# Downtown Dayton Catholic Parishes April 17, 2022 Easter Sunday

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 www.cpps-preciousblood.org







Emmanuel Church 1837

St. Joseph Church 1847

### Holy Trinity Church 1861

# Emmanuel Church

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## **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

## 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 ritazatstjoseph@sbcglobal.net 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.

**First child Baptism Class** - If this is your first child being baptized classes are offered on the first Saturday of the month. Our next baptism class will be on May 7 at 10 am at St. Joseph. To register for the class contact your parish office.

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# **Mass Intentions**

Monday, Ap	ril 18				
	7:30 AM Holy TrinityRita Trick Canty				
	12:00 PM St. JosephJohn Paul Khouzam				
Tuesday, Ap					
		Ralph & Charlotte Mergler			
12:00 PM	St. Joseph.	For the soul of Clara Graff			
Wednesday,					
	Emmanuel	Niehaus Family			
	St. Joseph				
Thursday, A					
	Emmanuel	Mildred Sadauskas			
	St. Joseph				
Friday, Apri					
	Emmanuel	Theresa Steinbruegge			
12.00 PM	St Joseph	Russell & Florence Donauer			
Saturday, A					
		Vicki & Basil DePasquale			
	St. Joseph				
	St. Joseph				
	Emmanuel				
Sunday, Apr					
		For our perishioners			
	Holy Trinity				
10:00 AM	St. Joseph	For our parismoners			
10:30 AM	Emmanuel	Intention of Adam & Emily			
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11:30 AM	Holy I rinity	Dayton Council 500 family			
		& friends			

### Next Week's Readings:

Acts 5: 12-16; Psalms 118: 2-4, 13-15, 22-24; Revelation 1: 9-11a, 12-13, 17-19; John 20:19-31

### **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

## FR. ANGELO'S REFLECTION

Cardinal Bernardin once told this story about a second-grade teacher who decided to put on an Easter play. All of the children were given parts, although some of the parts were quite insignificant. One boy, for example, was given the part of the stone that was placed in front of Jesus's tomb. The teacher told this child that when it was time for the stone to be rolled aside so that Jesus could rise from the dead, all he needed to do was to move his hands in a circle and then step to the side.

The first time they had a rehearsal, the boy got a running start and began to do a series of summersaults at the end of which he knocked down several children. The teacher took him aside and told him that it simply was not necessary to be so dramatic. It would be sufficient for him merely to move his hands in a circle and then step to the side.

At the next rehearsal, the boy did the same things—knocking the other children aside as he did his summersaults. The teacher decided that, rather than try to reason with him, she would offer him a different role instead. First, she offered him the part of one of the soldiers, but he replied that he wanted to be the stone! Then she offered him the part of Peter. He thought a little longer about this possibility; but again, he refused insisting that he wanted to be the stone!

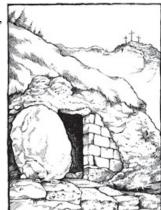
Finally, in exasperation, she offered him the highly coveted role of Jesus himself. The boy gave this careful thought before telling her that he still wanted to be the stone! When she asked him why he insisted on being the stone, he proudly replied: "Because when I let Jesus out of the tomb, it feels so good!"

For 40 days of Lent, we have been following the ancient practices of prayer, fasting and almsgiving. During this journey we invited God to help us roll away the stone of our hardened heart, a stone that has kept us from encountering the Risen Lord and entombed the gifts of the Holy Spirit within us.

The most remarkable event in all of history is the resurrection of Jesus. This was not the mere resuscitation of a lifeless body that would die again like Lazarus, but the victorious rising of Jesus who lives forever. "Death no longer has power over Him." (Rom. 6:9) This truth powerfully affected the lives of the disciples. They became fearless and bold and focused on telling others about this most amazing gift that has been given to us.

