

June 2, 2024, Corpus Christi



SAINT GASPAR
FAMILY OF PARISHES

Emmanuel

149 Franklin Street
Dayton, OH 45402
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Holy Trinity

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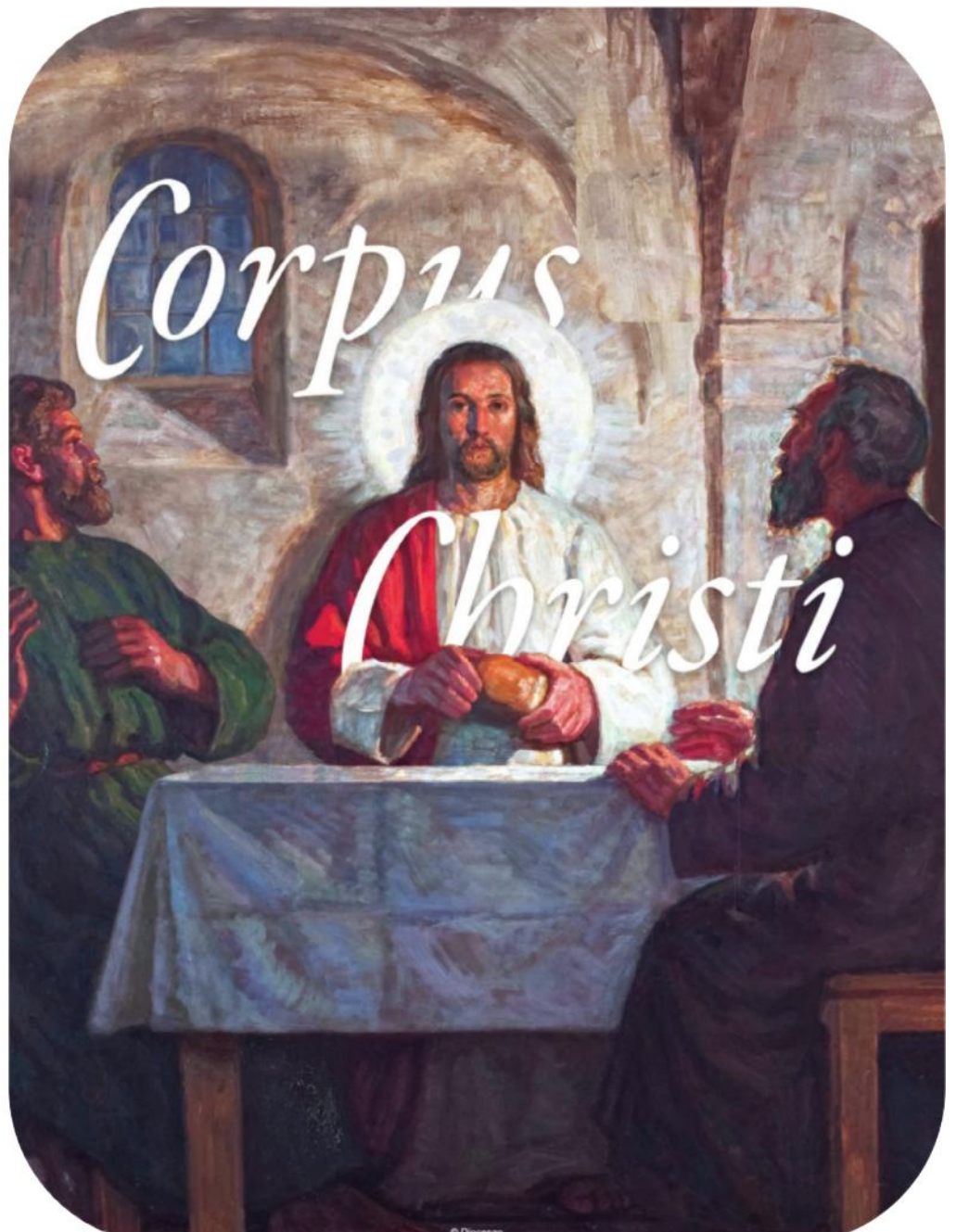
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Saint Paul

1000 W. Wenger Road
Englewood, OH 45322
937.836.7535

Saint Rita

5401 N. Main Street
Dayton, OH 45415
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St. Gaspar Family of Parishes

St. Gaspar Family of Parishes is served by the Missionaries of the Precious Blood

Pastor, Fr. Anthony Fortman, C.P.P.S.

Parochial Vicar, Fr. Seraphine Lesiriam, C.P.P.S., Parochial Vicar Fr. Jim "Santiago" Gaynor, C.P.P.S.



