

Downtown Dayton Catholic Parishes

September 4, 2016

23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

Parochial Vicar: Fr. Ken Pleiman, C.P.P.S.

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Emmanuel Church 1837



St. Joseph Church 1847



Holy Trinity Church 1861

Mass Intentions

Monday, September 5

7:30 AM Holy Trinity.....Albin & Alma Pleiman
12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Chris Durr

Tuesday, September 6

7:30 AM Holy Trinity.....Ted Randall
12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Helen Wiles Batty

Wednesday, September 7

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....Henrietta Schulze
12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Donna Miller

Thursday, September 8

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....Thomas McDonald
12:00 PM St. Joseph.....James & Evelyn McCarthy

Friday, September 9

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....Mother Angelica
12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Wilfred Ruschau

Saturday, September 10

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....Effie Minham
12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Dennis Hogan
4:30 PM St. Joseph.....Kay Belcher
5:15 PM Emmanuel.....Living & deceased members
Weixelman family

Sunday, September 11

8:30 AM Holy Trinity.....For our parishioners
10:00 AM St. Joseph.....For our parishioners
10:30 AM Emmanuel.....For our parishioners
11:30 AM Holy Trinity.....Jose O. Figueroa

Next Week's Readings:

Ex 32:7-11, 13-14; Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 17, 19; 1 Tm 1:12-17;
Lk 15:1-32 [1-10]

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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Deacon Michael Leo

Judith L Trick, Business Manager

Jan Reed, Pastoral Associate

Thomas Aldridge, Music Director

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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

This Sunday, September 4th, Pope Francis canonized Mother Teresa of Calcutta as a saint of the Roman Catholic Church. The memory of her tireless love for the poor continues to be a vivid expression of God's mercy in our minds and hearts.

Born in Skopje which is now part of Macedonia, Mother Teresa went to India in 1929 as a Sister of Loreto and became an Indian citizen in 1947. In 1946 while traveling by train from Kolkata to Darjeeling she was inspired to begin the Missionary Sisters of Charity calling this decision, "a call within a call." She left the Sisters of Loreto and began her new congregation in 1950 which now numbers over 4,500 Sisters. Mother Teresa died on September 5, 1997 at the age of 87.

There were those who criticized her for not doing more to confront the systemic injustices that kept so many people in poverty, but Mother Teresa was clear that her call was to offer direct relief to the suffering children of God. By the very simplicity of her life she challenged the systems that focused on power and wealth.

On Friday, September 9th, the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops has called for a National Day of Prayer for Peace. You are encouraged to participate in a Mass for Peace at Precious Blood Parish on Salem Avenue beginning at **8:30 AM** with Bishop Binzer as the presider. Violence dominates the news and we may feel helpless in the face of this problem. Where do we find peace?

The world offers peace of mind through insurance, retirement plans, flood protection, labor-saving devices, home security systems and the like. This peace is based upon maximizing loss and reducing risk. When chaos comes our way all we see is trouble. Jesus says, "Not as the world gives do I give you peace." The peace Jesus gives is found in the gift of salvation that He has purchased for us through His Precious Blood. This is something no one can destroy or take from us. St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta would say, "If we have no peace, it is because we have forgotten that we belong to each other and we belong to God."

John MacArthur once noted, "The biblical concept of peace does not focus on the absence of trouble. Biblical peace is unrelated to circumstance; it is a goodness of life that is not touched by what happens on the outside." Some people think they can escape their problems by turning to alcohol, drugs, pornography or any other form of escapism. In fact, this response simply kicks the can down the road and does not bring peace. God is the giver of peace. Let Christ rule in your heart and you will become an instrument of peace.

St. Mother Teresa instructed her Sisters, the Missionaries of Charity, to offer the Prayer attributed to St. Francis every day after Holy Communion. This is the translation they use; may it be our prayer throughout this week.

"Lord, make me a channel of Thy peace that, where there is hatred, I may bring love; that where there is wrong, I may bring the spirit of forgiveness; that, where there is discord, I may bring harmony; that, where there is error, I may bring truth; that, where there is doubt, I may bring faith; that, where there is

PASTOR'S PEN...continued

despair, I may bring hope; that, where there are shadows, I may bring light; that, where there is sadness, I may bring joy."

"Lord, grant that I may seek rather to comfort than to be comforted, to understand than to be understood; to love than to be loved; for it is by forgetting self that one finds; it is forgiving that one is forgiven; it is by dying that one awakens to eternal life."

