

Downtown Dayton Catholic Parishes

May 14, 2017

5th Sunday of Easter

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, May 15

7:30 AM Holy Trinity.....Edith Heiser
12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Juanita Kleibecker

Tuesday, May 16

7:30 AM Holy Trinity.....Jose Rafael Davila Rexach
12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Michele LaFlame

Wednesday, May 17

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....Niehaus Family
12:00 PM St. Joseph.....George Wood

Thursday, May 18

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....All unborn children and their
parents
12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Donald Harris

Friday, May 19

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....Mary Ellen Hoefler
12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Darrel Francis

Saturday, May 20

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....Elsie Faris
12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Don & Elysee Zimmerman
4:30 PM St. Joseph.....Lee Pleiman
5:15 PM Emmanuel.....For our parishioners

Sunday, May 21

8:30 AM Holy Trinity.....For our parishioners
10:00 AM St. Joseph.....For our parishioners
10:30 AM Emmanuel.....Julius Schlater
11:30 AM Holy Trinity.....Magdalene Moorman

Next Week's Readings:

Acts 8:5-8, 14-17; Ps 66:1-7, 16, 20; 1 Pt 3:15-18 or 1 Pt 4:13-16; Jn 14:15-21 or Jn 17:1-11a

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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Rita Zimmerman, Business Manager

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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

The gospel reading for today and for next Sunday is taken from the 14th Chapter of John's Gospel. Jesus has gathered his disciples for the Passover meal, His Last Supper with his disciples. After washing the feet of His disciples Jesus reveals some shocking news, Judas will soon betray Him, Peter will deny Him three times and finally He tells his disciples "My children, I will be with you only a little while longer." Talk about some depressing news!

The disciples had to have been overwhelmed with all that Jesus had just spoken. Jesus must have seen these emotions welling up in the eyes of the disciples. To comfort them Jesus says, "Do not let your hearts be troubled. You have faith in God; have faith also in me." "I am preparing a dwelling place for you that is eternal." These words have served as a source of comfort and support for people throughout the centuries.

What does it mean for you to have a troubled heart? Maybe you would describe a troubled heart as being fearful, angry, stressed out, bitter or divided. When the feelings of a troubled heart begin to stir within you Jesus says in response, "Follow me, for I am the way, the truth and the life." Jesus tells us that He is preparing a dwelling place for each of us in heaven because we are precious in God's sight.

We are precious to God not because of anything we have done but because we are God's children. Through the waters of Baptism, we become children of God and temples of God's spirit. Each of us is a unique reflection of God's love in the world just as a child reflects the identity of his or her parents. God loves each of us because He sees in each of us the love He has for His son, Jesus. The more that we can live in the awareness of our identity as children of God the more we will live in peace.

A parent's love for their child is so important because it mirrors for us the love that God has for each of us: a love that is unconditional, a love that is willing to make sacrifices for the good of the other and a love that is freely given even though we do not deserve it. Today as we honor our mothers, living and deceased, we also honor the Blessed Virgin Mary who with a mother's heart provides for the needs of her children, calms a troubled heart and teaches us the meaning of living faithful, hope-filled lives rooted in God's covenant of love.

In this Easter season, we find joy and strength in the promise Jesus made that He will come back and take us to Himself, "so that where I am you may also be." Jesus instructs us to keep our eyes fixed on him because He is the way, the truth and the life." We don't need to guess which way to go or what path we are to take. We simply need to follow Him to that dwelling place He is preparing for us in heaven.



REGION ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mother's Day Prayer

Loving God, as a mother gives life and nourishment to her children, so you watch over your Church. Bless these women, that they may be strengthened as Christian mothers. Let the example of their faith and love shine forth. Grant that we, their sons and daughters, may honor them always with a spirit of profound respect.

Grant this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Consecration to Jesus through Mary

*Holy Mary, Our Lady of Fatima
with renewed gratitude for your maternal presence
I join my voice to all the generations who call you blessed.*

Hold my life in your arms:

*Ask the Lord to bless and strengthen my every desire for
good; revive and nourish my faith;
sustain and enlighten my hope;
awaken and animate charity within me;
guide me along the path of holiness.*

Ever-Virgin Mary.

*bring me under your protection and entrust me to
your beloved Son, Our Lord Jesus Christ.*

Amen

Golden Anniversary Mass 2017 - Married couples celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary in 2017 are invited to attend the Golden Anniversary Mass at Our Lady of the Immaculate Conception, Dayton on August 12 at 4:30 p.m.. Archbishop Dennis M. Schnurr, Celebrant. Please visit www.catholiccincinnati.org or call 513.421.3131 x2653 before June 23rd to register.

