

Downtown Dayton Catholic Parishes

July 18, 2021

16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Pastor: Fr. Angelo Anthony, C.P.P.S.

Parochial Vicar: Fr. Matthew Keller, C.P.P.S.

In residence: Fr. Ken Pleiman, C.P.P.S.

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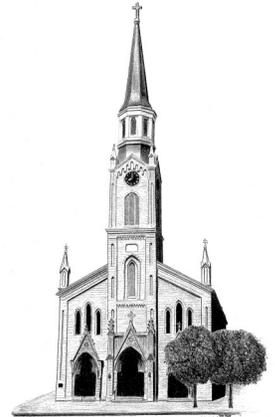
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Emmanuel Church 1837



St. Joseph Church 1847



Holy Trinity Church 1861

Mass Intentions

Monday, July 19

7:30 AM Holy Trinity.....James Schuman

12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Molly McHale

Tuesday, July 20

7:30 AM Holy Trinity.....James Doll

12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Bill Wheelock

Wednesday, July 21

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....Jim Neary

12:00 AM St. Joseph.....Dayton Council 500 family & friends

Thursday, July 22

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....Cartuyvelles Birthday

12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Emily Way

Friday, July 23

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....Intention of Lisa McDonald

12:00 AM St. Joseph.....Mario Jurassich

Saturday, July 24

7:30 AM Emmanuel.....Richard Heideman

12:00 PM St. Joseph.....Phillip & Teresa Ryan

4:30 PM St. Joseph.....Helen Yonto

5:15 PM Emmanuel.....Michael McDonald

Sunday, July 25

8:30 AM Holy Trinity.....Magdalene Moorman

10:00 AM St. Joseph.....For our parishioners

10:30 AM Emmanuel.....For our parishioners

11:30 AM Holy Trinity.....For our parishioners

Next Week's Readings:

2 Kings 4:42-44; Psalms 145:10-11, 15-16, 17-18; Ephesians 4:1-6; John 6:1-15

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

To Register for any parish please contact the parish office

For Baptisms, Weddings or Ministry to the Homebound please contact your parish office.

REFLECTION

Several years ago, a friend of mine was preparing to go through cancer treatments, and she knew that she needed something to help focus her thoughts as she moved forward into an uncertain future. She decided to memorize the 23rd Psalm and use it as a source of comfort, strength and hope in her journey.

Throughout the centuries, the 23rd Psalm speaks to our hearts as a love letter from God. Taking a closer look at this beautiful psalm we know that the setting of Psalm 23 is a land that is largely desert, where the semi-nomadic shepherd lives with his flock. The shepherd knows where to find grass and fresh water that is essential for life. The psalmist recognizes that God is our true Shepherd. We can look to Jesus, the Good Shepherd to lead us through the desert of life providing for our every need. Staying close to Jesus we will be on the “path of righteousness” and “shall lack nothing.”

Even if we walk in the dark valley of human suffering, we know that Jesus has experienced the same thing and has risen victoriously over these dark forces in life. Even when we have wandered away from the Good Shepherd he is actively present with rod and staff to bring us back, providing safety and protection. When we allow ourselves to be led by the Good Shepherd we see that the closeness of God transforms our heart, we no longer fear, but live with tranquility and peace even in the darkness.

In the spiritual life we can look upon the rod and staff of the shepherd as the virtues in life. Virtue is defined as “an habitual and firm disposition to do the good.” (ccc1803) The theological virtues of faith, hope and charity are the greatest virtues because they are given to us by God and are made known to use by God’s grace. The cardinal virtues of prudence, fortitude, temperance, and justice focus on our relationships and our being in the world, they can be known by human reason. The word cardinal in Latin means “hinge” meaning these virtues open the way to all the other virtues. Virtues are tools that help us to love God and to love our neighbor so that we can give the best of ourselves. In other words, I need to live a virtuous life so that I can love others the way God intends me to love them.

