

# Downtown Dayton Catholic Parishes

July 23, 2017

## 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

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

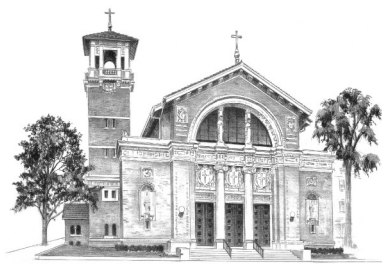
Pastoral Associate: Deacon Matthew Keller, C.P.P.S.

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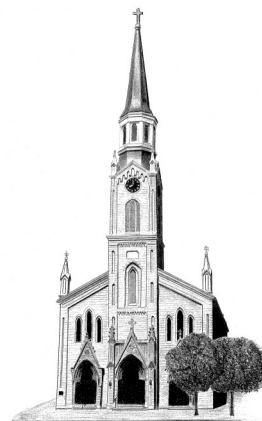
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Emmanuel Church 1837



St. Joseph Church 1847



Holy Trinity Church 1861

### Mass Intentions

#### Monday, July 24

7:30 AM Holy Trinity.....Rev. Sandy Macpherson  
12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Norma Puthoff

#### Tuesday, July 25

7:30 AM Holy Trinity.....Richard C. Jeckering  
12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Joseph & Josephine Pavia

#### Wednesday, July 26

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....Mary Ellen Hoefler  
12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Alice Juntilla

#### Thursday, July 27

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....Brandy Brinkman  
12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Tom Kain

#### Friday, July 28

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

#### Saturday, July 29

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....Lilly Zennie  
12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Mike & Nancy Longo  
4:30 PM St. Joseph.....Christopher Upthegrove  
5:15 PM Emmanuel.....For our parishioners

#### Sunday, July 30

8:30 AM Holy Trinity.....For our parishioners  
10:00 AM St. Joseph.....For our parishioners  
10:30 AM Emmanuel.....Christopher Penno  
11:30 AM Holy Trinity.....Mary Hart

#### Next Week's Readings:

1 Kgs 3:5, 7-12; Ps 119:57, 72, 76-77, 127-130; Rom 8:28-30;  
Mt 13:44-52 [44-46]

### 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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**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

Last week we heard the parable of the farmer who went out sowing seeds. Some seed fell on the path and the birds ate it. Some seed landed on rocks, sprouted and soon withered. Some landed among thorns which choked the seedlings. And some landed on fertile soil and produced an abundant harvest. Like the sowing of seeds there can be many obstacles to proclaiming the Word of God.

Today's Gospel puts us back into the field. This time we find out that even though the farmer planted good wheat seed, an enemy came and planted weeds that look like wheat. Now that their roots have grown together the owner of the farm decides that it is best to wait and separate the wheat from the weeds at harvest time.

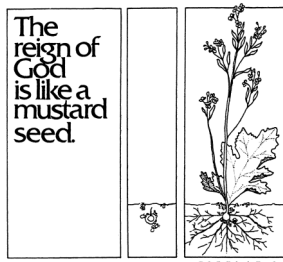
Our world is like this field. We experience both good and bad in life. Though we might want to escape this reality and live in a safe isolated bubble it is not possible to escape the reality of sin and evil. Our world is not perfect and this side of heaven we will continually encounter the presence of both good and evil. We know this from the life of Jesus. You can be very, very good; you can be the Son of God and still get nailed to a cross.

Our call is to live in the world, but not to be of the world. Our responsibility in life is to follow the example of Jesus; to be a light and a leaven in the world that reflects the mercy, justice and compassion of God. Jesus didn't isolate himself from the brokenness and sinfulness of people; rather, he touched the lives of the Scribes and Pharisees as well as the tax collectors, prostitutes and unclean lepers. He didn't try to get rid of them or ignore them--he treated them as his brothers and sisters, all children of the same Father.

When we take a good honest look at our lives we can see that each of us is a blending of a saint and a sinner. God sees the potential for goodness within all his creation; even though we betray him and deny Him, God will never give up on us.

How do you recognize the weeds in your life? Chances are it is anything that does not require any effort or commitment or inconvenience on your part. Weeds require no labor. They just appear in the garden. Maybe the weed in your life is a lack of patience, a judgmental attitude, an addiction or bad habit, the need to feel superior or an attitude which says, "If it feels good, do it." Staying close to Jesus and all he has taught you will help to strengthen the growth of the Kingdom of God within you so the weeds will not overtake your heart.

Like the tiny mustard seed, the seed of the Kingdom of God given to us in baptism has the potential to grow and spread in amazing ways. As a common, ordinary garden herb, the mustard plant has the potential of taking over a whole garden. Once this seed is planted, there is no stopping it! Jesus is saying to us...you are like this seed that holds such great potential. Don't keep your faith just to yourself...share it! Our responsibility is to be "wheat", mingling our lives with the life of Jesus so that others can see that the Kingdom of God is alive and at work in our world today!