Today, we are called to have the enthusiasm and joy of that little boy allowing the life we have received from Jesus to be freely shared. Can we allow the love of Jesus to move us beyond our fear, confusion, hurt and doubt? Easter calls us to live in the Light of Christ, a light that takes away all darkness. As we renew our baptismal promises today, we can't help but feel the joy of that little boy because our "yes" to these promises rolls back the stone of darkness and reveals Jesus, the Light of Life. May you experience the joy that comes from proclaiming the truth that Jesus is risen!

A Blessed Easter! Fr. Angelo, Fr. Matt, Br. Matt, Fr. Ken and all the staff in our family of parishes are grateful for your commitment to sharing the faith and pray that this Easter season will be a time of spiritual growth as we celebrate the life we share in the Risen Lord. Thank you to everyone who helped to prepare for and celebrate our Holy Week Liturgies. The beauty of the liturgical environment, the music and everyone's participation in the liturgies offered us a glimpse of heaven on earth!



## **REGIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

### Congratulations to our Newest Members of the Catholic

**Church**! We are delighted to welcome you into our family of parishes. Please know that we are praying for you as you continue your journey of faith.

Katherine Barlow	Kelly Wentling
Rod Borkenhagen	Molly Wentling
Tiffany Duffy	Sean Wentling
Megan Knife	Tom Wentling
Zachary Williamson	-

#### **Dvine Mercy Sunday at Emmanuel**

Next Sunday is Divine Mercy Sunday. Emmanuel Church will be hosting an afternoon of prayer in honor of this Feast which was instituted for the Second Sunday of Easter by Pope John Paul II in the year 2000. The message of Divine Mercy was given to Saint Faustina of Poland. During the Octave of Easter, we are invited to call upon the Divine Mercy of Jesus to guide us as we pray for the dying, for forgiveness and mercy, for conversion, for healing or for renewed hope.

#### Schedule at Emmanuel for April 24, 2022:

12:30 PM - 2:00 PM Confessions, beginning with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
1:15 PM Rosary
1:45 PM Benediction
2:00 PM Mass
3:00 PM Three O'Clock Prayer, Chaplet of Mercy
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**Pray For Vocations** - As Catholics, we firmly believe that God has a plan for our lives. He calls some to marriage, some to the priesthood, and others to consecrated life or to live as generous single people. Fully living our own vocations—and teaching young people how to discern God's call—is a serious duty, but also a joyful one. During this week, please encourage the young people in your life— children, grandchildren, students, and friends—to be open if God calls them to the priesthood or consecrated life. May 8 is the World Day of Prayer for Vocations. For resources, check out the World Day of Prayer website at <u>https://</u> worlddayofprayerforvocations.com.

**Religious Brothers Day** - Religious Brothers Day (RBD) is Sunday, May 1. This day offers the opportunity to celebrate and give thanks for religious Brothers in our lives, including 95 here in our archdiocese. It also offers an opportunity to consider how we all invite, walk with, and encourage young people to discern God's call in their life. Please visit <u>www.religiousbrothers.org</u> to download prayers, prayer services, reflections, and other resources to celebrate RBD.

#### Save the Date and Help Meet Urgent Needs for Blood!

Our Family of Parishes Health Ministries Team is sponsoring the next quarterly blood drive on April 27th from 8:00 am to 6:00 pm. The need for blood still remains. Appointments are highly encouraged. Just call 937-461-3220, or go to their website at <u>www.donortime.com</u> to schedule.

**Baptism Class** - in preparation for our coming together as a Family of Parishes, Baptism classes are going to be offered on the first Saturday of every month at 10:00 am with the location of the class changing each month. A Baptism class is required for all parents before their first child is baptized. To register for the baptism class contact your parish office to schedule the date that works best for you. Our baptism classes will be: May 7 at St. Joseph, June 4 at Holy Trinity and July 2 at Emmanuel.

**Y.E.S. (Youth Elect Service) Retreat** Friday, June 10 and Saturday, June 11. Looking for teens, young adults, and adults to volunteer. Also in search of homes where we can help put out mulch, weed, clean a garage, etc. Registration forms are in the back of the churches. Contact Lynda Middleton at 937-228-1223. Don't delay, register today!

