

Downtown Dayton Catholic Parishes

August 12, 2018

19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

Parochial Vicar: Fr. Matthew Keller, C.P.P.S.

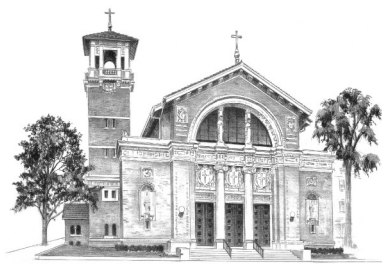
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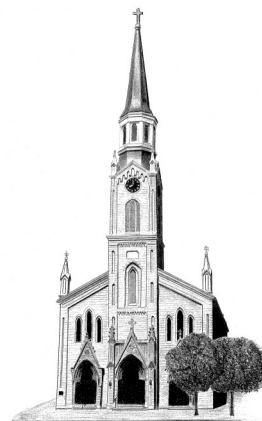
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Emmanuel Church 1837



St. Joseph Church 1847



Holy Trinity Church 1861

Mass Intentions

Monday, August 13

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

12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Tony Riggs

Tuesday, August 14

7:30 AM Holy Trinity.....Don Firment

12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Steve Gillotti

5:15 PM Emmanuel.....Bernadino Rocco

Wednesday, August 15

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....For our parishioners

12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Cecelia & Patrick Doherty

6:00 PM Holy Trinity.....Joe Bellino

Thursday, August 16

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

12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Living & deceased members of
Moretto family

Friday, August 17

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....Christine Durr

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

Saturday, August 18

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....Frances Tatone

12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Our Lady of Knock

4:30 PM St. Joseph.....Joe Healy

5:15 PM Emmanuel.....George Muckenthaler

Sunday, August 19

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.....James Fares

Next Week's Readings:

Prv 9:1-6; Ps 34:2-7; Eph 5:15-20; Jn 6:51-58

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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Rita Zimmerman, Business Manager

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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

In today's gospel reading we find the prophet Elijah at his wits end! He was worn out and tired of being hunted by Queen Jezebel's men. Right before today's reading Elijah had made a mockery of the 450 prophets who worshiped the numerous Canaanite gods, proving the God of Israel was the one true God. Queen Jezebel was not pleased by this and she is going after Elijah. He says: "This is enough O Lord. Take my life." You might be thinking, is this the thanks Elijah gets for being a messenger of the Lord?

I would guess that all of us at one time or another have had this kind of Elijah experience in our lives; those times when the burdens and crosses of daily life become too heavy. Soon we fall into doubt and despair and are ready to give up.

There are other times, like in today's gospel, when we encounter something in life that just doesn't make sense to us and we start to murmur and question Jesus. We say to Jesus: "What you are asking is too much for me to accept" and in our doubt and unbelief we walk away.

In the spiritual life, doubt and unbelief are not necessarily bad, they can become the passageway into a new awareness, an invitation to grow in faith. Jesus is offering us an important message today as he says: "I am the living bread that came down from heaven; whoever eats this bread will live forever; and the bread that I will give is my flesh for the life of the world."

Jesus uses the image of bread to speak of himself so that he can make it clear that it is HIS LIFE that feeds us. Giving his flesh for us to eat is a sacrificial offering that will necessarily take him to the cross. In order for us to remain strong in our journey to eternal life we will need to find strength in His life, death and resurrection.

So, we should not be surprised when suffering enters our life; being a true follower of Jesus means that we pattern our life after the life of Jesus himself. Just as he had to endure tireless challenges, rejection and physical suffering we too must be ready to die to self so that others might have life.

In our second reading today, St. Paul is writing to the people of Ephesus while he is in prison in Rome. He has every reason to give up, to be angry for being imprisoned for his faith. Yet, what did he tell us? "Do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God, with which you were sealed for the day of redemption. All bitterness, fury, anger, shouting and reviling must be removed from you. Be kind, compassionate and forgiving as God has forgiven you in Christ."

Holding in our hearts the nourishment we receive in the Body and Blood of Christ and the promise of resurrection life, we find the strength and focus needed to go beyond this world of crosses. Like Elijah we must "get up and eat" because we still have a long journey ahead of us filled with temptations, trials and troubles.

The food that will sustain us is the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ, true food from heaven. Nothing else will do. It is this food that gives us the strength to keep going in the face of the cross and the sacrifices of life. Keeping our focus on Jesus and being nourished by His life we are fortified with what we need to continue the journey that has been given to us and to one day share in His gift of Eternal Glory.

