# **Downtown Dayton Catholic Parishes** October 14, 2018

## 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Pastor: Fr. Angelo Anthony, C.PP.S. Parochial Vicar: Fr. Matthew Keller, C.PP.S. In residence: Fr. Ken Pleiman, C.PP.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**

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tober 15	
Holy Trinity	.Wilhelmina Dix
St. Joseph	
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Holy Trinity	.Eugenia Buschur
St. Joseph	Fabian Diorio
October 17	
Emmanuel	.Janice Subler
St. Joseph	John Demeter
October 18	
Emmanuel	.Intention of Mary Ellen
	McCarthy
St. Joseph	Deceased members of Dominic
	Cassano Family
ber 19	
	Ed Westendorf
ctober 20	
Emmanuel	
St. Joseph	Eduardo Flores
	Holy Trinity

Sunday, October 21

8:30 AM Holy Trinity.....For our parishioners 10:00 AM St. Joseph.....For our parishioners 10:30 AM Emmanuel......Jacqueline Custard 11:30 AM Holy Trinity.....Ted Randall

4:30 PM St. Joseph......Robert Caulfield

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

### Next Week's Readings:

Is: 52:7-10, Ps 96;1-3,7-8a, 10; Heb 13:12-15, 20-21; Lk 4: 16-21 (Special readings for the Feast of St. Gaspar)

#### **Confessions Schedule**

Emmanuel: Saturday 4:00-5:00 PM, Sunday: 10:00 AM

Sunday: 8:00 AM Holy Trinity:

Monday-Saturday 11:30 AM; Saturday: 4:00 PM St. Joseph:

### **Emmanuel Church**

149 Franklin St. - 45402 Office: 937-228-2013

Web Site: www.emmanuelcatholic.com E-mail: parishoffice@emmanuelcatholic.com Deacon Rusty Baldwin Br. Matt Schaefer, C.PP.S. DRE & Bookkeeper Mary Beemsterboer, Secretary Dennis Pyles, Maintenance Michelle Carner, Music Director

### Holy Trinity Church

272 Bainbridge St. - 45402 Office: 937-228-1223

Web Site: www.holytrinitydayton.org E-mail: ht busmgr@sbcglobal.net Deacon Michael Leo Judith L Trick, Business Manager Marina Dodaro, Secretary Lynda Middleton, DRE/Pastoral Associate Thomas Aldridge, Music Director Shaughn Phillips, Region 7 Evangelization & Young Adult Ministry

### Saint Joseph Church

411 East Second St. - 45402 Office: 937-228-9272

Web Site: www.stjosephdayton.org E-mail: stjosephday@sbcglobal.net Rita Zimmerman, Business Manager Bill Baron, Maintenance Bradley Wilson, Music Director

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**

A wise woman who was walking in the mountains found a precious stone in a stream. The next day she met a traveler who was hungry, and the wise woman opened her bag to share her food. The hungry traveler saw the precious stone and asked the woman to give it to him. She did so without hesitation. The traveler left, rejoicing in his good fortune. He knew the stone was worth a mint, enough to give him security for the rest of his life. But a few days later he came back to return the stone to the wise woman.

"I've been thinking," he said, "I know how valuable this stone is, but I give it back to you in the hope that you can give me something even more precious. Give me whatever you have within you that enabled you to give me something so valuable. Give me whatever it was that enabled you to give me the stone." Author Unknown

The gift of Wisdom is the ability to see as God sees; to look upon life through the eyes of God rather than our earthly eyes. All too often we believe that we can buy our happiness. And after we have the thing we so desired, we become bored and look for something new to bring us happiness. Living in a culture where so much is available to us, sooner or later there comes a day when we must ask ourselves, "When is enough...enough?"

One way to measure our attachment to material things is to ask, would my basic attitude toward life be affected if I lost this earthly thing? This is important because we can easily develop a kind of competition in life between our possessions and our attention to God. What comes first in your life? Is it your job, your family, your hobby, your I-phone, Facebook time, the internet, sports, travel? It's helpful to ponder these questions because these earthly items may very well be barriers keeping you from developing a stronger relationship with God.

Our faith teaches us that there is nothing comparable to Wisdom, a gift preferred above all other gifts. With wisdom, the truths of God begin to make sense to us and we begin to instinctively love what God loves, to will what God wills. As a gift from God, wisdom is ageless, and her truths are eternal.

