

Downtown Dayton Catholic Parishes

June 26, 2022

13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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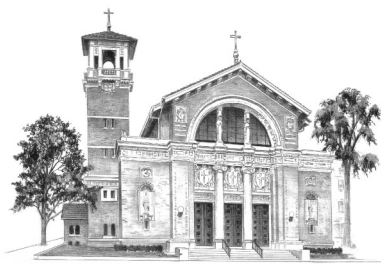
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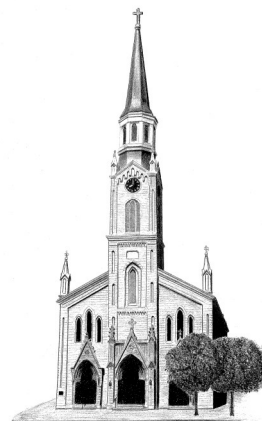
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Emmanuel Church 1837



St. Joseph Church 1847



Holy Trinity Church 1861

Mass Intentions

Monday, June 27

7:30 AM Holy Trinity.....Helen Terbay
12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Intentions of Adam Demeter

Tuesday, June 28

7:30 AM Holy Trinity.....Tony Trick
12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Sarah L. Leibold

Wednesday, June 29

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....In Thanksgiving to Mary Our Mother
12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Susan Burchett

Thursday, June 30

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....For the return to the faith of our prodigal children
12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Irene Dineen

Friday, July 1

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....Mildred Sadauskas
12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Melvin Culp

Saturday, July 2

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....Mary Ann Swarmer
12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Apollonia Hunkler
4:30 PM St. Joseph.....Marian Dickas
5:15 PM Emmanuel.....For our parishioners

Sunday, July 3

8:30 AM Holy Trinity.....For our parishioners
10:00 AM St. Joseph.....For our parishioners
10:30 AM Emmanuel.....For our parishioners
11:30 AM Holy Trinity.....Jerry Glaser

Next Week's Readings:

Isaiah 66:10-14c; Psalms 66:1-3, 4-5, 6-7, 16, 20; Galatians 6:14-18;
Luke 10:1-12, 17-20 or Luke 10:1-9

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

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Miraculous Medal Novena with Adoration and Benediction at Emmanuel on Tuesdays 7:00 PM

Contact your parish office to: Register, schedule Baptism, Weddings or Ministry to the Homebound.

DEACON RUSTY'S REFLECTION

God Calls To Us Everyday.

Calls are found throughout today's readings. God calls Elisha through Elijah; St. Paul tells us we are called for freedom; James and John want to call down fire from heaven; and finally, Jesus calls and is called upon by would-be disciples. Nowadays, we may think such calls from God are relatively rare and come in the form of mystical visions, or only come in the context of a religious vocation, but the fact is calls from God are actually quite routine and ordinary. By that I don't mean that visions, locutions, and other mystical phenomena are routine and ordinary or that most Christians experience them.

But the fact remains that God's calls come to us scores of times every single day: through others, through the good as well as the bad events in our day, and from within our own hearts – through the inner promptings of the Holy Spirit enabled by the graces we receive in the sacraments. Through all these things God is calling us. And once we see these calls for what they are, we will recognize that they are God's way of giving us an opportunity to respond with sacrificial love; to serve Him in a way we might not have thought possible before. It is in this sense that calls from God are quite routine and ordinary. Our goal as grace-filled disciples of Our Lord is to respond to these calls, in whatever form they may take, with sacrificial love. Our goal is to mature in our faith to the point that our loving response to these calls from God is not something extraordinary, but rather as routine and ordinary as the calls themselves. Let's start down the road to that goal by looking at how the various people in the readings today responded to their calls from God.

Elisha was a very prosperous farmer when Elijah found him in the field and "threw his cloak" over him – an ancient sign of consecration that Elisha immediately understood as a call from God that he was to succeed Elijah as a prophet and says when Elisha wants to say goodbye to his family, "Go back! Have I done anything to you?" This sounds strange but is in fact a Jewish idiom that means "do as you please."

But it is still curious that Elisha is allowed to do what Our Lord in the Gospel harshly condemns a would-be disciple for, saying to him, "No one who sets his hand to the plow and looks to what was left behind is fit for the kingdom of God!" What's the difference? The difference is Elijah and Our Lord could read hearts. And Elijah knew that the heart of Elisha was completely given over to God. So much so that it probably didn't surprise Elijah in the least that Elisha literally, to use another idiom, "burned his bridges" behind him so that it was impossible for him to look back, to return to his former way of life.