REGION ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mass Schedule for the Solemnity of the Assumption of Mary

On Wednesday, August 15th, the Church celebrates the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, a Holy Day of Obligation. The Mass schedule for Pastoral Region 7 in Downtown Dayton is:

Tuesday, August 14th	5:15 PM Emmanuel Church
Wednesday, August 15th	7:30 AM Emmanuel Church
	12:00 Noon St. Joseph Church
	6:00 PM Holy Trinity Church

FORMED Pick of the Week:

The Bible and the Virgin Mary Episode 11: The Assumption. How Much Do You Know About Mary's Assumption? Celebrate Mary's Assumption into Heaven with this beautiful and engaging episode by Scott Hahn's St. Paul Center. Discover the rich Scriptural foundations for the Church's teaching on Mary's Assumption, and grow in love for Our Blessed Mother in the process! To access the FORMED website, go to Formed.org and login using our parish code: FZ4VY9 (All upper-case letters).

Also on FORMED, Explore the heroic life of Blessed Solanus Casey, a modern-day American mystic. Watch the gripping story of Blessed Solanus Casey's simple and unshakable faith. This movie tells the life of this holy man through interviews with his friends, colleagues, eyewitnesses biographers and direct recipients of his healing and prophecy.



The U.S. bishops urge our participation each Friday in a nationwide Novena for the Legal Protection of Human Life, August 3–September 28. Participants will receive weekly email or text reminders to pray and fast, along with little-known facts about Roe v. Wade to share with others. Sign up at www.usccb.org/pray/!

2018 Missionary Appeal Weekend August 25-26th. This year our pastoral region has been assigned the International Help of Missionaries (IHM) organization to make their appeal for support. Donna Goddard and Barbara Wuest, will be with us from the Ohio Chapter of IHM. Barbara writes "We are grateful to have the opportunity to speak to you on August 25/26 about the needs for fresh water sources in Ghana, West Africa. In many locations there is no electricity, no clean water, no transportation, no medical facilities. While we are in economic hard times, these people have no chance of improving their lives without help from outside sources—you and me. 100% of your donation goes to IHM. Please be as generous as your budget will allow. Thank you.

*Be kind, compassionate and forgiving as
God has forgiven you in Christ."*

EMMANUEL CHURCH

Generous Contributions for August 5, 2018

Weekend Offertory:	Budget	Collection
	\$7,920.00	\$8,170.00
St. Vincent DePaul	\$ 817.00	
YTD excess or (deficit):	(\$3,638.00)	

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

Prayer List

Dave Bakan	Bernard Chachula	Tyler Pich
Daniel Branch	Michael Dalessio	Jonathan Reihle
Kathy	Nancy Glazier	Randy Rosenthal
Lawrence Case	George Hendrix	

No Tuesday Nigh Novena on August 14th

Because the Vigil Mass for the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary falls on Tuesday this year the regularly scheduled Tuesday night Novena is cancelled. The Vigil Mass for the Assumption will take place at 5:15 PM on Tuesday.

Open House and Social

Save the date for Emmanuel's Open House and Social coming on Sunday, August 19th after the 10:30 Mass. You can check out the renovations in the school or tour the rectory and St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry. You can register for CCD classes and meet the teachers and sign up for Bible Study or RCIA. Hot dogs, ice cream, etc. will be provided.

Religious Education Registrations

Emmanuel Parish CCD classes begin September 8th. There are classes for kindergarten through 8th grade. Registration forms are available at the back of church or on the parish website.

RCIA

If you or someone you know is interested in becoming Catholic, Emmanuel Parish will have RCIA classes beginning this fall. For more information, please contact Brother Matt at brothermatt@emmanuelcatholic.com.

Farewell for Mr. Gary Geisel! The weekend of August 25-26th will be the final weekend Mr. Geisel will serve as the Director of Music at Emmanuel Church. As announced in May, Mr. Geisel has made the decision to retire from his position at Emmanuel after over 20 years of distinguished service. A retirement celebration is being planned for Mr. Geisel on Sunday, August 26th after the 10:30 Mass. A smaller recognition is being planned following the 5:15 Mass on August 25th. Parishioners are encouraged to write a note of thanks, share a memory or offer a written prayer of blessing to place in a wishing well basket at his reception. Please plan to join us in honoring this faithful musician who played a vital role in helping us to offer our prayer of praise to the Lord.

St. Teresa of Avila and St. Francis de Sales are two saints studied in True Reformers: Saints of the Catholic Reformation.

St. Teresa was said to be "unlikely timber for a great work of renovation." Yet she went on to found the Discalced Carmelites. St. Francis is called the Patron of Souls for his spiritual writings on everyday holiness and summation of teaching of the Catholic Reformation. Join us to learn more about these and other True Reformers: Saints of the Catholic Reformation at Emmanuel's Education Center beginning in September. See flyers in back of church to register for the six-session series.

