



SERBIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH - DIOCESES IN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA is pleased to announce a centennial commemoration of

THE DAY THE SERBIAN FLAG FLEW AT THE WHITE HOUSE

July 28, 1918-2018 • Washington, DC

Wednesday, July 25th

12:00 P.M. – Opening Prayer for the House of Representatives

by His Grace Bishop Irinej of Eastern America at U.S. Capitol Building.

3:30 – 5:30 P.M. – Reception at U.S. Capitol – House Visitor Center 201 (by invitation only), co-hosted by the Serbian American. Congressional Caucus, the Embassy of Serbia, and the WWI Centennial Commission of the Serbian Orthodox Church – Dioceses in the United States of America.

Thursday, July 26th

 1:00 – 5:00 P.M. – Academic Symposium at the National Press Club, sponsored by the Serbian National Defense Council of America. Speakers: His Grace Bishop Irinej of Eastern America, Ambassador Djerdj Matkovic, Prof. Dr. Krinka Vidakovic-Petrov, Prof. Dr. Julian Schuster, Dr. Gordon Bardos, Rev. Dr. Vasilije Vranic, Dr. Branko Mikasinovic and Hon. Branko Terzic. Special WWI poster panel presentation, "Тамо далеко: 1918-2018" – "Over There, So Far Away: 1918–2018".

Friday, July 27th

5:30 P.M. – Reception at the Carnegie Institution for Science, sponsored by the Republic of Srpska Office for Cooperation, Trade, and Investment.

7:00 P.M. – Concert & Cultural Program at the Carnegie Institution for Science, sponsored by the Serb National Federation. Performances by the String Quartet of the School for Musical Talents from Ćuprija, Serbia, and the Serbian Singing Society Lira of St. Luke Serbian Orthodox Church of Washington, DC.

 Saturday, July 28th
10:00 A.M. – Pan-Orthodox Hierarchical Divine Liturgy with a Memorial Service at St. Nicholas Orthodox Cathedral National War Memorial Shrine in Washington, DC.
7:00 P.M. – Gala Banquet at the National Press Club on occasion of the Centennial (black tie optional).

Sunday, July 29th 10:00 A.M. – Hierarchical Divine Liturgy at St. Luke Serbian Orthodox Church in Potomac, MD. 12:00 P.M. – Family Picnic, hosted by St. Luke Serbian Orthodox Church in Potomac, MD.

More information at www.serbianchurch.org/wwi

Registration: https://secure.etransfer.com/SLSOC/CentennialCommemoration.cfm