

Downtown Dayton Catholic Parishes

June 5, 2016

10th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Pastor: Fr. Angelo Anthony, C.P.P.S.

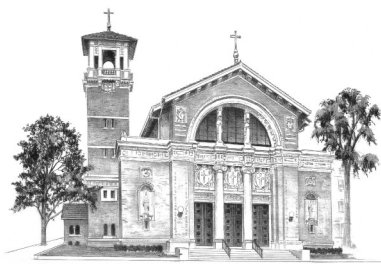
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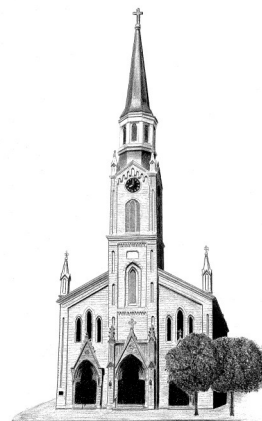
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Emmanuel Church 1837



St. Joseph Church 1847



Holy Trinity Church 1861

Mass Intentions

Monday, June 6

7:30 AM Holy Trinity.....Edith Heiser
12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Carol Henley

Tuesday, June 7

7:30 AM Holy Trinity.....Mabel Enry Boltz
12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Susanna Flynn

Wednesday, June 8

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....Niehaus Family
12:00 PM St. Joseph.....David R. Jones

Thursday, June 9

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....Harold & Wanda Brinkman
12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Carmen Florio

Friday, June 10

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....Peg Carroll (mjkc)
12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Matthew (Bud) McCarthy

Saturday, June 11

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....Robert Madden
12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Poor Souls
4:30 PM St. Joseph.....For our parishioners
5:15 PM Emmanuel.....For our parishioners

Sunday, June 12

8:30 AM Holy Trinity.....Mr. & Mrs. Carl Wack
10:00 AM St. Joseph.....Andrew Folfas
10:30 AM Emmanuel.....Jerry Buckley
11:30 AM Holy Trinity.....For our parishioners

Next Week's Readings:

2 Sm 12:7-10, 13; Ps 32:1-2, 5, 7, 11; Gal 2:16, 19-21; Lk 7:36 -8:3 [7:36-50]

Confession Schedule

Emmanuel: Saturday 4:00-5:00 PM, Sunday: 10:00 AM
Holy Trinity: Sunday: 8:00 AM
St. Joseph: Monday-Saturday 11:30 AM; Saturday: 4:00 PM

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Br. Matt Schaefer, C.P.P.S. DRE & Bookkeeper

Mary Beemsterboer, Secretary

Dennis Pyles, Maintenance

Gary Geisel, Music Director

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Deacons: George Zvonar, Michael Leo

Judith L Trick, Business Manager

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Rita Zimmerman, Business Manager

Bill Baron, Maintenance

Bradley Wilson, Music Director

Miraculous Medal Novena with Adoration and Benediction at Emmanuel on Tuesdays 7:00 PM

Anointing of the Sick the first weekend of the month.

To Register for any parish please contact the parish office

For Baptisms, Weddings or Ministry to the Homebound please contact your parish office.

PASTOR'S PEN

One way of praying with scripture is to take a passage from the Bible and imagine yourself in the scene, almost like a reporter going to the scene of an event; listening for the human story, the depth of emotion and the element of faith in the people present at the scene.

Today's gospel reading involving the grieving mother from Nain offers us a rollercoaster of emotions and a depth of compassion for our reflection. The widowed mother grieves over the death of her only son. This situation leaves her totally alone because at that time it was the man who carried the right to property and status in society.

Her hope for the future was gone with the death of her husband and now her only son. Before welfare or life insurance a widow had to trust solely on the charity of others. She was now alone, vulnerable and defenseless, the very kind of person God comes to save.

Jesus enters the scene and is moved with compassion for the widow. Scripture scholars tell us that there are no stronger words in the Greek language than the ones used by St. Luke to describe the feelings of Jesus in this scene. "Moved with pity" literally means that He was stirred from His deepest depths. Then Jesus says: "Woman, do not weep." You can see Jesus taking the work worn hands of the woman into his own and offering her reassurance. At that point, I wonder if Jesus was thinking about his own mother who would be in a similar situation in the not too distant future.

Confronted with this kind of raw sorrow Jesus touches the coffin without hesitation and restores the young man to life. Jesus was not responding to a question of faith like he did with Martha and Mary in the raising of their brother Lazarus; here, Jesus was simply responding to human need. Imagine the flood of emotions between the mother and the son and the crowd. In this miraculous encounter Jesus once again reveals that he is the God of the living and will "change our mourning into dancing." (Psalm 30:13)

In Luke's gospel this kind of compassion is also attributed directly to Jesus in the parable of the Good Samaritan and the parable of the forgiving father who welcomes home his prodigal son. Compassion brings forth mercy and the possibility for new life. In hearing Jesus tell the woman's son to "arise" our minds are immediately drawn to the resurrection of Jesus from the dead and the pledge of resurrection life for all who believe. Jesus not only has compassion, but the power to give new life.