## REGION ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Missionary Cooperative Appeal Postponed.** The mission appeal in support of the ministry of the Oldenburg Franciscans has been postponed due to a medical emergency of one of the speakers. We hope to reschedule the appeal for the Fall of this year. A new appeal date will be posted in the bulletin. Please keep the Sisters of St. Francis of Oldenburg in your prayers.

**The Marriage Ministry of Region 7** parishes invites you to join us Saturday, August 12th for a romantic river adventure on the Little Miami River! Meet at River's Edge Outfitters, 3928 US 42, Waynesville at 2 p.m. for the 3 p.m. trip. Please be on time, as the shuttle bus does not wait for late comers. It will take about 2-3 hours to complete this 3.5 mile trip down the river, depending on how many stops you and your sweetie choose to make along the way to swim, picnic or just relax.

**IMPORTANT:** Visit [www.riversedgeoutfitters.com](http://www.riversedgeoutfitters.com) to book your canoe or tandem kayak for a 3 p.m. trip on the "Blue Jacket's Best" (3.5 mile) course at the earliest opportunity to ensure equipment reservation. The price is \$45 per couple. Please e-mail [Anna Earl](mailto:Anna.Earl@riversedgeoutfitters.com) with questions.

Mark your calendars for the second Saturday of each month when we alternate between a social event and a formational event designed for fun and enrichment of your marriage (or future marriage.) On September 9th, we return to a formational evening event. You won't want to miss it!

### With a grateful heart!

The Community Blood Center is most appreciative to our Region 7 parishes for sponsoring the blood drive on Thursday, July 13th. 18 people participated in the drive which the CBC noted "helps the summer blood supply stay strong". The next drive will be in February, 2018.

### You're invited to the First: St. Vincent de Paul Open House and Ice Cream Social!

Come and see what St. Vincent de Paul has been able to do because of your generosity! Join us for hot dogs, ice cream, fellowship, and a tour of our pantry.

**When:** After all Masses the weekend of July 29th and 30th (except after the 8:30 Mass at Holy Trinity).

**Where:** At the Emmanuel St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry, located at 155 Franklin Street.



**Golden Anniversary Mass 2017** - Married couples celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary in 2017 are invited to gather at Our Lady of Immaculate Conception Church, Dayton on August 12th for a special Mass celebrated by Archbishop Dennis Schnurr. All are welcome! No RSVP necessary.

**Catholic Ministry Appeal.** A Mass of Thanksgiving for the Catholic Ministry Appeal will be celebrated on Sunday, August 13th at St. Paul Catholic Church, Englewood, at the 10:30 a.m. Mass. All are welcome to participate and give thanks for the success of this year's appeal.

## EMMANUEL CHURCH

### Generous Contributions for July 16, 2017

Weekend Offertory:	Budget	Collection
	\$7920.00	\$3594.00
YTD excess or <b>deficit:</b>	<b>\$2188.00</b>	
St. Vincent DePaul:	\$ 359.40	

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

#### Prayer List

Larry Byrd	Parker Cianciola	Joan Hicks
Bernard Chachula	Craig Hathaway	Peggy McCarley
Sr. Montiel Rosenthal, S.C.		Evelyn Varmuza

**Psalms Bible Study:** The Psalms form the heart and soul of the liturgical prayer and praise of the Church and are prominent in its teaching. They focus our corporate response to the Old Testament readings in the Liturgy of the Word. They form the basis of the Divine Office, the Church's official set of daily prayers. And they continue to be a rich resource for helping us to orient our hearts to God and to direct our innermost thoughts to him in private prayer. Join us to study Psalms: The School of Prayer in September at Emmanuel's Education Center. See flyers in back of church to register.

#### Consider Making Gifts of Stock or Mutual Fund Shares

Donating shares of stock or mutual funds that have increased in value may benefit both your parish and provide personal financial benefits. Depending on your age, it may be beneficial for you to contribute assets directly from a retirement savings plan. For more information on making such gifts please contact Brother Matt at the Parish Office.

#### 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.

#### 100th Anniversary Year of Our Lady of Fatima

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.

### FORGIVENESS

And is God not more ready to pardon than we to sin?

—St. Catherine of Siena

## HOLY TRINITY CHURCH

### Generous Contributions for July 16, 2017

Weekend Offertory:	Budget	Collection
	\$6100.00	\$5815.00
YTD <b>excess</b> or (deficit):	<b>\$3375.22</b>	

Many thanks for the generous spirit of our parishioners.  
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**Our Sympathy** is extended to the family of George Beemsterboer buried from Holy Trinity this past Tuesday. May he rest comfortably in the arms of Our Father.

