Downtown Dayton Catholic Parishes October 28, 2018

30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Emmanuel Church 1837

St. Joseph Church 1847

Holy Trinity Church 1861

Mass Intentions

7:30 AM Holy Trinity	Monday, October 29	
Tuesday, October 30 7:30 AM Holy Trinity		
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Next Week's Readings:

Dt 6:2-6; Ps 18:2-4, 47, 51; Heb 7:23-28; Mk 12:28b-34

Confessions Schedule

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

Sunday: 8:00 AM Holy Trinity:

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

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

Think for a moment. What is the deepest longing of your heart?

- To have peace in the world or within our hearts
- To be free of arthritic pain
- To have a broken relationship healed
- To be free of all worry

For Bartimeaus the deepest longing of his heart was to SEE. Think of how often he must have prayed for that day, keeping alive the hope that one day he would see.

And what about the remnant people of Israel we heard about in our First reading? For years they longed for the day to return home and now their prayer has been answered. Notice who is returning...the blind, the lame, the mother and those with child...the most vulnerable in society. Out of their weakness, God's strength will be revealed. Throughout scripture we see God using the most unlikely people to do the work of rebuilding his dream for humanity so there can be no mistake about who is doing the work of renewal.

The scene Mark's gospel offers us today takes us to the city of Jericho, a city rich in symbolism. Jericho was a city invaded by the Israelites and destroyed. As such, it represented a fallen city marked by corruption, sin and evil. In relation to the City of Jerusalem that sits prominently on a hill, Jericho sits very low in the topography of the region.

So, it is significant that Mark includes this story about Blind Bartimeaus in the setting of Jericho. Bartimeaus in a sense represents all of us who are lowly and live in sin. At times we take on the role of the beggar. In our hearts we desire to be lifted out of our troubled world and so we beg for God's mercy. Realizing we cannot make it on our own we cry out at each Mass...Lord have mercy, Christ have mercy, Lord have mercy. Bartimeaus reminds us of how important it is to surrender ourselves to the grace of God.

When Bartimeaus calls out to Jesus the crowd tries to silence him as someone insignificant, not deserving of Jesus' time. But Jesus singles him out and raises him to the status of everyone else. He may be physically blind, but he can see spiritually that Jesus is the Son of David.

Hearing Jesus' invitation, Bartimeaus throws off his cloak and jumps up, trusting that Jesus will heal him. This is something that we must do continually in the journey of life; to be willing and open to put aside old practices, our old self, in order to be healed, to see with new eyes!

The story of Bartimeaus can easily be our story. Over time our lives can become a robotic pattern of predictability which blurs our vision, living life on automatic pilot, failing to see Jesus in our day to day living. We can become blind through a selfish spirit or a controlling attitude which says everything has to be my way. We can stumble along the path of life if we have not done the inner work of forming our consciences with the Truth of scripture and the social teachings of the church. Maybe we are living in the darkness of a past hurt and cannot break free into the light of a new day. Whatever our blindness, Jesus can help us to see.

Jesus says to us today: "What do you want me to do for you?" This is our opportunity to place the deepest longing of our heart in the hands of the Lord and to pray for the wisdom to see as God sees, to throw aside whatever it might be that is holding us in darkness and to place our lives in God's hands, to put ourselves at the service of God's dream for unity as the Body of Christ.

REGION ANNOUNCEMENTS

Feast of All Saints

This Thursday, November 1st, the Church celebrates The Feast of All Saints, a **Holy Day of Obligation**. The Mass times for Region 7 are as follows:

October 31st 5:15 PM at Emmanuel Church 7:30 AM at Emmanuel Church 12:00 Noon at St. Joseph Church 6:00 PM at Holy Trinity Church

Bottles for Babies Turn In! Do you still have your bottle? It's not too late to return your bottle! Please return your bottle to the church office or give it to an usher at Mass. All proceeds will be used to help Elizabeth's New Life Center to save the precious lives of unborn babies.

BEATUS choral ensemble is a group of young musicians who are passionate about serving God and the community through singing at Mass and at concerts. Emmanuel Parishioner Rose McGrath is a member of this group. Come join us in prayer, and to support Veterans! They will sing at the following times:

Emmanuel Church, Saturday, Nov. 3rd, 5:15pm Mass St. Joseph Church, Sunday, Nov. 4th, 10 a.m. Mass Lincoln Park nursing home, Kettering, Saturday November 3rd, 2 p.m. concert

Emmanuel Church, Saturday, Nov. 3rd, 6:30 p.m. concert

Youth Ministry In Our Pastoral Region. On November 6th at 6:30 PM Fr. Angelo and Fr. Matt will host a listening session to talk with parents about youth ministry options in our pastoral region. The meeting will be held at St. Joseph Parish in the rectory basement.

