# St. Joseph Church

November 1, 2015 - All Saints
411 E. Second St., Dayton, OH 45402 Telephone 228-9272
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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, Nov 2,	12:00 Noon	Poor Souls
Tuesday, Nov 3,	12:00 Noon	John O'Kane
Wednesday, Nov 4,	12:00 Noon	Michael Kiss
Thursday, Nov 5,	12:00 Noon	Ed Westendorf
Friday, Nov 6,	12:00 Noon	Mongon Family
Saturday, Nov 7,	12:00 Noon	Brad & Jessica Somer
•	4:30 p.m.	John Wiles
Sunday, Nov 8,	10:00 a.m.	Frs. Angelo, Ken and Steve

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.PP.S., Pastor Rev. Ken Pleiman, C.PP.S., Assoc Pastor Rita Zimmerman, Business Manager Bill Baron, Maintenance

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# St. Joseph Update

# The Commemoration of All the Faithfully Departed (All Souls Day)

Our Mass on Monday, November 2 will be at 12:00 noon.



#### Coffee and Donuts

Join us next week following the 10:00 Mass in the school cafeteria for coffee, donuts and fellowship.

All are welcome.

# Holy Trinity Old Fashion Holiday Bazaar

Saturday, November 7th 9:00 am to 4:00 pm

266 Bainbridge Street—Trinity Center
ALL proceeds raised go toward helping the less fortunate
in the Dayton area. Handmade crafts, Bake Shop, Tyke
Shoppe, Cabbage Rolls & much more!

#### Dayton Council 500

Knight of Columbus 267 Bainbridge St.

Turkey Dinner Sunday, November 8th, 1:00PM - 3:30PM

Please join us for a turkey dinner consisting of roasted turkey, mashed potatoes, stuffing and cranberries for \$7.00 adult plus a food donation of a small can/box for the local food pantry. Children pricing ages 6 thru 14 will be \$5:00 and a family of four (4) will be \$20.00. Also, if you wish, please bring your favorite pot luck cold or warm vegetable,

last name (A thru M) or fruit/ desert (N thru Z) for all to share.

Beverages will be available at regular prices. Various raffles will be sold.

Please RSVP to Larry Clark @ 937-470-3594 by Monday, November 2nd.

Thank you for your support.

**Volunteers needed** for this year's Region 7 Live Nativity on December 6th. Please contact the rectory office and give your name and phone number if you are able to help with this project.

## Bottles for Babies!

If you haven't already done so, please return your bottle to church. All proceeds will be used to help Elizabeth's New Life Center save lives.

## During this Year of Consecrated Life

you might like to get to know some of our Missionaries of the Precious Blood, the religious congregation that serves our parish. In addition to their many ministries, we have C.PP.S. priests and brothers who are swimming instructors, bicyclists, photographers and love to read spy novels. Before they entered religious life, one was a machinist, another was a financial analyst, another studied geography. All bring their many experiences and talents to their service to the people of God. To read profiles of C.PP.S. priests and brothers, visit http://cpps-preciousblood.org/media/meet-themembers.

### Financial Information

Collection for October 25th \$5621.00 Charity \$120.00

Thank You!

#### Prayer List

Please keep the following people in your prayers.

Randy Kramer Gene Austin Chris Luehrs Greg Bowers Charlie Brown Lindsev Luehrs Colleen Maples Bill Burkhart Joe Moretto Susan Busch Robert Morris Pamela Cabrera Milo Nickles Al Dabrowski Nancy Dolan Anna Pole Stephanie Potter George Dopf Isaiah Ramsev Rachel Dudley Thomas Reed Grace Eckley Earl Evans Jr Tony Riggs Ricardo Santiago Mary Fiste Roberto Santiago Jeanne Folfas Joseph Franchina Ivana Santiago Richard Gill Richardo Santiago Jr Jim Hanerty Rhonda Santiago Richard Siefring Marie Henry Patty Simons Bennett Hart Ed Sullivan Brittany Keirns Jerry Kowalski Pauline Westendorf

# Pastor's Corner

One of the gifts we share in common with the saints who have gone before us in faith is the gift of baptism. At the time of our baptism we become children of God and receive a promise that God will be with us each step of our journey. In baptism we also receive a common vocation which is the call to holiness.

On this Solemnity of All Saints we celebrate those men and women of faith who lived the call to holiness so well that they can be looked upon as role models for us to follow. By the witness of their lives the work of God comes alive in the world and we see a little more clearly what it means to live the gospel and to participate in the building of the Kingdom of God. Jesus has given us all that we need to become saints!

The saints were not given any special advantages on how to live a holy life. Many of them struggled with the same temptations and crosses that we encounter in life. What makes the difference is their attentiveness to God's Word, their commitment to live the sacraments of the Church and their openness to persevere in faith following Jesus who is the Way, the Truth and the Life. And so, the potential is within us to become saints!

Today we are given the beatitudes to reflect upon and to put into practice as we seek to live the call to holiness and to become saints.

- You are blessed when you are poor in spirit, when you rely on the grace of God and put God first in your life.
- You are blessed when you mourn, when you mourn for your sins and ask forgiveness of God and one another
- You are blessed when you are meek, when you are gentle instead of being demanding and domineering.
- You are blessed when you are merciful, when you offer forgiveness and let go of past hurts.
- You are blessed when you are clean of heart, when you live your life in a way that reflects your faith.

