

# Downtown Dayton Catholic Parishes

November 13, 2022

## 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Emmanuel Church 1837



St. Joseph Church 1847



Holy Trinity Church 1861

### Mass Intentions

#### Monday, November 14

7:30 AM Holy Trinity.....Jeff Wiedeman  
12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Deceased members of William  
J. McCarty Family

#### Tuesday, November 15

7:30 AM Holy Trinity.....Frank, Josephine, Gerald &  
Randall Cooper  
12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Bishop Dom Song

#### Wednesday, November 16

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....Ron Hill  
12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Jeanette Smith

#### Thursday, November 17

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....Living & deceased members of  
Jim & Maxine Monnin Family  
12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Jim Smolik

#### Friday, November 18

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....Niehaus Family  
12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Charles & Carmel Vehorn

#### Saturday, November 19

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....Donald Millard  
12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Barb Gohmann  
4:30 PM St. Joseph.....Jerry Gillotti  
5:15 PM Emmanuel.....For our parishioners

#### Sunday, November 20

8:30 AM Holy Trinity.....For our parishioners  
10:00 AM St. Joseph.....For our parishioners  
10:30 AM Emmanuel.....Donors to Emmanuel  
St. Vincent dePaul  
11:30 AM Holy Trinity.....Ronald Berry

#### Next Week's Readings:

2 Samuel 5:1-3; Psalms 122:1-2, 3-4, 4-5; Colossians 1:12-20;  
Luke 23:35-43.

#### 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.

## FR. ANGELO'S REFLECTION

If you were to consider a building that stands as a symbol of the Catholic Church in the world today, I can imagine that many of us would think of St. Peter's Basilica in Rome. Built over the tomb of St. Peter this amazing structure with its high dome and rounded colonnade acting like arms embracing the world, speaks of the Church's mission to draw all people to Christ. The symbolism of this building and its importance to us can be compared to the Temple in Jerusalem.

In today's gospel Jesus overhears some people talking about the beauty of the magnificent Temple building "adorned with costly stones and votive offerings." As massive and impressive as that building was Jesus declares that the Temple will be destroyed and not only that, but there will be destruction that comes from war, natural disaster, and personal persecution.

Did you notice in the gospel reading today that the question asked of Jesus was not "if" these terrible things will happen but "when" these things will happen. From one generation to the next there have been people who have tried to predict when the end of the world will come. Jesus does not get caught up in this guessing game. His response is to reassure us that He will provide for our needs when the time of destruction comes our way. We are given this warning of pending doom and destruction so that in the face of these challenges we will remain strong in faith and not lose heart because the Day of the Lord is coming.

When trials and tribulations in life come our way it is so easy to be caught up with fear, worry, doubt and even despair. Even though we do all that we can to guard against danger, there is still an element of fear that enters our life because of an uncertain future. Jesus instructs us to keep our focus on Him and not on the trials and tribulations. It's like a person seeking to be rescued from a tall building that is on fire. The firefighter tells the person, "Don't look down. Just keep your eyes on me. I will take care of you."

Over and over again in scripture God tells us to keep our eyes on Him, "Do not be afraid." Rather than focusing on the doomsday message that comes with trials and tribulations, Jesus asks us to nurture the virtues of hope and trust. Scripture reminds us that the Day of the Lord is not about destruction and fear. The Day of the Lord is all about a new beginning that comes when we die to an old self so that we can be made new and become more and more like Jesus.

Even though we know all earthly things will pass away we still must be involved in the work of building the kingdom of God. Many times the idea of work is seen in a negative way. We can look at work as a drudgery or a necessary evil to be endured or simply something that pays the bills. I recall the story of a young mother who loved being a Mom but was overwhelmed by the work of raising a 3 year old, a 1 year old, and a newborn. Her husband came home one day to find 5 dozen diapers hanging in the back yard and he said sympathetically, "I take it that you have surrendered."