When we pray with Scripture we do not simply end with our reflection upon the word of God. The next step is to hear a call to action. Reflecting back on his experiences as reported in today's second reading, St. Paul can see the hand of God at work in his journey of faith. St. Paul's faults were revealed to him so that he could be transformed and return to the Lord with a new heart and accept a new mission. Through our sharing in the Eucharist, our lives are restored and we are given a new opportunity to live fully the call given to us in baptism. What is the new life that God is calling forth from you today! In what way can you be a sacrament, a visible sign, of Christ's compassion to others?

Pastor's Pen continued...

In Gratitude for Deacon George Zvonar

Today we say goodbye to Deacon George Zvonar and his wife Donna after 21 years of service to the Holy Trinity parish community. They are moving to Florida in a few weeks and I extend to them the love and best wishes of all of our parishioners as they take this next step in the journey of life. We have been blessed by Deacon George's caring spirit, his kindness and his calm & gentle presence. As one parishioner said, "He is a holy man and we will miss his steady presence."



Ordained July 3, 1982 Deacon George first served at St. Stephen and Holy Cross in the Old North Dayton area. Then in 1995 he was assigned to Holy Trinity Church. A reception will be held on Sunday, June 5th at the Knights of Columbus Hall on Bainbridge St. after each of the Masses at Holy Trinity Church. All are welcome to attend a reception. Come and share your memories and best wishes to Deacon George and his wife Donna.

The Sacred Heart and Divine Mercy

The month of June is traditionally dedicated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. "Divine Mercy reaches human beings through the heart of Christ crucified." "For evangelization today," St. John Paul II stated that, "the Heart of Christ must be recognized as the heart of the Church: It is He who calls us to conversion, to reconciliation. It is He who leads pure hearts and those hungering for justice along the way of the Beatitudes. It is He who achieves the warm communion of the members of the one Body. It is He who enables us to adhere to the Good News and to accept the promise of eternal life. It is He who sends us out on mission. The heart-to-heart with Jesus broadens the human heart on a global scale."

Prayer in Honor of the Sacred Heart

O most holy heart of Jesus, fountain of every blessing, I adore you, I love you, and with lively sorrow for my sins I offer you this poor heart of mine. Make me humble, patient, pure and wholly obedient to your will. Grant, Good Jesus, that I may live in you and for you. Protect me in the midst of danger. Comfort me in my afflictions. Give me health of body, assistance in my temporal needs, your blessing on all that I do, and the grace of a holy death. Amen.

PASTORAL REGION ANNOUNCEMENTS

Steak Fry...Please join Dayton Council 500, Knights of Columbus for a steak dinner Friday, June 10th at 6:00p.m. Dinner includes: an 8 oz. New York Strip Steak, baked potato, salad, green beans, corn and coffee for only \$ 10 plus a donation of a food item for the local food pantries. Also, if you wish, please bring your favorite desert to share. Adult beverages will be available at regular prices. A children's menu of hamburgers/chips will also be available @ \$3 with a complimentary soda. Great Raffles. Please RSVP to Larry Clark at 937-470-3594 by Monday, June 6th. 267 Bainbridge St.

EMMANUEL CHURCH

Generous Contributions for May 29, 2016

Weekend Offertory: Budget Collection
 \$7385.00 \$6801.30
YTD excess or (deficit) **\$ (1470.97)**
Tithe to Emmanuel St. Vincent DePaul \$755.70
Many thanks for the generous spirit of our parishioners.
Frs. Angelo and Ken

CCD Teacher Needed... Emmanuel Parish is looking for a third-grade CCD teacher for the 2016-2017 year. Our CCD classes are on Saturdays from 9:30 to 11:00 AM. The program runs from early September to early May. If you are interested or have any questions, please contact Brother Matt at 228-2013 or brothermatt@emmanuelcatholic.com

Emmanuel parish's annual Vacation Bible School will be held the week of June 20th to the 24th. This year's Vacation Bible School is titled "Birthday Blast" and has a pro-life focus. The program is open to 4-to-11-year-olds and there are many volunteer opportunities for older kids and adults. Registration forms are available in the back of church and on the parish website.

Prayer List

If you are seriously ill or undergoing surgery and would like your name added to the prayer list for 4 weeks, please call the Parish Office, 228-2013.