Every time you live the blessed vision of the beatitudes you allow the holiness of God to shine through you and the saints can be heard cheering each of us on to the victory feast of heaven. Fr. Angelo

#### November 1-7th is National Vocation Awareness Week (NVAW)

In collaboration with twenty other parishes in the Archdiocese, a Holy Hour for vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life will be held at Emmanuel Church on **Wednesday**, **November 4th from 7-8:00 P.M.** NVAW is a time for us to give special attention to the vocation, the call that God has placed in our hearts. We might live this vocation as a religious sister or brother, a priest or deacon. Perhaps we might live it as a mom or a dad, a husband or a wife. We might live this vocation as a single person. We all have a vocation. We are invited to understand how the choices that we have already made in life are an extension and call from our own baptism. During this Vocation Awareness Week pay attention to how God is calling you. What are the experiences in your life that you and God can look at together and see a deeper meaning that can in turn have an impact for your future?

We are especially mindful this week of the need for good and faithful shepherds for our church. Do you see qualities of service and an open heart, in any of your family members, neighbors or fellow parishioners? If so, invite them to consider a vocation to religious life and priesthood. Encourage them to come and talk with Fr. Angelo, Fr. Ken or Brother Matt. Together we can discern the stirrings of God's voice and take another step in the journey of faith.

**Elizabeth's New Life Center** is in need of medical professionals to volunteer in our Women's Centers. If you are an M.D., D.O., LPN, RN, Nurse practitioner, Physician's Assistant or RDMS please consider giving a few hours of your time weekly, bi-weekly or monthly to work with the underserved women in our community who may be at risk for abortion. Please email tmiller@elizabethnewlifecenter.org or call 937-226-7414 to talk about the possibilities!

#### A Musical Journey with Christ

In celebration of the Year of Consecrated Life, the Sisters of the Precious Blood choir will present a sacred concert entitled "A Musical Journey with Christ" on Nov. 8th in the Salem Heights Chapel, 4960 Salem Ave., Dayton, beginning at 3 p.m. The concert will feature songs from each liturgical season. Music will be provided. A light reception follows in the dining room. Enter the Salem grounds off of Denlinger Road. An RSVP to Dave Eck at (937) 274-2707 or deck@cppsadmin.org by Nov. 2 is preferred but not required.

# Pray for the Men and Women Serving in the Military

Michael Cook
Gary Eilers
Cody Landers
Greg Marcus

Tim Melvin
Matthew Melvin
David Musgrove
Jessica Pruitt

Alex McGarvey

#### Nine Months with Christ in the Womb

Jesus has become quite the little explorer. He moves his hands around to feel out his environment. He is also sensitively attuned to changes in his mother's heartbeat and breathing.

Jesus of the womb, Hear our prayers!

### Mass Offerings

We've started scheduling Masses for 2016. If you would like to have a Mass offered for someone please contact Rita at the rectory 228-9272 or send a note with the name of the person you would like to have the Mass for, the date requested, and the stipend of \$5 per Mass.

#### "I Believe in Marriage" Speaker Series Continues in Region 7 Parishes!

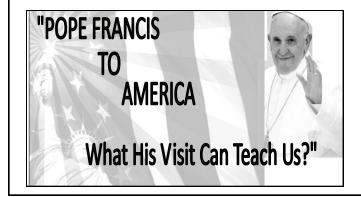
FREE Date Night FREE Food FREE Speaker FREE Babysitting. Each evening will last from 6:30-8:30. Babysitting is free, but please register by Wednesday, November 4th by contacting Ali Wilson: amwilson13@yahoo.com. Watch for future Marriage Enrichment opportunities!

Sun., Nov 8: St. Joseph Cafeteria – Greg and Stephanie Schutte "The Pearl of Great Price" Greg and Stephanie Schutte will open their personal experience to us, describing how they found unity again after their marriage began to drift apart. Location: St. Joseph Parish, 411 E 2nd St, Dayton, OH 45402, in the former school building across the street

Sun., Dec. 13: Emmanuel Church - Fr. Fox - "Does Believing in Marriage Exclude Same Sex Attracted People?" Fr. Fox will explore how we can live out the beauty of the church's teaching on sacramental marriage while reaching out lovingly to those with same-sex attraction. He will answer the question, "How can I approach someone I love who wants to 'marry' a same sex partner?" Location: Emmanuel Parish, 149 Franklin St, Dayton, OH 45402, in the church basement



Guest Speaker: Fr. David Andres
Asst Professor of Church History Mount Saint Mary's Seminary, Cincinnati
Tuesday, Nov. 3 7pm in Church
St. Albert the Great Church
3033 Far Hills Ave, Kettering



#### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Wis 3:1-9; Ps 23:1-6; Rom 5:5-11 or 6:3-9; Jn 6:37-40 Tuesday: Rom 12:5-16b; Ps 131:1bcde-3; Lk 14:15-24 Wednesday: Rom 13:8-10; Ps 112:1b-2, 4-5, 9; Lk 14:25-33 Thursday: Rom 14:7-12; Ps 27:1bcde, 4, 13-14; Lk 15:1-10

Friday: Rom 15:14-21; Ps 98:1-4; Lk 16:1-8

Saturday: Rom 16:3-9, 16, 22-27; Ps 145:2-5, 10-11; Lk 16:9-15

Sunday: 1 Kgs 17:10-16; Ps 146:7-10; Heb 9:24-28; Mk 12:38-44

#### SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCE

Sunday: All Saints; National Vocation Awareness Week Monday: Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed

(All Souls' Day)

Tuesday: St. Martin de Porres; Election Day

Wednesday: St. Charles Borromeo

Friday: First Friday

Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary; First Saturday