

# Downtown Dayton Catholic Parishes

September 30, 2018

## 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

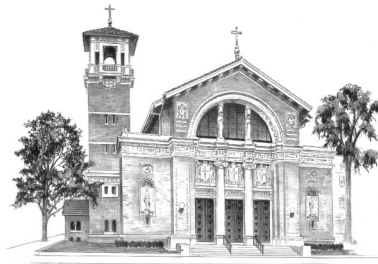
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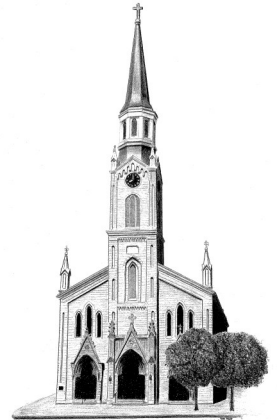
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Emmanuel Church 1837



St. Joseph Church 1847



Holy Trinity Church 1861

### Mass Intentions

#### Monday, October 1

7:30 AM Holy Trinity.....Monica Stephan

12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Stephen Perisie

#### Tuesday, October 2

7:30 AM Holy Trinity.....David Monaghan

12:00 PM St. Joseph.....James & Evelyn McCarthy

#### Wednesday, October 3

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....Living & deceased members  
Payne & Riess Families

12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Mary & Bud Loges, daughter  
Peggy

#### Thursday, October 4

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....Robert Coyle

12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Jim & Maggie Peacock  
Wedding Anniversary

#### Friday, October 5

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....Wilhelmina Dix

12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Michael Bowers

#### Saturday, October 6

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....George & Cecilia Muckenthaler

12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Nora Fass

4:30 PM St. Joseph.....For our parishioners

5:15 PM Emmanuel.....For our parishioners

#### Sunday, October 7

8:30 AM Holy Trinity.....Rita Kreitzer

10:00 AM St. Joseph.....Matthew (Bud) McCarthy

10:30 AM Emmanuel.....All Unborn Children and Their  
Parents

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

#### Next Week's Readings:

Gn 2:18-24; Ps 128:1-6; Heb 2:9-11; Mk 10:2-16 [2-12]

#### 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

Last week Jesus challenged the disciples by telling them, "If you want to be great you must be the servant of all." Then he embraced a child and said, "If you receive a child like this in my name, you receive me." Even though the culture of the time saw children as having no rights or status under the law they were precious in God's eyes. The Precious Blood of Christ reminds us of the dignity of each person as a child of God.

As the disciples found out, it is not just a select few who will carry out God's plans. When someone is different from us we may say, "If you are not with me you're against me." Jesus looks at it from another perspective, "Whoever is not against us is for us." The Holy Spirit can and will work in people very different from us who are none-the-less instruments of the heart of God.

So what kind of witness will you be to children and the child-like? There are "little ones" young or old who are weak in faith or still learning what it means to be a child of God. They can easily be led astray by our way of living. Our bad example can be a poison that destroys the innocence of another person thereby leading them to sin.

Those of you around young children know how easily a child picks up new words, even the foul or hurtful words we sometimes use. It is important to monitor our language, get rid of gossiping and excessive criticism, steer clear of lying or inappropriate use of the internet so that we do not unknowing lead children astray.

To live the gospel is serious business. To make this point, Jesus uses some very explicit language like plucking out your eye or cutting off your hand if it leads you to sin. He is not supporting the mutilation of our body. Rather, by using the technique of a hyperbole Jesus is emphasizing the seriousness of sinful behavior or scandal.

Could Jesus say to us, "You say you are my followers, but your behavior shows something quite different? If so, it is a wake-up call for us to get back in step with the Lord. St. James reminds us that material possessions fade away but the love we give to one another lives forever. The cry of hurting humanity, the cry of the blood of those abused or abandoned, reaches the ears of the Lord of host. Will we respond as part of the solution or part of the problem?