A Word of Thanks

From Fr. Patrick Gonyeau

Hello brothers and sisters in Christ! Fr. Patrick here with a few words of farewell. My journey through formation with the Missionaries of the Precious Blood will have me moving onward from Dayton after June 16. To begin my formation journey here has been a great blessing! I have enjoyed serving in this beautiful family of parishes and also enjoyed meeting so many of you. Though I'm not sure what the future holds (though we rejoice knowing who holds our future!) I would be thrilled to return to Dayton should the Lord will that one day. You all will continue to be in my prayers and I would most appreciate yours as well. My time with the Missionaries of the Precious Blood thus far has been wonderful, and I'm looking forward to the journey ahead. Thank you all for your beautiful faith, it has been wonderful worshipping with you and I look forward to an eternity of that together in heaven

God bless you!

Fr. Patrick

Fr. Gonyeau will be with us through June 16, 2024.

We are pleased to have been able to share the journey of Father Patrick Gonyeau with our community. Father Patrick, who previously served as a dedicated priest in the Archdiocese of Detroit, began serving at the St. Gaspar Family of Parishes in January 2024 as part of his discernment process for joining the Missionaries of the Precious Blood.

Father Patrick's joy among us was a blessing. As he participated in the life of our parish, he explored how his priestly vocation aligned with the charisms and mission of the Missionaries of the Precious Blood. His engagement with our community allowed him to experience firsthand the ministry and outreach that define this order.

Welcome Newly Married

@Holy Trinity

Congratulations to our newlyweds: Alexis Jolley and Blake Javelov married at Holy Trinity on May 18. We wish you many blessings in your marriage.

Sign Up for Flocknote

Visit: StGasparFamilyDayton.flocknote.com

Text: GETGASPAR to 84576

If you need assistance with signing up contact Joan Macpherson at 937-276-5954.



Bulletin Deadlines

Upcoming deadlines are as follows:

<i>Bulletin Date</i>	<i>Deadline</i>
June 16	Due: Thursday, June 6
June 23	Due: Thursday, June 13
June 30	Due: Thursday, June 20

Mass Times & Intentions

Monday, June 3, 2024

7:30 am **Holy Trinity** .. †Donna, Steve, Trina and Connie Zvonar
 9:00 am **Precious Blood** †Bev Tamplin
 12:00 pm **St. Joseph** Liv/Dec Members of the Suzy Zimmer Family

Tuesday, June 4, 2024

7:30 am **Holy Trinity** †Jerry Schenking
 8:30 am **St. Rita** †Gary
 12:00 pm **St. Joseph** †Anna Tolhurst

Wednesday, June 5, 2024

7:30 am **Emmanuel** †Tim McCrate
 8:30 am **St. Paul** †Tom Schlorman
 12:00 pm **St. Joseph** ... †Martin M. & Rosemarie Williams Family

Thursday, June 6, 2024

7:30 am **Emmanuel** Liv/Dec Members of the Friel Family
 8:30 am **St. Paul** †Jorge Bustamante
 12:00 pm **St. Joseph** †Poor Souls in Purgatory, especially those for who no one prays

Friday, June 7, 2024

7:30 am **Emmanuel** †Maxine Monnin
 8:30 am **Precious Blood** †Joanne & Anita Koesters
 12:00 pm **St. Joseph** †Liv/Dec Members of the James & Evelyn McCarthy Family especially Paisley

Saturday, June 8, 2024

7:30 am **Emmanuel** †Andrew/Betty Keinhenz
 12:00 pm **St. Joseph** †Carmen Florio
 4:30 pm **St. Joseph** †For our Parishioners
 4:30 pm **St. Paul** Liv/Dec Members of the Sandrerell & Rammel Families
 5:15 pm **Emmanuel** †For our Parishioners

Sunday, June 9, 2024

8:30 am **Holy Trinity** †Albert Becker, Sr.
 8:30 am **Precious Blood** †Kay Schiml
 9:30 am **St. Rita** †Laura Keefe
 10:00 am **St. Joseph** †Marie Thomas
 10:30 am **Emmanuel** †David Kronauge
 10:30 am **St. Paul** †Marie Thomas
 11:30 am **Holy Trinity** †For our Parishioners

Confession Schedule

Monday - Saturday

11:30 - 11:50 am | St. Joseph

Saturday

4:00-5:00 pm | Emmanuel

4:00-4:20 pm | St. Joseph

3:30-4:20 pm | St. Paul

Sunday

8:00-8:25 am | Holy Trinity



Scripture Readings

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For the Week of June 2, 2024