The story of the rich young man from today's gospel stirs a question that many of us have pondered, what must I do to inherit eternal life? The young man is dutiful and followed the commandments, but there was a passion for wealth that was holding him back, he had not yet opened himself to wisdom.

Whenever I hear this gospel story I ask myself, "I wonder what happened to the young man." Did he give up on his search for everlasting life? Did he go off for a while, only to be drawn back to Jesus at a later time?

St. Mark tells us that "Jesus looked at him and loved him." I imagine that some people looked at the rich young man with envy and jealousy, others with admiration and still others with disappointment. Jesus looked at him with love, not judgement. Jesus could see beyond his wealth and scholarly knowledge and saw the heart of a restless young man who rightly sensed that something was out of balance in his life. I like to think that the look of love Jesus gave to him became a lasting memory for the young man and that eventually the memory of that look of love mingled with the gift of wisdom and melted the young man's heart and he returned to walk once again with Jesus.

Today Jesus looks lovingly at us. Is there anything in your life that is acting as a roadblock to your ability to say "yes" to the Lord? Ask God to fill you with the wisdom you need to see as God's sees as you navigate the journey of life. Allow His love to fill whatever is lacking or troubling in your life and filled with God's wisdom—follow Him.

#### **REGION ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Roots of Faith – Bible Series, Thursday, October 18. "The Word Was Made Flesh" – Meet the writers of the Gospels and trace how the "words" of the Old Testament formed a scaffold upon which each of the evangelists uniquely built the proclamation of the Good News. 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 or previous attendance necessary. Bring your Bible.

### **Praise Fest**

All teens of the Region 7 parishes are invited to attend Praise Fest on Friday, October 26th from 7:00-10:00 p.m. at St Joseph's Church. Praise Fest is an evening of prayer and praise, including the Rosary and the Divine Mercy Chaplet, Eucharistic Adoration and confession, uplifting music and inspiring talks. For more information, please contact Diane Luke at welovejmj@gmail.com or 937-403-6957.

### 20s and 30s Chili and Pumpkin Glow

Those in their 20s and 30s are invited to join Shaughn on October 30th at 6:30pm in the Holy Trinity Rectory for some yummy chili and fellowship before heading to Stoddard Avenue's annual Pumpkin Glow! Come see hundreds of Jack-o'-lanterns light up the hill by Annunciation Greek Orthodox Church! From simple Jack-o'-lantern faces to more extravagant designs, join other young adults from the community for a fun night out! We will carpool over together. This a free event, but please call/email Shaughn in the parish office to RSVP so we have enough food for everyone. (Dinner will include chili, sides, and beverages. Please let us know if you have dietary needs (including vegetarian/allergies), and we'll do our best to accommodate them!)

### Young Adult Retreat

Desiring community and true friendships? Eagle Eye Ministries and DCYA are hosting a retreat for young adults (18-29) on just this topic with Fr. Nathan Cromley. Come October 28th from 8-2pm at Holy Rosary Church. Breakfast and Mass included. Cost is \$25 before, \$30 day of. Register at <a href="mailto:eagleeyemini-tries.brushfire.com">eagleeyemini-tries.brushfire.com</a> or FB "True Friendship: A Young Adult Retreat." Contact Shaughn at <a href="mailto:sphilips@daytondowntowncatholic.com">sphilips@daytondowntowncatholic.com</a> if you need more info.

RCIA meets at 6:30 p.m. on Monday evenings in Trinity Center at Holy Trinity for the month of October. We will be meeting as a region with Emmanuel, Holy Trinity 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. If you are interested in walking the journey with one of our inquirers and updating your own understanding of Catholicism, as a sponsor, please call the parish office.

Respect Life, A Perfect Gift. (Read the full version of this article at <a href="usecb.org/perfect-gift">usecb.org/perfect-gift</a>.) Soon after the birth of my son Charlie, who has Down syndrome, a visitor asked whether he was "mild, moderate, or severe"—referring to his level of cognitive impairment. I was shocked. In my arms I held my beautiful baby boy, who defied easy categorization. It's like looking at stained glass from the outside: the colors look dark, and you can't see the figures. But inside, with the sun shining through, the effect can be brilliant.

From inside our family, love illuminates our life with Charlie. What may seem dreary to others, perhaps even unbearable, is actually filled with beauty and color. Our love has nothing to do with his abilities. We love him simply because of who he is and understanding this teaches us a fundamental truth: every life is a good and perfect gift. © 2018, USCCB, Washington, D.C. All rights reserved.

