

Downtown Dayton Catholic Parishes

July 30, 2017

17th 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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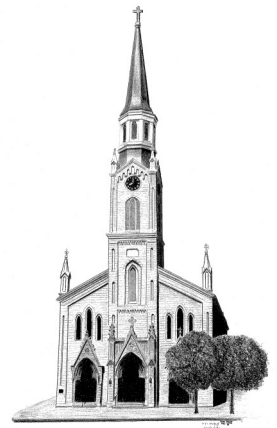
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Emmanuel Church 1837



St. Joseph Church 1847



Holy Trinity Church 1861

Mass Intentions

Monday, July 31

7:30 AM Holy Trinity.....Fr. Sandy Macpherson
12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Joseph Wiles Jr and family

Tuesday, August 1

7:30 AM Holy Trinity.....Richard C. Jeckering
12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Angela McCarthy

Wednesday, August 2

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....Michael Zennie
12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Kay Belcher

Thursday, August 3

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....Frances Tatone
12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Jerry Gray

Friday, August 4

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....Ken Grantonic
12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Dan Dalton

Saturday, August 5

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....Estelle Braun
12:00 PM St. Joseph.....David Scott
4:30 PM St. Joseph.....For our parishioners
5:15 PM Emmanuel.....For our parishioners

Sunday, August 6

8:30 AM Holy Trinity.....For our parishioners
10:00 AM St. Joseph.....Cecilia & Patrick Doherty
10:30 AM Emmanuel.....Dennis & Mary Moore
11:30 AM Holy Trinity.....Mary Hart

Next Week's Readings:

Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9; 2 Pt 1:16-19; Mt 17:1-9

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

Emmanuel Church

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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

Annie Foos

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.

One day a little girl asked her mother what people mean when they say, "all things work for the good for those who love God." Her mother was baking a cake and without directly answer the question, she handed her daughter a spoonful of baking soda. "Yuck! That tastes awful. Why did you give me that stuff to eat?" Her mother responded, "Amelia, I don't want you to ever forget this, you can't just focus on one thing in life. Like that baking soda, by itself it tastes bad, but when you mix it with flour, sugar, butter and milk and heat it in the oven something good is made. That is what it means to say, 'all things work for the good for those who love God.' If we only focus on the bad stuff in life then all we see is bad. But when look at all the parts of life, and put them together, mixing the crosses with the blessings in life, we begin to see the hand of God is leading all things to the good."

The bible reveals many stories of God's fidelity and the importance of trusting in God to lead all things to the good. When God promised to give Solomon anything he asked for, Solomon's response could have been for personal wealth, fame, a life free from pain. But he didn't. Solomon asked for "an understanding heart that he might discern right from wrong." Solomon's request revealed his concern for God's people and the wisdom needed to place his trust in God and God's goodness.

The gift of wisdom enables us to identify the greatest treasure in life as the Kingdom of Heaven that Jesus announced to His disciples. In recognizing this treasure, we see that God is the source of all life, the one who teaches us what it means to love unconditionally. By embracing the cross Jesus taught us that everyone's life is going to experience both suffering and joy. God can bring forth new life even from terrible suffering. The cross of Christ becomes our true treasure and everything else pales in comparison to it.

The Gift of WISDOM

Because of Christ's victory over sin and death, the cross takes on new meaning for us. Sometimes when the hard knocks of life come our way we find it hard to live in the hope that God is bringing all things to the good. Rather than continuing our search for the true and lasting treasure we stop looking and fall into despair. When we look at our life with Christ we cannot just look at the cost of discipleship. We must also be aware of the grace and blessings that accompany us each day as children of God.

Once a person has found the most precious treasure in life it stands to reason that they are willing to make any sacrifice to have that treasure. In the spiritual sense, this is a call to put aside your old self so that you can be committed to claiming this new treasure as your own, to nurture it and protect it.

May our prayer today be like Solomon's,

"Lord, give to your servant an understanding heart; one that can distinguish right from wrong; a heart that recognizes you as my true and lasting treasure."

