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## SEPTEMBER 3, 2023

## TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



*Whoever wishes to come after me must deny himself, take up his cross, and follow me. For whoever wishes to save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for my sake will find it. What profit would there be for one to gain the whole world and forfeit his life?*



*God of might, giver of every good gift, put into our hearts the love of your name, so that, by deepening our sense of reverence, you may nurture in us what is good and, by your watchful care, keep safe what you have nurtured. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.*

### ŽUPNI URED - PARISH OFFICE

10:00 AM - 3:00 PM

TUESDAY THRU FRIDAY

### ADMINISTRATOR

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### MASS SCHEDULE

SUNDAY: 8:30 AM (ENGLISH)

10:30 AM (CROATIAN)

TUESDAY THRU SATURDAY:

8:00 AM (ENGLISH)

### CONFESSIONS

SUNDAY: 9:30 AM - 10:15 AM AND

BY REQUEST

### MARRIAGES

BY ARRANGEMENT (6 MONTHS IN  
ADVANCE)

### BAPTISMS

BY ARRANGEMENT

# MASS INTENTIONS

## Sunday, September 3

8:30 am Pro Populo

10:30 am † Pavo Mušćet  
(Mladenka Čale)  
† Krsto Rudela  
(Nikola & Anđa Rudela)

## Tuesday, September 5

8:00 am † Nancy Brkić  
(Stefanie Jurić & obitelj)

10:30 am Rosary & Funeral Mass for  
† Iva (Radich) Kvesić

## Wednesday, September 6

8:00 am † Mladen Nosić  
† Fila Dragičević  
(Rosie Rudela)

10:30 am Rosary & Funeral Mass for  
† Anthony Artukovich

## Thursday, September 7

8:00 am † Petar Kvesić  
(† Šima K. Thorne)

10:30 am Funeral Mass for  
† Mary Vergot

## Friday, September 8

8:00 am † Marko Babich  
† Nikola Babich  
(Rosie Rudela)

## Saturday, September 9

8:00 am † Lustring Pabiona  
(Gilda To)

## Sunday, September 10

8:30 am Pro Populo

10:30 am † Sara Rotim  
(Mary Mišerda)  
† Milenko & Marija  
Vukojević (obitelj)  
† Jole Greganić  
(Suzie Pugel & Kava Club)

## Rest In Peace

May their souls and all the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

**Iva (Radich) Kvesić**; September 5th, 2023. Visitation at 10:00 am, followed by rosary and funeral mass. Burial will take place at Calvary, 4201 Whittier Blvd., Los Angeles, CA.

It is with deep sadness that we announce the passing of our dear and longtime parishioner, **Anthony Paul Artukovich** on August 30th, 2023 at the age of 91. Rosary & funeral mass starting at 10:30 am on September 6th, followed by a reception at the Parish Center. Our sincerest condolences to his family and friends. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made in memory of Anthony Artukovich to the Massachusetts General Hospital - Prevent ALS. Donations may be made online at <https://www.massgeneral.org/neurology/als/research/prevent-als> or checks can be mailed to: Massachusetts General Hospital, Development Office, 125 Nashua Street, Suite 540, Boston, MA 02114. Please include "Prevent ALS and Anthony Artukovich", on the check.

Funeral mass for **Mary Vergot** will be held at St. Anthony's on September 7th at 10:30 am. Burial will follow at San Fernando Mission Catholic Cemetery, 11160 Stranwood Ave, Mission Hills, CA.

## Catechism Registration

We would love to have your student join us for this two-year program in preparation of 1st Communion or Confirmation. Classes will be held on Sunday mornings at 9:30 am. Enrollment fee is \$100 per child and each additional child in the family is \$25. Go to <https://croatianchurchla.org/catechism-registration-form> to register online.

## Festival Picnic Volunteers Needed

St. Anthony's 72nd Annual Festival & Picnic  
PRE-ORDERS ARE OPEN  
until Friday, September 8th at 5 PM PST

### PRE-ORDER OPEN UNTIL FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 8TH AT 5 PM PST

- MINIMUM OF 10 POUNDS OF LAMB OR PORK COMES WITH 2 SIDES (QUART SIZED) OF YOUR CHOICE: MOSTACCIOLI, POTATO SALAD OR COLE SLAW.
- 16 PIECES OF CEVAPI WITH 1 SIDE (PINT SIZED) OF YOUR CHOICE: MOSTACCIOLI, POTATO SALAD OR COLE SLAW.

PRE-ORDER PICKUP WILL BE AVAILABLE 12:30 PM - 2:30 PM ON DAY OF THE PICNIC (9/9) ONLY AT THE COMPTON HUNTING & FISHING CLUB (1625 SPORTSMAN DR. COMPTON, CA 90221).

PLEASE FOLLOW SIGNS TO "PRE-ORDER PICKUP". ALL SALES ARE FINAL. ORDERS NOT PICKED UP BY 2:30PM WILL BE DONATED TO THE CHURCH.

### Monday, September 4th

St. Anthony's Parish Center starting at 7:00 am and any time after. Baking volunteers with all levels of experience are welcome.

### Thursday, September 7th

We'll be preparing potato salad starting at 9am at St. Anthony's Parish Center. Please email Antonia at [dobartek@croatianchurchla.org](mailto:dobartek@croatianchurchla.org) if you're able to join or have any questions. Please make sure to bring a knife, closed toed shoes and appropriate clothes to cook in.

### Friday, September 8th

Volunteers needed between 10:00 am to 6:00 pm to help set up and decorate at the Compton Hunting & Fishing Club. Please contact Heidi Granic at 818-425-7706 or Marilyn Majich at [events@croatianchurchla.org](mailto:events@croatianchurchla.org). Thank you in advance for your support.

## Children's School Registration/First Day

Children's school registration & the first day of classes will take place September 17th. Sign your children up for Croatian Children's School. Language, singing, Kolo and Tamburica classes for children ages 3-12 years old. Please contact Katica Ban ([katicaban@yahoo.com](mailto:katicaban@yahoo.com)) or Dijana Gotal ([dijanagotal@hotmail.com](mailto:dijanagotal@hotmail.com))

## 2nd Collection Next Sunday

There will be a second collection for The Mission Cooperative Appeal next Sunday, September 10th. Fr. Balaswamy Govindu will be speaking at both Masses that day requesting donations for the Joy Bharath Foundation-USA. The main goal of the Foundation is to organize activities in India targeted towards helping children, and the elderly from low income in the areas of health, education, food and shelter. For more information, <https://www.joybharathfoundationusa.org/>.

## Your Church Contributions

Last week's offering.....\$2,291.00

Your weekly contributions are also very gratefully accepted through the mail or online at; <https://croatianchurch.square.site>. Thank you all for your continued support.





## Did you know?

### September 3 || How can we combat human trafficking?

Human trafficking is the forced exploitation of people — it is estimated that 27 million people are enslaved across the world. This can include sweatshop labor, sex work, forced marriage, and more. Every state in the US. has documented instances of human trafficking. Spreading awareness about the immensity and pervasiveness of this problem is the first step in fighting back. Learn about the resources available, such as the National Human Trafficking Hotline (1-888-373-7888) and the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children. For more information, read the VIRTUS® article “Human Trafficking Awareness” at [lacatholics.org/did-you-know/](http://lacatholics.org/did-you-know/).

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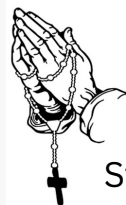
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