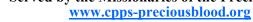
# **Downtown Dayton Catholic Parishes** August 11, 2019

# 19th 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.

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Emmanuel Church 1837

St. Joseph Church 1847

Holy Trinity Church 1861

### Mass Intentions

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Monday, Aug	gust 12	
7:30 AM I	Holy Trinity	Zoma Anselme Sidsore
12:00 PM	St. Joseph	Steve Perisie
Tuesday, Aug		
7:30 AM I	Holy Trinity	Jim Pearson
12:00 PM	St. Joseph	Harley F. Crow
Wednesday, A		
7:30 AM	Emmanuel	Bernadino Rocco
12:00 PM	St. Joseph	Diane Ahler
5:15 PM	Emmanuel	For our parishioners
Thursday, Au		
7:30 AM	Emmanuel	Living & deceased members of
	Ja	mes & Evelyn McCarthy Family
12:00 PM	St. Joseph	Halpin & Karl Families
Friday, August 16		
		George Muckenthaler
	St. Joseph	Kendall McCabe
Saturday, August 17		
7:30 AM	Emmanuel	Niehaus Family
12:00 PM	St. Joseph	Bill & Sue Fagan
4:30 PM	St. Joseph	For our parishioners
5:15 PM	Emmanuel	For our parishioners
Sunday, Aug		
8:30 AM	Holy Trinity	For our parishioners
10:00 AM	St. Joseph	Cecilia & Patrick Doherty
10:30 AM	Emmanuel	Kathy Doncaster
11:30 AM	Holy Trinity	Shawn Moorman

# **Next Week's Readings:**

Jer 38:4-6, 8-10; Ps 40:2-4, 18; Heb 12:1-4; Lk 12:49-53

#### **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

# **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: busmgr.holytrinity@gmail.com Deacon Michael Leo Judith L Trick, Business Manager Marina Dodaro, Secretary Lynda Middleton, DRE/Pastoral Associate Krista Schupbach, 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.

Respect Life Rosary 2nd Sunday of the month after 8:30 Mass at Holy Trinity.

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**

One week ago, we awoke to the news of the mass shooting in the Oregon District of Dayton. The news sent shockwaves throughout the city and nation. Yet another shooting all in the span of a week following El Paso, Texas and Gilroy, California. Horror, tragedy, sorrow, devastation were words used to describe these shootings. Sadness, frustration, fear and hopelessness were emotions expressed. The scripture passages offered for our reflection this weekend provides a path for us through this time of darkness.

By reflecting upon our faith tradition and history we can find the strength we need to continue our journey faithfully. In our reading from the Book of Wisdom we are invited to recall the night of Passover. God's chosen people trusted in faith that God would protect them and free them from oppression. There was a sense of vigilance as the people of Israel "girt their loins and wore sandals on their feet and applied blood on the lintels and doorposts of their homes. Then for forty years God molded and shaped their hearts as His chosen people.

Digging deep into our faith tradition, we can draw strength from the life of Abraham, our Father in faith. Abraham and Sara obeyed God's call to leave behind all that was familiar to them. God promised that they would have descendants as numerous as the stars in the sky. Trusting in faith meant a willingness to sacrifice Isaac, placing their future unconditionally in God's hands.

In Luke's gospel we are given timely words of comfort, "Do not be afraid any longer, little flock, for your Father is pleased to give you the Kingdom." We belong to God's "little flock" and the treasure of eternal life has been promised to us in baptism. Just as God cares for the birds of the air and the lilies of the field, so much more does God care for us. We find strength in the promise of what will be. Sin and death do not have the last word. Jesus is risen and with us!

Belonging to God's flock means that our value comes from being adopted children of God. Our value is not found in material treasures or other people's opinions or the job we do. God has made a tremendous investment in us. Through the Precious Blood of Jesus our lives have been purchased and our sin washed away. Just as God has treated us with such dignity and respect, we too are called to honor the dignity in each person created in God's image and likeness.

That is what makes the tragedies of gun violence and any violence so appalling. The total disregard for life afflicted on so many innocent people challenges us to work even harder to promote the culture of life. What will our investment be toward this mission we have been given to see the face of Christ in each person we meet? As we await the master's return do we act justly and love unconditionally?