In the Gospel, we find Jesus headed south to Jerusalem via Samaria which lies between Galilee and Jerusalem. Here James and John proved they were not called the Sons of Thunder for nothing when they asked Jesus if he wanted them to call down fire from heaven! But let us not pass over this incident too quickly. The reason the Samaritans didn't let Jesus into their village was because they didn't like where he was going. Our Lord was on his way to Jerusalem which represents, literally and symbolically, both Jesus' glory and his ultimate self-sacrifice; there he would be hailed the King of kings and then suffer the cruel death of Calvary; there the good shepherd would lay down his life for his sheep. And as his disciples, our main call from God is to imitate His Son, laying down our lives in love of God and neighbor. But when the "routine and ordinary" calls come to us each and every day in big ways and in small, and when we see that loving as Our Lord does mean suffering, isn't it the case that we sometimes won't let Jesus into our heart for the very same reason as the Samaritans? We don't like where He is going, where He is leading us, and so we won't receive his call into our hearts! Human nature is much more comfortable with mercy for ourselves and justice for everyone else; with sacrifice without suffering; with the kind of love that doesn't cost us anything. Except that, that kind of love doesn't actually exist – because it is not love at all.

DEACON RUSTY'S REFLECTION continued...

But this was precisely the freedom that Christ set us free for – the freedom to love as He did – which is true freedom; the fullness of freedom. Only someone who is free can give themselves away. Becoming a Christian is not the hard part of Christianity, truly being a Christian, day in and day out, is. But if we are guided by the Spirit, the Holy Spirit of love, we are not under the heavy yoke of the law. Not because the law is done away with, but because love fulfills the law. When we are guided by the Spirit then Our Lord can say to us what Elijah said to Elisha: "Do whatever pleases you." Because then our heart will be like His – a heart that is pleased to love.

REGIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

I would like to say thank you to all those who had a hand in planning my farewell party last Sunday, also I would like to say thank you to all who came to say farewell, and lastly for all those who contributed to the scrapbook, pictures, and the other gifts. It has been a privilege and an honor to serve you. Thank you for your love and friendship. You are in my prayers.
Fr. Matt Keller, CPPS

Peter's Pence Collection – Today a second collection will be taken up for Peter's Pence, a worldwide collection that supports the work of the Universal Church, including the work of the Holy See and the charitable works of Pope Francis. Your support is greatly appreciated. For more information go to the website: www.obolodisanpietro.va/en.html.



June is the Month in Honor of the Sacred Heart – "Holy heart of Jesus, sweet Sanctuary of rest, bring peace to my soul and settle my spirit, especially in the matter of (mention intention). I vow to place all my worries and fears into the wound of your Sacred Heart there to be tended to in accordance with your perfect will, which desires only the best and highest good. Your love alone is enough, and I surrender to it, clinging to the hope of a timely resolution and trusting with confidence all you promise." Amen.

Biking for Babies – On July 11th we will host a number of young adults who are raising awareness and funds to renew a culture for life. Since 2009 organizers have biked across the United States for the cause of life. As part of their mission, they partner with pregnancy resource centers who provide direct care for women and families in need and share their joy in sacrificing for the sake of others they may never meet. We are looking for volunteers to help provide a meal for the cyclists by preparing a covered dish to share. Please call or email the rectory office if you are able to help with this project.

Dare to date! Marriage Uncorked from Region 7 parishes save the date for future date nights: kayaking on July 9th and salsa dancing on August 13th.

The St. Vincent de Paul Thrift Store at 945 S. Edwin C. Moses Blvd. is hiring for dozens of positions: sorter, sales associate, non-CDL drivers, and managers. These are benefit-eligible full and part-time positions that pay \$15 to \$20 per hour plus incentives. The work supports our St. Vincent de Paul ministries in our parish and throughout the region. Apply in-person 10am - 5pm Mon.-Fri., or email Paula Cosby at pcosby@stvincentdayton.org.

Baptism Class - Baptism classes offered on the first Saturday of every month at 10:00 am. A Baptism class is required for all parents before their first child is baptized. To register contact your parish office. The next baptism class is at Emmanuel on July 2.