When it comes time to replay the story of your life what will you see? Today is the day to make a choice to serve God generously through the relationships and chance encounters you experience each day. What is the hook, the thing that trips you up in life? Identify it and keep working to get rid of it each day. Through the Precious Blood of Jesus, we are to be the cause of grace and not disgrace in the lives of others. We are to be the fulfillment of the dream of Moses that all people would be prophets of the Lord. Blood of Christ lead us to life!

## REGION ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Formed Pick of the Week: Brother Francis.** If You Think You Know Saint Francis, you're in for a surprise in this exciting Augustine Institute audio drama, follow the fun-loving son and soldier of Assisi as he is transformed by the Gospel. Captivated by Christ, Saint Francis trades wealth for poverty, embraces lepers, shakes hands with the Pope, debates a Sultan, and touches the lives of millions. To access the FORMED website, go to [Formed.org](http://Formed.org) and login using our parish code: FZ4VY9 (All upper-case letters).

## REGION ANNOUNCEMENTS continued...

**Bottles for Babies!** The Downtown Dayton Catholic Parishes are committed to saving the lives of unborn babies so we're hosting a Bottles for Babies fundraiser! Money raised from the event will benefit the lifesaving work of Elizabeth's New Life Center, an organization which provides free pregnancy tests, ultrasounds, parenting classes, pre-natal care and material assistance to abortion-minded women. To participate in Bottles for Babies, all you have to do is pick up a bottle starting on October 6th and fill it with coins, cash, and checks (made out to ENLC). Please return your bottle by October 28th. It only costs ENLC \$500 to save the life of one baby. In 2017, ENLC saved 2,395 babies from abortion. Participate today so we can reach our goal of saving babies as a church. If you have any questions or would like more information, please contact the parish office.

### **It is time once again for the 40 Days for Life Campaign.**

We have an abortion facility right here in Kettering, Ohio. Every week between 35 and 50 innocent babies are aborted at this facility. Moms come there, some of them thinking there is no other option but destroying the life of their baby. This decision has terrible consequences for their lives; physical as well as emotional and mental. You can be a sign of hope and love and mercy to them by your prayerful presence on the sidewalk. Each of them is loved by Jesus Christ and He wants them to know how precious they are to Him. Won't you please answer His call to come and pray for one or more hours during this 40 Days Campaign which runs from Sept 26 to Nov 4. We are responsible for the following hours: Wednesdays 4 pm – 7 pm. To sign up for an hour, or more, of prayer contact Gwen Sobieski 937-623-4612.

### **Roots of Faith - Bible Series, PROPHETS, Thursday, Oct. 4**

The kingdom of Israel is on the verge of collapse, and exile is on the horizon. Enter – the prophets. The promise? David's line will endure forever, and a Messiah will be sent to save God's people. Follow the inspiration of the Gospel writers as they proclaim the fulfillment of this covenant in the life and words of Jesus. Join us at the K of C Bainbridge Hall, 6:30 – 8:30 pm. Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus, Council 500, and the Downtown Dayton Parishes. No registration necessary. Bring your Bible.

### **We will have a Blessing of the Animals for our Pastoral**

**Region** on October 3 at 6 PM in the courtyard by the Mary Grotto at Emmanuel Church. All animals are welcome, to help to ensure the safety of animals and humans we ask that all animals either be on a leash or in a carrying crate.

### **Exercise Series for Health Returns in this Fall!**

The next Tai Chi/Qigong exercise series will be held Tuesday, Oct. 9 to Dec. 4 (skipping Nov.20th). 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 at Trinity Center at 266 Bainbridge St. Fee is \$80.00 for the 8-week class series and is payable in full at the first class to Holy Trinity Church. **Pre-registration is required by Thursday, Oct. 4th as a minimum of 12 people is needed to hold the class.** The class will close at 22 participants. Contact Sharon Becker to register and for more information at 227-9452, or by email at [sharonbeck-er6@gmail.com](mailto:sharonbeck-er6@gmail.com).