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

- Yves Benimana Michael Borgert John Carner Kelli Anne Cartuyvelles Cody Landers Jon Chachula Laura Chachula Caleb Fowler
- Jacob Gutwein Nicholas Kern Morgan Konsdorf Greg Marcus Alex McGarvey Zachary McIntyre

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

# **EMMANUEL CHURCH**

### **Generous Contributions for April 10, 2022**

Weekend Offertory:	Collection
-	\$ 7,869.00
St. Vincent de Paul:	\$ 786.90
Year-to-date surplus:	\$ 15,566.00

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

#### **Prayer List**

- Virginia Allen Dave Cartuyvelles Nancy Cartuyvelles Michael Dalessio Marilyn Dehner Anna Espy Annette & John Fohl Cindy Gardina Dale
- Gary George Craig Hathaway George Hendrix Kathleen Knight Trisha Junker Thomas Ledinsky Patrick McDonald Phyllis Pence
- Tony Rocco Randy Rosenthal Robert Thoman Jan Timerding Special Intention Adam Daniel Helen

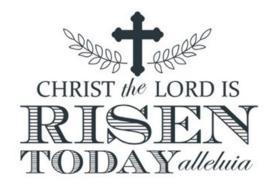
Next Sunday a celebration of Divine Mercy will begin at 12:30 PM with confessions and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, followed by Mass at 2:00 PM. The afternoon of prayer will end with the 3:00 PM Chaplet of Divine Mercy. The Divine Mercy Novena began on Good Friday.

Foundations of Evangelization will continue, Monday, April 25th at 7:00pm in the Emmanuel School building. The presentation will be "Principles of Evangelization," with Presenter, Danny Sweeney. Please visit the parish website for details. All are welcome.

Miraculous Medal Novena with Adoration and Benediction-Join us on Tuesday evenings at 7:00 pm for the Miraculous Medal Novena, with church doors opening at 6:30 pm.

Holy Father's Prayer Intention...For health care workers We pray for health care workers who serve the sick and the elderly, especially in the poorest countries; may they be adequately supported by governments and local communities.

From the Joyful Noiseletter: Sign outside a New York church: "Catch up with Jesus. Lettuce praise and relish Him 'cuz He loves me from my head to-ma-toes." - via Bob White, Owego, NY



# HOLY TRINITY CHURCH

### **Generous Contributions for April 10, 2022**

Weekend Offertory:	Budget:	Collection
	\$6,400.00	\$6,806.99

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

Please Mark Your Calendar for our upcoming Women's program -Women's Day: Helping Hands, will be held May 14, 2022 at St. Joseph Parish Center from 8:30 am to 2:00 pm. Check the insert in this bulletin and make plans to be with us.

Spring Rummage Sale will be held April 30 from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. in Trinity Center. You may drop items off today between 9:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. in Trinity Center and on April 24 between 9:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. If you have questions and/or would like to help, please call Don at 937-608-2178. Don is looking for some help with set up and the day of the sale.

#### Help Meet Urgent Needs for Blood!

Our Family of Parishes Health Ministries Team is sponsoring the next quarterly blood drive on April 27th from 8:00 am to 6:00 pm. The need for blood still remains. Appointments are highly encouraged. Just call 937-461-3220, or go to their website at www.donortime.com to schedule.

We are so very grateful to everyone for the donations for the Easter Flowers that are beautifying our sanctuary in memory of the following: Louie and Kim Trick Cindy Griffin Frank, Josephine, Randall and Gerald Cooper Charles and Shirley Joyce Patrick and Tom Ryan Daniel and Joan Shultz Albert E. Becker, Sr. Margaret Becker John E. Schneider Tom & Gerry Eden Kathleen Armstrong Diane Honeyman Griffin and Cannon familiy Olga Debaron Julio Trimboli Alex Brown Braun and Sweeney families Susan Simmons Martin Schulze Oliver and Rosella Gast Jackie Gast Russell and Mildred Gilmore, Jr. David Gilmore Dec. of O'Meara and Beemsterboer families Lucy and Gene Cordonnier Betty and Dennis McMahon Steven Bertke Boehmer and Heiser families Bob and BettyTurner Barney and Zak families

Justin Shoemacher

So Many Thanks for the Beautiful Triduum Services: Father Angelo, Fr. Matt, Fr. Ken, our servers, our choir, the ushers, the church cleaners, the planners. and the decorators, we certainly do appreciate all your do for Holy Trinity Parish.