### **REGION ANNOUNCEMENTS continued...**

October 21st is World Mission Sunday and the Feast of St. Gaspar del Bufalo, the Founder of the Missionaries of the Precious Blood. Because this is a Solemnity for the members of the Precious Blood we will use the prayers and scripture passages for this feast day celebration.

### EMMANUEL CHURCH

### **Generous Contributions for October 7, 2018**

Weekend Offertory: Budget Collection \$7,920.00 \$10,702.00

St. Vincent DePaul: \$1,070.20 YTD **excess** or (deficit): **\$882.00** 

Many thanks for the generous spirit of our parishioners.

Frs. Angelo and Matt

### Happy 106th Birthday to Virginia Hicks!

**Prayer List** 

Dave Bakan Nancy Glazier Mike McDonald
Daniel Branch George Hendrix Fr. Richard Murphy
Bernard Chachula Peggy McCarley Jonathan Reihle
Michael Dalessio Kathy McCrabb Randy Rosenthal
Annette & John Fohl

Our sympathy is extended to the family of Suzann Fagan. May she rest in the peace of the Lord.

**Family Rosary Rally XIV** will take place this Sunday (Oct 14) 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 Lending Library...Over the years many books have been donated to the parish for parishioners to use for their personal growth and enrichment. A parish lending library has been set up in the school building. Stop by at coffee and donuts next Sunday and check out books that are of interest to you and your family.

Congratulations to David & Anna Earl on the baptism of their daughter, Gianna Rose; Matthew & Rebekah Berger on the baptism of their daughter, Lila Sage; and to Dustin & Caitlin Simmons on the baptism of their daughter, Macy Jaymes.

VIRTUS Monthly Bulletins...have you been checking in and completing your monthly questions from VIRTUS? After you have completed your live VIRTUS training, you should receive a monthly reminder e-mail from VIRTUS stating in the subject line "New Content on VIRTUS Online." Please check your account to make sure that you do not have a suspended account. Simply go to <a href="https://www.virtus.org">www.virtus.org</a> to log in and on the far right side of the page under "Training Bulletin Report," click on "Click here to see your complete report." You will then be able to see how many bulletins you have missed. If you have questions please call or email Brother Matt, <a href="mailto:brothermatt@emmanuelcatholic.com">brothermatt@emmanuelcatholic.com</a>.

### What comes first in your life?

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### **HOLY TRINITY CHURCH**

### **Generous Contributions for October 7, 2018**

Weekend Offertory: Budget Collection \$6,400.00 \$8,681.31

YTD excess or (deficit): (\$6,408.67)

**Pro-Life Collection: \$634.00** 

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

**Welcome** to Amine Sory Chris Kone, Allassane Ammar David Kone and Hakim Agalil Frank Kone, baptized at Holy Trinity last Sunday.

**Our Sympathy** is extended to the family of Steve Bertke, buried from Holy Trinity this past Thursday and to the family of Nancy Paterson, who will be buried from Holy Trinity next Tuesday. May they rest peacefully in the arms of Our Father.

Our Annual Holiday Bazaar for the benefit of our Outreach Ministry to the Dayton community is November 3 from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. in Trinity Center. The following are some of the things we need to make it a big success again this year. We are accepting new or gently used items for the Silent Auction, Raffle Row, U-Pick-it, Holidaze and Grab Bags. Also, small items are needed for attendance prizes and the Tyke Shop. The items for the Tyke Shop are for children under 12 to purchase gifts for their parents, grandparents, and siblings. We are also collecting hardbound and paperback books (no technical books, please), DVDs and CDs for our ever popular Book Nook. Donations may be dropped off at the parish office Monday -Thursday from 8 am-4 pm and Fridays, 8 am -11 am. All items are welcome.

Thanks to the following area merchants who are supporting our bazaar through donations: Brixx, Canal Street Deli, Clancy's Tavern, Corner Kitchen, Dayton Church Supply, Dublin Pub, Flying Pizza, Franco's, Furst the Florist, Jimmie's Laddder 11, Lazer/Web Adventure Golf, Laurie Trick, LMT, Marion's Piazza, Milano's Oregon Express, Pizza Factory, Ritter's Custard, Spaghetti Warehouse, Slyder's, Sterling Studio, Thai Nine, The Patriot, Tobias Funeral Home, Troll Pub, Trolley Stop, Tuffy Brooks and Westbrock Funeral Home.