## EMMANUEL CHURCH

### Generous Contributions for September 23, 2018

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

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#### Prayer List

Dave Bakan	Nancy Glazier	Fr. Richard Murphy
Daniel Branch	George Hendrix	Tyler Pich
Lawrence Case	Peggy McCarley	Jonathan Reihle
Bernard Chachula	Kathy McCrabb	Randy Rosenthal
Michael Dalessio	Mike McDonald	Thomas Williams

**Dare to Date!** The Marriage Ministry of Region 7 parishes invites you and your spouse (or fiancé) to a woodland adventure for an afternoon date. Join us for a romantic walk in the woods at Glen Helen in Yellow Springs. We will meet at Glen Helen parking lot (\$5) at 3p.m. or you can park about 1/3 mile away at the parking lot behind Bentino's pizza and walk to the Glen Helen lot. Snacks and drinks will not be provided. **Babysitting is not available, but please register to give us an idea of numbers for the Glen Helen parking lot by Wednesday, October 10th by contacting Deanna Suelzer at [drose8721@gmail.com](mailto:drose8721@gmail.com) and 260-418-5876.**

**Life Chain...** Please join us on October 7th from 2-3:30 p.m. to pray for the unborn and their parents. Please meet in the Dollar General parking lot at the corner of Stroop and Marshall. Come be a witness to life.

**Family Rosary Rally XIV** will take place on Sunday, October 14th at Our Lady of the Immaculate Conception Church. Prelude music will begin at 2:00pm with adoration, live rosary, and benediction at 2:30pm. Bishop Joseph Binzer will preside.

#### Emmanuel Children's and Youth Choirs are back

The Emmanuel Children's and Youth Choirs will begin rehearsals on Sunday, September 30th. Rehearsals are held on Sundays from 9:00-10:00 am in the Magnificat Music Room in the basement of the Emmanuel school, building next to the rectory. Children ages 8-18 are welcome to join. Singers learn the principles of proper singing and all styles of Catholic liturgical music. For more information, contact Director Virginia Kuepper at [sixkeepers@woh.rr.com](mailto:sixkeepers@woh.rr.com).

#### Miraculous Medal Novena with Adoration and Benediction

Join us on Tuesday evenings at 7:00p.m. for the Miraculous Medal Novena, with church doors opening at 6:30 p.m. . 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!

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

The bulletins are available on our website, [www.emmanuelcatholic.com](http://www.emmanuelcatholic.com). Click on the bulletin link and then choose the week you would like to read. Emmanuel keeps 4 weeks of bulletins on our website as well as a link to the archive of the Region 7 bulletins. Keep informed on the happenings within our Downtown Dayton Catholic Parish Communities.

## HOLY TRINITY CHURCH

### Generous Contributions for September 23, 2018

Weekend Offertory:	Budget	Collection
	\$ 6,400.00	\$3,720.00
YTD excess or (deficit):	(\$7,441.98)	

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**Bundle Sunday for St. Vincent dePaul** is Sunday, October 21st. Bring your usable donations to the truck at the Mass you plan to attend. The truck will be on the K of C parking lot. They are requesting warm clothing only for all ages this time.

#### Pro-life Event - Life Chain

Sunday October 7, from 2 – 3:30 p.m. on Stroop Road, Kettering. Please consider participating in this event even if you are not available for the entire time. Contact Garry Buschur for more information and registration at 937-602-1576.

#### Fall work party

We will be having the Fall work party from 9-12 p.m. on Saturday, October 6th. We will be planting bulbs and other yard work around the grounds. Your help is needed! Please come and join us.

**RCIA** begins tomorrow evening at 6:30p.m. at Trinity Center. We will be meeting as a region with Emmanuel and St Joseph parishes. The sessions are open to all persons who would like to deepen their faith and learn more about the Catholic Church. Sponsors are also needed from among the parish. Your assistance would be greatly appreciated.

#### Nancy P. Ruther – Memorial Mass

Saturday, October 6, 2018 - 10:00 a.m.

Holy Trinity Church

A reception with light refreshments will follow

All are welcome.