# **ST. JOSEPH CHURCH**

## **Generous Contributions for April 10, 2022**

Weekend Offertory:	Collection \$6,881.00	
Charity:	\$ 105.00	

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

Our Parish Center floor needs to be mopped. It's a big job and we need about four people to help get this done. I'm planning on tackling this next Wednesday or Thursday. Would you be willing to help? Please call Rita at 937-228.9272. Thank you!

We are looking for a Part-time Maintenance person to help with the maintenance and upkeep of the parish buildings. The position is 15 to 20 hours a week and requires knowledge in electrical, plumbing and HVAC. Please call or email resume to Rita at ritazatstjoseph@sbcglobal.net. Questions? Call Rita at 937-228-9272.

We are in need of more servers (youth or adult) at the 4:30 and 10:00 Masses. Training is provided. Will you help? Call or email Rita.

We need another person to help with the live streaming every Sunday at 10:00. The commitment would be for every third Sunday. This ministry is so important to those who aren't able to physically come to church. Training is provided. Please call or email Rita.

We have about 20 bricks available to be engraved at the Holy Family Grotto. Forms are available in the back of church or email Rita.

Have you registered? If you attend Mass at St. Joe's but have never registered as a member of the parish, please consider doing so. It's easy...just call the rectory at 937-228-9272.

Easter Blessings!

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

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

Cheryl Anderson Bennett Hart Austin Beggin & Family Paul Hartke Jim Brokamp Bob Bruns Kathy Buschur Sara Bustetter Mooneen Caufield Michael Culp Rita Downs Frank Fass John Fitzgerald Jim Flynn Gary Grump

Marie Henry Fran Karl Colette Kropp Alma Landry **Colleen Maples** William Meikle Mary Beth O'Connor Greg Osif Vanessa Padgett Tom Puckett Sarah Dugan

Victor Polovskis Theresa Reiff Tony Riggs Janet Rudy-Gerrard Terri Sullivan Jack Summers **Rick Summers** Karen Thomas Tony Trick Joann Weisenbach Sharon Wenzel Linda

# **Area Activities**

Gender Identity: Practical tips for Accompaniment - The Archdiocese of Cincinnati is hosting a luncheon featuring Damon and Melanie Owens on April 22 at 12:30 pm at St. Paul Catholic Church in Englewood. The event will provide formation on the beauty of the Church's teachings on sexual identity with tips for accompaniment, and is geared toward parents, educators or parish catechists. The cost is \$10 per person. Register at https://

www.centerforthenewevangelization.org/event/gender-identitypractical-tips-for-accompaniment

### **Catholic Social Services' Shine Dayton Event is Back!**

Join us for a wonderful night that will include a beer & wine tasting, heavy hors d'oeuvres, live music, a fun speakeasy sponsored by Belle of Dayton, and more. This year's event is a fundraiser for the agency's refugee resettlement program. Visit <u>cssmv.org/events</u>.

Full time phone services operator needed at the Marianist Mission in Beavercreek. Must be proficient in Microsoft Office, a good listener and detail oriented. Call 937-222-4641 for an application

### Baby Pantry Coordinator - Dayton Right to Life

We are looking for an organized, compassionate person with a giving heart to assist families in need with diapers, clothing, formula, and other necessities for their children. Hours are Tuesday-Friday 9-4. Send your resume to Kristina Farmer at <u>kfarmer@daytonlife.org</u>.

