Church Home at 79th and
Marsh Road** will be on Sunday, December 17 starting with
Divine Liturgy at 10am. This will be our first Church Slava
celebration. Please make arrangements to be there.

*****Dear spiritual children and friends, when you pray please
remember our bishop Longin and me (Fr. Dragan) in your daily
prayers. Please know that we need it most.**

**OUR CURRENT CHURCH BUILDING - SOLD!!!
WE BOUGHT IT FOR \$1 and SOLD IT FOR \$225,000.**

On November 7, 2006 (the eve of St. Dimitrius) we closed on the sale
of our current building. Attending the closing was: Fr. Dragan, Greg
Pasalich, Milan Milivojevic and Ronald Salatic. We sold our
building to the **Christian Faith Baptist Church**. We bought our
current building from the Yugoslav Home for \$1.00 (symbolic) in 1951
and sold it for \$225,000.00 in 2006 what a profit ☐.
Some of our parishioners had the opportunity to meet several members
of the Baptist Church. They are so excited about having a building of
their own. They love the history of our building and have told many
people they will lovingly care for it - as we did.

PRAY FOR YOUR CHURCH FAMILY

Please pray for the health of:

Jackie (Tasich), Hugh (Scotty Grant), Zoya, Nicholas (Hamilton),
Dragica (Kerr), Marie (George), Natasa, Judy (Ivancevich), Tomislav,
Jason, Elena (Milovac), Lazar (Prodic), Chester (Tasich), Paul & Tina
(Stoyanovich), Kathryn (Ralic), Patty (Staletovich), Angeline
(Yeftich), Jack (Mertz), George (Alavanja), Ronny, Draga
(Stankovich), Borivoje.

*If you would like to add or delete a name on the list, please call the
Church office.

MEMORY ETERNAL

+Zora, sister of Marko Radovanovic died in Serbia in November.
Father Dragan's grandma +Starumirka (on his Fathers side) passed on
to the Lord on Ss. Cosmas & Damianus (Nov. 14th).

May God establish their souls where the saints repose and give the
family strength to endure this temporary separation.
VJECNAJA PAMJAT

PURCHASE 7 - DAY CANDLES

You may purchase a 7-day candle that will burn continually on the
Altar table. It is a tradition and practice that these are donated in
memory of a departed loved one or for the health of a loved one. The
candles may be purchased at the candle stand for \$10.00. Ask one of
the Tutors (Bogdan or Milo) to take it to the Altar with the name.

CHOIR NEWS

The members and parishioners of our Parish thank you for your
angelic singing.

SUNDAY ATTENDANCE

☉= under 80 ☉=over 80
☉=80 ☉☉= over 110

11-05-06: - 80 - ☉ 11-19-06: - 80 - ☉
11-12-06: - 89 - ☉ 11-26-06: - 71 - ☉

KOLO NEWS

Thank you to everyone for supporting our fall Bake Sale. It was very
successful.

Ladies please join us for the **Annual Kolo Christmas Dinner & Gift
Exchange - Wednesday, December 6th 6:30 PM "Dawson's on Main".**
1464 Main St., Speedway (On Main St. between 10th and 16th Streets)
247-7000

Food: \$25.00 per person

Gift exchange \$10.00 suggested limit. Please call Marija Milivojac
(317) 862-6692 by Sunday December 3rd.

ALTAR SERVER SCHEDULE

Dec 3: Sam Bennett, Connor Schmok, Christopher Toth
Dec 10: Djordje Mikic, Petar Hood, Matthew Toth
Dec 17: David Bresich, Nikola Rajovic, Stefan Arsich
Dec 24: Jordan England, Matthew & Nathaniel Thomas
Dec 31: Alex Tanaskovich, Ben Staletovich, Alec Mandich,
Jan 6: **Badnje Vece/Christmas Eve - all Servers encouraged to
come!**
Jan 7: **Bozic / Christmas - All Servers encouraged to come!**
Jan 14: Garret Isch, Brian Isch, Riley Isch

***Next meeting: To be announced.**

***Any Altar server who cannot attend Church the day he is
scheduled is to find a replacement and notify the church office at
636-1404.**

NEW CHURCH PEWS

Please note, the new pews in our Church belong to the new owners.
Please take care of them. Thank you

SUNDAY SCHOOL NEWS

**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 10TH WILL BE THE END OF
THE FIRST SEMESTER.** The Religious education will resume
again on February 4th, 2007.

St. Sava Day Celebration Approaching

St. Sava Day soon will be here. Fr. Dragan will be mailing a letter and
a poem for the children in preparation for this event. Parents, please
make sure your children participate.

PARISH NEWS

*Good Attendance = Free Camp

If you attended Sunday school at least 15 times during the Sunday School Year, one-week in New Gracanica camp will be paid for by our Church.

YOUTH (Ages 13-18)– Please come and/or call the church office (636-1404) if you are interested in participating. We have a Pan (All) Orthodox Youth Group of Central IN, which meets once a month.

NEWS: On the 26th of November we had a Pan-Orthodox Youth gathering at our Church and it was a lot of fun. We had around 20 people present.

The next meeting will be Jan. 28 from 5-8 PM at St. George Orthodox Church, Indianapolis, IN. Call the church office for more information.

TAMBURA GROUP

Regular practice moved from Sunday after Liturgy to Wednesday 7:30 pm.

If interested, please call the church office 636-1404.

The director is Dylan Jensen.

