

Downtown Dayton Catholic Parishes

May 20, 2018

Pentecost Sunday

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.

Served by the Missionaries of the Precious Blood

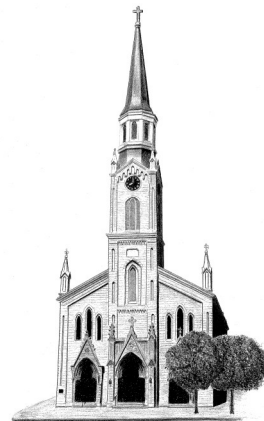
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Emmanuel Church 1837



St. Joseph Church 1847



Holy Trinity Church 1861

Mass Intentions

Monday, May 21

7:30 AM Holy Trinity.....Tom & Gerry Eden

12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Wilfred Ruschau

Tuesday, May 22

7:30 AM Holy Trinity.....Harry Heiser

12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Mary Kay Waters

Wednesday, May 23

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....Jeanne Fecke

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

Thursday, May 24

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....Raymond LaGarde

12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Grace Lee

Friday, May 25

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....Living & deceased members of
the Trick Family

12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Steve Kolakowski Jr

Saturday, May 26

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....Niehaus Family

12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Living & deceased members of
the Thompson Family

4:30 PM St. Joseph.....Jerry & Pauline Westendorf

5:15 PM Emmanuel.....Mary Ellen Hoefler

Sunday, May 27

8:30 AM Holy Trinity.....Charles & Shirley Joyce

10:00 AM St. Joseph.....For our parishioners

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11:30 AM Holy Trinity.....For our parishioners

Next Week's Readings:

Acts 2:1-11; Ps 104:1, 24, 29-31, 34; 1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Gal
5:16-25; Jn 20:19-23 or Jn 15:26-27; 16:12-15

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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**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

Seldom do we experience the large gushing winds of Pentecost as described in our reading from the Acts of the Apostles. Usually the Holy Spirit will work in little gusts that can change our life a little at a time. Unfortunately, we often brush these invitations for transformation aside either because we're too busy or we're preoccupied with our own agendas. For example, I can experience the Holy Spirit simply in the extra pause I give while reading a magazine and find myself touched by the suffering of the homeless or the loss that comes with another victim of violence. That sudden pause over something that catches our eye or the voice inside of us that leaves us pondering is often the breath of the Holy Spirit seeking to move us into action.

- ◆ Maybe it is an invitation to check the way I am treating others or asking myself if my behavior contributes to a culture of violence.
- ◆ Maybe it is the sight of an amazing sunset that leaves us speechless and we become aware of the beauty of God at work in creation. This experience leaves us wondering if we are good stewards of God's creation.
- ◆ Maybe a chance line on a sign or a quote we read sticks with us and it becomes the mantra we hold onto for the day or throughout a challenging time in life.

I think of one experience I had while visiting a church near Gloucester, MA. In the back of the church I saw a poster which said, "The life of every human being first began in the heart of God." This line stayed with me the rest of the week and became a source of reflection for me as I wrestled with some challenging relationships.

In helping you to pray for the gifts of the Holy Spirit I have included a prayer adapted from the writings of Pope Leo XIII, July 31, 1897. He wrote the prayer as a novena, but it can be used as a daily reflection for personal growth.

Prayer for The Gifts of the Holy Spirit

Spirit of Wisdom preside over all my thoughts, words and actions, so that in all things I may love God for His own sake above all things. Amen.

V. Holy Mary, Seat of Wisdom, R. Pray for us.

Spirit of Understanding teach and enlighten me so that I may never waver in my faith, but enjoy true peace of mind and heart.

V. Holy Mary, Queen of Peace, R. Pray for us.

Spirit of Knowledge teach me how to look at things in their true light, so that I may not be bound by earthly attachments, but ever rejoice in Your heavenly comforts.

V. Holy Mary, Cause of our Joy, R. Pray for us.

Spirit of Counsel grant that I may always seek Your guidance, that my thoughts and actions may be informed by good judgment, and that whenever my advice is sought by others, it will be offered with kindness, prudence, truth, and in accordance with God's will.

V. Mother of Good Counsel R. Pray for us.

Spirit of Fortitude strengthen my weakness, so that I may never be discouraged by obstacles in the path of holiness and virtue but may willingly accept the trials and difficulties of this life.

V. Holy Mary, Queen of Martyrs, R. Pray for us.

Spirit of Piety implant in my soul filial love toward God my heavenly Father, and brotherly love for all, so that I may delight in the service of God and my neighbor.

