

# Downtown Dayton Catholic Parishes

April 29, 2018

## 5th Sunday of Easter

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

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

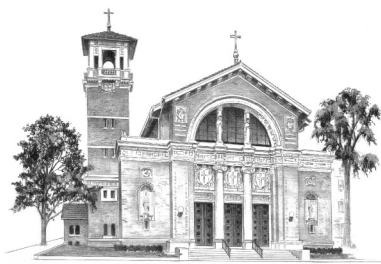
Pastoral Associate: Deacon Matthew Keller, C.P.P.S.

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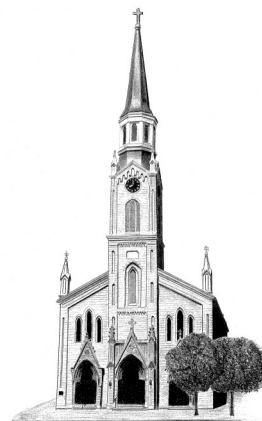
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Emmanuel Church 1837



St. Joseph Church 1847



Holy Trinity Church 1861

### Mass Intentions

#### Monday, April 30

7:30 AM Holy Trinity.....Lamanna family

12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Joan Burkhart

#### Tuesday, May 1

7:30 AM Holy Trinity.....Orville "Babe" Perkins

12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Virginia Griffin

#### Wednesday, May 2

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....Living & deceased members  
Trick family

12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Jerry Kowalski

#### Thursday, May 3

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....Intention of Monnin family

12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Rosalie Caperna

#### Friday, May 4

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....Living & deceased members  
Weixelman family

12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Tom & Rose Erhart

#### Saturday, May 5

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....Living & deceased members  
St. Elizabeth Hospital Nursing Alumni Class of 1968

12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Jerry A. Gray

4:30 PM St. Joseph.....John J. O'Kane

5:15 PM Emmanuel.....Wilhelmina Dix

#### Sunday, May 6

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.....Magdalene Moorman

#### Next Week's Readings:

Acts 10:25-36, 34-35, 44-48; Ps 98:1-4; 1 Jn 4:7-10 or 1 Jn 4:11-16;  
Jn 15:9-17 or Jn 17:11b-19

#### Confessions 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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Gary Geisel, Music Director

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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.

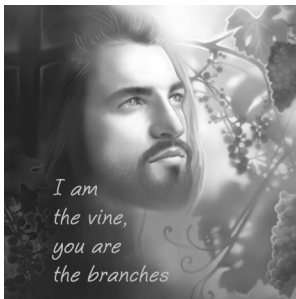
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**For Baptisms, Weddings or Ministry to the Homebound** please contact your parish office.

## PASTOR'S PEN

When I say “9/11” I can imagine all sorts of memories come to the surface of your mind related to your experiences of that fateful day. It is something that is forever tied to our communal memory as a country.

In today's gospel reading Jesus draws upon an ancient symbol of the “vine” to grab the attention of his disciples. In the communal memory of the people of Israel, the vine was a symbol that represented them, the people, as the vineyard of the Lord. In today's reading, Jesus is giving this symbol a new meaning by identifying himself as the true vine. Israel was imperfect and continually failed to live in right relationship with God. Jesus has come to give us the perfect example of what it means to be human and to live in right relationship with the Father. It is no longer enough to simply be the chosen people of God, we must now belong to Christ and live in Christ.



Through the waters of baptism, we are grafted onto Jesus the true vine. Jesus emphasized the richness of this special relationship by saying he is the vine and we are the branches. We don't just stand beside Jesus or find ourselves associated with him; we now live IN him and the only way we can bear fruit is to remain IN him. It is essential that we remain in him because apart from him we can do nothing.

When we live in total union with Jesus, we can trust that our lives will bear much fruit. This means that the love we share is to be the same love that Jesus shares with the Father. Just as Jesus was obedient to the Father and lived in His love, so too we are to be obedient to Jesus; to love others not only in word or speech but more importantly in deed and truth.

