

Downtown Dayton Catholic Parishes

January 14, 2018

2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

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

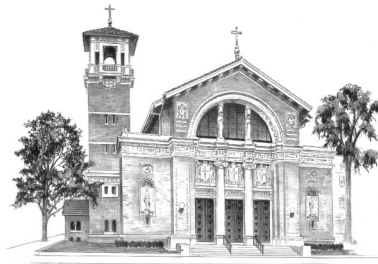
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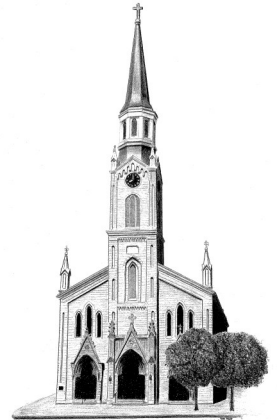
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Emmanuel Church 1837



St. Joseph Church 1847



Holy Trinity Church 1861

Mass Intentions

Monday, January 15

7:30 AM Holy Trinity.....Edith Heiser
12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Darrel Francis

Tuesday, January 16

7:30 AM Holy Trinity.....Madeleine Donahue
12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Rev. William Dineen C.P.P.S.

Wednesday, January 17

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....Wilhelmina Dix
12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Joe Healy

Thursday, January 18

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....James P. Thompson, Intention
of Helene Thompson
12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Benjamin & Antonio Bayot

Friday, January 19

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....Fr. Chris Coleman
12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Special Intention

Saturday, January 20

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....Estelle Braun
12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Lenora McCann
4:30 PM St. Joseph.....Ethel Sichman
5:15 PM Emmanuel.....For our parishioners

Sunday, January 21

8:30 AM Holy Trinity.....Bernard Kleimeier
10:00 AM St. Joseph.....For our parishioners
10:30 AM Emmanuel.....Sr. Marguerite Schoenung,
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11:30 AM Holy Trinity.....For our parishioners

Next Week's Readings:

Jon 3:1-5, 10; Ps 25:4-9; 1 Cor 7:29-31; Mk 1:14-20

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

One day, St. Francis of Assisi invited a young monk to join him on a trip into town to preach. The young monk was so honored to get such an invitation from St. Francis that he quickly accepted. All day long he and St. Francis walked through the streets and byways, alleys and suburbs, and they rubbed shoulders with hundreds of people.

At the end of the day, the two headed back home, however, not even once had St. Francis addressed a crowd, nor had he talked to anyone about the gospel. The young monk was greatly disappointed, and he said to St. Francis, "I thought we were going into town to preach!" St. Francis responded, "My son, we have preached. We were preaching while we were walking. We were seen by many and our behavior was closely watched. It is of no use to walk anywhere to preach unless we preach everywhere as we walk!"

Today, we are invited to reclaim our role in evangelization, to bring others the Good News of Jesus. So often we associate evangelization as something just for the professionals to do and yet, all of us because of our baptism are called to bring others to Christ. Like Andrew in our gospel reading today, we are to be missionary disciples, people who hear the call to follow Christ and who bring others with us to share in what we have experienced.

All too often the call from God is confused by the many competing voices crying out for our attention. Hearing is a function of the ears and we hear a lot of things in a day's time. Listening is different, it is a function of the heart and mind and spirit. Listening requires focus, attention and effort. This is often the challenge in our relationships with others. We hear what they are saying, but we are not really listening to what is being said to us. This is also true in our relationship with Jesus.

Having completed the Christmas season and entering Ordinary Time, we are given another opportunity to walk with Jesus and learn from Him how to walk the path of life. As Rabbi Heschel once said, "The way to God is the way of God." For Christians, this means patterning our life upon the life of Jesus, recognizing that our bodies are temples of God's spirit.

Think for a moment about how you treat your body. What kind of food or drink or exercise do you receive? What kind of information from the internet, television or media does your mind receive? Are the words you speak Good News or put downs? Does the thought of God dwelling within you embarrass you? St. Paul notes, "Do you not know that your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit within you, whom you have from God, and that you are not your own? For you have been purchased at a price. Therefore, glorify God in your body." If we are successful in glorifying God in our body, then we will surely attract others to Him.