If you are celebrating your 25, 40, 50, 60, 65, 70, or 75 year wedding anniversary this year and would like a commemorative certificate from Archbishop Schnurr visit the [Archdiocese website](http://www.archdiocese.org) to request one.

Lenten Pilgrimage

Starting Point: San Gaspar College, Santiago, Chile

Missionaries founded San Gaspar College for preschool through high school in 1954. Students are taught that their gifts are meant to be shared among God's people. Every year, they go on a mission trip to remote villages in the Chilean Andes. Principal and alumnus Father Antonio Baus, C.P.P.S. stated, "Our students come from well-to-do families. They will go on to the university and probably grow up to lead the country. They have to be exposed to another side of life, so that they will have a heart for ministry and service when they become leaders."

Reflection: *Dear brothers and sisters, the Church loves you! Be an active presence in the community, as living cells, as living stones. (5/5/13)*

Miles earned May 1- May 7: Spiritual - 375 miles.

Walking and exercise 301 miles.

Total miles for the pilgrimage: 12,119!

Three more weeks to Pentecost and the end of our long pilgrimage.

EMMANUEL CHURCH

Generous Contributions for May 7, 2017

Weekend Offertory:	Budget	Collection
	\$7300.00	\$7069.00
YTD excess or (deficit):	\$1007.00	
St. Vincent DePaul:	\$ 785.50	

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

Prayer List

Larry Byrd	Bernard Chachula
Parker Cianciola	Nancy Hathaway

Our Sympathy is extended to the family of Garry Boeckman.
May he rest in the peace of Christ.

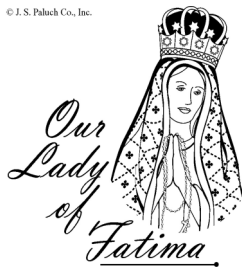
Mass to Honor Graduates

Emmanuel will be honoring high school and college graduates at the 10:30 am Mass on June 4th. There will be a reception after the Mass. If your graduate is interested in participating, or you would like your graduate's name published, please contact Mary Izor at 231-3176 or mizor39@hotmail.com. Please include school and degree.

100th Anniversary Year of Our Lady of Fatima

May 13, 2017 marks the 100th anniversary of the apparitions of Our Lady of Fatima in Portugal. In honor of this anniversary year there will be a shrine set up in church with an image of Our Lady of Fatima. Those who wish to share in the plenary indulgence granted by Pope Francis for this Jubilee Year can visit the shrine on the 13th of each month between May and October. Instructions and other prayer materials will be available at the shrine. In this jubilee year may we follow Our Lady's request for penance, prayer and devotion to her Immaculate Heart.

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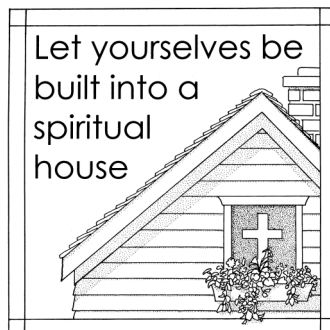
From the Joyful Noiseletter:

In Sunday school, the teacher asked a child:
"Simon, tell me frankly, do you say prayers before eating?"
"No, ma'am," the boy replied, "my Mom is a good cook."

—via Rise Samra Hallandale Beach, FL

Did you forget to pick up a bulletin at Mass?

The bulletins are available on our [website](#). Click on the bulletin link and then choose the week you would like to read. Emmanuel keeps 4 weeks of bulletins on our website. If you need one that is not available on our website, visit [St. Joseph's](#) or [Holy Trinity](#) websites as they have an archive of the bulletins. Keep informed on the happenings within our Downtown Dayton Catholic Parish Communities.



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HOLY TRINITY CHURCH

Generous Contributions for May 7, 2017

Weekend Offertory:	Budget	Collection
	\$6100.00	\$6266.00
YTD excess or (deficit):	\$4164.37	
Outreach collection:	\$745.15	

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Sign a Plank for Catch the Building Spirit 2017. This is the 25th year that Catholics and Presbyterians have joined together to build a home. Write your message on a plank to bless the new home for Sherelle Gabriel and her three children. The signing is today after both Masses in front of church.