V. Mother of God, our Mother, R. Pray for us.

PASTOR'S PEN continued...

Spirit of Holy Fear keep me mindful of the infinite Majesty of God, keep me from all selfish desires and evil actions, that I may humbly serve God and others with a clean heart and clear mind.

V. Immaculate Mary, Help of Christians, R. Pray for us.

REGION ANNOUNCEMENTS

From May 21-25th, Fr. Angelo, Fr. Ken, Deacon Matt and Brother Matt will be away from our pastoral region participating in an Electoral Assembly for the Missionaries of the Precious Blood. During the assembly in Carthagena, Ohio they will elect a new leadership team for the Cincinnati Province. Please keep the Precious Blood missionaries in your prayers this week.

The Lenten Pilgrimage for the week of May-6 thru 12 is 350 Exercise Miles and 475 Spiritual Miles for a total of 825 miles. The overall total for the Pilgrimage is 16,543 well over the goal of 14,000 miles. The walk ends today Pentecost Sunday and the final report will be in next weeks bulletin. Great job everyone!

New Celebration of Mary Mother of the Church.

Pope Francis has instituted a new Memorial of Mary, Mother of the Church into the liturgical calendar to be celebrated on the Monday following Pentecost Sunday. The Holy Father wishes to promote this devotion to "encourage the growth of the maternal sense of the Church in the pastors, religious and faithful, as well as a growth of genuine Marian Piety."

Cardinal Sarah, the Prefect for the Congregation for Divine Worship, said the connection between Pentecost and Mary's maternal care is evident. "In Acts 1:12-14 and Genesis 3:9-15, 20, if read in the light of the typology of the New Eve, shows that Mary became the 'Mother of All the Living' at the foot of the Cross of Jesus, her Son. The hope is that the celebration of Mary as Mother of the Church will remind all Christ's disciples that, if we want to grow and to be filled with the love of God, it is necessary to plant our life firmly on three great realities; the Cross, the Eucharist, and the Mother of God."

Prayer for the Memorial

O God, Father of mercies,
whose Only Begotten Son, as he hung upon the Cross,
chose the Blessed Virgin Mary, his Mother,
to be our Mother also,
grant, we pray, that with her loving help
your Church may be more fruitful day by day
and, exulting in the holiness of her children,
may draw to her embrace all the families of the peoples.
Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,
who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, for ever and ever.

Formed Pick of the Week: The Wild Goose. Do you have a personal relationship with the Holy Spirit? The same Holy Spirit that descended on the apostles at Pentecost is given to us. In this acclaimed and inspiring series, Fr. Dave guides you into a deeper relationship with the Person of the Holy Spirit with the hope that you might experience the mercy, healing peace and presence that He brings. To access the FORMED website, go to Formed.org and login using our parish code: FZ4VY9 (All upper-case letters).

EMMANUEL CHURCH

Generous Contributions for May 13, 2018

Weekend Offertory:	Budget	Collection
	\$ 7,920.00	\$8,103.00
St. Vincent DePaul	\$ 810.30	
YTD excess or (deficit):	\$35,169.00	

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

A Second collection will be taken up at the Masses this weekend in support of the people of the Cameroon. Fr. Emmanuel will be at the Masses to offer some personal comments. Your generosity is appreciated.

Prayer List

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

The 17th Annual Corpus Christi Procession will take place on June 2nd following the 5:15 p.m. Mass. All are invited to participate in the beautiful old tradition which takes our Lord out to the world. Please also consider joining us for the decorating of the street in front of Emmanuel before the procession. We will start immediately after the 7:30 a.m. Mass on Saturday, June 2nd. Wear old clothes and come expecting to have a wonderful time working and honoring our Lord.

There will be a **special blessing for high school and college graduates** at the 10:30 a.m. Mass on June 10. A parish reception will follow in the basement to congratulate our graduates. If you would like your graduate to be listed in the bulletin, contact Mary Izor at mizor@hotmail.com or call 866-6032. Please include school and degree completed.

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.

Gardeners Needed! We are looking for volunteers to help take care of our flowerbeds at church. Please contact the rectory office if you have a green thumb and can help keep our grounds beautiful.

Building the Domestic Church Series is available in the back of 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. Donated by our Knights of Columbus council 500. When you see a Knight say thank-you!