2018 Catholic Ministries Appeal (CMA)...Next weekend, the 2018 Catholic Ministries Appeal will kick off throughout the archdiocese. The CMA is our opportunity to support the work of six vital ministries and their many programs, all of which operate right here in our archdiocese. Also if we exceed our parish goal for the CMA, 50% of our overage comes back to the parish to be used toward a parish ministry or project of greatest need. Please prayerfully consider supporting this year's CMA. Your help is needed to Impact the Story for thousands of people throughout our archdiocese. For more details, please visit CatholicAppeal.info. Thank you!



REGION ANNOUNCEMENTS

Region blood drive returns for peak winter needs!

The Region 7 Health Ministries Team is sponsoring a blood drive on Wednesday, Jan. 31, from 8:00 am to 6:00 pm. At the Community Blood Center, 340 S. Main St. There are peak needs during the winter, so please consider taking a bit of time out of your day to donate a true gift of life! Appointments are encouraged. Just call 1-800-388-GIVE, or visit their website at www.donortime.com to schedule a time.

Catholic Education Foundation Tuition Assistance. The Catholic Education Foundation of the Archdiocese is offering \$2 million in tuition assistance to families of elementary school students for the 2018-2019 school year. Families can apply for up to \$1,000 per student in needs-based tuition assistance. The application deadline is January 31, 2018. If you have questions call Pam Jaspers at 513-421-3131, ext. 2713 or email. cef@catholicbestchoice.org.

SVPD Fundraiser...Our event is only **TWO** weeks away (Friday, Jan. 26th). To volunteer, call Sunnie at 232-7366. To donate baked goods call Judy at 247-5066. Tickets will be sold at all three parishes this weekend and next weekend. Tickets may also be purchased by calling Holly at 901-4194. Please join us for this fun event and help make our event a success.

Fourth Annual Sweetheart Dinner Dance...Celebrate with your Valentine at a Sweetheart Dinner Dance hosted by the marriage ministry of Saint Joseph, Emmanuel and Holy Trinity Parishes including a sit down dinner, two adult beverages, prizes, and dancing on Friday, February 9th (new date) from 6-10 pm at Dayton Woman's Club, 225 N Ludlow St, Dayton. Reserve your seats by Jan 27th for \$50 per couple by calling Rachel Bond at 937-554-6208 or in person after Masses on January 14 at St. Joseph, and January 21 & 22 at Holy Trinity and Emmanuel. Space is limited!

Exercise Series for Health Returns in January!

The next Tai Chi/Qigong exercise series will be held Tuesday, January 16 - through February 20, 2018. The series will feature one 90 minute class each week with both beginner and intermediate styles being taught. Time is 6:00-7:30 pm in the Trinity Center at 266 Bainbridge St. Fee is \$60.00 for the 6-week class series and is payable in full at the first class to Holy Trinity Church. Pre-registration is preferred by Thursday, Jan. 11th as a minimum of 12 people is needed to hold the class. The class will close at 20 participants. Contact Sharon Becker to register 734-9452, or sharonbecker6@gmail.com.

Thank you so much for your recent participation in the Bottles for Babies campaign for Elizabeth's New Life Center! The Region 7 Churches generously raised \$7,173 which will save 14 babies! That is no small thing...that is amazing! *We always accept returned bottles and we show there are still 103 that need to be returned.* If you still have a bottle, please return it to one of the ushers at Church. It's not too late to help contribute, even an empty bottle returned is a savings for them. Thanks again for your support and generosity!

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EMMANUEL CHURCH

Generous Contributions for January 7, 2018

Weekend Offertory:	Budget	Collection
	\$ 7,920.00	\$5877.00
St. Vincent DePaul	\$ 587.70	
YTD excess or (deficit):	\$36,911.00	
Year-end Contributions:	\$14,000.00	

Many thanks for the generous spirit of our parishioners.

