Downtown Dayton Catholic Parishes July 5, 2020

14th 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









Emmanuel Church 1837

St. Joseph Church 1847

Holy Trinity Church 1861

Mass Intentions

Monday, July 6		
7:30 AM H	oly Trinity	.Bernard Kleimeier
	t. Joseph	
Tuesday, July 7		
		Encarnacion Piedra Verde & Agnes Thompson
6:00 PM H	oly Trinity	.Mr. & Mrs. Garry Buschur
Wednesday, Ju	uly 8	•
7:30 AM E	mmanuel	.Ann Hutzel
12:00 AM S	t. Joseph	.Dick Watson
Thursday, July 9		
	t. Joseph	John Belcher
6:00 PM E	mmanuel	Sr. Marguerite Schoenung
Friday, July 10		
		.Intention of Becky Jones
	t. Joseph	
Saturday, July 11 ¹		
	mmanuel	Louis F. Schulze
	t. Joseph	
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5:15 PM E	mmanuel	Dolores & Robert Kappeler
Sunday, July 12		
	Ioly Trinity	.For our parishioners
10:00 AM S	t. Joseph	.Fr. Chris Coleman
	mmanuel	
		.Frank, Josephine & Randall
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Next Week's Readings:

Isaiah 55: 10-11; Psalms 65: 10, 11, 12-13, 14; Romans 8: 18-23; Matthew 13: 1-23

Confessions:

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 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

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

Feast of the Precious Blood—This weekend the parishes in Region 7 will be celebrating the Feast of the Precious Blood of Christ with the Missionaries of the Precious Blood. July 1st is the traditional Feast Day for the Precious Blood Congregation and we are given permission to celebrate this Solemnity in the various ministerial sites where our members are assigned. The scripture readings and prayers for Mass will come from those assigned to the Feast of the Precious Blood.



The Precious Blood of Jesus expresses the covenant of love that is shared between God and God's people, a covenant that is unconditional and eternal. In the Bible, covenants express what it means to be in relationship with God and one another; it is our way of standing together. In the offering of Christ's blood we do not see a renewal of the covenants of old; what we see is the gift of a new covenant.

The bold statement that Jesus makes at the last supper—to drink his blood—helps us to realize that we are no longer talking about an ordinary people or an ordinary age. The drinking of blood was something forbidden by Jewish law because blood was sacred to God. But what Jesus is saying is that the blood that belongs to God now belongs to the community of those who believe in Jesus and follow him. The life-force of God is now with the disciples of Jesus in a special way through his Precious Blood which binds us together as one.

What we learn from the life of Jesus is that a heart filled with the Precious Blood of Jesus respects the dignity and worth of each and every person as a beautiful gift. God is saying to us through Jesus that we are all one heart, we are all one blood. From the wood of the cross we can hear the heart of God saying: "those who are far off have been brought near through the blood of Christ" (Eph. 2:13). Giving expression to this witness of love and unity is a life-long journey for each of us.

As Catholics our belief in the Eucharist is an important perspective that can speak to the national conversation about racism today. In their Pastoral Letter on Racism entitled "Open Wide Our Hearts" the U.S. Bishops call us to a greater awareness of the sin of racism.

"Racism arises when—either consciously or unconsciously—a person holds that his or her own race or ethnicity is superior, and therefore judges persons of other races or ethnicities as inferior and unworthy of equal regard. When this conviction or attitude leads individuals or groups to exclude, ridicule, mistreat, or unjustly discriminate against persons on the basis of their race or ethnicity, it is sinful. Racist acts are sinful because they violate justice. They reveal a failure to acknowledge the human dignity of the persons offended, to recognize them as the neighbors Christ calls us to love (Mt 22:39). Racism occurs because a person ignores the fundamental truth that, because all humans share a common origin, they are all brothers and sisters, all equally made in the image of God." (USCCB, Open Wide Our Hearts)

Blood is essential for life it is something that all of us share in common. The Precious Blood of Jesus reminds us that all humanity has been redeemed in the Blood of Christ. The sin of racism destroys the proper relationship which God intends for our world. As members of the Body of Christ we must work to heal the wounds of sin and division one relationship at a time.

At each Mass, the Eucharistic cup, the chalice gathers together each of our lives, the suffering that cannot be avoided as well as the blessings of joy and hope that is found in Christ who is victorious over sin and death. Christ offers Himself to us as food and drink for

PASTOR'S PEN continued...

The journey, transforming us so that we can be "living chalices" for others, ready to pour out our lives as the living sacrament of Christ's blood binding us together as one.

As we gather to receive the healing and life-giving grace that comes from the sacrament of the Eucharist may we be open to God's healing love whether that comes to us in mind, body or spirit, and like Jesus, may we be ready to reach out in love to someone we encounter today and participate in the mission of Jesus, to fulfill the Father's dream that all may be one.