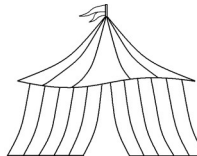
Rummage Sale: Thanks to all who made donations and helped with the Rummage and Plant Sale. Lots of bargains went out our doors with happy customers. We are grateful for all, especially Don Richison for chairing the event and the Rohde family for preparing the lunch menu.

Thanks also to all who came and helped with the grounds clean up. You are much appreciated and the grounds look great.



Vacation Bible School – The dates are set for Vacation Bible School: June 12 – June 16 from 9 a.m. until noon. You can register your children by calling the parish office during the week. The fee remains at \$25 per child. Please let us know as soon as possible so that we can order materials. 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!

Are you celebrating a significant wedding anniversary in 2017? Married couples celebrating 25, 40, 50, 65, 70, 75 years in 2017 are invited to request a congratulatory certificate from Archbishop Dennis M. Schnurr. These certificates will be distributed at a date to be determined at Holy Trinity Parish.
Married couples celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary in 2017 are invited to attend the Golden Anniversary Mass at Immaculate Conception Church on August 12 at 4:30 p.m. Call 513-421-3131, ext. 2653 to request your certificate or register for the Golden Anniversary Mass.



We're Having A Picnic under the big tent on the north parking lot for our Trinity Sunday Celebration. Date: June 11; Time: immediately after the 11:30 Mass until 3:00 p.m. At 3:00 the winners in our 50/50 raffle will be drawn. Have you turned in your chances yet? Luckily Jerry Braun did and he won a free sheet of chances from the sold chances this week.



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Holy Trinity Parish

ST. JOSEPH CHURCH

Generous Contributions for May 7, 2017

Weekend Offertory: Collection
 \$6366.00
 Charity: \$ 148.00
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Welcome to Our New Parishioners

We're delighted you've decided to join St. Joseph's.

Dillon & Rachel Burr and children Louisa & Tucker

Larry & Jenna Jurosic

Ronald & Sheila Kilgore

Thomas & Lois Mann

Joseph & Donna Phipps and son James



Rest in the Peace of Christ

Vincent Lauricella
 Patricia Palmer

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

Kathy Buschur	Raymond Garman	Maryanne Peet
Donna Butts	Jennifer Grant	Tony Riggs
Betty Criner	William Mickle	Theresa Ryan
Joe Franchina	Cathy Nicely	Pauline Westendorf
Herman Gabriel	Jim Peacock	Tom Zukowitz

Pray for the Men and Women Serving in the Military

Rebekka Anders	Cody Landers	Matthew Melvin
Nick Borton	Greg Marcus	Tim Melvin
Kelli Anne Cartuyvelles	Alex McGarvey	David Musgrove
Gary Eilers	Zachary McIntyre	Jessica Pruitt

Area Activities

SVDP 5K WALK/RUN is Saturday, May 20th at the SVDP Community Store on Edwin C. Moses Blvd. Last year, more than 500 people participated. Our conference has a team - Team Emmanuel. If you'd like to participate or make a donation to our team:

- 1) visit stvincentdayton.org
- 2) select Event
- 3) select join Team Emmanuel and sign up to run/walk or make a donation. If you have any problems signing up, contact Carmel at 222-7349, Ext.422. Thank you.

Lay Formation through the Athenaeum of Ohio

Is God calling you to deeper discipleship? The Lay Pastoral Ministry Program is sponsored by the Archdiocese and equips lay Catholics with the knowledge and skills you need to evangelize, teach and serve more effectively. Evening and Saturday classes, flexible components and part time studies let you maintain family and work commitments while you discern God's call and prepare for new opportunities. Graduate and non-degreed options. Call 513-231-1200 for information or to set up an interview.

Growing Older Gracefully

Bergamo Center for Lifelong Learning will be hosting a Growing Older Gracefully program on Weds, May 24 from 9 am to 3 pm with presenter Karen Francis. Karen Ander Francis M.A. has been a spiritual companion for nearly 30 years. Formerly, Director of Adult Programs at Bergamo Center, she continues to accompany others on the journey, to teach, and to write about living with awareness in God's love. She hopes that during this day, you will discover the wisdom of your years, claim the legacy that is your life, and discern how God still invites you to dream, to grow and to serve. Cost for the day is \$30, which includes a morning break and lunch. Register online at <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/growing-older-gracefully-tickets-32978674102> or contact: Barb Kozlowski at barbk@bergamocenter.org or call 937-426-2363 ext. 2224



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