#### Articles for the Fall Newsletter "Inspired" are due July 28.

Articles are to be about upcoming events here at the parish or public interest articles relating to our parish. They may be at the most 500 words in length. Please submit all articles to Tea Yankel at [tea.l.yankel@gmail.com](mailto:tea.l.yankel@gmail.com).

**School Supplies** – As has become our tradition, we are collecting school supplies for children in the Dayton City Schools who can't afford to purchase them. There will be bins in the back of church starting next Sunday to accept your donations of pencils, ballpoint pens, loose leaf paper, crayons (16 count or larger), two pocket folders, soft binders and wide ruled tablets.

**The Corner Cupboard, 504 Xenia Avenue** always counts on caring, friendly volunteers to staff the store. Do you fill the bill? Please contact Wilma for additional information at 937-252-5491 or email corner [cupboard504@gmail.com](mailto:cupboard504@gmail.com).

#### Interested in free college tuition?

The University of Dayton Dining Services has over 30 fulltime - 9 month positions available. For more information contact Barb Gilbert at 937-673-4616.

**Craft Evening** in preparation for the Craft Booth at the Bazaar will start up on Monday, August 14 in the cafeteria at Trinity Center. The time: 4:30 to 7:30 p.m. Everyone interested in helping make crafts (you do not have to be super crafty) is welcome to come and help. Please bring any ideas you may have for crafts to this first meeting so we can plan our time together. Just in case, bring your favorite crafting tools. Thank you.

#### 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 is going into the hospital, please call the parish offices and let us know. We are no longer informed by the hospital of admissions.

**Would you be interested** in helping plan fund raising activities for the parish and serving on our Parish Pastoral Council? If so, please call Sam Eckhart (902-9711) and speak with him about involvement.



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## ST. JOSEPH CHURCH

### Generous Contributions for July 16, 2017

Weekend Offertory: Collection  
 \$7332.50  
 Charity: \$ 242.00  
 Many thanks for the generous spirit of our parishioners.  
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**A reminder that a charitable tax break for IRA owners is permanent.** Individuals who are 70 1/2 and older can transfer up to \$100,000 annually from their IRAs directly to charity at any time during the year. The tax law that passed December 2015 made this tax break permanent. These transfers count as part of your yearly minimum distribution. There are several tax benefits of these direct IRA payouts to charity. The distributions aren't taxable and won't cause you to have extra income that could reduce your itemized deductions or personal exemptions, or trigger more tax on your Social Security benefits. Of course, you can't also deduct the donation. You may want to consider this for any future contributions, including unpaid pledges to One Faith, One Hope, One Love. Contact your tax advisor for more details.

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

Bobby Deppen      Jim Peacock      Tony Riggs  
 Jennifer Grant

### Pray for the Men and Women Serving in the Military

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

## Area Activities

### CJ Lucas Pfander Memorial Race

Registration for the Lucas Pfander Memorial Race begins at 6:00 p.m. on August 12th, at the entrance of Roger Glass Stadium – Home of the CJ Eagles. A one-mile race for grade school students begins at 6:30 p.m., with 2-mile race for high school students and adults immediately following. Donations and sale of t-shirts benefit the Lucas Pfander Memorial Scholarship. More details are available at [www.cjeagles.org](http://www.cjeagles.org).

**The 2017 United Irish of Dayton Celtic Festival** will take place July 28-30 at RiverScape MetroPark in Downtown Dayton. Admission is FREE! On Sunday, July 30, the festival will feature a Catholic Mass at 10:00 a.m. at the United Irish of Dayton Stage in the Five Rivers MetroParks Pavilion. Mass will be presented in Gaelic and English. Irish dancers and pipers will be present.

**Christ Child Society of Dayton**, which has been active in the Dayton community for over 100 years, is currently accepting new members. If interested please call Sherry Brown at 433-5811 or Linda Skuns at 222-4998. An informational meeting will be held in August.

### Lay Catholic Studies: 50% Tuition Reduction for 2017-2018

The Athenaeum of Ohio Lay Pastoral Ministry Program is sponsored by the Archdiocese of Cincinnati and offers lay Catholics the opportunity to grow in faith, knowledge and skills. Interviews are now underway for fall classes meeting at Sacred Heart of Jesus parish in McCartyville, Good Shepherd parish in Montgomery, or the main campus. Contact Dr. Susan McGurgan at [smcgurgan@athenaeum.edu](mailto:smcgurgan@athenaeum.edu) or 513-231-1200 for information or to set up an interview.

**Elizabeth's New Life Center** has an opening for a Development Office (DO) for the Dayton area. The position is 24 hours a week with occasional nights and weekends for special events. Visit our website at [elizabethnewlife.org](http://elizabethnewlife.org) to submit resume and cover letter.



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