Monday	Memorial of Saint Charles Lwanga and Companions, Martyrs 2 Pt 1:2-7; Ps 91:1-2, 14-15b, 15c-16; Mk 12:1-12
Tuesday	2 Pt 3:12-15a, 17-18; Ps 90:2, 3-4, 10, 14 and 16; Mk 12:13-17
Wednesday	Memorial of Saint Boniface, Bishop, Martyr 2 Tm 1:1-3, 6-12; Ps 123:1b-2ab, 2cdef; Mk 12:18-27
Thursday	2 Tm 2:8-15; Ps 25:4-5ab, 8-9, 10 and 14; Mk 12:28-34
Friday	Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus Hos 11:1, 3-4, 8c-9; Is 12:2-3, 4, 5-6; Eph 3:8-12, 14-19; Jn 19:31-37
Saturday	Memorial of the Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary 2 Tm 4:1-8; Ps 71:8-9, 14-15ab, 16-17, 22; Lk 2:41-51
Sunday	Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Gn 3:9-15; Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8; 2 Cor 4:13—5:1; Mk 3:20-35

Pray For Our Men and Women in the Military

Yves Benihana	Nicholas Kern
Michael Borgert	Morgan Konsdorf
Nicholas Butler	Connor "Baktir" Magill
Jessica Calicoat	Greg Marcus
John Carner	Brittany Maurer
Kelli Anne Cartuyvelles	Alex McGarvey
Jon Chachula	Zachary McIntyre
Laura Chachula	David Musgrove
Eric Justin Dino	Diane Nyirasimbi
Eric Raymond Dino	Anthony Pelfrey
Caleb Fowler	Gage Plasenthal
Jacob Gutwein	Matt Shulten
Christopher Harman	Luis Torres
George Hinton	Susan Varmuza
	Justin Williams

Parish Calendar



Vacation Bible School 2024

SCUBA

Holy Trinity, June 10-13

Come to the Table

St. Paul, June 24-28

Wilderness Adventures Through the Sacraments

Emmanuel, June 24-28

More information on our Vacation Bible School programs can be found on page 6

Monday, June 3

Our Lady of the Precious Blood Group

7:00-8:30 pm · Precious Blood/Mtg. Room

God's Garden

7:00-8:30 pm · St. Paul/Garden

Tuesday, June 4

No Public Events

Wednesday, June 5

Catholic Life

7:00-8:30 pm · Precious Blood/Mtg. Room

Thursday, June 6

Introduction to Devout Life

7:00-8:30 pm · Precious Blood/Mtg. Room

God's Garden - Garden Blessing

7:00-8:30 pm · St. Paul/Garden

Friday, June 7

Friday Hour

9:30-11:00 am · Precious Blood/Mtg. Room

Y.E.S. Youth Elect Service, more info on page 6

6:00-8:30 pm · Emmanuel/Church/Mtg. Room

Saturday, June 8

Y.E.S. Youth Elect Service, more info on page 6

7:30 am-5:00 pm · Emmanuel/Mtg. Room

Sunday, June 9

Donut Sunday

After 10:30 am Mass · St. Paul/Mtg. Room

Family Rosary and Potluck

5:00-6:30 pm · Precious Blood/Church/Mtg. Room

Wait for the Lord

7:00-9:00 pm · Precious Blood/Church

St. Gaspar Family News



NATIONAL Eucharistic Revival

St. Gaspar Family of Parishes to Attend Eucharistic Congress

Purchase your day pass for Thursday, July 18

Deacon Brian Seibert is coordinating a special day for St. Gaspar Family of Parishes to attend the Eucharistic Congress together on Thursday, July 18, 2024. This event offers the chance to hear Fr. Mike Schmitz and Dr. Scott Hahn speak.

The Eucharistic Congress spans five days, from July 17-21, but a limited number of day passes are available for \$95.00 each. Additionally, a chartered bus will be provided for \$60.00.

To participate, purchase your day pass online and then contact St. Paul to reserve your spot on the bus. Don't miss this unique opportunity to join fellow parishioners for an inspiring day at the congress.

Visit this link to order your day pass: eucharisticcongress.org.

1. Go to the "Register" page.
2. Scroll down to the section titled "Day Pass/Claim Your Passes Now."
3. Select "General Attendee."

When you are finished call to reserve your spot on our chartered bus by calling 937-836-7535, or email Deacon Brian Seibert at brian.seibert811@gmail.com. To purchase your bus ticket, make checks payable to Precious Blood Church.