Persevering in faith means that we are willing to journey here on earth without setting our own agenda and without knowing where God will lead us. Sometimes we will be led into the desert for purification. This may mean the loss of all that is dear to us, the "Isaac" in our life. Sometimes it means taking up the cross of illness or standing up for what is right.

In calling us to trust in faith Jesus is sending us like lambs among wolves as we heard in the gospel several weeks ago. To be a person of faith is to be a Good Samaritan, stopping to help someone in need. Faith involves keeping a balance between being a Martha and a Mary. When we pray as Jesus taught us we trust in God to provide each day our daily bread. Faith is not focusing our life on building earthly riches but storing up treasures in heaven. Living faith is being vigilant for the master's return by not growing lazy, complacent or cynical. Journeying in faith means our hearts are restless and continually at work until Jesus comes in glory.

### PASTOR'S PEN continued...

How do we live this faith? We do so by walking with others as they make their way from grief to consolation, from being lost to having purpose, from guilt to forgiveness, from loneliness to belonging, from anger to peace, from sickness to health, from despair to hope. By bringing others to Christ, and building a community of faith, we will be found ready to meet the Lord when He comes in glory. As someone once said, "There is the here and the here-after; where is your heart!"

### REGION ANNOUNCEMENTS

### The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Thursday, August 15th, the church celebrates the Solemnity of the Assumption of Mary, a Holy Day of Obligation. The Catechism of the Catholic Church teaches that "Finally the Immaculate Virgin, preserved free from all stain of original sin, when the course of her earthly life was finished, was taken up body and soul into heavenly glory, and exalted by the Lord as Queen over all things, so that she might be the more fully conformed to her Son, the Lord of lords and conqueror of sin and death. The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin is a singular participation in her Son's Resurrection and an anticipation of the resurrection of other Christians." (CCC 966)

Please make note of the Mass schedule for our pastoral region. **Feast of the Assumption, August 15th Mass Schedule**Wednesday, August 14th

Thursday, August 15th

7:30 AM Emmanuel Church

12:00 Noon St. Joseph Church

6:00 PM Holy Trinity

Annual Mission Appeal...Rev. Mr. William Todd Church from the Diocese of Gallup will be speaking at our Masses on August 17-18, 2019 supplying us with information on ways that we might help further the mission works in his Diocese. The Diocese of Gallup covers over 55,000 square miles of Northeastern Arizona and Northwestern New Mexico which encompasses seven Native American reservations and pueblos. It serves 58,000 Catholics and this makes it one of our Nation's largest and poorest Diocese." A second Collection will be taken up at Mass next weekend for this mission appeal. Brochures are available in the back of church or you can visit: missionoffice@dioceseofgallup.org.

The Region 7 Youth Group invites all teens of the parishes and the homeschooling community (7th through 12th grades) to a Fall outing at the Lukes' property! Come start off a new school year with some football or volleyball, a hike of the farm, and a bonfire. This event will take place on Sunday, September 1 from 1-4pm at 964 Long Rd, Xenia. To RSVP and for more info, please contact Sarah Park at <a href="mailto:sarahvpark6@gmail.com">sarahvpark6@gmail.com</a>.

FORMED Pick of the Week: Why Is Mary Queen Mother? Learn the biblical roots of this often-contested Catholic doctrine. See how Mary's queenship is alluded to in the New Testament and foreshadowed in the Old. Watch "The Bible and the Virgin Mary Episode 7: The Promised Mother." To access the FORMED website, go to Formed.org and login using our parish code: FZ4VY9 (All upper-case letters).

### Young Adults: Need Direction For Your Week?

Come to Dayton Downtown Catholics Young Adult's Gospel Prayer Sessions (GPS)! Pray with the Sunday gospel with other young adults every Monday at 8pm at Holy Trinity's Rectory. Contact Shaughn at <a href="mailto:sphillips@daytondowntowncatholic.com">sphillips@daytondowntowncatholic.com</a>.