Scripture tells us that there is honor in work. Even God himself worked to create the heavens and the earth and that our work is to participate in God's ongoing work of creation. Our faith teaches us that the work we do is our participation in building God's Kingdom. The saints teach us that even the most simple of acts ought to be seen as our contribution to God's plan of salvation. When we see our work as part of a larger plan, then we find renewed strength, hope and even joy in life.

Living faithfully our baptismal calling here on earth we are living into our final destiny, eternal life. Through baptism we recognize that we are more than dust, that we are made of star-dust and the creation God has made will be transformed to shine with Him forever. "By your perseverance, you will secure your life" and you will be ready for the Day of the Lord.

## REGIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Thanksgiving Mass Schedule:

Wednesday, November 23rd

6:00 PM Mass at Holy Trinity Church,

Thursday, November 24th,

10:00 AM Mass at Emmanuel

12:00 Noon Mass at St. Joseph Church.

### Thank You from the Archdiocese for Military Services

On behalf of His Excellency, the Most Reverend Timothy P. Broglio, Archbishop for the Military Services, USA (AMS), thank you to all those who contributed to the National Collection for the AMS last week. Thank you for supporting the men and women, and their families, from our own parish and diocese who serve and protect this great nation, and who defend the freedoms we hold dear. Please pray for an increase in vocations to the priesthood and military chaplaincy.

### Advent Bible Study:

Welcome the New Liturgical Year by studying the Gospel of Matthew on Mondays, Nov. 28, Dec. 5 and 12 from 6:30 – 8:00 PM. Presented by Dennie Stieritz at the St. Joseph Parish Center.

**Praise Fest is back!** Saturday, December 2 from 6:30 pm - 9 pm followed by a social at St. Joseph Church. All teens are invited to an evening of adoration, music, personal prayer time, and confession. Followed by fellowship. We are also in need of teens to help with the music. Please contact Tanya Lee with any questions, 937-885-7432 (call or text).

**We're Baaack!** After two years of social distancing, the Emmanuel St. Vincent de Paul Conference will host our annual Fish/Sausage Dinner as an indoor event featuring raffles, silent auction and games of chance. So, please save the date: January 28, 2023. Stay tuned for details!

**Next week our special collection will support the Catholic Campaign for Human Development.** More than 37 million people in the United States live in poverty. This collection supports programs that empower people to identify and address the obstacles they face in bringing permanent and positive change to their communities. Visit [www.usccb.org/ccchd](http://www.usccb.org/ccchd).

**Trivia Night! Friday, November 18th** from 6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. our family of parishes (Emmanuel, St. Joseph, Holy Trinity, St. Rita, Precious Blood, and St. Paul) will host a fun evening of Catholic Trivia at St. Paul Church, Pilliod Hall in Englewood. Parishioners are invited to build a team of six members each. Email the names of the members of your team to Narisa Lao: [nlao@preciousbloodchurch.org](mailto:nlao@preciousbloodchurch.org) or if you want to be a part of surprise team just let Narisa know. You can also contact Narisa if you would like to help with the event. Everyone is invited to participate in this evening of fun, learning and fellowship.

### Veterans Day Prayer

Lord God, Almighty Father,  
creator of mankind and author of peace,  
as we are ever mindful of the cost paid for the liberty we possess,  
we ask you to bless the members of our armed forces.  
Give them courage, hope and strength.  
May they ever experience your firm support,  
gentle love and compassionate healing.  
Be their power and protector,  
leading them from darkness to light.  
To you be all glory, honor and praise, now and forever. Amen.