PASTORAL REGION ANNOUNCEMENTS

Support for Louisiana Flood Victims

The United States Conference of Catholic bishops have called for an emergency collection to support the humanitarian efforts of Catholic Charities USA and to provide pastoral and rebuilding support to impacted Catholic Dioceses in Louisiana. "Whether your donation is large or small, let us also be sure those suffering feel the power of our prayer to sustain them in the difficult time ahead." We will have a second collection the weekend of September 10-11th in support of this urgent need.

Pork Chop Dinner...Dayton Council 500 K of C is having a Pork Chop dinner on September 9th from 6-9:00 p.m. at K of C hall, 267 Bainbridge. Dinner consisting of two 5 oz. Pork Chops, German potato salad, salad and dressing, apple-sauce and coffee for \$10 plus a donation of a can or food item for the local food pantries. Also, if you wish, please bring your favorite desert for all to share. Adult beverages will be available at regular prices. Great Raffles. Please RSVP your dinner arrangements to Larry Clark @ 937-470-3594 by Monday, Sept. 5th. Thank you for your support.

Dayton Council 500, Past Grand Knights (PGK), Reverse Raffle...Friday, September 16, doors open at 7:00pm, raffle 8-10:00pm, \$30 per couple, 200 tickets to be sold. First prize drawn: \$100. Every 25th ticket drawn is a \$25 winner. The last ticket drawn is a \$1500 winner. FYI: The 198th, 199th and 200th numbers will have a chance to split the \$1500 prize evenly, if all three potential winners agree. A 50/50 prize will also be available. Finger food, snacks and small sandwiches will be available. Draft beer, wine and soft drinks are included in the cost of a ticket. Please email melvinsmolik@yahoo.com or phone Paul Dunigan 937-878-5430. Thank You.

Exercise Series Returns in September at Holy Trinity

The next exercise class based on Tai Chi/Qigong will be held Monday, Sept. 26th - Oct. 31st. Two class options are available with a beginner's level class from 5:45-6:45 pm and an intermediate level class (for those who have completed two beginner class series) from 7:00-8:00 pm. Fees are \$48.00 for each 6 week class series. Fees are payable in full at the first class to the instructor Sharon Treckell. Pre-registration is preferred by Sept. 21st. A minimum of 10 is needed to hold each class. Contact Sharon Becker for more information at 227-9452, or by email at sharonbeck-er6@gmail.com.

EMMANUEL CHURCH

Generous Contributions for August 28, 2016

Weekend Offertory:	Budget	Collection
	\$7385.00	\$5756.40
YTD excess or (deficit)	(\$7711.27)	
St. Vincent de Paul	\$ 639.60	

Many thanks for the generous spirit of our parishioners.
Frs. Angelo and Ken

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.

Joan Hicks

Register Now: Our parish CCD program begins next Saturday, September 10th. Classes are from 9:30 to 11:00. We have classes for children in kindergarten through 8th grade. If you would like your 2nd grader to receive the sacraments of First Penance and First Communion this coming year, you must notify the parish by completing a CCD registration form.

We will be celebrating the sacrament of Confirmation next April. If you would like your 7th or 8th grader to be confirmed, they must attend confirmation preparation either with the Saturday CCD class or the home school co-op program. If you have any questions about religious education or sacraments, contact Brother Matt at brothermatt@emmanuelcatholic.com.

Continuation Catholic Education for High School & Adults
Come and join us for the series "Symbolon" The Catholic Faith Explained – Knowing the Faith. Time 9:30am to 11:00am this Saturday in the Education Center.

Interested in Becoming Catholic?

Are you ready to become a member of the Catholic Church? Or would like some information about the process. Or maybe you know someone who might be interested. Emmanuel Parish will offer RCIA classes beginning in the fall. There are cards by the bulletins in the back of church--please take one and pass it on. For more information, please contact Brother Matt at brothermatt@emmanuelcatholic.com

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH

Generous Contributions for August 28, 2016

Weekend Offertory:	Budget	Collection
	\$6100.00	\$5584.00
YTD excess or (deficit)	(\$3715.85)	

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Holy Trinity is sponsoring a table for up to 14 people for Community Conversation and Dinner sponsored by Catholic Social Services Tuesday, September 27 at St. Francis of Assisi Parish. Monsignor Ray East is the guest speaker and his topic is Ministering in the Mercy Mode. If you would like to go, please call Judi at 228-1223.