The winner in our weekly drawing for a book of chances is SharonWarren.

**Bundle Sunday** for St. Vincent de Paul is Sunday, October 21. 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.

Join With Us Sunday, October 21 from 12:30 to 3:00 p.m. for our Pasta Party in Trinity Center. Dave Gambrell is cooking up spaghetti with meat sauce, marinara sauce, salad, bread, dessert and beverage. Adults – \$7.00 and kids 6 and under - \$3.00. Tickets are available after Mass today at the back of church.



#### If you'd like to help with the Holiday Bazaar, please call:

Bake Shoppe — Martha Beemsterboer (937-253-8081)

Book Nook — Ron Bird (937-253-2344) Crafts — Kathy Gilmore (937-681-2874)

Judi Trick (937-228-1223)

Grab Bags — Lynn Wilmes (614-296-4572)
Holidaze — Mary Hofacker (937-307-8194)
Kitchen — Barb Gilbert (937-673-4616)
Raffle Row — Robyn Essman (937-657-0726)
Silent Auction — Sharon Becker (937-776-2942)

Luanne Baer Lambert (513-312-4914)

Tyke Shop — Amy Rohde (550-9584) U-Pick It — Tea Yankel (937-776-2092) Chairperson — Patsy Martin (937-776-8949)

### ST. JOSEPH CHURCH

### **Generous Contributions for October 7, 2018**

Weekend Offertory: Collection \$7,616.00

\$ 210.00 Charity:

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Our sympathy is extended to the family of Donna Folfas who was buried last Wednesday. May she rest in the peace of the Lord.

Thank you to those who volunteered this week to help during the photo sessions! We need several more volunteers to help welcome and check parishioners in during the photo session Oct 23, 24, 25 and Nov 1, 2, 3. Two people are needed for each time slot. Time slots are 1:30-4:00, 4:00-6:30, 6:30-9:00 during the week and 9:30-12:00, 12:00-3:00, 3:00-5:00 on Saturday. Call the rectory to sign-up 228-9272. Thank You!

It's not too late to sign up to have your photo taken for the Parish **Directory!** Sign-up online at https://booknow-lifetouch.appointmentplus.com/yx8rq9pc/. Or go to our Parish website and click on "Parish Directory Sign-up" under the Current Events 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 Kristina & John Cole Michael Culp

Brenda Magnum

Vanessa Padgett Victors Polovskis Karen Thomas

Tony Riggs Patricia Waag Sharon Wenzel

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

Rebekka Anders Michael Borgert Nick Borton Kelli Anne Cartuyvelles

Gary Eilers Morgan Konsdorf

Cody Landers Greg Marcus Alex McGarvey Zachary McIntyre Matthew Melvin

David Musgrove Anthony Pelfrey Jessica Pruitt Susan Varmuza Justin Williams

### Area Activities

Andrew Dinners are open to young men in their freshman year of high school and older who would like to learn more about the vocation of priesthood. A dinner will be served on Thursday, October 25th at 6:00pm at St. Luke parish in Beavercreek. The evening will conclude by 7:30pm. Please call your parish office by October 22nd if you would like to participate and leave your name and phone number.

Archdiocesan Lay Pastoral Ministry Program now interviewing for Spring Classes...Have you ever said, "Someone should start a Scripture Study group." Or, "Someone should evangelize in our neighborhood!" Or "We have so many elderly housebound parishioners. Someone should organize a visitation team." Well, you are right! Someone should. Maybe that someone is you. The Archdiocesan Lay Pastoral Ministry Program has educated and formed lay men and women just like you for service to parishes, schools and communities since 1975. We offer graduate and nondegreed options, spiritual and ministerial formation and the opportunity to grow in faith, knowledge and skills. Evening and Saturday classes, flexible components and a great support system allow busy adults to maintain work and family commitments while preparing for new opportunities. Classes are available in Spring of 2019 at the main campus in Mt. Washington and Good Shepherd in Montgomery. All lay students receive a 25% tuition reduction this spring. Call 513-231-1200 or email smcgurgan@athenaeum.edu for more information or to set up a personal interview. You too, go into my vineyard.

**40 Days for Life Campaign...** Won't you please answer His call to come and pray for one or more hours during this 40 Days Campaign which runs through 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.

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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