### 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	

## EMMANUEL CHURCH

### Generous Contributions for Nov. 6, 2022

Weekend Offertory:	Collection
	\$ 7,098.00
St. Vincent de Paul:	\$ 709.80
Year to Date Deficit:	\$(24,776.00)
Military Collection:	\$ 1,906.00

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### Prayer List

Virginia Allen	George Hendrix	Jan Timerding
Ed Chartrand	Trisha Junker	Special Intention
Nancy Cartuyvelles	Thomas Ledinsky	Adam
Michael Dalessio	Tim McCrate	Christine
Marilyn Dehner	Patrick McDonald	Dale
Annette Fohl	Randy Rosenthal	Grant
Cindy Gardina	Katie Schultz	Justin
Gary George	Louie Schulze	Kelli
Craig Hathaway	Robert Thoman	Helen

**Reach Your Fallen Away Family...** Monday, November 14 is the last evangelization's session. The session by Mark Danis on "Putting it All Together: Reaching Everyone" begins at 7pm at the K of C Bainbridge Hall by Holy Trinity Church. For more details email, [daytonevangelizationcommittee@gmail.com](mailto:daytonevangelizationcommittee@gmail.com).

### Miraculous Medal Novena with Adoration and Benediction

Join us on Tuesday evenings at 7:00pm for the Miraculous Medal Novena, with church doors opening at 6:30pm. During this holy hour we pray the Novena as well as have Exposition, Benediction, Communion and a short homily.

**Mass Intentions...** If you would like to have a Mass offered for someone please email or call the parish office. Each family may schedule 3 Masses, once everyone has had a chance to schedule Masses, we will open it up for you to schedule additional Masses.

### 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, [brothermattcps@gmail.com](mailto:brothermattcps@gmail.com).

### Holy Father's Prayer Intention... For children who suffer

We pray for children who are suffering, especially those who are homeless, orphans, and victims of war; may they be guaranteed access to education and the opportunity to experience family affection.

### From the Joyful Noiseletter:

Sign outside Christian Church (Disciples of Christ), Woodward, IA:  
"I finally got it all together and now I forgot where I put it."  
— via Rev. Dale Schoening, Madrid, IA

## HOLY TRINITY CHURCH

### Generous Contributions for Nov 6, 2022

Weekend Offertory:	Budget:	Collection
	\$6,250.00	\$11,739.34
Military Collection:		\$ 929.00

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**Thank You To Everyone Who Supported** our old-fashioned holiday bazaar. We thank God for the beautiful weather and for the fine turnout of patrons' and especially for everyone who helped to make it a grand success. Final figures are not in yet, but suffice to say our Outreach Ministry treasure to support the less fortunate in the city grew substantially.

**Congratulations to the winners in the big raffle:** Judy Krolak won the first prize of \$1000 worth of gift cards, Kathy Parks Ballman won the Ipad mini and Holy Trinity was the recipient of the third prize thanks to Nick Hussong.

**Our Annual Breakfast with Santa** will be Sunday, December 4 starting at 9:30 a.m. in Trinity Center. It is an opportunity for all children, parents, grandparents, aunts and uncles to come together for a delicious breakfast and lots of fun for the kids. For children 10 and under, there will be visits and pictures with Santa, a gift, crafts to make and take. Tickets are \$10 for ages 3 through adults and \$4 for kids two and under. There are a limited number of tickets available. They are available after the Masses in the back of church and at the parish office during the week, 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Monday through Thursday and 8:00 a.m. until 11:30 a.m. on Fridays.

### Mass of Remembrance

We are celebrating the lives of our parishioners and friends who have died since November 2021, today at the 8:30 a.m. Mass. Kindly keep the families of the deceased in your prayers.

### We Welcome You!

If you have been attending Holy Trinity for a while and would like to be a registered member, please call the parish office at 937-228-1223 or download a registration form at [Holytrinitydayton.org](http://Holytrinitydayton.org).

### Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

It is not too late to begin classes for adults who are interested in joining the Catholic church, just call the parish office. RCIA meets each Sunday from 12:45-2:00pm for prayer, instruction, and questions that you may have about the Catholic faith. We meet in the lower level of Trinity Center. Bring your questions and your curiosity.

**Holiday Giving** – We have the opportunity to purchase Christmas gifts for someone less fortunate in our community. We will receive the names and needs of the persons in early November. IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO BE A "GIVER", please call Judi at the parish office or email [busmgr.holytrinity@gmail.com](mailto:busmgr.holytrinity@gmail.com) to get on the list. Maximum expenditure per individual is \$30.00.