Prayer for an End to Racism

Mary, friend and mother to all, through your Son, God has found a way to unite himself to every human being, called to be one people, sisters and brothers to each other. We ask for your help in calling on your Son, seeking forgiveness for the times when we have failed to love and respect one another. We ask for your help in obtaining from your Son the grace we need to overcome the evil of racism and to build a just society. We ask for your help in following your Son, so that prejudice and animosity will no longer infect our minds or hearts but will be replaced with a love that respects the dignity of each person. Mother of the Church, the Spirit of your Son Jesus warms our hearts: pray for us. (USCCB, Open Wide Our Hearts, Pastoral Letter on Racism)

REGIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Community Blood Center

There are peak needs during the summer for blood donations. Please consider taking some time out of your day to donate the true gift of life! Appointments are encouraged. Call 1-800-388-GIVE, or visit www.donortime.com to schedule a time.

Youth Elect Service retreat! Y.E.S. Teens who have completed 6th grade through graduating high school are invited to participate in this apostolic retreat helping seniors with ordinary outdoor chores i.e., yard work, spring cleaning, etc. The retreat begins on Friday, July 31st to get acquainted, distribute work assignments and equipment, and to pray. Saturday morning teams will be sent out after the 7:30am Mass at Emmanuel. If you are an elderly parishioner and need some help with outdoor chores around the house, our Region 7 teens would love to come and help you. Adults, college freshman through retiree age, are needed to serve as crew leaders. To request help for your house project, or to volunteer as a Youth Worker or Adult Crew leader, please contact Lynda Middleton at 937-228-1223 or lyndamiddleton9@gmail.com or Fr. Matt at mattkeller1988@gmail.com.

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 Thursday at 7pm at Holy Trinity between the school building and rectory outside in the law (#socialdistancing). Bring a blanket or lawn chair to sit in plus your Bible/Sunday devotional, prayer journal, and water bottle. For more information contact Shaughn Phillips at sphillips@daytondowntowncatholic.com.

Pray for the Men and Women Serving in the Military

Rebekka Anders Yves Benimana Michael Borgert John Carner Kelli Anne Cartuvelles Jon Chachula Laura Chachula Gary Eilers

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

David Musgrove Diane Nyirasimbi Anthony Pelfrey Jessica Pruitt Aimee Storm Susan Varmuza Justin Williams

EMMANUEL CHURCH

Generous Contributions for June 28, 2020

Weekend Offertory: Collection \$6,963.00 St Vincent de Paul: 696.30 \$ Peter Pence: 333.00

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

Praver List

Virginia Allen Gary George Phyllis Rieger Ralph Berry Craig Hathaway Tony Rocco Teresa Bond George Hendrix Eric Rosenthal Daniel Branch Jack Hohl Randy Rosenthal Bernard Chachula Thomas Ledinsky Molly Schneider Michael Dalessio Judy Marks Jan Timerding Trina Umberg Mike McDonald Rick Emerick Patrick McDonald Anna Espy Daniel Annette & John Fohl Brian Napier Helen Cindy Gardina Ellen Petitjean

Mulching Party at Emmanuel - Next Saturday, July 11th after the 7:30 am Mass. All invited: including retirees, college and high school students, and all kids who can work. We will be trimming bushes, weeding, and mulching. Please bring water bottles, wheelbarrows, shovels and work gloves. We plan on finishing before lunch time. For more information please contact Tanya Lee, 937-885-7432.

Nominations for Parish Pastoral Council: We are accepting nominations for parishioners to serve on the Parish Pastoral Council and the various Commissions of the parish. In the next few weeks we will publish descriptions of the various commissions to assist parishioners in their discernment about serving on the Parish Pastoral Council or one of the Commissions. Please give serious consideration to sharing your gifts and talents to help strengthen the life of our parish. The nomination process will close on July 12, 2020. Elections will take place the weekend of August 9, 2020.

Liturgy Commission: This Commission helps the Pastor in carrying out the Liturgical themes throughout the year by assisting in the seasonal planning, training of Alter Servers, Lectors, Ushers and Extraordinary Ministers. The Liturgy commission works with the Evangelization Commission.

Evangelization Commission: This Commission is concerned with how Emmanuel reaches out to its parishioners and the Dayton area. They arrange events designed for the Dayton community and collaborate with the Education Commission on events such as the Parish Mission. They serve as a means to connect the various Emmanuel commissions and the parishes in our pastoral region.

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH

Generous Contributions for June 28, 2020

Weekend Offertory: Budget Collection \$6,400.00 \$4,491.00

Many thanks for the generous spirit of our parishioners and to all who are making up their Sunday offerings, either by mail or through the Sunday collections. Fr. Angelo and Fr. Matt

We are very appreciative of all who are practicing social distancing and wearing masks at church. We are doing this out of respect and concern for each other.

Please keep in your prayers all the elderly, sick and confined at home or in long term care facilities. Knowing they have the prayers and thoughts of fellow parishioners is comfort to them.