In the first reading from the Acts of the Apostles we learn that Saul has been pruned of his mission to destroy the followers of Christ. God cleansed him of his misguided thinking and now Saul, soon to be named Paul, is ready to join the disciples in their mission to proclaim the Good News of the Risen Lord. But, the disciples were afraid of him because of his past behavior. Barnabas affirms that Saul is a new man. It's a reminder to us, “Do we see people as simply products of their past or do we leave room for God to transform a person's heart? Sometimes our old attitudes need to be trimmed clean.

In the gospel when Jesus says, “I am the true vine” he is once again reaching back to another Old Testament memory when God spoke to Moses from the burning bush and identified himself as “I Am.” Jesus gives new meaning to this image by saying, “I am the bread of life, I am the resurrection and the life, I am living water, or I am the Good Shepherd.” The revelation of Jesus as “I Am” means he is speaking in the same way God speaks, that he is in union with the Father. The same God who freed the Israelites from slavery is now with them in Jesus who will free all people from sin and death.

In this Easter season we are asked to appreciate in a deeper way the union we have with Jesus; he who is the great “I Am” is the vine from which we have life. Apart from him we can do nothing. The cleaning and pruning that went on during the season of Lent must continue so that we remain in Jesus. Our call is to live in such a way that others can see Christ living in us. Throughout this week keep in mind the simple message of Jesus, “Remain in me.”

## REGION ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Formed Pick of the Week:** St. Joseph, Patron of the Universal Church. Draw closer to the humble, faithful father entrusted not only with the paramount mission of protecting Jesus and Mary, but also to us as a powerful intercessor. In this captivating talk, Dr. Mark Miravalle explores St. Joseph's hidden life, powerful witness, and continued influence in the world today. To access the FORMED website, go to [Formed.org](http://Formed.org) and login using our parish code: FZ4VY9 (All upper-case letters).

**Please keep in your prayers** Deacon Matt Keller as he completes his time as a transitional deacon leading up to his ordination to the priesthood on June 9 at his home parish in Marie Stein, Ohio. Deacon Matt will be on his canonical retreat May 6th—11th.

**CPR and AED Training Available!** The Health Ministries Team is recruiting parishioners to be re-certified or trained in CPR and the use of the Automated External Defibrillators (AED) that are in place at our parishes. The training is scheduled for Sat., May 19th in Trinity Center from 9 am-12 noon. This class provides a casual yet informative and hands-on approach to learning these life-saving techniques. The class is free, but space is limited. Light refreshments will be served. Pre-registration is required by May 11th. Contact Sharon Becker at 734-9452, or at [sharonbecker6@gmail.com](mailto:sharonbecker6@gmail.com) to reserve your space or for further information.

**Holy Trinity's Annual Rummage and Plant Sale**, Saturday, May 12th from 9:00-2:00 pm, in the Trinity Center. Always a great selection, big and small, modern to vintage, trinkets to treasures, decorative items to jewelry. Food items include Bill's Donuts, hot dogs, sloppy joe, chips, drinks, etc. You can also buy flowers. A variety of annuals for planting or in hanging baskets, and just in time for Mother's Day!

**Dayton Council 500 Knight of Columbus Steak Fry**  
Please join us on May 11th from 6-8 p.m. for a steak dinner consisting of an 8 oz. New York Strip Steak, baked potato, salad, dressing, green beans, corn, pastries and coffee for \$10 plus a donation of a food item for the STVDP Emmanuel food pantry. Dessert/pastry donations are greatly appreciated. Adult beverages will be available at regular prices. 50/50 Raffle. Please RSVP your steak dinner order to Larry Clark @ 937-470-3594 or email the [programdirector@500.net](mailto:programdirector@500.net) by Monday, May 7th. Thanks for your support.

### **Mission—Province of Equateur, Democratic Republic of the Congo**

The Congo, geographically the biggest country in Africa, was a Belgian Colony until 1960 when it received its independence. It is potentially one of the richest countries on earth, but colonialism, slavery and corruption have turned it into one of the poorest. The Missionary Sisters of the Precious Blood established communities in the interior Province of Equateur. They dedicated themselves to the education of women and pastoral work. At present, they have two communities, Bama-nya and Kinshasa. They serve in various apostolates, including education, health care, pastoral and social ministries.