Along the path of life, the Good Shepherd prepares a banquet for us, Jesus spreads the table before us. This image of table is an ancient image from Hebrew times which refers to an animal skin that was spread on the ground like a blanket so that food and fellowship could be shared along the journey. Here relationships of love and friendship are sealed and strengthened. Celebrating these ties, the anointing with perfumed oil refreshes us like the sweet smell of springtime. The overflowing cup in the psalm speaks of God’s abundant generosity. Having been nourished, refreshed and strengthened, the psalmist resumes his journey. Having experienced God’s generous love we believe that God’s goodness and mercy will be with us “all the days of our life,” even into eternal life.

Coming to Mass we are like scattered sheep. We who are far off have been brought near through the Blood of Christ. Through the Blood of Christ, human life and divine life are united. Along this journey we realize that there are shepherds who lead others astray, a reality that has been present since the original sin of Adam and Eve. They look for their own good, their own power and importance. That is why God has given us Jesus, the Good Shepherd to teach us that path we are to follow and what it means to be a good shepherd.

For the next five Sundays we are going to break from our reading of St. Mark’s gospel and spend five Sundays with a single chapter of St. John’s gospel, chapter 6, in which Jesus gives His teaching on the Bread of Life. As the Good Shepherd Jesus will help us see the importance of feeding upon his body and blood, this food from heaven. Without it, we will not have life within us.

Jesus invites us to this--out of the way place--to rest awhile, to be fed by his body and blood so that we can be faithful in our role as shepherds leading those entrusted to us to life!

REGIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

With Gratitude for Fr. Emmanuel Fale – For the last 6 years Fr. Emmanuel has been with us in our pastoral region living and studying among us, celebrating the sacraments, and sharing the gift of God’s love. Fr. Emmanuel has finished his Doctoral work at the University of Dayton and will be returning to his home diocese in Cameroon, Africa. Next Sunday, **July 25th at the 10:30a.m. Mass** at Emmanuel Church, Fr. Emmanuel will celebrate a Mass of Thanksgiving. After the Mass we will have a chance to thank him for his generous service among us and to wish him well as he begins his new ministry in Cameroon.

Strike The Fire!

Come and see a new thing the Lord is doing in this area July 19th, 21st, 26th, and 28th starting at 6:30pm in the Emmanuel Catholic Church basement. “Strike the Fire!” is the response of members of several Dayton area parishes to promptings of the Holy Spirit. We pray that during these 4 nights, the Father will immerse you (yes, you, child of God!) in his mighty Love, renew your life in his Spirit and hone your spiritual gifts so that you can share the Good News of the risen Jesus joyfully. For more details, see the Emmanuel Facebook page at <https://fb.me/e/1tHcMIRJ1> or call or text Matt Rubio at 571-212-1894. Free will offering at the door if the Spirit moves you. Glory to God!”

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 30th 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. The fee is \$15. Financial Assistance is available. 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 are needed to serve as crew leaders. Crew leaders can be college freshman through retiree age. 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.

Open Wide Our Hearts – Video & Discussion - The Social Action and African American Pastoral offices of the archdiocese have created a video for viewers to explore how the U.S. Catholic Church has addressed racism and learn more about the most recent USCCB pastoral letter on racism, Open Wide Our Hearts. View the video at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-0T4jt0F9PI>. To join a conversation about the video, email amusgrave@catholicaoc.org for the link.

Beacons of Light – is a multiyear process of pastoral planning for the Archdiocese of Cincinnati. “Families of Parishes” (the new term replacing “Pastoral Regions”) is a group of parishes coming together as one faith community. Each Family of parishes will create a pastoral plan that addresses six guiding principles, in conformity with the established planning parameters.

A Pastoral Planning Pathway will guide the development of this plan. The Pathway will map out the steps each Family of Parishes will take to come together as a faith community. It will include incremental milestones to help the Family of Parishes move toward becoming one parish with different worship sites. Resources, training, and support will be provided to pastors and their leadership transition teams as they follow the Pathway, create and implement the pastoral plan for their Family of Parishes. The Families of Parishes will be announced at the end of September with each Family of Parishes developing their pastoral plan by June 2022. For further information please go to: www.catholicaoc.org/beacons.