Join the National Eucharistic Pilgrimage

Monday, July 1 and Tuesday, July 2, Xenia, Ohio

The National Eucharistic Pilgrimage has four routes, each starting at a different location. Pilgrims attend Mass every day, and the pilgrimage includes opportunities for healing and reflection. They also serve local communities, inviting the most marginalized to be revived by Jesus Christ. The route nearest our Family of Parishes is the St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Route, and will include the following events at St. Brigid Church:

- Holy Hour: 5:00-6:30 pm, with confessions, a community meal, and Eucharistic Miracles display by St. Carlo Acutis
- Overnight adoration: 7:30 am, followed by morning Mass
- Procession: 4:45 pm, starting at the Greene County Fairgrounds Expo Center and ending at St. Brigid Church
- Adoration, praise, and worship: With music and a speaker
- Community meal: After the evening meal and celebration
- Confession: In St. Brigid Church until 7:00 am Tuesday morning

St. Gaspar Family News



Wait for the Lord: An Evening of Scripture, Silence, and Song

Sunday, June 9, beginning at 7:00 pm
Precious Blood Church

Open your hearts to a personal encounter with Christ, the Beloved. Rest in God's Word and presence in the Eucharist. Experience the grace and beauty of a few moments of sacred silence.

The Saint Gaspar Family of Parishes invites everyone to Eucharistic Adoration with sacred music from the Hope Choir of Dayton, the Emmanuel Children's Choir, the Wilson Family Singers, the St. Romanos Choir of Emmanuel Church, the Combined Choir of the Parishes of Northwest Dayton, and the Holy Trinity Choir.

Where: Precious Blood Church, 4961 Salem Ave., Dayton, Ohio

When: Sunday, June 9, 2024, at 7:00 p.m.

Cost: This event is free of charge.



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EMMANUEL • HOLY TRINITY • ST. JOSEPH
ST. PAUL • PRECIOUS BLOOD • ST. RITA

Devotionals

Miraculous Medal Novena

Monday

11:30 am-12:30 pm · St. Rita

Tuesday

7:00-8:00 pm · Emmanuel

PrayerMates

Tuesday Evenings

7:00-8:30 pm · Precious Blood

Benediction and Adoration

First Thursday of the Month

6:00-7:30 pm · St. Paul

Third Sunday of the Month

12:45 pm · Holy Trinity

Pray the Rosary

Monday-Saturday

12:45 pm · St. Joseph (after the Noon Mass)

Friday

3:00 pm · Precious Blood Adoration Chapel

Saturday

4:45 pm · Emmanuel (before 5:15 pm Mass)

Sunday

9:30 am · St. Joseph (before 10:00 am Mass)

8:00 am · Precious Blood (before 8:30 am Mass)

8:55 am · St. Rita (before 9:30 am Mass)

10:00 am · Emmanuel (before 10:30 am Mass)

10:00 am · St. Paul (before 10:30 am Mass)

Pray the Rosary for Life

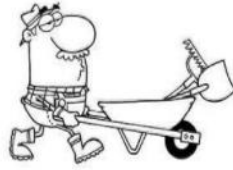
Second Sunday of the Month

8:30 am · Holy Trinity (after 8:30 am Mass)

We pray the rosary for pro-life issues.

St. Gaspar Youth Ministry

Y.E.S. Youth Elect Service June 7-8



@Emmanuel, Friday evening, June 7, from 6:00 to 8:30 pm
Games, adoration, confession, and ice cream.

**@Emmanuel and work sites, Saturday, June 8
beginning at 7:30 am**

We will celebrate Mass at 7:30 am, then participants will be sent out to the work sites. We will close with dinner and sharing at 4:00 pm.

Teen Volunteers Needed

Current 6th-grade students through graduating high school seniors are encouraged to join us for this service retreat.

\$20 per person. Includes all meals on Saturday and a t-shirt. Financial assistance is available.

Adult Volunteers Needed

- Do you like to spend time helping those in need?
- We'd love for you to join Y.E.S. as an adult crew leader.
- Y.E.S. is a service retreat in which volunteers will be working at the homes of elderly and homebound parishioners.

Adult crew leaders and assistant crew leaders can be current college freshmen up to retirees! All volunteers must be trained in Safe Parish.

Registration forms for youth and adults who want to participate are available at the entrances of church. Download the forms at stgasparfamily.org.

Work Sites Needed

On June 8, teens & adults will be volunteering to help elderly parishioners with various jobs around their homes. This includes anything from mulching, to washing your car, or just some spring cleaning in the yard! If you would like a team of youth and adults to help with jobs around your house contact:

Lynda Middleton
lyndamiddleton9@gmail.com
937-228-1223

Or Tanya Lee
michaellee25mel@gmail.com
937-885-7432

Sign-up Forms are also available in church or online at stgasparfamily.org.