Thomas Broerman

John Paul's Troupe will present *State Fair*, a fun musical by Rodgers & Hammerstein, on June 9, 10, & 11 at 7pm in the Wright Brothers School Auditorium, 1361 Huffman Ave, Dayton. Tickets will be available at the door for \$10/adult, \$5/student or senior, and \$25/family pass. The theater is air-conditioned and handicap accessible. JPT is a drama group for the homeschool teens who attend Immaculate HEART co-op at Emmanuel. For more information, please contact john.pauls.troupe@gmail.com



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HOLY TRINITY CHURCH

Generous Contributions for May 29, 2016

Weekend Offertory: Budget Collection
 \$6100.00 \$3230.00
YTD excess or (deficit) **(\$10,060.20)**
"Green" collection \$ 915.00
Many thanks for the generous spirit of our parishioners.
Frs. Angelo and Ken

*God, who from my mother's womb
set me apart
so that I might proclaim Him.*

Farewell Party... Please join with us after Mass today for coffee, juice and donuts at Bainbridge Hall. Take this opportunity to bid a fond farewell to Deacon George who will be leaving us at the end of the month to move to Florida. He has served Holy Trinity well for 21 years and we will miss him. All are welcome. Please do not use the main entrance to Bainbridge Hall; use the entrance off the parking lot.

Vacation Bible School... will be June 13th-17th from 9 am until noon. There is still time to register your children by calling the parish office. The fee remains at \$25 per child. Anyone who has helped in the past or wants to help for the first time this year, please contact Jan at 228-1223. We look forward to a fantastic, fun, and faithful week of activities!

Holy Trinity Parish Night at the Dayton Dragon's Game... We still have some places available for the game on Friday, July 29. Tickets are \$12 each. Call Judi to get your name on the list. We had a great time last year and plan on doing the same this year.

If you are interested in becoming a lector or Minister of the Cup, please call Judi at the rectory. We will have training for new ministers in June.

Our Thanks to Our Retiring Parish Pastoral Council

Members: Russ Gilmore, Ron Bird, Eric Mays and Sharon Becker. Thank you for your years of service to our community in this capacity.

Welcome to Our Newly Elected and Returning Council

Members: Sam Eckhart, Tea Yankel, Marty Foos, Lynn Ellingsworth, Adam Becker, Karen Averbeck, Jim Cannon, John Harrelson, Amy Wiedeman, Jake Bartel, Debbie Nye, Luanne Lambert, Patsy Martin, Leah Presutti, Brad Mercer, and Alice Cox.

Our Recycling Program is Ongoing

Aluminum cans can be brought to the parish garage at any time or bring them with you when you come to mass on Sunday and alert one of the ushers. There is a bin for spent batteries on the step in the vestibule. Cardboard, paper and magazines can be deposited in the bins at the north end of our property. Thank you for helping protect our environment by recycling.

ST. JOSEPH CHURCH

Generous Contributions for May 29, 2016

Weekend Offertory: Collection
\$3818.00
Charity: \$ 114.00
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Join us for Coffee and
Donuts following the 10:00
Mass next weekend.
All are welcome.

Our First Communicates: Today we celebrate with the children in our parish who have made their First Communion this year. If you get the chance please congratulate them on receiving this beautiful sacrament.

Aidan Contreras
Michael Landry
Raymond Murphy
Zach Sullivan

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

Greg Bowers	Gerald Gillotti	Lee Pleiman
Rita Downs	Layla Kubis	Tony Riggs
Jeanne Folfas	Charlotte Lackey	Larry Zarndt

God's Presence

Realize above all that you are in God's presence...empty yourself completely and sit waiting, content with the grace of God, like a chick who tastes nothing and eats nothing but what its mother gives it. —St. Romuald

Pray for the Men and Women Serving in the Military

Nick Borton	Tim Melvin	David Musgrove
Gary Eilers	Matthew Melvin	Jessica Pruitt
Cody Landers	Alex McGarvey	Devin Torre
Greg Marcus		

AREA ACTIVITIES

Take Classes Now and Deepen Your Faith: The Athenaeum of Ohio announces Lay Tuition Scholarship for 2016-17 academic year.

The Athenaeum, the Archdiocesan seminary and school of theology, announces a 50% lay tuition scholarship as part of our One Faith, One Hope Capital Campaign commitment. The Lay Pastoral Ministry Program Certificate Option will meet in Dayton at the Pilarczyk Center in 2016-17, and move to Sacred Heart of Jesus in McCartyville in 2017-18. You can begin the program in Dayton and finish in McCartyville with significant tuition savings. Graduate programs in Theology, Pastoral Ministry and Biblical Studies are available at the main campus in Cincinnati. All programs are designed for busy adults with an outstanding faculty, supportive staff and flexible components. There will never be a better time to come and see how lay Catholic studies through the Athenaeum can transform your life. For information about Dayton classes, call Deacon Hal Belcher, 419-305-5486. For Cincinnati options, call Dr. Susan McGurgan, 513-231-1200, or visit our web page at www.growinwisdom.org.

We cordially invite you to come to the Hispanos Dayton Festival at St. Mary's Church (310 Allen St. 45410) on June 12, 2016 from 12 pm to 9pm. There will be various Latino dance groups --Peruvian, Colombian, Mexican and more with food representative of Venezuela, Mexico, Ecuador, Puerto Rico and more. We would like to share our culture and our cordiality with you! We hope you can join us!



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