Note:

If a child belongs to our church & is under the age of 13 he/she should be an active part of Sunday school in order to be part of Tambura/folklore group. Special dispensation may apply.

ACADEMIC COURSE IN THE FAITH

We have one person from our parish (Richard Gentry) participating in the Study Program of Indiana Center for Orthodox Christian Study. If you are another person interested in the program give us a call. Next Lecture is December 9th at

BIBLE VERSE OF THE MONTH

Therefore, my beloved brethren, be ye steadfast, unmovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, for as much as ye know that your labor is not in vain in the Lord.

SAYING OF THE MONTH

Do not think that you maintain the Gospel of Christ as long as you separate yourselves from the flock of Christ.

- St. Cyprian

OUR NEW HOME IS BUILT – WOULD YOU HELP PAY IT OFF?

If you have donated already, we thank you and ask that you continue – if you have not – please, please do – we really need it.

THANK YOU

- To the family of Dr. Mamuzic for donating several videotapes for our Church library.

- To Mamie Stoshitch for knitting a baby blanket to be given to the first baby baptized in our new home.

BULLETIN SPONSOR- THANK YOU

The November Bulletin is sponsored by Vera Moyer, in memory of +Dr. Rastko Mamuzic.

May God establish his soul where the saints repose and give the family strength to endure this temporary separation.

VJECNAJA PAMJAT

Note: In order to sponsor a bulletin, we are asking for a donation of \$200.00 or what ever you can afford. We could also use donated copy paper.

YEAR-END REMINDERS:

- As this year comes to an end, remember not to discard will calendar icons. If you will not reuse these icons, please bring them to the Church office.
- If you have not paid your membership dues for this year, this will be the last reminder in order to maintain your voting privileges for the 2007 Annual Meeting.
- MAKE SURE THAT FROM DECEMBER 17TH OF THIS YEAR YOU COME TO CHURCH AT OUR NEW LOCATION OTHERWISE YOU WILL BE CONSIDERED BAPTIST ©. Note from Fr. Dragan

CHRISTMAS COMMUNITY CARD

Please participate. Deadline for response is December 5th.

The proceeds from the community card will go to the theological students. It made them very happy last year and they were very thankful.

2007 POCKET CALENDARS

They are Free – Just ask for one.

PLEDGE PAYMENTS BY CREDIT CARD

Our Church is now capable of receiving Building Fund donations by credit card. If interested please see or call Jim Fields. Good Credit, Bad Credit, No Credit we'll accept your money no questions asked ☺. Thank you, thank you, thank you.

We truly do need all the donations we can get.

2007 WALL CALENDARS

The 2007 Wall Calendars are in. We will be passing them out after Divine Liturgy December 17th. Thank you to Monnie Dotlitch for the donating them again this year.

AKATHIST SERVICES AT THE STATE HOUSE

We have published in the monthly calendar the information regarding the Wednesday Services at the State House Downtown Indianapolis at Noon in Room #432. We will not be including the information in the calendar, but please note the services are continuing.

MEMORY VERSES FROM THE BIBLE

CHILDREN OF GOD

The Lord, He is God: He made us and not we ourselves (Ps. 99:3).

In Him we live and move and are (Acts 17:28)

PARISH NEWS

FROM THE PARISH COUNCIL

WE ARE MOVING!!!!!!

**SATURDAY DEC. 2nd 10AM
WILL BE OUR FIRST
MOVING DAY, IF YOU
CAN COME AND HELP
CALL THE CHURCH
OFFICE.**

**SATURDAY DECEMBER
9TH 10AM WILL BE OUR
SECOND MOVING DAY.**

**OUR LAST SERVICE AT
OUR PRESENT LOCATION
WILL BE SATURDAY
DECEMBER 16TH 4PM
VESPERS.**

**THE NEXT DAY SUNDAY,
DECEMBER 17TH WILL BE
OUR FIRST SERVICE AT
OUR NEW CHURCH HOME
&**

**OUR FIRST CHURCH
SLAVA WITH DIVINE
LITURGY STARTING AT
10:00 AM.**

**PLEASE JOIN US FOR
THESE TWO HISTORIC
SERVICES**

SEE THE ATTACHED MAP

***** Please check the list of names for the Building Fund Donation
Plaque – located on the bulletin board in the Church Vestibule.
Make any corrections on the list or contact the Church office.
Thank you**

**** The next Parish Council meeting will be Dec. 12th. 6:30 PM.
For a copy of the minutes from the meeting, please call the church
office and we will send it right to you.**

P. Council Members for 2007-08

The hope is that all of the Parish Council Members will remain on the Council. In any case, we are always looking for more help. For your information, Parish Council Members are responsible for social and financial issues of our church as well as maintain the Church Property. If you have been a member, in good standing, of our Church for at least one year and are interested in being a part of this wonderful group of volunteers for the coming year, please call the Church office 636-1404. The Parish Council is elected at the Annual Meeting February 11, 2007 and approved by our bishop. Your talents will be welcomed, appreciated and your works will be blessed .
Thank you for your consideration.

Who is a member in good standing?

- A person who is a practicing Orthodox Christian (comes to Church regularly and partakes of the Sacraments of the Church).
- A person who has satisfied his/her financial obligations to the Church.

OUR NEW ADDRESS:

**St. Nicholas Serbian Orthodox Church
7855 MARSH ROAD,
INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46278**

**Our New Phone #'s will be:
317-471-8006 (Church Office) or 317-471-8004 (Priest).**