

## **ABSTRACT**

In the presented licenciate work, we dedicate to the activity of Roman Catholic Church in Bošáca valley situated in Trenčín region. The likelihood of the influence of the Church on the development of the mentioned region is determined by the existence of parishes, which is in this case originally corroborated since 13th century, when the parish in Haluzice was established, and also the residence of the parish priest and the parish temple was located here until 18th century. Until this day, there are ruins of the fortified Gothic temple in Haluzice, which is dedicated to All the Saints. In 1778, the residence of the parish was transferred to village Bošáca, where a new church was built in 1733, with the patronage of Assumption of Virgin Mary. Today, Bošáca parish consists of Bošáca parish and its subsidiaries in Trenčianske Bohuslavice, Haluzice, Zemianske Podhradie, New Bošáca and Štvrtok.

The purpose of our work was the heuristics, analysis and interpretation of the preserved archive documents originating from the activities of the parishes, subsidiaries, its Superiors, as well as mapping of available information on sacral buildings in the territory of the whole parish. The presented licenciate work informs about religious development in the observed microregion, it tries to contribute to a deeper knowledge of history of the formation, transformations and influence of the parish in Bošáca valley.

### **Key words:**

Bošáca, Bošáca valley, church, Haluzice, parish, Roman Catholic Church.