

St. Joseph Church

October 12, 2014 - Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time
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St. Joseph Parish

Mission Statement

We, the faith community of Saint Joseph Parish, open to the Spirit as disciples of Jesus Christ, proclaim, witness and celebrate the Kingdom of God among us, through service, healing and reconciling love.



Masses for the Week

Monday, Oct 13,	12:00 Noon	Jerry George
Tuesday, Oct 14,	12:00 Noon	John Murphy
Wednesday, Oct 15,	12:00 Noon	Priests, brothers and sisters
Thursday, Oct 16,	12:00 Noon	Mary Wiles
Friday, Oct 17,	12:00 Noon	Maria Kim
Saturday, Oct 18,	12:00 Noon	Poor Souls
	4:30 p.m.	Robert Caulfield
Sunday, Oct 19,	10:00 a.m.	Ed Westendorf

Parish Registration: Call the rectory Monday thru Friday 8:30 am to 2:30 pm

Baptisms: Call the rectory to schedule

Weddings: You must be a registered parish member for six months to set a date. Allow 6 months preparation time.

Confessions: Monday thru Saturday 11:30 am until 11:55 am

Holy Day Mass: Noon on the Holy day

St. Joseph Staff

Rev. Angelo Anthony, C.P.P.S., Pastor
Rev. Ken Pleiman, C.P.P.S., Assoc Pastor
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Gary Gregory Janet Smith
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St. Joseph Update

World Mission Sunday

Next weekend our parish will celebrate World Mission Sunday. This year we are invited to reach out and help build the Church in Mongolia, the world's youngest Catholic Church, as well as local churches throughout the Missions, in the most remote areas across our world. Through the work of these churches, and their witness to Christ, the poor receive practical help and experience God's love and mercy, His hope and peace. Please keep the Missions in your daily prayers. Please come prepared next weekend to give generously in the collection for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith. For more information, please visit www.IAMAMissionary.org.

Coffee and Donuts

Join us today following the 10:00 Mass for coffee and donuts in the school cafeteria.

Forgiveness after losing his daughter in the Oklahoma City Bombing

Bud Welch, whose 23-year-old daughter Julie was killed along with 167 others in the Oklahoma City bombing in 1995, will speak about his journey through anger, pain, hatred and revenge to ultimately reach forgiveness and a strong desire to end the death penalty when he speaks at the annual Distinguished Speaker program in Dayton. St. Charles Parish will host the event sponsored by Catholic Social Services, the Archdiocesan Catholic Social Action Office and Weavers of Justice. Wed., Oct. 15, light supper at 5:30 p.m., music at 6:30 p.m. and presentation at 7 p.m. For sponsorships, reservations and information, call 800-300-2937 ext. 1141 or visit www.cssmv.org/events

Discernment: Unraveling the Mystery of Knowing God's Will

Immaculate Conception, Oct. 15th, 7:00 pm in MSH
It is a struggle we all have been through: How do we know what God's will is? Have you ever wondered what discernment of God's will means? Do you want to find out how to discern God's will for your life? This session will explore the basics of Christian discernment with practical suggestions for developing the gift of discernment in your own life through a personal encounter with Jesus.

Financial Information

Collection for October 5th \$6529.00

Charity \$398.00

Thank You!

CPPS Blood Drive

Will you share what is most precious? "The life of a living body is in its blood," we read in Leviticus 17:11. We have the opportunity every day to donate that which is most precious to us, a portion of our life, our blood, to others. Because we will never know who receives it, it is the ultimate gift. One could even see it as an imitation of Christ, who poured out his Blood for us.

As part of the jubilee/celebration of their 200th anniversary in 2015, the Missionaries of the Precious Blood, who minister in this parish, are organizing a blood drive and we hope the parishioners of Region 7 will participate. Our founder, St. Gaspar del Bufalo, once said that he wished he had a thousand tongues to proclaim the Precious Blood of Jesus. We want to gather a thousand units of blood during our jubilee year as a way to thank God for the blessings he has given us, and to share those blessings with others in need.

Our blood drive will take place on **October 21, 2014 at the Community Blood Center at 349 S. Main Street, Dayton**. Their friendly and professional staff will take good care of you—and enable you to take care of others. Sign-up sheets are posted in the back of church or you can register on-line at the Blood Center website. Please help us pass along God's blessings to others by being part of our blood drive!

