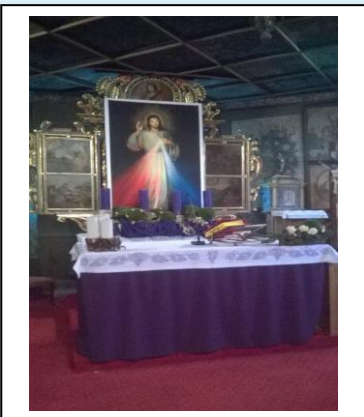
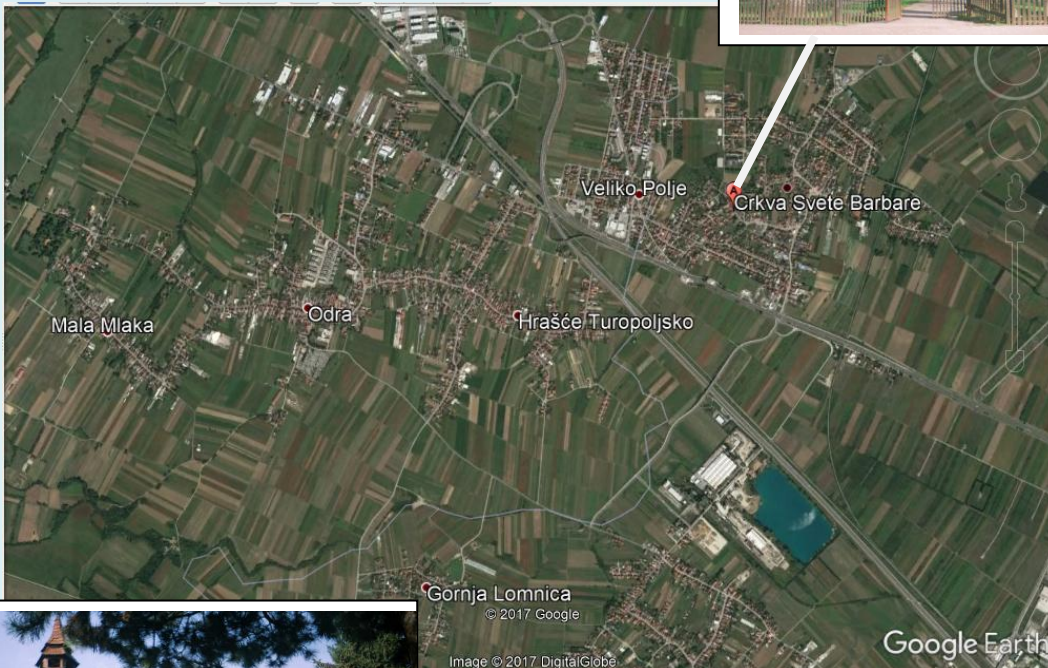


St. Barbara's chapel, Velika Mlaka

Basic characteristic:

- The chapel was first mentioned in a 1692.
- It is a one-nave type of chapel with a three-sided chancel and vestry next to it.
- The chapel was partitioned and restored several times.



Detailed characteristic of the place:

- The wood beams used for the walls are connected in the so-called German angle.
- A little tower is rising above the chancel and the shingle-covered roof.
- St. Barbara's chapel was building in the baroque period with the baroque decorations. A larger vestry and the bell-tower in front of the facade were added in the post-baroque period.
- In 1912 master Bogdan from Bukevje built the choir next to main facade.
- There are around 150 paintings on the chapel's wooden ceilings and panels. The ceiling with fields was painted with floral motives and series of saints.
- The painting is the work of several anonymous artists.
- St. Barbara's chapel became a parish church in 1976.

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