

WHEREAS: The St. Vasilije of Ostrog Serbian Eastern Orthodox Church of Chisholm, Minnesota, is holding its 26th Annual Serbian Days; and

WHEREAS: The St. Vasilije of Ostrog Serbian Church is celebrating its 63rd Anniversary, and has served the spiritual needs of the Serbian community in the State of Minnesota until 1923 when additional churches came into existence; and

WHEREAS: In order to meet the social and cultural needs of the Serbian community, a magnificent social hall was built in 1964; and

WHEREAS: The St. Vasilije of Ostrog Serbian Orthodox Church of Chisholm was rejuvenated by building a new house of worship, a new parish home, and a church office which will be consecrated during this Serbian Days celebration; and

WHEREAS: Those of Serbian nationality have given to this state their hearts, hands, and minds in developing its great natural resources and with their sons and daughters defended the freedom of the state and nation;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Wendell R. Anderson, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim July 13, 14 and 15, 1973 as

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in Minnesota and urge all Minnesotans to join with their fellow citizens in celebrating this important occasion.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the State Capital this twenty-second day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventy-three and of the State the one hundred and fifteenth.

Wendell R. Anderson

GOVERNOR

Arlen d. Erdahl
SECRETARY OF STATE

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