**All life is sacred, from conception to natural death.** Lend your voice to end the death penalty in Ohio this year. Go to <http://www.otse.org> and click on "take action".

### Mass intentions

We are scheduling Mass intentions for 2023. Please call Judi if you have some family members or friends you wish remembered at a Mass.

### Presentation of the Gifts at Offertory

If you and your family would like to bring up the gifts in the offertory procession, please sign the sheet on the table in the main aisle.

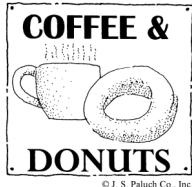


## ST. JOSEPH CHURCH

### Generous Contributions for Nov. 6, 2022

Weekend Offertory: Collection  
\$6,679.00  
Military Collection: \$2,414.00

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**Join us for Coffee and Donuts**  
following the 10:00 Mass  
today, Sunday in the  
Parish Center.

**175th T-Shirts** - Several people have expressed an interest in purchasing one of the gold and green t-shirts the committee members wore at the 175th Block Party. If you would like to purchase a t-shirt email or call Rita and provide your size. The t-shirts are \$12 each. This is a one time event and orders will only be accepted until November 21, so don't delay.

**We will be decorating the church for Christmas** on December 18th starting at 2:00. Please mark your calendar. All are welcome.

**If you would like to have a Mass offered for someone** please email or call Rita at the rectory. Each family can schedule 3 Masses, once everyone has had a chance to schedule Masses we will open it up for additional Masses.

**We had several items** made in remembrance of our 175th anniversary ie., sun catchers, ornaments and greeting cards appropriate for Christmas. The picture on each item is our stained glass window in church of the Holy Family's flight into Egypt. These will make wonderful Christmas gifts. If you didn't get a chance to purchase your 175th memorabilia this weekend call or email Rita at the rectory.

*Thank you to all our Veterans!*

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

Beth Anderson	Michael Glackin	Vanessa Padgett
Cheryl Anderson	Gary Grump	Victor Polovskis
Austin Beggin & Family	Bennett Hart	Theresa Reiff
Colby Berry	Paul Hartke	Tony Riggs
Jim Brokamp	Marie Henry	Janet Rudy-Gerrard
Bob Bruns	Andrea Kittel	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	Joe Moretto	Joann Weisenbach
John Fitzgerald	Mary Beth O'Connor	Sharon Wenzel
Jim Flynn	Greg Osif	Linda
Junior Fowler		

### Area Activities

#### Widowed and interested in making new friends through social and religious activities? Check out Naim...

Veteran Naim members will be the "Guests of Honor" at the "Heavy Hors'doeuvres & Dessert" affair on Monday, November 14, at 6 PM, in the St. Henry PAC, 6660 N. Springboro Pike. The regular meeting and cards will follow. November 20, Naim members will attend the 10:30 AM Mass at Holy Angels followed by brunch at the Spaghetti Warehouse. Reservations are required for the restaurant. For more information on how YOU can enjoy these events, contact Sue Caufield at 937-395-9891.

#### Chesterton Academy of St. Joseph Open Houses

CASJ (Dayton) will be hosting two November Open Houses for families and students in grades 6-8. On Thursday, November 17th, 6:00-8:00pm. Visitors will take a guided tour and learn about the joy-filled, classical education of CASJ; rooted in the Catholic faith. Visit [casjdayton.org](http://casjdayton.org), or call 937-609-5318 to register.

#### Tour Of Churches and Cathedral Basilicas - November 16th

We will visit Old St. Mary's in Cincinnati, Cathedral Basilica Saint Peter in Chains, and attend the 11:30 Mass and the Cathedral Basilica of the Assumption in Covington, KY. Lunch is included at the Hofbrauhaus. Price is \$75. Contact Jennifer to reserve your seat 937-508-6369 [truejoyltd@yahoo.com](mailto:truejoyltd@yahoo.com).

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