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Prayer List

Daniel Branch	Joan Hicks	Patrick McDonald
Larry Byrd	Charles Liebert	Bridget Portune
Lawrence Case	Richard Malafa	Albert Veith
Bernard Chachula	Mike McDonald Sr.	Donna Williams
George Hendrix		

Our Sympathy is extended the family of Alfred Landis. May he rest in the peace of the Lord.

Marriage Date Night and Learning at Emmanuel Catholic Church!

Join us for a series of Date Nights packed with marriage enrichment skills. These fun and informative sessions are for all engaged or married couples from any parish and stage of life. Interaction, prayer, Catechism and Bible reflection, and activities are designed to support couples in renewing their understanding of what it means to have a Sacramental Marriage and to rediscover the one they fell in love with many years ago. Classes begin **February 11 from 6:30pm to 8:30 pm** and will run for 12 consecutive Sundays (excluding Easter Sunday) in the school building of Emmanuel Catholic Church. To sign up, please call Greg Schutte at 937-262-7010. Space is limited to the first 20 couples and there is a registration fee of \$40 per couple. Babysitting is available until capacity is reached, so please indicate your need in your call. For details about the DODD program visit www.ourdeepestdesire.com.

Miraculous Medal Novena with Adoration and Benediction

Join us on Tuesday evenings at 7:00pm for the Miraculous Medal Novena, with church doors opening at 6:30pm. During this holy hour we pray the Novena as well as have Exposition, Benediction, Communion and a short homily. Come and spend some quiet time in the presence of God. It's a perfect opportunity to talk to Our Lord and listen to what He wants to tell you!

9 Days for Life. This novena (9 days) will be done by Catholics across the country from January 18-26, 2018. It will link our prayers for the conversion of all hearts and the end to abortion, as well as for many other areas related to the sanctity of human life at every stage and in every circumstance. Visit www.9daysforlife.com. Sign up for daily text messages by texting 9DAYS to 55000 to receive the novena in English.

The Dayton Institute on Faith and Culture will be presenting **How To Live Your Faith In A Post Christian Culture** at 1:00 pm on Sunday, January 21 at Emmanuel Catholic Church (in the church). Hear presentations from Dr. Drew Beauchamp, **The Benedict Option** by Rod Dreher; Prof. Christine Dalessio, **Strangers in a Strange Land** by Archbishop Charles Chaput and Dr. Michael Carter **Resurrecting the Idea of a Christian Society** by R.R. Reno, dealing with the challenges Catholics and other Christians face living in a world that is often hostile to our faith. A Q & A will follow the presentations. For details and to RSVP call Charlie Gross, 937-890-6262 or via e mail susie@susiegross.com.

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH

Generous Contributions for January 7, 2018

Weekend Offertory:	Budget	Collection
	\$ 6,100.00	\$9543.70
YTD excess or (deficit):	\$23,551.09	
Outreach collection:	\$823.00	

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Join with us after the 11:30 Mass today for our program - **Racism: A Look at White Privilege**

Lunch will begin at 12:45 and will be followed with a presentation by Sr. Jeanette Buehler and Jackie Colvard. The topic will be "Racism: A Look at White Privilege." You won't want to miss this! Even if you did not RSVP you are welcome to join us. The main dish and drinks will be provided by the parish, so if you are able, please bring a side dish of your choice to share and join with us. All are welcome.

We Welcome New Members – If you have been attending Holy Trinity for a while and would like to register in the parish, you may do so by picking up a form off the bookshelf in the back of church or by calling the parish office. Thank you!

Time is running out to get your place at the table for our wine tasting and teaching.

We are still accepting reservations and payment for our Annual Wine Tasting and Teaching fundraiser which will be held January 28, 4:00 p.m. at the Wine Gallery and Café. Cost is \$40 per person. Come and enjoy fine food paired with delicious wines under the tutelage of host Brian Linnean. Call the parish office to make arrangements for your party to attend. We are limited to 76 attendees and we have seats yet to be filled.