St. Gaspar VBS Vacation Bible School at Holy Trinity

June 10 through June 13



Children from ages 4-12 are invited to explore the depths of God's love at SCUBA, the Vacation Bible School at Holy Trinity Church. The event takes place June 10-13, 2024, from 9:00 am to Noon at Trinity Center. Children will be engaged in music, learning and fun as they come closer to Jesus and His friendship with them. Older youth are encouraged to act as guides and volunteers for our young participants. For more information or to register contact Lynda Middleton at Holy Trinity (937-228-1223) or by email at Lyndamiddleton9@gmail.com.

Vacation Bible School at St. Paul

June 24 through 28



Time: 9:00 am to Noon
Grade: PreK4-5th Grade
Cost: \$25/child or \$65/ a family
Registration forms are available online and in church, visit: <https://northwestdaytoncatholic.org/vacation-bible-school/>

For more information contact Erica Rudemiller
erudemiller@preciousbloodchurch.org

Vacation Bible School at Emmanuel

June 24 through 28



Children aged 4 through those entering 6th grade are invited to attend. A variety of service opportunities exist for older students and adults.

The goal of this program is to help children better understand the seven sacraments and deepen their love for Jesus. Registration forms and details of volunteer positions can be found online at <https://www.emmanuelcatholic.com/>

Featured in our Family of Parishes



*You're Invited to a Special
Fund/Friend Raising Event at
Fifth Street BrewPub
to benefit Dayton's
St Vincent de Paul Emmanuel Conference*

Please join us

Thursday, June 6th from 6 - 10 pm

Fifth Street BrewPub

1600 East Fifth Street, Dayton 45403

Enjoy an evening of fellowship, great music, good food, craft beer, and help us raise money for our neighbors in need. As part of the Fifth Street BrewPub (FSB) Gives Back Program, a percentage of all food/drink sales and all proceeds from raffle ticket sales will be donated to the SVdP Emmanuel Conference.

Musical entertainment will be provided by Dayton's own Ludlow Creek (featuring SVdP members Tom and Michelle Scarpelli) from 7-9 pm on the patio.

Your support truly makes a difference! Every month our conference helps our neighbors in need with food pantry- rent- utilities- furniture- appliances- clothing- transportation and more!

*For more information about the event or to inquire about becoming a St Vincent de Paul volunteer contact
Jim Gilbert at 937-479-5695.*

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Simply Give Campaign

Double Match Day, Saturday, June 15

Proceeds benefit the NW Dayton Food Pantry

During the Spring Simply Give Campaign, your purchase of Simply Give donation cards will be double matched by Meijer on Saturday, June 15. Please support this hunger relief effort by purchasing a \$10 Simply Give Card at the Englewood Meijer check out lanes on this

date, and Meijer will donate \$20 to our Northwest Dayton St. Vincent De Paul Food Pantry. Cards are also available at St. Rita, St. Paul, and Precious Blood Churches. Please take advantage of the June 15 Double Day to stock the shelves of our pantry.

How does this work exactly?

Scan the \$10 Simply Give donation card at checkout to transform your contribution into a food card for the NW Dayton St. Vincent de Paul food pantry. Your donation supports purchasing essential food and personal care items, ensuring the shelves in our food pantry remain well-stocked.

Whether shopping in-store or online via Meijer Pickup or Home Delivery, consider adding a Simply Give donation card to your basket.

The NW Dayton Food Pantry is a ministry of Precious Blood, St. Paul and St. Rita Parishes.



How it works:



Fill bottles with coins,
bills or checks



**RETURN BOTTLES AT MASS
FATHER'S DAY WEEKEND
JUNE 15-16**

From the St Gaspar Respect Life Group Interested in building a culture of life in our local community?

Join us Monday, June 3 from 6:30-8:30 pm, at the St. Joseph Parish Life Center

The St Gaspar Respect Life Group invites you to our next group meeting, Monday, June 3, 6:30 – 8:00 pm, at the St. Joseph Parish Life Center, 411 East Second Street, Dayton. Together we are powerful. For more information about what we do, contact your Parish Respect Life Coordinator:

Emmanuel – Mark & Nancy Miller, markm5704@gmail.com

Holy Trinity – Karen Averbeck, kmaverbeck@aol.com

Precious Blood – Rosie Prier, mprier1@gmail.com

St Joseph – MaryJo Klein, klein.maryjo@immaculateheartcoop.net

St Paul – Mike & Sally Boston, kkkkboston@aol.com

St Rita – Debbie Nieport, psalm27.dn@gmail.com



June 2—Week 11

Jesus now has fingernails, toenails, and functioning kidneys.
He even drinks in the amniotic fluid that surrounds him.