Pray for the Men and Women Serving in the Military

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

EMMANUEL CHURCH

Generous Contributions for July 11, 2021

Weekend Offertory:	Collection
	\$8,490.00
St. Vincent DePaul:	\$ 849.00
Year-to-date Deficit:	\$ 303.00

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Prayer List

Virginia Allen	Cindy Gardina	Phyllis Pence
Ralph Berry	Gary George	Tony Rocco
Teresa Bond	Craig Hathaway	Eric Rosenthal
Daniel Branch	Brian Hausman	Randy Rosenthal
Dave Cartuyvelles	George Hendrix	Molly Schneider
Lisa Cartuyvelles	Kathleen Knight	Robert Thoman
Nancy Cartuyvelles	Trisha Junker	Jan Timerding
Michael Dalessio	Dan Kuenle	Trina Umberg
Rick Emerick	Thomas Ledinsky	Daniel
Anna Espy	Patrick McDonald	Helen
Annette & John Fohl	Brian Napier	

In the Fall Bible Study of Wisdom we will learn new habits for increasing wisdom in our daily lives. More details to follow.

The Region 7 bulletins are available on our website, www.emmanuelcatholic.com/bulletins/. Archived bulletins may be found by clicking on the Bulletin Archive link. Stay informed on the happenings within our Downtown Dayton Catholic Parishes by visiting each of the parishes' websites.

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, brothermatt@emmanuelcatholic.com.

Miraculous Medal Novena with Adoration and Benediction...

Tuesday evenings at 7:00pm, church doors open at 6:30pm. Pray the Novena, Exposition, Benediction, Communion and a short homily.

Summer Book Study Group - As part of the series: "Being Catholic in an Unbelieving World," a study group concerning the book, "Live Not By Lies: a Manual for Christian Dissidents" is being offered. This book offers a program for people of faith to establish and sustain solidarity to resist and combat the forces of "soft totalitarianism" that are subverting our Constitutionally-guaranteed freedoms, particularly religious freedom; and to preserve Catholic and American culture and traditions. Sessions will be held July 24, August 7, 14, and 21. For more information, pick up a flier in the back of church.

Holy Father's Prayer Intention...Social Friendship

We pray that, in social, economic and political situations of conflict, we may be courageous and passionate architects of dialogue and friendship.

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH

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Weekend Offertory:	Budget:	Collection
	\$6,400.00	\$3,925.62
Peter's Pence:		\$ 937.00

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Our Sincere Sympathy is extended to the family of Jerry Glaser, buried from Holy Trinity this past Monday. May he rest comfortably in the arms of Our Father.

Deadline for Articles of our next issue of "Inspired", our parish newsletter is Friday, August 27. Anyone interested in writing an article of interest to our parishioners is welcome to submit their article. This issue will cover events from October through February 2022. Please send submission to Busmgr.holytrinity@gmail.com.

Vacation Bible School – We're not quite sure who had a better time – the kids or the adults, but to all, we are grateful for the success of our Vacation Bible School. Thanks to Lynda Middleton, her adult helpers – Amy Wiedeman, Ron Bird, Debbie Nye, Paula Klosterman, Janet Zak and Ann Case, along with the youth helpers and all the kids that came!

Welcoming New Parishioners

If you and your family have been attending Holy Trinity, but have not yet registered as members and would like to do so, please go to our website www.Holytrinitydayton.org and locate the registration form under the tab "About" fill it out and submit, or if it is easier for you just call the parish office at 937-228-1223. Thank you.

Craft evening in preparation for our Craft Booth at the Bazaar will start up on Monday, August 16 in Trinity Center, 4:00 to 7:30 p.m. If you have a craft that you would like to teach to our group of crafters, please come to the meeting with a sample to share with us. We are also looking for different ideas to work on, so please bring samples of products so decisions can be made for the projects we will be making at subsequent meetings. Any questions? Call Judi at 937-228-1223 or Kathy Gilmore at 937-673-0328.

Are You Growing Weary of writing a check or finding the right cash to put in your offertory collection envelope each Sunday? Here are a couple of other ways to support your parish programs and upkeep. You can go to our webpage www.Holytrinitydayton.org and from the homepage choose online giving. Or you can call the parish office to sign up for ACH withdrawals from your checking or savings account. Withdrawals are done on a monthly basis, the first week of each month.