*Reflection: Do not conform yourself to this age, but be transformed by the renewal of your mind. P.116*

**Weekly Total** = 715 miles (186 exercise and 529 spiritual).  
Total pilgrimage miles = 14,443, which is 98% of our goal!  
Three more weeks until Pentecost.

## EMMANUEL CHURCH

### Generous Contributions for April 15, 2018

Weekend Offertory:	Budget	Collection
	\$ 7,920.00	\$5,850.00
St. Vincent DePaul	\$ 585.00	
YTD excess or (deficit):	<b>\$34,740.00</b>	

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

#### Prayer List

Daniel Branch	Nancy Glazier	Mike McDonald Sr.
Larry Byrd	George Hendrix	Patrick McDonald
Lawrence Case	Joan Hicks	Randy Rosenthal
Bernard Chachula	Betty Kleinhenz	

**THANK YOU** - John and I would like to express our sincere thanks to everyone for their concern, support and prayers at this difficult time. My surgery was successful and I am well on the road to recovery. Holly and John Stiers

**Deacon Christian Cone-Lombarte**, a son of the parish, was ordained to the diaconate on April 28th. Deacon Cone will assist at a Mass of Thanksgiving at Emmanuel Church on Sunday, May 13th at 10:30 a.m. Please remember him in prayer throughout this year as he prepares to be ordained a priest next year.

**The next Coffee and Donuts** will take place on Sunday, May 13th to celebrate Deacon Cone's Ordination to the Diaconate.

**May Crowning and Mass on Saturday, May 5th.** Emmanuel will have a Mass at 9:45 A.M. to celebrate the end of the CCD year. This will include a rosary and May Crowning in honor of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Everyone is welcome. If you would like to, bring some flowers for Mary.



**Volunteers needed to help clean the church...** Do you like to dust, sweep, polish and clean? Do you have a few hours to spare each week? If so you may want to consider helping our volunteer crew with these tasks. We clean after the morning Mass each Monday and Friday. If interested, please call the church office for more details, 937-228-2013.

**Building the Domestic Church Series** is available in the back of Emmanuel Church. This series offers booklets on many topics including parenting, fatherhood and family prayer life, as well as two of St. John Paul II's messages for the family. The booklets are free and have been sponsored by our local Knights of Columbus Council 500. We are grateful to the Knights for their generous commitment to the evangelization of the family. When you see a Knight say thank-you!

#### Did you forget to pick up a bulletin at Mass?

The bulletins are available on our website. Click on the bulletin link and 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's](#) websites as they have an archive of the bulletins. Keep informed on the happenings within our Pastoral Region.

## HOLY TRINITY CHURCH

### Generous Contributions for April 22, 2018

Weekend Offertory:	Budget	Collection
	\$ 6,100.00	\$4482.00
YTD excess or (deficit):	<b>\$ 30,120.64</b>	
Catholic Relief Services:	<b>\$ 1,397.50</b>	

*Many thanks for the generous spirit of our parishioners.  
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**We Welcome into our Parish Family** – Mary Beth Williams, Steven, Jessica and Ellisdon Stockelman.

**If you have been coming to Holy Trinity for a while and wish to become a member**, there are forms on the book shelf at the entrance to church or just call the parish office.

#### Mother's Day Remembrance

Today and next Sunday, there will be two baskets on the table at the entrance to church containing paper flowers. We are planning a Prayer Bouquet to place in the sanctuary and we invite you to please write the name of a Mother you wish remembered on the back of a flower and place it in the second basket.

**Mark Your Calendar for Sunday, May 27** when we celebrate the Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity, the patronal feast of our parish. There will be a picnic and a pig roast on the grounds, music and entertainment for the kids. Plan to be with us.

**We Are Doing Some Advanced Planning for a Vacation Bible School Here at Holy Trinity...** If you have a child between the ages of 3 (potty trained) and fourth grade and are interested in having them take part in vacation bible school June 11 through the 15, please call the parish office as soon as possible.