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 to book your canoe or tandem kayak for a 3 p.m. trip on the "Blue Jacket's Best" (3.5 mile) course as soon as possible to ensure equipment reservation. The price is \$45 per couple. Please e-mail [Anna Earl](mailto:anna.earl7@gmail.com) (anna.earl7@gmail.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!

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.

Weekend of Discovery... A Lifetime of Love! You're invited to attend a Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend, where married couples can get away from jobs, kids, chores, and phones—and focus only on each other. If you'd like greater depth, growth, and enrichment in your relationship, you'll like the difference a Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend can make! The upcoming Marriage Encounter weekends are;

September 22-24, **St. Joseph Parish, Cold Spring, KY** (non-residential; full content weekend with participants returning home each evening, no overnight stay.)

October 20-22, **Our Lady of the Holy Spirit Center, Norwood, OH**

November 3-5, **Spiritual center of Maria Stein, Maria Stein, OH**

For more information or to register, contact Dave or Jan Stockelman, 513-251-1940 or 800-547-1251 code00 or dj2378@fuse.net or www.esharing.org.

The St. Christopher Women's Prayer Group has scheduled a Healing Mass with Father John Tonkin, 7 p.m. August 3 at St. Christopher Church, 435 E. National Rd, Vandalia. The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick will be offered to those "who are in danger due to sickness or old age" All are welcome.

EMMANUEL CHURCH

Generous Contributions for July 23, 2017

Weekend Offertory:	Budget	Collection
	\$7920.00	\$5618.00

YTD excess or **deficit:** (\$4490.00)

St. Vincent DePaul: \$ 561.80

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: At the heart of the Bible are the Psalms, prayers from God that help us learn to pray. The Holy Spirit inspired them. Israel sang them. Christ himself prayed them, as did our Blessed Mother. These sacred hymns become our heartfelt response to God's loving and wondrous deeds for us. Their words captivate the imagination and draw us into a deeply personal encounter with God. The LAST day to register for the discounted price of \$15 is August 10th. Please see flyers in back of Church for ALL the details.

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.

From the Joyful Noiseletter:

A reporter asked a 104-year-old woman:
"What do you think is the best thing about being 104?"

"No peer pressure," she replied.

—via George Goldtrap
Ormond-by-the-Sea, FL

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH

Generous Contributions for July 23, 2017

Weekend Offertory:	Budget	Collection
	\$6100.00	\$3778.31

YTD **excess** or (deficit): **\$1053.44**

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Welcome to Our Newly Registered Parishioners; Sam Sawaya, Brittany Butler and Evan Pitts.

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.

School Supplies – As has become our tradition, we are again collecting school supplies for children in Dayton City School who are unable to 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.

Interested in free college tuition?

The University of Dayton Dining Services has over 30 full time - 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.

The United Irish of Dayton Celtic Festival will take place July 28-30 at RiverScape MetroPark in Downtown Dayton. On Sunday, July 30, we'll have a Catholic Mass said in English and Gaelic at 10 a.m.

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.

ST. JOSEPH CHURCH

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Weekend Offertory: Collection
 \$4461.00
 Charity: \$ 132.00
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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

The Bergamo Center for Lifelong Learning will be offering courses in Spiritual Direction/Companioning each Tuesday evening from 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm beginning Oct. 10th. Instructors are experienced Spiritual Directors from around the Cincinnati Archdiocese. The cost for the program is \$300 per semester. Call Barb Kozlowski 937-426-2363 or barbk@bergamocenter.org.

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. Call 937-226-7414 or email tmiller@elizabethnewlife.org.

Retrouvaille—A Lifeline for Married Couples

The next program will begin the weekend of Sept. 8-10, 2017. Retrouvaille is a Catholic sponsored, confidential program open to all faiths. It offers a chance to rediscover yourself, and your spouse. It is for couples that have experienced a breakdown in communication, become unloving and uncaring, thinking of separation or divorce or who are separated. Visit helpourmarriage.org.

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.

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.



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