Tax Preparation is just Around the Corner - If you would like a copy of your donations for 2017, please call Judi at the parish office.

Corner Cupboard Charities

We are very appreciative of the donation our Outreach Ministry receives quarterly from the Corner Cupboard. They are always in need of volunteers and your donations of clothing, household goods and furniture. If you can help them out in anyway, please call 252-5491. They are located at 524 Xenia Avenue.

Mark this date on your calendar: Our Fish and Sausage Fry will be Saturday, February 17. If you would like to help with this fundraiser and we do need lots of help, please call Sam Eckhart at 902-9711 or Judi at the parish office.

Our annual Pancake Breakfast hosted by our FIRE families is Sunday, February 11. Mark it on your calendar and plan to attend and see our young families in action!

Online giving at Holy Trinity

We are pleased to announce that Holy Trinity provides online giving through software called Connectnow Giving as of January 1. This is a convenient and safe way to make a one-time or recurring donation. Getting started is easy –check out our website Holytrinitydayton.org and follow the instructions. Many thanks to John Harrelson for setting this up on our webpage

We are accepting Mass intentions for 2018. Please call Judi at the parish office if you would like to schedule some Masses for your deceased loved ones.

ST. JOSEPH CHURCH

Generous Contributions for January 7, 2018

Weekend Offertory: Collection
\$8539.00
Charity: \$ 158.00

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If you requested a year end tax statement last year, one has been mailed to you this year. If you do not receive one in the mail this week and would like one, please call the rectory office 228-9272.

Our sympathy is extended to the family of Theresa King. May she rest in peace.

As the new year begins, the Social Committee members would like to thank all who supported this ministry last year by bringing food items to share at the monthly Coffee and Donuts. Your contributions have made this event very successful, so please continue to support us. To all who have never attended, you are invited to come and share a little food and fellowship with other parishioners. There's always room for more!

Join us for **Coffee & Donuts** this Sunday following the 10:00am Mass in the School Cafeteria. All are welcome!

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

Cheryl Anderson	Bill Doherty	Vanessa Padgett
Charlie Brown	Carol French	Tony Riggs
John Demeter	Jennifer Grant	Jean Sichman
Christine Durr	Brenda Magnum	Sharon Wenzel

Pray for the Men and Women Serving in the Military

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

Area Activities

Youth and Young Adult Faith Coordinator

Saint Luke, Beavercreek, is looking for a full-time pastoral minister to shepherd youth-young adult faith formation and to foster its integration into parish life. Applicants need a personal faith, commitment to formation and team ministry, an appropriate background (education and experience), social media and computer skills and an ability to work with volunteers and staff. Submit a resume to bguindon@saintlukeparish.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 weekly, bi-weekly or monthly to work with the underserved women in our community who may be at risk for abortion. Please email tmiller@elizabethnewlife.org or call 937-226-7414 to talk about the possibilities!

Catholic Sponsored Divorcecare – 11th Year at St. Francis of Assisi Church It is not too late to join our divorce-recovery support group! A 13 week support group, held on Thursday evenings, 7-9 pm from Jan. 11 to Apr. 12; 6245 Wilmington Pike. Cost: is \$25 per person. Scholarships are available. For more information, or to register, call Marcelle Toma at 937-312-1157 (Not a texting number) or mtoma@woh.rr.com. This support group deals with such recovery topics as anger, loneliness, new relationships, annulments, etc.

St. Albert the Great Athletic Association's Annual Fish Fry

Friday, January 19th, 7:00 PM - Midnight
Carry out available from 5:00 PM - 6:30 PM
Pre-pay \$15.00 per ticket, Day of \$20.00
Big Cash Raffle, Silent Auction, Casino games, cards, & 50/50 split the pot raffle. Questions? contact Janelle Brand jbrand@stag-school.org

The Office for Respect Life Ministries is offering a Day of Reflection for all those who have been affected by abortion on January 27. Register at: www.catholiccincinnati.org/project-rachel/



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