Region blood drive returns for peak Fall needs!

The Region 7 Health Ministries Team is sponsoring the next blood drive on Thursday, Nov. 8, from 8:00 am to 6:00 pm. Location is the Community Blood Center, 340 S. Main St. As we near the holidays demand for blood increases. Please consider taking a bit of time out of your day to donate a true gift of life! Appointments are encouraged. Just call 1-800-388-GIVE, or www.donortime.com to schedule a time to donate.

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!)

Knights of Columbus Turkey Dinner...Please join Dayton Council 500 members, their families and guests on November 4 at 1:00 PM to 2:20 pm for a turkey dinner consisting of roast turkey, mashed potatoes, stuffing and cranberries for an adult pricing of \$10.00 plus a food donation of a small can/box for the local food pantry. Also, it would be appreciative if a casserole dish or plate of deserts be generously brought for all to share. Children ages to 12 are FREE and the cost for teenagers 13 to 19 is \$5.00. 50/50 raffle will be sold. Please RSVP to Larry Clark 937-470-3594 by Monday, October 29th. Thank you.

REGION ANNOUNCEMENTS continued...

FORMED Pick of the Week. "Discover the "Cloud of Witnesses" What is our connection to Mary and the rest of the saints? Why do we ask Our Lady and other "dead people" to pray for us? Discover a framework for the Communion of Saints. To access the FORMED website, go to <u>Formed.org</u> and login using our parish code: FZ4VY9 (All upper-case letters).

November Marriage Uncorked!

The Marriage Ministry of Region 7 invites you and your spouse (or fiancé) to explore the personality God gave your spouse on November 10th in the school building of Emmanuel Church from 6:30 until 9:00 pm. We'll provide a simplified and proven personality assessment to help us understand our individual strengths and weaknesses and their impact on our emotional tendencies in relationships. Babysitting is available for \$3 per child. Please register yourselves and any children you might like to bring for babysitting by Wednesday, November 7th by contacting Anna Earl at anna.earl7@gmail.com. Additionally, on November 18th, we will be hosting a 50/50 raffle to benefit the Marriage Ministry at coffee and donuts following the 10:30 Mass at Emmanuel. Come to contribute and play! On the second Saturday of each month we alternate between a social event and a formational event designed for fun and enrichment of your marriage. You won't want to miss it!! Bring an appetizer or sweet to share. We will provide the wine and festivities!

EMMANUEL CHURCH

Generous Contributions for October 21, 2018

Weekend Offertory: Budget Collection \$7,980.00 \$6,036.00

St. Vincent DePaul: \$ 603.90 YTD excess or (deficit): \$7,195.00 World Mission Sunday \$ 786.00

Many thanks for the generous spirit of our parishioners.

Prayer List

Daniel Branch Nancy Glazier Mike McDonald
Bernard Chachula George Hendrix Jonathan Reihle
Michael Dalessio Peggy McCarley
Annette & John Fohl Kathy McCrabb

Happy 100th Birthday to Viola Boeke!

Congratulations to Austin & Laura Stalhood on the baptism of their son, Jackson Owen.

Emmanuel's Call to Ministry of Service...We are looking for volunteer support in many areas. Please take a Ministry of Service form located on the tables in the back of the church, or follow this link to the form https://goo.gl/forms/AEg3yf8xdp1bVdMJ2. This link is also accessible on our website. Return any paper forms via the collection basket, give it to an usher or mail/email it to the parish office, parishoffice@emmanuelcatholic.com. Thank you for donating some of your time and talent to one of our areas of need!

Emmanuel Veterans Honor Roll...We continue to seek information on Emmanuel's military veterans. If you know of an Emmanuel veteran, please use the data form available at the back of church to submit his or her information. We want to honor all our veterans for their service to our country.

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH

Generous Contributions for October 21, 2018

Weekend Offertory: Budget Collection

\$ 6,400.00 \$3,049.00

YTD excess or **(deficit):** (\$12,369.67) World Mission Sunday: \$846.00

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

Holy Trinity Parish is seeking a part time Director of Music. Director must have a degree of proficiency in the use of the pipe organ and the ability to cantor. Salary is commensurate with education and experience. If interested, qualified candidates should send cover letter and resume to Holy Trinity Parish, Attn: Judith L. Trick.

Sincere Sympathy is extended to the family of Charlotte Mergler who passed away this past week. Her funeral Mass was held this past Friday. May she rest comfortably in the arms of our Father.

Our Annual Holiday Bazaar - It is not too late to get involved. Check the insert in today's bulletin and call one of the chairpersons to help out and /or come to the set-up Thursday evening or Friday. All hands are welcome.