Pray for the Men and Women Serving in the Military

Yves Benimana	Jacob Gutwein	David Musgrove
Michael Borgert	Nicholas Kern	Diane Nyirasimbi
John Carner	Morgan Konsdorf	Anthony Pelfrey
Kelli Anne Cartuyvelles	Cody Landers	Jessica Pruitt
Jon Chachula	Greg Marcus	Susan Varmuza
Laura Chachula	Alex McGarvey	Justin Williams
Caleb Fowler	Zachary McIntyre	

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH

Generous Contributions for June 19, 2022

Weekend Offertory:	Budget:	Collection
	\$6,400.00	\$3,905.05

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

EMMANUEL CHURCH

Generous Contributions for June 19, 2022

Weekend Offertory:	Collection
	\$5,450.00
St. Vincent de Paul:	\$ 545.00
Year to date surplus:	\$8,345.00

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Prayer List

Virginia Allen	Trisha Junker	Jan Timerding
Dave Cartuyvelles	Thomas Ledinsky	Special Intention
Nancy Cartuyvelles	Patrick McDonald	Adam
Michael Dalessio	Phyllis Pence	Christine
Marilyn Dehner	Tony Rocco	Dale
Annette & John Fohl	Randy Rosenthal	Grant
Cindy Gardina	Katie Schultz	Justin
Gary George	Louie Schulze	Kelli
Craig Hathaway	Robert Thoman	Helen
George Hendrix		

The Parish Office will be closed on Monday, July 4th and have limited office hours from June 29th through July 8th due to vacations. In case of emergency call 937-228-1223.

Corpus Christi Procession. Many thanks to all who helped organize and celebrate this year's 21st Annual Corpus Christi procession. God blessed us with many hands to make this dream a reality. We are also grateful for those who came to clean up the street and put things in proper order. May we never take for granted the great gift that God has given us in the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ

Region 7 Bulletins are available on our website, www.emmanuelcatholic.com/bulletins/. Archived bulletins may be found by clicking on the Bulletin Archive link. Keep informed on the happenings within our Downtown Dayton Catholic Parishes.

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, brothermattcpps@gmail.com.

Holy Father's Prayer Intention...For families

We pray for Christian families around the world; may they embody and experience unconditional love and advance in holiness in their daily lives.

From the Joyful Noiseletter:

Sign in a podiatrist's office:
"Time wounds all heels."

— via Risa Samra, Saginaw, MI

Our Sincere Sympathy is extended to the family of Martha Beemsterboer whose funeral Mass will be on Monday at 10:00 a.m. We also remember Ron Bird and family on the passing of Maureen Bird. Her funeral Mass will be celebrated at Holy Trinity on Thursday at 10:00 a.m. May they rest in the peace of the Risen Lord.

The excitement of the children this past week at our Vacation Bible School was a sight to behold. The laughter on the lawn area as they played duck, duck, goose reminded me of my childhood. Eating worms in dirt was a highlight one day (it was actually gummy worms in chocolate pudding). Learning about bees and honey, learning about planting seeds in the soil, singing and making crafts each day was another experience of their time together. It was hard to distinguish who had the most fun – the children, the young helpers or the adults. All in all, it was a good experience learning about God and creation.

Have You Been Attending Holy Trinity For Awhile, but just haven't registered in the parish? You are most welcome to do so. There are registration forms on the book case at the entrance to church, or you can go online to HolyTrinitydayton.org and or print off a registration form and mail it to 272 Bainbridge Street, Dayton, OH 45402 or use the collection basket when you come to church.

Kroger Community Rewards:

Can you just imagine the size of the check if all our parishioners were enrolled in the Kroger Community program? Now is your opportunity to help out. Simply go online to krogercommunityrewards.com and have your Kroger Plus card in hand. Follow the instructions and use our organization's number – BH841. If you have any trouble registering, please call 1-866-221-4141. Thank you for your participation. It's free money and in no way affects your fuel savings or other promotions at Kroger. It is just Kroger's way of saying thank you to nonprofit organizations.

We All Need To Do Our Part! Thanks to all who are helping by recycling. The green and yellow dumpster at the north end of Bainbridge Street are being emptied on a regular basis and await your recycling of newspapers, magazines, cardboard, and all paper products.

Please continue to bring your aluminum beverage cans to the parish when you come to Mass or when you are passing through the area you can put them at the garage door in a sealed bag. We also recycle spent batteries. Please place them in the plastic tub on the steps in the vestibule, so they can be disposed of properly.