We do our Part to be Good Stewards of God's Green Earth

RECYCLING is an ongoing project here at Holy Trinity. Aluminum beverage cans can be brought to church with you on the weekend or dropped by the rectory garage during the week. Please be sure your bags are tied shut. Likewise, paper and magazines can be placed in the bins at the end of Bainbridge Street. Spent batteries can be dropped off in the containers in the Church vestibule for recycling.

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ST. JOSEPH CHURCH

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Weekend Offertory: Collection \$7,500.50
 Charity: \$ 562.00

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Welcome to our new parishioners Nathan Price, Barbara Glackin and Michael Glackin. We're delighted you've decided to join us.

Are you getting your estate in order?

If so, please remember St. Joseph Church. It is through the generosity of individuals like yourself who name St. Joseph in their will that the parish continues to thrive and will do so for many years to come.

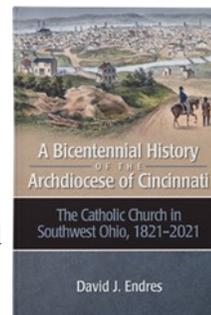
Parish Life Center—Capital Campaign Update. Thank you to all parishioners who have made a pledge to our campaign. To date we have pledges for \$700,260 and have received \$438,941 in donations! We are closing in on our stretch goal of \$750,000. If you haven't made your pledge yet please do so today! The stretch goal will help us balance rising costs due to an increase in square footage for the building, Covid shortages and project delays. With your help we are building for the future on the foundation of our past!

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	Tom Puckett
Betty Anderson	Paul Hartke	Norma Pester
Austin Beggin & Family	Marie Henry	Victor Polovskis
Ken Belcher	Rick Kaliney	Tony Riggs
Michell Brown	Fran Karl	Janet Rudy-Gerrard
Bob Bruns	Colette Kropp	Jack Summers
Sara Bustetter	Alma Landry	Rick Summers
Mooneen Caufield	Colleen Maples	Karen Thomas
Michael Culp	Laura McHugh	Sharon Wenzel
Catherine DeMange	Mary Beth O'Connor	Mark Williams
John DeMange	William Meikle	Tom Zimmerman
Rita Downs	Vanessa Padgett	Linda

A Bicentennial History of the Archdiocese of Cincinnati by Fr. David Endres. This book, through a series of vignettes, explores the people and places of the Archdiocese: the zeal of Father Stephen T. Badin, who brought the sacraments to Native Americans on the land that is today the University of Notre Dame; the witness of Archbishop John B. Purcell, who courageously spoke against slavery; the vision of pioneer social worker Margaret McCabe, who established boys' and girls' homes in Cincinnati; and the Italian-born Sister of Charity Blandina Segale, who served immigrants and whose cause for sainthood is advancing. This is the story of Catholic life and leadership in one of the nation's oldest and most illustrious dioceses, the legacy of two hundred years of the Catholic faith in Southwest Ohio and beyond. Now available at:



[AOC Bicentennial Shop.](#)

Area Activities

Community-Wide Evening of Healing Prayer - "These signs will accompany those who believe... They will lay hands on the sick and they will recover" (Mark 16:17). Join us Saturday, August 7 at Our Lady of Good Hope Church, 316 East Central Ave. Miamisburg. Praise and Worship music will begin at 6:30pm, followed by the Healing Service led by Dcn. Russ Feldkamp of Encounter Ministries from 7-9 p.m. This evening is free and open to anyone in need of healing. Contact Chris Jasek at chrisjasek@gmail.com or visit <https://fb.me/e/LrevObUq> with questions.

The Sisters of the Precious Blood have a job opening for a full time groundskeeper at Salem Heights location, 4960 Salem Avenue. Contact Chuck Carmack or Sister Judy at 937-278-0871.

Ministry to Survivors of Abuse (Reporting) - The Archdiocese of Cincinnati regards child abuse in all its forms as gravely sinful and criminal. Anyone who knows of or suspects child abuse by a legitimate member of the clergy or hierarchy, employee, or volunteer of the archdiocese should first report the abuse to the appropriate secular legal authority and then to Ms. Teresa Maley, Coordinator of Ministry to Survivors of Abuse of the Archdiocese, at 513.263.6623 or 1.800.686.2724 ext. 6623.

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