Our Non-Perishable Food Collection for Thanksgiving starts next Sunday. All items can be brought to Mass and placed in the boxes in back of the last pews. The donated items will be given to the Emmanuel Food Pantry to restock their shelves. If you would rather give a monetary donation, place it in an envelope marked "Non Perishable food donation" and place in the collection basket.

Our Annual Mass of Remembrance honoring the lives of all who have been buried from Holy Trinity this past year will be Sunday November 11 at the 8:30 a.m. Mass. If you have a family member or friend that has passed away and you would like them to be included in the ceremony, please call Judi at 228-1223, by November 7.

Join with us for our Holiday bazaar Potluck Dinner on Thursday, November 1 at 7:00 p.m. in Trinity Center. The main dish is being provided as well as the beverages. Please bring a salad or dessert to share. As an added bonus, after we have eaten we can all help set up for our bazaar. Many hands will make for light work.

RCIA meets at 6:30 p.m. on Monday evenings in Trinity Center. If you are interested in walking the journey with one of our inquirers as a sponsor and updating your own understanding of Catholicism, please call the parish office – 228-1223.

Parents, Grandparents, Aunts and Uncles!
Sunday, December 2, 2018
Breakfast with Santa
Ages 3 through adult - \$9.00
Age 2 and under - \$3.00
Breakfast, picture and gift for kids 8 and under
Crafts to make and take

Tickets are available after Mass in Trinity Center on November 4 and will be available starting Monday November 5 in the parish office. Get your tickets early as there are a limited number to be sold. Seating is arranged in order that tickets are purchased.

Kroger Community Rewards: Now is your opportunity to help out – you can enroll anytime, but the sooner the better for Holy Trinity to reap your rewards. There is a sheet of information on the bookshelf in the vestibule or go to krogercommunityrewards.com and have your Kroger Plus card in hand. Our organization's number – BH841. If you have any trouble registering, call 1-866-221-4141. Thank you for your participation. In this past quarter 69 families participated and we received a check for \$356.29.

ST. JOSEPH CHURCH

Generous Contributions for October 21, 2018

Weekend Offertory: Collection \$6,094.00

\$ 440.00 Charity: World Mission Sunday: \$1,636.00

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

All Souls Day Mass of Remembrance

We will celebrate our Mass of remembrance for all those who have died in the past twelve months and have been buried from St. Joseph on Friday, November 2nd at noon. Plan to attend as we lift up in prayer those who have gone home to the Lord this past year.

We are going to have four Eucharistic Ministers of the Precious Blood at weekend Masses to ensure everyone has the opportunity to receive from the chalice. Will you help? Training is provided. Please call the rectory to sign up to be a Eucharistic Minister 228-9272.

Consider Joining the Christmas Choir...A Christmas Choir is being formed to sing for the 4:30PM Christmas Eve Mass (carols will start at 4:00PM). We are looking for all voice parts (soprano, alto, tenor and bass). The choir will rehearse on Tuesdays at 7PM starting Nov. 6 in the choir loft, and attendance is mandatory. Please consider serving your parish in this special way by helping provide extra beauty to the Christmas liturgy. If you are interested in joining, please see Brad in the choir loft after Mass, call 937-207-8976, or email wilson.bradley@live.com no later than Sunday, October 28.

Last week to have your photo taken for the Parish Directory. Sign -up online at https://booknow-lifetouch.appointment-plus.com/ yx8rq9pc/. Visit the Parish website and click on "Parish Directory Sign-up" or call the parish office 228-9272.

Pray for the Men and Women Serving in the Military

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

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

Area Activities

Chaminade Julienne Open House - FALL VISITS

Discover what makes CJ an exceptional academic choice for students who wish to grow and learn in a welcoming, holistic and Catholic educational high school experience. Fall visit opportunities include Parent Receptions, personal tours and the CJ Open House on Sunday, Nov. 4 from 2-4 p.m. All are welcome! More details at: cjeagles.org.

Elizabeth's New Life Center has position open for – Fiscal Director and Natural Family Planning Educator. Both are part-time positions. Please send your resume and cover letter to the Director of Human Resources at tmiller@elizabethnewlife.org.

Archdiocesan Lay Pastoral Ministry Program now interviewing for Spring Classes...We offer graduate and non-degreed 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...runs through Nov 4.

The LifeTech Conference will be at Cedarville University on Saturday, November 10. Come and learn about the latest in the science, ethics, and history behind and around the Pro-life fields from conception to natural death. The conference will start with registration and a continental breakfast at 8:30 a.m. with the program opening at 9:00. Costs is \$50.00 and includes lunch and snacks.

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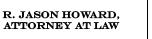
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