Jesus of the womb, Hear our prayers!

Precious Blood, St. Paul and St. Rita



Potluck Thank You Event El Salvador Mission Presentation

@St. Paul, Sunday, June 23, after the 10:30 am Mass

Thanks to all who contributed to our mission to El Salvador by donating vitamins for pregnant women and their infants in Teotepeque and with cash. We were able to fill two checked bags (about 100 lbs.) with much needed vitamins and baby needs.

Presbyter Santiago Gaynor of Precious Blood, Susan Mcelroy of Holy Trinity and Tom Sorna of St. Paul's would like to express our appreciation to everyone who donated, and invite all other interested parishioners to a potluck lunch and presentation at St. Paul's on Sunday, June 23 after the 10:30 Mass.

Bring a Dish to Share!

We will provide, chicken, potato salad and drinks. Parishioners are invited to bring a side dish to share. We will tell you about our adventures in this small Central American country and by our stories and slideshow presentation show you how the Church is working there to support families and poor people in rural communities. It has been a long struggle but there are real signs of hope and progress now.

We are looking forward to seeing you after Mass on June 23. You can RSVP, text or phone, to Tom Sorna, 937-478-5846.

Senior Program and Lunch

@St. Paul, Wednesday, June 5, 12:00 to 2:00 pm

Darlene Rak from the Dayton Dog Training Club will be bringing a couple of furry friends for her demonstrations. Please make reservations by Monday, June 3, by calling St. Paul parish at 937-836-7535

Benediction and Adoration

@St. Paul, Thursday, June 6, 6:00 to 7:30 pm

Spend Time with the Lord. Please come away for some quiet, peaceful time with our Lord Jesus during our next Eucharistic Adoration and Benediction.

Flag Retirement Ceremony

@St. Paul, on Flag Day, Friday, June 14, 7:00 pm

A flag retirement ceremony sponsored by the Knights of Columbus will be held on June 14, 2024 (Flag Day) at 7:00 pm on the campus of St. Paul Parish. All are encouraged to attend and bring old flags. All who attend will receive a FREE "Support the Pledge" pin from the Knights of Columbus Patriotic Degree Assembly #3273.

Look for collection boxes in your church where flags for this event may be deposited.



Are You Curious About the Catholic Church?

@Precious Blood, Wednesdays, beginning at 7:00 pm

Catholic Life (Order of Christian Initiation for Adults-OCIA), offers a welcoming pathway for individuals embarking on this transformative journey. Catholic Life is specially designed to guide newcomers through prayer, tradition, and teaching of the Catholic Church. Through weekly small group meetings with priests, deacons, and trained catechists you will be prepared to enter the Church in Easter 2025. Whether you're seeking answers to spiritual questions, exploring the meaning behind Catholic practices, or simply curious about the Catholic way of life, we want to support and accompany you to an encounter with Jesus Christ and His Church.

Friends of Pulchra Terra

Neighborhood Clean Up

Saturday, June 8, 8:00 to 10:00 am

We will be meeting at the Kroger parking lot at the corner of Klepinger and Siebenthaler at 8:00 am. We will pick up trash until 10:00 am. Trash bags and grabbers will be provided for collecting litter, and we will also focus on recycling cans, bottles, and plastic.

For more information contact Curtis Knebli, Director of Adult Formation for Precious Blood, St. Paul and St. Rita at 937-276-5954 ext. 2111 or via email: cknebli@preciousbloodchurch.org.

Emmanuel, Holy Trinity and St. Joseph



An Opportunity to Honor Fr. John Mencsik

@St. Joseph, Sunday, June 9 after the 10:00 am Mass

Fr. John Mencsik celebrated his 50th Anniversary of his Ordination to the Priesthood on March 30, 2024. Father John is a former pastor of St. Joseph, and now, he faithfully celebrates the Monday Noon Mass each week at St. Joseph.

Bring a Dish to Share

Please join us in thanking Fr. John for his tireless service and commitment to faith and community on June 9, after the 10:00 am Mass. Please consider sharing a favorite dish for coffee & donuts. Items can be dropped off, before Mass, starting at 9:30 am.



A Blessing for a New Marian Garden

@Emmanuel

Emmanuel Church's New Marian Garden & Stations of the Cross recently received a blessing from Fr. Angelo on Thursday, May 16th. We would like to thank him for taking the time to come and bestow the most beautiful blessing upon our garden.