# **EMMANUEL CHURCH**

# **Generous Contributions for August 4, 2019**

 Weekend Offertory:
 Budget
 Collection

 \$7,980.00
 \$7,856.00

 St. Vincent DePaul
 \$ 785.60

 YTD excess or (deficit):
 (\$5,591.00)

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

### **Prayer List**

Teresa Bond Thomas Ledinsky Eric Rosenthal Daniel Branch Peggy McCarley Randy Rosenthal Bernard Chachula Mike McDonald Molly Schneider Michael Dalessio Wayne Meny Jan Timerding Patricia Mudd Rick Emerick Annie Troutman Annette & John Fohl Barbara Penno Evelyn Varmuza Helen & Gene Mike Rilahe George Hendrix Tony Rocco

**New Office Hours...**Beginning on Monday, August 12th the office hours will change to 8:30am to 2:30pm.

Join us for our second annual open house on Sunday, August 18th after the 10:30 Mass. We will have hot dogs, veggies, drinks and ice cream for your dining pleasure. You will have an opportunity to sign up for CCD and learn about the fall Bible Study. Like last year, the school building will be open so you can see the nearly completed renovation of the first floor and enjoy the comfort of air conditioning. The rectory will also be open for those wanting a brief tour. Just come down to the tent set up between the rectory and school building after Mass and enjoy some food and fellowship. No RSVP's are necessary.

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." Simply go to <a href="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="brothermatt@emmanuelcatholic.com">brothermatt@emmanuelcatholic.com</a>.

# **Consider Making Gifts of Stock or Mutual Fund Shares**

Donating shares of stock or mutual funds that have increased in value may benefit both your parish and provide personal financial benefits. Depending on your age, it may be beneficial for you to contribute assets directly from a retirement savings plan. For more information on making such gifts please contact Brother Matt at the Parish Office.

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

The bulletins are available on our website, <a href="https://www.EmmanuelCatholic.com">www.EmmanuelCatholic.com</a>. Click on the bulletin link and then choose the week you would like to read. Emmanuel keeps 4 weeks of bulletins on our website. If you need one that is not available on our website, visit St. Joseph's website, <a href="https://www.stjosephdayton.org/bulletins/">www.stjosephdayton.org/</a> bulletins/ or Holy Trinity website, <a href="https://www.holytrinitydayton.org/bulletin.html">www.holytrinitydayton.org/bulletin.html</a>, as they have an archive of the bulletins. Keep informed on the happenings within our Downtown Dayton Catholic Parish Communities.

# From the Joyful Noiseletter:

The doctor called Mrs. Cohen and said, "Mrs. Cohen, your check came back."
"So did my arthritis," Mrs. Cohen replied.

# **HOLY TRINITY CHURCH**

# **Generous Contributions for August 4, 2019**

Weekend Offertory: Budget \$6,400.00 \$7,801.34 YTD excess or (deficit): \$68,000 \$968.00

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

Deepest Sympathy...It is with great sadness to share with you the news of the death of Deacon Mike Leo who faithfully served our parish community and Pastoral Region over the last six years. Please keep Deacon Mike's wife, Therese, and their children in your prayers in this time of loss. May Deacon Mike rest in the eternal peace of Christ and may the promise of resurrection life be our strength and hope.

Crayons For Classrooms Fill The Backpack ends August 19th. Thanks to all who have donated to this cause thus far. Additional donations can be dropped off at the office on Monday, August 19.

Please!! If you receive an email from Fr. Angelo or ht\_busmgr@sbcglobal.net, please just delete. Never will an email be sent from either of the above asking for money or gift cards. These are bogus emails and they are circulating again. The sbcglobal.net account has been deleted.



**Do You Like To Sing?** We would like to add more voices to our choir. Stop by after Mass and see Krista in the choir loft and let her know you are interested. "Make a joyful noise for the Lord!" Those who sing, pray twice!

### Come And See - Today

Are you itching to learn more about our faith and its traditions and beliefs? Come and See what the Roman Catholic Church can do for you. Additional meetings will be:

### Sunday, August 11, 18 and 25 at 12:00 noon Holy Trinity Business Office

All are welcome. Meet, greet and invite your friends to join us on the journey or email or call Lynda Middleton (937-228-1223) Lyndamiddleton (937-228-1223) Lyndamiddleton (937-228-1223)

RCIA - The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults may be just right for you. Explore the beautiful history and meaning of this apostolic faith as you walk with sponsors and other seekers who travel with you. RCIA meetings begin Sunday, September 8 at 12:30 p.m. in the parish office. Enrolling in RCIA does not commit you to becoming confirmed. Please call Lynda Middleton at 937-228-1223 to enroll in the classes.