**Cabbage Rolls Making** – Interested in helping make 700 cabbage rolls for our Holiday Bazaar? Join with us Thursday, October 4th, starting at 4:00 p.m. in Trinity Kitchen. On the job training is available.

#### Welcome to Our Newly Registered Parishioners Andrew and Abigail Wendling.

**Youth Group** returns October 14th at 12:30 p.m. for all youth in Junior High through High School. Please join us as we laugh, pray and learn together how to be disciples and followers of Jesus.

#### A Note of Thanks

“On behalf of the Board of Directors and staff of Crayons to Classrooms, please accept our deep appreciation for partnering with us, once again, to facilitate a school supply drive! Your generosity and hard work will assist our organization to stock the shelves of our teacher resource center.”

**Mark Your Calendar and Join With Us** Sunday, October 21st for a Pasta Party in Trinity Center. We will be serving from 12:30 to 3:00 p.m. There will be spaghetti with or without meat sauce, salad, bread, beverage and dessert for some good eating. Adults \$7.00; children under 6 – \$3.00.



## ST. JOSEPH CHURCH

### Generous Contributions for September 23, 2018

Weekend Offertory: Collection  
 Charity: \$5,269.50  
 \$ 106.00

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**Congratulations** to Emily Eva Rose White who was baptized last Sunday.

### Parish Directory

If you have not signed up for your photo to be taken by Lifetouch please do so this week. We will start calling parishioners who haven't signed up next week to ensure everyone has an opportunity to be included. Sign-up online at <https://booknow-lifetouch.appointment-plus.com/yx8rq9pc/>. Or go to our Parish website and click on "Parish Directory Sign-up" under the Current Events heading in the middle of the home page. Each household that has a photo session will receive a free 8x10 portrait and the opportunity to purchase photos for family and friends. Photo sessions will be held on October 23, 24, 25 and November 1, 2, 3. If you are unable to sign-up online call the parish office 228-9272.

**Please keep the following people in your prayers.**

*Call the rectory if you would like to be added to the prayer list.*

Dolores Broerman	Brenda Magnum	Karen Thomas
Kristina & John Cole	Vanessa Padgett	Tony Riggs
Michael Culp	Victors Polovskis	Patricia Waag
Donna Folfas	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

**Women's Day at Maria Stein Shrine of the Holy Relics October 13th.** The vendor fair will be open 10am-4pm. Plus three special events will occur during the day! 10am-4pm: Vendor Fair Open. 10-11am: Saturday Mass.

11-12pm: Faith Formation Presentation and Book Signing with writer and speaker, Julia Monnin, author of the book "The World is Noisy – God Whispers." - Free, No RSVP Required

12-1:30pm: "Natural Health in the Medical World & How Prayer Opened the Doors" Lunch Presentation by Theresa Nelson - \$20 per person, RSVP REQUIRED.

2-4pm: Shrine & Canvas Fall Painting with renowned artist Tim Langenderfer - \$30 per person, RSVP REQUIRED, supplies & beverages included.

**Venerate the Relics of St. Pio of Pietrelcina** - The official relics of St. Padre Pio will be displayed for veneration at the Cathedral of St. Peter in Chains on Wednesday, October 3, 8:00 a.m. - 6:30 p.m. followed by Mass at 7:00 p.m. celebrated by Archbishop Dennis M. Schnurr. Join us in honoring this great saint on the 50th anniversary of his death.

**Wright State University Campus Ministry Office** has an opening for a part-time (15 hours per week) Administrative Assistant II. Please go to [www.catholiccincinnati.org/jobs/](http://www.catholiccincinnati.org/jobs/) to view posting.

**Church of the Ascension** invites you to an evening of song and stories by an internationally known singer/songwriter, ValLimar Jansen, on Friday, October 19, from 7-9 PM. Then on Saturday morning, October 20, from 9:00 to 11:30 AM, she will present a workshop for all liturgical ministers. There is no charge for this and no registration required.

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