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH

Generous Contributions for August 5, 2018

Weekend Offertory:	Budget	Collection
	\$ 6,100.00	\$8,865.00
YTD excess or (deficit):	(\$1,292.17)	

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Will we be seeing you at the concert?

Faith and Hope Concert with Vince Gill

Monday, August 13, 8:30 PM at the Frazee

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Tickets at the Frazee Fanfare Store at Town and Country or at www.fraze.com or www.etix.com.

Be sure to only get your tickets through the above websites. There are scalpers out there selling tickets at severely inflated prices.

The Rosary will be prayed immediately following the 8:30 a.m. Mass next Sunday and the second Sunday of each month. Please, out of respect for those staying to pray the rosary, hold all conversation until you leave the church building.

Hello All Crafters and Wannabees – Our first session is next Monday evening starting at 4:30 p.m in Trinity Center. We welcome all who would like to help make crafts for our Annual Holiday Bazaar. Bring your ideas and sample projects to this meeting. You don't have to be an expert at crafting, we will always find something for you to do. And – we have a lot of good conversation and fun!

Articles for our Upcoming Issue of the Parish Newsletter

"INSPIRED" are due by Friday August 17 to ht_busmgr@sbcgloabal.net. Articles of up coming parish events from October 1 through February in 500 words or less will be accepted for publication.

It's Not Too Soon to Be Thinking About the RCIA Program!

Do you or someone you know want to investigate full membership in the Catholic Church? Classes will begin this Fall. Please call the parish office (937-228-1223) for further information.

Kroger Community Rewards: Last year the parish received \$1499.34 from Kroger Community Rewards. We appreciate all our families who are enrolled in the Kroger Community Rewards Program. 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 – Simply go online to 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, please call 1-866-221-4141. Thank you for your participation.

Just In Case, you might have these laying around your home or garage, we need a few items at this time for some craft projects for our Craft Booth at our Holiday Bazaar – specifically we are in need of old keys and forks and spoons that you no longer want or need. These items can be dropped off at the parish office. Thanks you!

Thanks to all who have offered to help on our Bereavement Committee.

The school supply collection will continue through the month of August.

ST. JOSEPH CHURCH

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Weekend Offertory: Collection
 Charity: \$6,833.00
 \$ 193.00

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**Join us for Coffee and donuts
 today following the 10:00 Mass.
 All our welcome!**

Welcome to our new parishioners, Valerie & John Budervic,
 Janice & Michael Daugherty and Joann Weisenbach. We're delighted
 you've decided to join us.

We will have our parking lots resealed next Thursday and Friday.
 One lot will be open each day in addition to the street parking.

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

Dolores Broerman	Donna Folfas	Veronica Smith
Kristina & John Cole	Brenda Magnum	Karen Thomas
Christine Durr	Vanessa Padgett	Tony Riggs
Michael Culp	Jean Sichman	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		

Area Activities

Day of Recollection: "Mary: Unique and Like Us" - talks to be
 given by Fr. Jim Costigan, C.P.M., sponsored by the Legion of Mary
 on Saturday, August 25, 8:30-3:30 p.m., at Our Lady of the Holy
 Spirit Retreat Center, 5440 Moeller Ave., Cincinnati, OH 45212.
 Mass, rosary, morning prayer, and opportunity for confession. A
 simple lunch for those registered by Monday, August 20. Free will
 offering. Gloria Dodd, call or text (937) 999-1263.

Know Mary Better

Learn more about the Blessed Virgin Mary and deepen your devotion
 to her by studying at the University of Dayton's International Marian
 Research Institute. Audit individual courses, or enroll in the
 certificate program. Register by August 21 for the Fall 2018 semester.
 For more information, [https://udayton.edu/imri/educational-program/
 index.php](https://udayton.edu/imri/educational-program/index.php), or call Mike Duricy at (937) 229-1474.

Is Your Marriage Hurting?

Has your marriage grown cold, distant, unloving or uncaring? Then
 please consider Retrouvaille—a Catholic sponsored, confidential
 program open to all faiths, a program designed to help heal and renew
 marriages. The next program begins September 6-8. For more
 information call 800-470-2230 or retrouvaille.org or
helpourmarriage.org. Other weekends and locations are available, call
 for details.

Attention Lifelong Learners: The University of Dayton Osher
 Lifelong Learning Institute (UDOLLI) has announced the availability
 of their Fall Program brochure. The program starts September 20th
 and covers over 75 subjects with no exams, grades or formal
 education required. A single registration fee of \$80 entitles you to
 register for as many of the seminars as you wish. To read brochure
 visit go.udayton.edu/udolli. For more information or to be added to
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 Education at 937-229-2347.

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