Craft Evenings! We will not be gathering for crafts on Labor Day. See you next week!

We're in need of Mass servers for our Sunday Masses as well as Funeral Masses. We welcome all youth and adults who are interested in this ministry to come to a training at the end of September with Father Ken. Please call Judi at the parish office if this is something you are interested in doing.

Remember Them In Your Prayers...Please keep our elderly, sick and homebound in your prayers. Knowing that Trinitarians are praying for them means a lot. If you or a family member are going into the hospital, please call the parish offices and let us know. We are no longer informed by the hospitals of admissions.

WELLNESS TIP:

Body: Get plenty of rest.

Mind: Lead by example.

Spirit: Help a neighbor with yard work or household needs.

Our Fall work party to spruce up the grounds prior to winter will be Saturday, October 1 at 9:00 a.m. We have an ambitious list of jobs to get done, so please come and help. Bring work gloves and your favorite hand tools. The more the merrier and pre-teens and teens are most welcome to come help.

"Like" Holy Trinity Parish on Facebook.

Region 7 Shared Parish Picnic 2016

All of the parishioners from our three downtown parishes in Pastoral Region 7 are invited to a picnic that will take place in the cafeteria at CJ High School off Washington Street. Parking is available at Emmanuel Church or in the CJ parking lots off of Washington Street. Please mark your calendars and join us for this festive picnic on **Sunday, September 18, 2016** beginning at 12:00 Noon. We will eat in the handicapped accessible cafeteria and have games and activities for the children in the courtyard outside the cafeteria. The parishes will provide fried chicken as the main entree and we invite the parishioners to provide a side dish or dessert for 10-14 people in DISPOSABLE containers, assigned by last names: **A—M side dish (hot or cold)** **N—Z dessert**

RSVP is needed by Monday, September 12, 2016. Please put RSVP in the collection basket or contact your parish office.
Holy Trinity: 228-1223, St Joseph: 228-9272, Emmanuel: 228-2013

Last Name: _____

Parish: _____

of Adults: _____

Yes, I would like to volunteer:

of children: Under 7: _____ 7 and older: _____

Name: _____

Phone: _____

With thanks to everyone involved in the Kroger Community Rewards program, our distribution for this quarter is \$458.56

Our sympathy is extended to the family of Linda Holbert, buried from Holy Trinity this past Saturday. May she rest in peace.

Please mark this date on your calendar – we will be making cabbage rolls for our Holiday Bazaar on Thursday, October 6 in Trinity Center kitchen..

ST. JOSEPH CHURCH

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Weekend Offertory: Collection
\$5017.00
Charity: \$ 202.00
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Join us for Coffee and Donuts following the 10:00 Mass next weekend. All are welcome.

Pray for the Men and Women Serving in the Military

Nick Borton	Cody Landers	Matthew Melvin
Michelle Brown	Greg Marcus	Alex McGarvey
Gary Eilers	Tim Melvin	David Musgrove
Kari Mechenbier Eubanks		Jessica Pruitt
		Devin Torre



Rest in the Peace of Christ

Louis Griggs

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

Candace Ayers	Contreras family	Marie Henry
Kathy Buschur	Steve Gillotti	Don Zimmerman
Lance Butler		

Hearing Aid Receivers Available...Are you having difficulty hearing the Mass? If so, we have hearing aid receivers available for your use. Just ask an usher and they will get you one. When you no longer need the receiver just give it back to an usher.

Area Activities

The 12th Annual Blue Mass honoring and praying for the men and women who serve our communities as Police, Fire and Safety personnel will be celebrated on Sunday, September 25th starting at 10:45 a.m. at the Cathedral of St. Peter in Chains in Cincinnati.

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 our community who may be at risk for abortion. Please email tmiller@elizabethnewlifecenter.org or call 937-226-7414 to talk about the possibilities!

Distinguished Speaker Event Focuses on Mercy...This year's event features Monsignor Ray East, pastor of St. Teresa of Avila parish in Washington DC. He will bring a joyous presentation of song and word for nourishing all souls with dignity and their bodies with food. The event, titled "Love thy Neighbor: Ministering in the Mercy Mode," will be held at St. Francis of Assisi church in Centerville on September 27. The evening also includes a light dinner and music. Tickets or sponsorships may be purchased at cssmv.org/missionevent. To learn more contact Catholic Social Services at 223-7217 x1141 or crossl@cssmv.org.



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