Prayer List

Please keep the following people in your prayers. Please call the rectory if you would like someone added to the prayer list.

<i>Patricia Bornhorst</i>	<i>Bennett Hart</i>
<i>Greg Bowers</i>	<i>Marie Henry</i>
<i>Susan Busch</i>	<i>Brittany Keirns</i>
<i>Pamela Cabrera</i>	<i>Randy Kramer</i>
<i>Fran & Al Dabrowski</i>	<i>Bill Lauber</i>
<i>Joyce Craig</i>	<i>Chris Luehrs</i>
<i>Nancy Dolan</i>	<i>Lindsey Luehrs</i>
<i>George Dopf</i>	<i>Milo Nickles</i>
<i>Rachel Dudley</i>	<i>Joe Moretto</i>
<i>Dolores Dunigan</i>	<i>Robert Morris</i>
<i>Earl Evans Jr</i>	<i>Anna Pole</i>
<i>Mary Fiste</i>	<i>Stephanie Potter</i>
<i>Joseph Franchina</i>	<i>Isaiah Ramsey</i>
<i>Darrel Francis</i>	<i>Tony Riggs</i>
<i>Gail Gaeth</i>	<i>Gerry Slattery</i>
<i>Richard Gill</i>	<i>Ed Sullivan</i>
<i>Jim Hanerty</i>	<i>Betty Wenzel</i>

Pastor's Corner

The Rosary

Traditionally in our Church the months of May and October are times for praying the Rosary. One of the many opportunities to pray the Rosary will happen this coming Sunday, Oct. 12, at the University of Dayton Arena. A choral presentation will begin at 2:30 and the rosary will be said at 3:00pm with Archbishop Dennis Schnurr leading the prayer. Of course there are many other opportunities to pray the rosary throughout the week. Our parishes of Region 7 often pray the rosary before or after the Sunday and daily Mass. Likewise the rosary is often said whenever there is Eucharistic adoration. At the Pleiman household in October all the family members prayed the rosary after the evening meal. The animals had to wait to be fed and the cows patiently waited to get milked on those evenings.

This week we celebrated the Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary, so maybe it's a good time to look more closely at this devotion. Some authors write that the rosary developed gradually, over time, with a special prayer emphasis on Mary after the Council of Ephesus in 431. Others believe that Mary presented the rosary to St. Dominic around 1200 and entrusted him with the spread of the devotion. There is one historical event that saw the devotion of the rosary increase tremendously. Pope Pius V, asked the faithful to beg for Mary's intercession at the naval Battle of Lepanto by praying the rosary. That victory on Oct. 7, 1571, halted the spread of the Ottoman Empire into Europe and Pope Pius V then established in the Church's liturgical calendar, the Feast of Our Lady of Victory, later to be named, Our Lady of the Rosary. For 500 years the rosary has basically remained the same, until in 2002 when Pope St. John Paul II added the Luminous Mysteries to the already prayed Joyful, Sorrowful, and Glorious Mysteries of the Rosary.

The focus of the rosary begins with Mary, but the reflections highlight Christ's life on earth. The rosary contains the key faith life of the Church that are proclaimed in our Creed. Pope Benedict the XVI said that the rosary holds the "Important Moments of Salvation History, and that it is a formative component for developing the spiritual life." The rosary studies the life of Christ from the Incarnation to his mother's joining him as queen of heaven. It is a sure pathway to Christ through the life of Mary. Through Mary we place all our present needs before Christ.

When we pray the rosary, we are sitting at Jesus' feet like Mary, listening to him and learning from him. It is a prayer for the young and old, rich and poor, wise and simple. Our Lady of the Rosary, pray for us.
Fr. Ken

Interested in a fun date night of laughter and learning?

The Holy Trinity, St. Joseph and Emmanuel Pastoral Region is hosting an "I Believe in Marriage" speaker series for married and engaged couples! Come and enjoy food and fellowship while rediscovering what it means to build a life giving, Sacramental Marriage. There are two presentations remaining,

Oct. 12th at Holy Trinity, and Nov. 8th at St. Joseph's, from 6:30 – 8:30pm.