#### Are you in the midst of spring cleaning?

Are you locating nice usable items that you have not used in a number of years and are just gathering dust? Would you like to donate them to Holy Trinity for our Annual Rummage Sale? Items can be dropped off in the Northwest

Room at Trinity Center **today between 10:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m.** Thanks to Don Richison and crew, our Annual Rummage Sale will be May 12 from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. If you would like to help with the sale, please call Don at 253-3135. Please NO clothing or shoes.

**Our spring work party** to beautify our grounds will be Saturday, May 12 from 9:00 a.m. until noon. If you would like to help, please come prepared with your work gloves and favorite gardening tool. Many thanks for your help.

#### Kroger Community Rewards:

Thirty seven families are enrolled in our community rewards program and we thank them for their participation. Because of their purchases at Kroger, we are awarded a check quarterly. Can you just imagine the size of the check if all parishioners were enrolled in the program? Now is your opportunity to help out - visit [krogercommunityrewards.com](http://krogercommunityrewards.com) and have your Kroger Plus card in hand. Follow the instructions and use our organization's number – 82918. If you have any trouble registering, call 1-866-221-4141.



Holy Trinity Parish



## ST. JOSEPH CHURCH

### Generous Contributions for April 22, 2018

Weekend Offertory: Collection  
\$6658.00  
Charity: \$ 140.00

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**Mother's Day Remembrance:** For the next two Sundays there will be a table at the entrance of church containing paper flowers. You are invited to write the name of any mother you wish to remember on the flower and place it in the basket as part of our prayer bouquet to be placed at the Marian Altar.

**If you take communion to the homebound** during the week or on the weekend please call the rectory office at 228-9272. We need to ensure we have the names and home parishes of everyone who is taking the Eucharist outside the church.

## May the Month of Mary

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

Cheryl Anderson	Bobbi Jenkins	Tony Riggs
Charlie Brown	Brenda Magnum	Jean Sichman
Christine Durr	Vanessa Padgett	Karen Thomas
Carol French	Mary Preston	Sharon Wenzel

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

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

## Area Activities

**Catholics & the Opioid Crisis...** A forum about the opioid crisis will be held on Monday, May 7th from 7:00-8:30 p.m. at Ascension Church, and then repeated on Thursday, May 24th at St. Rita Church. A major goal of this Forum is to announce and promote a plan to get voter signatures for a ballot initiative which would place on the November ballot "The Neighborhood Safety, Drug Treatment & Rehabilitation Amendment". Among other things, this amendment would reclassify drug possession (not trafficking!) from a felony to a misdemeanor, thus decreasing our prison population and freeing up money for treatment programs. For more information contact Edwin Fuller at 937-877-5651.

**You Are Invited: "AS BY A NEW PENTECOST"** Friday evening May 11th, 6:30 -9 PM; Saturday May 12th 9 AM-4:15 PM hosted by Queen of Peace Catholic Community at Prairies Chapel; 682 Chapel Lane (Building 6568) Dayton (Spinning Rd and Kemp Rd Area) and CREDO Apostolate. Revitalize your faith and relationship with Jesus Christ, enrich your prayer life, learn about and use the Gifts of the Holy Spirit. For prompt sign in doors open 45 minutes before seminar. For more information and reservations by May 4th call Herb Edwards at 937.237.2217 or Cherie Champagne at 937.257.7738.

**Catholic Social Services** is in need of volunteers to staff the front desk at our administrative office at 922 W. Riverview Ave in Dayton. Contact Caitlin Cipolla-McCulloch at 937-223-7217 ext. 1141.

**The Athenaeum of Ohio Lay Pastoral Ministry Program** offers lay Catholics the opportunity to grow in faith, knowledge and skills through graduate and non-degreed programs. Interviews are now underway for fall classes at the main campus and Good Shepherd, Montgomery. 513-231-1200.

**Dayton Catholic Women's Club Luncheon** Saturday, May 5, 11 am-3 pm, at the Walnut Grove Country Club, 5050 Linden Ave. The \$30 lunch (\$10 tax deductible) will be served at 12 p.m. followed by the presentation of grants and scholarships. Reservation deadline is April 25th. Contact Margene Robinson 937-431-1597 or <http://www.daytoncatholicwomensclub.org>.

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