



»Naš škof Gnidovec je bil svetnik. Vsi smo ga klicali s tem imenom. Bil je pravi duhovnik po Jezusovem Srcu; blagega in ponižnega srca. Ko sem odhajala v misijone, je zame maševal, obhajal me je, me blagoslovil in rekel: 'V misijone greste. Dajte Jezusu vse, samo Zanj živite, bodite samo Njegova, samo Njega ljubite, samo Zanj se žrtvujte. Naj vam bo Jezus vse v vašem življenju'. – Prepričana sem, da prosi zame in da imam v njem pri Jezusu zaščitnika«(sv. Mati Terezija).

When news of his death reached his diocese (Gnidovec died in Ljubljana on February 3, 1939), the priests and people were deeply saddened. Ordinary people, even Orthodox and Muslims said, »A saint has died.«

**Nedelja, 2. februar:** – Marija in Jožef sta storila, kar je naročala postava. Tudi Simeon in Ana sta izpolnjevala naročilo postave: Boga sta molila in slavila v božji hiši.

Z molitvijo Boga častimo, slavimo, molimo in prosimo za pomoč varstvo in blagoslov. Molitev nas utrjuje v veri, v upanju in ljubezni. Molitev nam daje pogum in tolažbo.

Simeon je ob pogledu na otroka Jezusa, po delovanju Svetega Duha, po razsvetljenju prepoznal v tem otroku Odrešenika. To spoznanje in molitev je bila zanj tolažba. S svojimi očmi je videl Odrešenika in ga vzel v naročje. – Tudi nam bo molitev v pomoč in tolažbo. Moliti moramo vztrajno z vero in zaupanjem.

Mary and Joseph fulfilled everything which the Law prescribes. St Paul writes in the Letter to the Galatians: "When the completion of the time came, God sent His Son, born of a woman, born subject to the Law, to redeem the subjects of the Law so that we could receive adoption as sons"... The story of Simeon teaches that hope will be realized one day if not immediately. It is not frustrated, it is realized. But the way does not always correspond to what we imagine. Simeon was waiting for the glorious Messiah of Israel. Simeon sees the realization of his hope and the hope of the people: "My eyes have seen the salvation, which you have made ready in the sight of the nations, a light of revelation for the Gentiles and glory for your people Israel".

Prihodnji petek je prvi petek v mesecu, posvečen Jezusovemu presvetemu Srcu. Pridite k sveti maši!

**World Marriage Day 2020** - Following Pope Francis' invitation to use to occasion of St. Valentine's Day to support and encourage married couples to grow in love and in mercy, the Archdiocese of Montreal to a **Special Mass at the Cathedral**. All married couples are invited to attend a special, bilingual mass on Saturday, **February 8, 2020 at 5pm at Mary Queen of the World Cathedral** which will be celebrated by Archbishop Christian Lépine. During this mass, couples will be invited to remember the day of their marriage and renew their wedding vows.