In a quandary as to how to support our parish? Tired of writing out a check each week or coming up with the cash to place in an envelope? You can go to our webpage holyltrinitydayton.org, chose "Online giving" from the home page and make your donation. You can also call Judi (937-228-1223) to sign up for ACH withdrawals from your checking or savings account. Withdrawals are made once a month through the parish office. Or, you can notify your bank to issue checks to Holy Trinity Parish at your discretion on a weekly or monthly basis. You can also continue to use the envelopes that were issued to you. The choice is yours! We just really appreciate your support in whichever manner you choose.

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ST. JOSEPH CHURCH

Generous Contributions for June 19, 2022

Weekend Offertory: Collection
\$7,447.00
Charity: \$ 260.00

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Congratulations to Zoe Still and Jonathan Beaver who were married at St. Joseph on Saturday. We wish you much happiness!

The second batch of bricks arrived this week and we hope to have them installed in a couple weeks.

We need two new servers (Children or Adult) for the 10:00 Mass on Sunday. Training is provided. We also need a couple more people to help say the rosary before the 10:00 Mass. Will you help?

175th Series - Did You Know: That education was a priority from the beginning of the parish that as soon as the church was completed in 1847 classes were started in English and taught by lay staff. By 1857 the Sisters of Charity accepted their first mission outside of Cincinnati by accepting the offer of Fr. Kelly to open a new school. Within a year the nun's had converted an old Presbyterian church for Day students and boarders. Eventually a school would be built across the street that would educate children for over 115 years.

Save the Date! - Our next 175th anniversary celebration will be on Sunday, October 9th featuring a procession and street party on 2nd St. Stay tuned for additional information.

Flocknotes! An internet service that enables us to send emails and text messages to our parishioners as one group. If you would like to start receiving email, text messages or both please use this link <https://flocknote.com/DowntownDaytonCatholicPa> or go to the homepage for Flocknotes, click on "Find Your Church" using our Zip code 45402 and from the selection of churches that appear click on "Downtown Dayton Catholic Parishes." You can join our network and be on your way to receiving messages from the parish (all without needing to create a password)!

*Please keep the following people in your prayers.
Call the rectory if you would like to be added to the prayer list.*

Cheryl Anderson	Michael Glackin	Victor Polovskis
Austin Beggin & Family	Gary Grump	Theresa Reiff
Colby Berry	Bennett Hart	Tony Riggs
Jim Brokamp	Paul Hartke	Janet Rudy-Gerrard
Bob Bruns	Marie Henry	Terri Sullivan
Kathy Buschur	Colette Kropp	Jack Summers
Sara Bustetter	Alma Landry	Rick Summers
Mooneen Caufield	Colleen Maples	Karen Thomas
Michael Culp	William Meikle	Tony Trick
Rita Downs	Mary Beth O'Connor	Joann Weisenbach
Sarah Dugan	Greg Osif	Sharon Wenzel
John Fitzgerald	Vanessa Padgett	Linda
Jim Flynn	Tom Puckett	

Area Activities

Free Catholic information booth at Montgomery County fair will be hosted by the Legion of Mary July 10, noon to 10 p.m., and July 11-16, 2022, 10 a.m. to 10 p.m., in the air-conditioned Main Event Center, at the 4-H Fairgrounds, 645 Infirmary Road. Free literature, rosaries, medals, etc. Regular \$10 Fair admission applies. For more Fair info and to purchase tickets online: <http://www.montcofair.com/>. To volunteer or for info about the Legion of Mary, call or text Ennis and Gloria Dodd (937) 999-1263.

Married couples celebrating significant wedding anniversaries can get a congratulatory certificate from Archbishop Schnurr. If you are celebrating your golden anniversary (50th), you are invited to attend one of the two Golden Masses: In Dayton: Aug. 13 4:30pm Immaculate Conception: In Cincinnati: Aug. 14 11:00am, Cathedral Basilica of St. Peter. To get a certificate or to register, contact Ana Ramirez 513-263-3384.

Ember Days - The seminarians of the Archdiocese invite young men entering their sophomore year of high school through outgoing seniors to a day of fun, prayer, sports and food. Ember Days will be 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, July 20 at Sacred Heart Church, McCartyville and on Thursday, July 28 at Mount St. Mary's Seminary & School of Theology in Cincinnati. To register and for more information, please go to <https://catholicaoc.org/vocations>.

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