Our second talk on Oct. 12th will be at Holy Trinity Church, 272 Bainbridge Street in downtown Dayton in Trinity Center, the former school building and will be presented by **Courtney Brown**, the Education Director at Ruah Woods in Cincinnati, Ohio. His talk is titled "**Marriage and True Intimacy**" and he will be talking about how our culture has a tendency to equate intimacy to how often you have sex but that there is more to intimacy than sex. This talk will look at St. John Paul II reflection on Human Love in the Divine Plan (Theology of the Body) and implications to our marriages and intimacy. Mark your calendars for these final two dates and watch for more information to come out on future Marriage Enrichment opportunities!

Do you want to help change lives?

Support the Brunner Literacy Center's "All Soles 5K Run/Walk," which will be held on Saturday, November 1, at Englewood Metropark. Registration forms are available at <http://www.brunnerliteracy.org/events/> or by contacting the Brunner Literacy Center at 937-567-9600. The entry fee is \$25 through Oct. 15, or \$30 afterward. Stop by the BLC to see what your participation is supporting—visit us at 4825 Salem Avenue, Dayton, Monday-Thursday, 8am-6pm. Raffle tickets are also available. We hope to see you there!

Holy Trinity Old Fashioned Holiday Bazaar

November 1st from 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM. to benefit Outreach Ministry.

Theology on Tap

Come at 7:00pm for socializing, fun, food and drink. Oregon Express, 36 E. Fifth St., Dayton - **Oct. 16 - John Paul Deddens - TBD; Oct. 23 Mary Pyper - Dare to Share: on a mission with Mary the Mother of God**

Pray for the Men and Women Serving in the Military

Gary Eilers Cody Landers
Greg Marcus Alex McGarvey
David Musgrove Jessica Pruitt

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Monday: Columbus Day; Canadian Thanksgiving Day
Tuesday: St. Callistus I
Wednesday: St. Teresa of Jesus
Thursday: St. Hedwig; St. Margaret Mary Alacoque
Friday: St. Ignatius of Antioch
Saturday: St. Luke

Ministry Fair - October 25th & 26th

Following the 4:30 and 10:00 Masses in the school cafeteria. Our volunteers have been much needed and appreciated during the past year. There are many ways you can volunteer, from helping on a committee, serving on the altar, taking communion to the homebound, helping in the office or praying for those in need.

Save The Date - exercise program starting in October!

The Health Ministries Commission will be sponsoring a 6 week Tai Chi/Qigong class starting Mon., Oct. 20th through Nov. 24th from 6:00-7:00 pm. Classes will be held in the Trinity Center building at Holy Trinity. Tai Chi and Qigong are ancient forms of Chinese exercise and provide a variety of health benefits including improving balance, joint health and cardiovascular fitness. More details to come or contact Sharon Becker at 227-9452, or sharonbecker6@gmail.com.

40 Days for Life

Through November 2, our Dayton community will take part in 40 days for Life... a groundbreaking, coordinated international mobilization. The vigil location for Dayton will be at the Women's Medical Center, 1401 East Stroop Road, Kettering, Ohio. We pray that, with God's help, this will mark the beginning of the end of abortion in our city and beyond. To sign up to stand vigil please visit www.40daysforlife.com

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Gal 4:22-24, 26-27, 31-5:1; Ps 113:1b-5a, 6-7; Lk 11:29-32
Tuesday: Gal 5:1-6; Ps 119:41, 43-45, 47-48; Lk 11:37-41
Wednesday: Gal 5:18-25; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 11:42-46
Thursday: Eph 1:1-10; Ps 98:1-6; Lk 11:47-54
Friday: Eph 1:11-14; Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 12-13; Lk 12:1-7
Saturday: 2 Tm 4:10-17b; Ps 145:10-13, 17-18; Lk 10:1-9
Sunday: Is 45:1, 4-6; Ps 96:1, 3-5, 7-10; 1 Thes 1:1-5b; Mt 22:15-21

Generations of Faith

Friday, October 24, 2014



6:00-8:00 pm Dinner & Faith Presentation

Knights of Columbus Hall (Across from Trinity)

"Generations of Faith" is an opportunity for the parishioners of Region 7 to gather for food, fellowship and faith formation. There is NO CHARGE for the event. There will be crafts and activities for children 3rd grade and younger during the presentation by Mr. David Clayton, Co-Author of The Little Oratory. His presentation will focus on how to create an environment of prayer in the home. RSVP is required by October 21, 2014

Name: _____

Please list how many will attend: ___ Adults ___ youth 9th grade -4th ___ Children 3-PreK ___ Under

Registrations can be put in the collection basket, sent to the parish office or by calling your parish at 228-9272.