Hello All Home Crafters! Our crafting session for our Annual Holiday Bazaar begins tomorrow, Monday August 12 from 4:30 to 7:30 p.m. in Trinity Center. Location for crafting has changed. Enter Trinity Center by the south door and go up the steps to the first floor. The first room on the right is where the action is. Bring any ideas you would like to share (samples if you have them) for our fist session. We welcome ALL! Questions? call Judi at 228-1223 or Kathy at 681-2874. Needed: clear wine bottles and corks.

### Needs at the parish -

- An alternate to serve on the Parish Pastoral Council representing the Liturgy Commission.
- Someone to take the aluminum cans to the recycling center each month.
- Additional volunteers to help with funeral liturgies and luncheons following the service.
- **Someone to help** do the altar linens when the need arises.

**Please Note:** The new email address for the parish is Busmgr.holytrinity@gmail.com.

# ST. JOSEPH CHURCH

# **Generous Contributions for August 4, 2019**

Weekend Offertory: Collection \$6,133.00

\$ 106.00

Charity:

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

Join us for Coffee and Donuts today, Sunday in the school Cafeteria following the 10:00 Mass. All are welcome.

Our sympathy is extended to the family of Virginia Lauricella who was buried from St. Joseph's this past Friday. May she rest in the peace of Christ.

We welcome to our parish family Evelyn Kley, child of Matthew and Shannon Kley, who was baptized at St. Joseph's on August 4th. Congratulations!

Date change....Our next town hall meeting to discuss the future of our old school building and the possibility of building a parish center is scheduled for August 25th following the 10:00 Mass in the school cafeteria. We'll have a floor plan and site plan to discuss as well as next steps. We're also discussing having a final gathering at the building for all those who attended school there. With the prospect of taking down the building, we would like to ritualize the completion of the school building's mission and look forward to responding to the changing needs of the parish with a new parish center.

# Please keep the following people in your prayers.

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

Lucille Berning Katie Blauser Shannon Boyd Mooneen Caulfield Michael Culp Catherine DeMange Christine Durr Stephanie Ludwig Leona Manzo Vanessa Padgett Victors Polovskis

Tony Riggs Janet Rudy-Gerrard Katharine Smolik Karen Thomas Sharon Wenzel

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

Rebekka Anders Michael Borgert John Carner Kelli Anne Cartuyvelles Gary Eilers Charles Eubanks

Morgan Konsdorf Cody Landers Greg Marcus Alex McGarvey Zachary McIntyre Matthew Melvin

David Musgrove Anthony Pelfrey Jessica Pruitt Susan Varmuza Justin Williams

# **Area Activities**

### Lunch 'n Learn: Mediterranean Style of Eating

Join us to learn more about this healthy lifestyle from Monica Cengia, Registered Dietitian/Nutritionist, on Tuesday, August 13 from 11:30-12:30 p.m. in the Borromeo Room of St. Charles Borromeo. Bring a light lunch and enjoy tasting some authentic Greek-style recipes. Please call the Parish Office for more information or to RSVP.

### Advance Care Planning: Taking Charge of Your Future

Tuesday, August 13, 7 p.m., St. Charles Borromeo, Borromeo Room This workshop will assist you in fully understanding the planning process as well as providing helpful information on completing advance directives. Debbie Holt, from Ohio Hospice, will be our presenter. Limited space available; contact the Parish Office to register, 937-434-6081.

The FUEL young professional Catholic group will meet at St. Brigid in the Mod at 7pm, Tuesday, July 13th. If anyone has any questions or would like to join please email Hannah Schluttenhofer at hcwiede@gmail.com. also like us on Facebook at FUEL young professional catholic group.

Fire things up with a Marriage Encounter Midweek Experience! It will be held at Our Lady of the Holy Spirit Center in Norwood, OH on September 10 and 11. The midweek experience is for those who find it difficult to take a whole weekend away or off work or have difficulty finding childcare, pet care and or for parents. Reserve your place today at <a href="https://esharing.org/applyWeekend.php">https://esharing.org/applyWeekend.php</a>

### Women's Dinner & Faith Sharing

Women are invited for an evening of faith with the Sisters of the Precious Blood on Tuesday, August 13th at 6:30pm. We meet at 1105 Amherst Place in Dayton. Please RSVP any food restrictions to Jenna at JLegg@cppsadmin.org or call/text 937-974-0626.

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