Tender Topics 2: Teaching Kids About Kindness

Kindness is a superpower that kids (and adults) can choose to use everyday to make themselves and others feel good and to improve the world. Being kind goes beyond simply being nice to our friends and families. Kindness is for our neighbors, public servants and those who help us everyday to have safer and better lives. Kindness is at the heart of the Gospel and what it means to have a caring heart. Some ideas for kids showing kindness:

- Surprise someone with a kind note or thank you or a hand made card.
- Demonstrate the power of encouragement by having kids write encouraging words on sticky notes. When your child is not looking, add their names to the notes and leave them around the house for them to discover.
- Pick up litter together- in your neighborhood, in the park, or in the school yard. Talk about how all of us have the power to make the world more beautiful.
- Add gratitude to your evening routine and prayers. Try asking your child what made them happy that day.
- Play "I Spy Kindness." Kindness is all around if we look for it. People helping others. Unexpected smiles. A gentle "hello" all inspire kindness in us and in others.

Kids pay more attention to what we do than what we say. Do something kind with your child if you want them to be kind.

Nominations for Parish Pastoral Council

Due to the pandemic and the closing of the church, we were unable to follow the normal schedule for the elections to the Parish Pastoral Council. So, elections will take place on Sunday, August 2. We are presently securing names of parishioners who would like to learn more about and place their names in nomination for possible election to the Parish Pastoral Council. To learn about the functions of each commission please go to Holytrinitydayton.org, choose Parish Pastoral Council, and scroll through the different commission to find out what you would be interested in. All are welcome to place their name in nominations. Simply call Judi at the parish office (937-228-1223) or email <u>busmgr.holytrinity@gmail.com</u>. Our objective is to have two candidates for each commission for the election. We will be accepting self nominations through the month of July. The Council meets 10 months out of the year and each Commission has their own schedule of meetings.

BOILER FUND UPDATE:

Goal - \$73,000

Pledged/collected: \$71,505.00

We are inching our way toward the goal. \$1,495.00 to go! Can you help us?

ST. JOSEPH CHURCH

Generous Contributions for June 28, 2020

Weekend Offertory: Collection \$5,384.50 Charity: \$ 177.00 Peter Pence: \$1,029.00

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Congratulations to Madilynn Viens and Alexander Compean who were married at St. Joseph's on Saturday. May you be blessed with many wonderful years together.

A Memorial Mass will be offered on July 10th at 10:00 a.m. for Mary Ann McMullen who died on May 3. May she rest in the peace of Christ.

Can you help? We're in need of people to wipe down pews after each Mass. We need six people, one for each day of the week. Please call the office if you can help 937-228-9272. Thank you!

Hearing Aid Receivers Available...Are you having difficulty hearing the Mass? If so, we have hearing aid receivers available for your use. Just ask an usher and they will get you one. You can keep the hearing aid receiver to use each week. When you no longer need to use it just give it back to an usher.

The Most Precious Blood Of Jesus

Please keep the following people in your prayers.

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

Ken Belcher Bob Bruns Mooneen Caufield Michael Culp Catherine DMange

Rita Downs

Christine Durr Bennett Hart Rick Kaliney Vanessa Padgett Victors Polovskis Tony Riggs Janet Rudy-Gerrard Karen Thomas Sharon Wenzel Mark Williams **2020 Golden Anniversary Mass Cancelled.** The Archdiocesan Golden Anniversary Masses, honoring couples celebrating 50 years of marriage, scheduled for August 1, 2020, are cancelled. WEDDING ANNIVERSARY CERTIFICATES Married couples celebrating a significant wedding anniversary (25, 40, 50, 60, 65, 70, 75) in 2020 may request a congratulatory certificate from Archbishop Schnurr. Please contact the parish office if you are celebrating a

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special anniversary this year and would like to receive a certificate.

Area Activities

The Catch the Building Spirit 2020 house build is well underway for Habitat for Humanity of greater Dayton partner family Ira & Terese Compton. Ira works for a major shipping company maintaining machinery and Terese is a full time home health aide. Their home is located at 6718 Sandy Dr., Trotwood. You can help by volunteering at the job site where you will be directed by skilled site superintendents for the day's work. To volunteer, signup at https://daytonhabitat.org/how-to-help/volunteer.html. Learn more about this year's build and make a donation at https://catchthebuildingspiirit.org. Thank you for your help!

Presentation Ministries' Our Lady of Guadalupe Discipleship Center Summer Retreat Schedule

July 10-12 – Discover Your Spiritual Gifts

July 13-15 – The Gifts of Prophecy, Discernment, and Evangelization

July 15-17 – The Gifts of Intercession and Healing

July 17-19 – How to Build a Civilization of Love Thru Home-Based Communities

July 20-23 - How to Build a Civilization of Love Thru Home- Based Communities

July 26-30 – How to Teach the Bible in the Power of the Holy Spirit To register or for more information: call 937-587-5464 or 513-373-2397 or www.presentationministries.com. Email:

retreats@presentationministries.com. 5701 Lawshe Rd., Peebles Ohio

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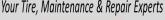






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