HOLY TRINITY CHURCH

Generous Contributions for May 13, 2018

Weekend Offertory:	Budget	Collection
	\$ 6,100.00	\$6019.35
YTD excess or (deficit):	\$31,328.61	

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The Neighborhood Safety, Drug Treatment and Rehabilitation Amendment — Today and on Trinity Sunday, **May 27**, you will have the opportunity to read the proposed amendment. Then you will be given the chance to make a difference in the lives of those affected by the opioid crisis. The petition will be available before and after Mass. A table will be set up at Trinity Sunday for your convenience. **Please read, sign and make a difference.**

Catholics and the Opioid Crisis - A Forum: From Conversation to Action: Hear, Learn and Plan what you can do about the current opioid crisis on **Thursday, May 24, 7-8:30p.m.** at St. Rita Catholic Church 5401 N. Main St., Dayton, Ohio.

We are Looking Forward to Seeing Each and Everyone of You Next Sunday at Our Parish Celebration Under the Big Top following the 11:30 a.m. Mass. See the insert for full details.

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. Unless we have a sufficient number of children signed up, we will not be having Vacation Bible School.

Many Thanks to everyone who supported our Annual Rummage Sale and Plant Sale. The profit to date, from the Rummage Sale is \$859.00 and from the Plant Sale, \$1,382.00. Regrettably unless someone steps forward to chair the Rummage Sale, this year was our swansong. Don Richison is stepping aside after many years serving as Chair. We are extremely grateful to him and his family for all the hours they put in. Also, the plant sale for next year will be on pre-orders only. Thanks to all who came, donated and just enjoyed fellowship and food.

Thanks also, to everyone who came to the Work Party for the Spring clean up and mulch spreading. And special thanks to Mary Hofacker, Matt Sprowl, Adam and Andrew Becker for the beautiful garden on the corner of Fifth and Bainbridge.

Thanks to all who are participating in our recycling program here at Holy Trinity. Drop catalogs, magazines, newspapers, junk mail, office paper, fax paper, notebooks, folders and cardboard in the **green and yellow dumpsters at the end of Bainbridge.**

Online giving at Holy Trinity

Check out our webpage Holytrinitydayton.org and find out how easy it is to support Holy Trinity through offertory contributions by using your credit card. Or you can call Judi at the parish office and she will walk you through the process. Online giving is just another way to support our parish. We continue to accept offerings through the collection envelopes, ACH and bank checks. Thank you for your support.

ST. JOSEPH CHURCH

Generous Contributions for May 13, 2018

Weekend Offertory: Collection
\$6084.00
Charity: \$ 195.00

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We welcome Cora Marie Menkedick, daughter of Derek and Rachel, who was baptized last Sunday.

Have you registered? If you attend Mass at St. Joe's but have never registered as a member of the parish, please consider doing so. It's easy...just call the rectory at 228-9272.

If you take Holy 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.

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

Cheryl Anderson	Brenda Magnum	Jean Sichman
Christine Durr	Vanessa Padgett	Karen Thomas
Bobbi Jenkins	Tony Riggs	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

Musical Concert at Holy Family Church. On Sunday, May 20th at 1:00 PM the Holy Family Choir & Schola is presenting "The Battle of Lepanto" a musical story of the Church in concert. Music from composers living at the time of the Battle of Lepanto with historical commentary will be featured including Tallis, Palestrine, Byrd and Victoria. The concert is free and open to the public. A goodwill offering will help choristers attend a Sacred Music Retreat this summer.

The Dayton Men's Basketball Team will be hosting its annual Summer Boys Basketball Camps again during June & July! The new coaching staff is excited to interact with the Dayton Community during the various camps! Different camps are open for boys of almost all ages! To get a full list of camps, dates available, and to register for the camps please email CoachAnthonyGrant@gmail.com or call (937) 229-4421. We look forward to seeing you during our camps! Go Flyers!

St. Christopher Women's Prayer Group invites you to a Healing Mass with the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick, Thursday, May 24, 2018, 7:00 PM. St. Christopher Church, 435 E National Rd., Vandalia, handicap accessible. Doors will open at 6:30 pm. Prayer teams will be available following Mass for anyone who wishes to be prayed with for any reason. All are welcome. If you have questions please call Marilyn, 937-898-9522.

Catch the Building Spirit... We're excited to get started with "Blitz Week" starting Memorial Day weekend and working through June 1st, to have the house under roof. During the summer we'll complete the home for Karla Cobb and her four children. Once again we could use assistance through volunteers and donations. We are all volunteer coalition to build this home. As in previous years we are funding 100% of the home for our Partner Family Karla Cobb and her children. We encourage you to join us for either Blitz week or throughout the summer for our build. Also for Blitz week we could use lunch meals and as always we welcome donations and prayers. Details are at www.catchthebuildingspirit.org or call John at 694-9603 or Hank at 429-0360.

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