Notes from Emmanuel's Choir Loft

"Lauda Sion," the Sequence for the Solemnity of Corpus Christi, was penned by none other than the masterful St. Thomas Aquinas in 1264. This long poem is magnificent in its beauty yet sacrifices nothing of doctrinal precision in its content. As stated in the Catholic Encyclopedia (referring to the words alone), "always the melody is perfect, the condensation of phrase is of crystalline clearness, the unctio is abundant and, in the closing stanzas, of compelling sweetness" (<http://www.newadvent.org/cathen/09036b.htm>).

Together we chant this poem to the lovely plainsong melody, whose author is unknown.



Emmanuel, Holy Trinity and St. Joseph



Emmanuel St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry Needs You!

Thank you for your continued support of our Emmanuel St. Vincent de Paul pantry. At this time, we have a particular need for the following items:

- spaghetti sauce
- hamburger helper / skillet dinners
- grape or strawberry jam or jelly
- deodorant - men's and women's
- toothpaste
- men's white t-shirts (larger sizes preferred)
- bed sheet sets - new or gently used (twin, full and queen sizes)

If you could help us with any of these items, we and those we serve would greatly appreciate it.

OCIA

Are You or Someone That you Know Interested in Learning About the Catholic Church?

@Holy Trinity, Monthly on Sundays, 12:45 pm

The Downtown Dayton Catholic Churches will be coming together to offer OCIA, the Order of Christian Initiation for Adults on Sunday afternoons at 12:45pm in the Trinity Center near Holy Trinity Church. All are welcome to learn and explore their faith and what the church teaches.

Summer sessions meet June 23, July 28 and August 25.

For more information, or to reserve your spot, contact Lynda Middleton at Holy Trinity Church, 937-228-1223 or lyndamiddleton9@gmail.com.



Organ Renovation Update

From Holy Trinity

Our Organ restoration Capital Fund Drive, Make a Joyful Noise, is underway and we are very grateful to those who have already responded with an outright gift or a pledge. Let's keep the momentum going to achieve our goal of \$100,000. **To date, \$22,810 has been donated toward our goal. The generosity of our parishioners is amazing.**

First Friday

Mass for Healing

@Emmanuel, Friday, June 7, 7:00 pm

Our First Friday Mass for healing, with anointing, will take place at Emmanuel Church on Friday, June 7th at 7:00 pm, with Fr. Vincent Chembakassery. If you are sick, or have been exposed to the Flu, coronavirus, etc., please let us know in advance and zoom in, send an email to: a.j.terzuoli@ieee.org, we will send you a link, & pray for you remotely.

Father's Day Prayer Board

@Holy Trinity

There are two baskets on the table at the main entrance to the church. Please take a paper hat or tie from the basket and put the name of a father you wish remembered in prayer on Father's Day. Place the signed tie or hat in the empty basket.

Thanks to All!

From Holy Trinity

Thanks to all who came to our Trinity Sunday Picnic and for all the helpers who made it a grand success, I am especially grateful for Dave Shoemaker for overseeing the operation and getting all items out and ready for the day.

A big Shout out to all who came to help set up on Saturday and to tear down after the picnic was over.

Cleaning Brigade

@St. Joseph

On the second Wednesday of every month at 9:00am, the cleaning brigade cleans the church. Please consider joining the crew on June 12. Additional help is appreciated!

Crafting Sessions

will begin in mid-August

@Holy Trinity

Crafting sessions begin here at the parish, however that doesn't mean we haven't been thinking about and crafting during these months for the big day – our Old Fashioned Holiday Bazaar in November. If you are a crafter, whether it be painting, card making, woodworking, sewing, crocheting, knitting, pottery or lettering, we would be happy to receive your wares for the craft booth. Any questions? Call Judi (937-228-1223) or Kathy (937-681-2874).

Our Stewardship



Offertory numbers were not available at the time of printing. Totals will be shared in the June 9 bulletin.

Emmanuel, May 26

Sunday Collection \$
St. Vincent De Paul Tithe \$

Holy Trinity, May 26

Sunday Collection \$
Electronic Giving \$

Precious Blood, May 26

Sunday Collection \$
St. Vincent De Paul \$

Saint Paul, May 26

Sunday Collection \$
St. Vincent de Paul \$

Saint Joseph, May 26

Sunday Collection \$
Outreach \$
Pipe Organ \$

Saint Rita, May 26

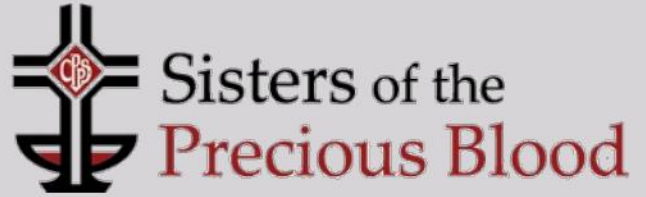
Sunday Collection \$
St. Vincent De Paul \$

Online Giving

As an added convenience all of our parishes offer online giving. If you are interested in online giving, call your parish office:

Emmanuel: 937-228-2013
Holy Trinity: 937-228-1223
Precious Blood: 937-276-5954
St. Joseph: 937-228-9272
St. Paul: 937-836-7535
St. Rita: 937-278-5815

Area News & Devotionals



Yarn Donations

For the Sisters of the Precious Blood

As you begin your spring cleaning, please remember us. From your earlier yarn donations, in 2023, we made 430 caps and 54 scarves. These items were distributed to various social agencies and individuals just before Christmas 2023.

As you discover yarn that you no longer need, we are so grateful you are willing to share with us. Please drop off your yarn donations at your local church. We will make arrangements to get them to the sisters.

The Sisters of the Precious Blood
4960 Salem Avenue, Dayton
937-278-0871

NAIM, Indoor Picnic

@St. Francis, Monday, June 10

Naim will enjoy an "Indoor Picnic" in St. Francis Friendship Hall, 6245 Wilmington Pike beginning at NOON.

This event for Widowed Catholics also features the Christmas Giving Tree for the benefit of St. Vincent residents. The regular meeting & cards will follow. To explore more information about this social & religious organization, contact Sunny Hickey at 937-433-1437.



St. Gaspar Family of Parishes Directory & Parish Information

Parish Information

Baptisms

Call your parish office to schedule. If this is your first child or if you have never attended a baptism class, please call your parish office to register for a baptismal preparation class.

Baptismal Preparation Class

You may attend class at any of our Family of Parishes. Registration is required. To register contact your parish office.

Care of the Sick and Elderly

Parishioners, who are confined to their homes and wish to receive Communion, please call your Parish Office.

Marriage

Please call your Parish Office at least six months in advance to begin required pre-nuptial preparation.

OCIA and Catholic Life

For those adults wishing to enter the Catholic Church. St. Gaspar Family of Parishes has two programs:

Wednesday Evenings

Catholic Life meets at Precious Blood Church on Wednesday evenings at 7:00 pm. The program is year round and you can join at any time. Contact Curtis Kneblak for more information: 937-276-5954 ext. 2111 or via email: ckneblak@preciousbloodchurch.org.

Sunday Afternoons

OCIA, Order of Christian Initiation for Adults is also offered at Holy Trinity on Sunday afternoons at 12:45 pm. The summer schedule is monthly, meeting on May 19, June 23, July 28 and August 25.

Contact Lynda Middleton for more information: 937-228-1223 or via email: lyndamiddleton9@gmail.com.

Live Stream Mass

Precious Blood Church, Sunday, 8:30 am

Visit: <https://northwestdaytoncatholic.org/live-stream/>

St. Joseph Church, Sunday, 10:00 am

Visit: <https://www.facebook.com/DaytonCatholic/>

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Submissions for the bulletin are due

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Full page flyers for parish events will be included when space allows. Flyers will be accepted in the form of Word documents or PDFs., JPEGs and scans will not be accepted.

Pulpit Announcements

Pulpit announcements for upcoming events need to be submitted no later than the Wednesday before the Sunday liturgy.

St. Gaspar Family of Parishes Prayer List

Our six parishes have combined their prayer lists into one, symbolizing our unity and shared faith. Names in bold represent new additions.

St. Gaspar Family of Parishes Prayer List as of 5/22/2024

Julie & Rodney Behrens
Mark Belt
Gary Boninsegna
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Fran Franchina
David Franklin
Kay Gallihar
Brooke Gebhart
Michael Glackin
Kathy Heiser-Proffitt
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John McDermott, Jr.
Mike Mudd
Caroline Palmer
Janet Rudy-Gerrard
Dave & Kathy Sadlier
Jeannette Schreck
Shannon Sutter
Catherine Winkler

All praise and glory is yours, Lord our God, for you have called us to serve you in love. Bless our sick so that they may bear their illness in union with your Son's obedient suffering. Restore them to health, and lead them to glory. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Names in bold are new this week. Names on the prayer list will remain for four weeks unless we are notified otherwise. To add a name to the prayer list please contact your parish office.

With Sympathy: To Joyce Domsitz, Precious Blood parishioner and Bob Gallihar, retired maintenance supervisor from St. Paul parish. Keep Joyce and Bob in your prayers. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

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