

This Week at Nativity

Sunday:

8:45-10:15 am – Catechesis, “Parish Office Basement”
 12:30 pm – Stations of the Cross, “Church”
 1:30-3:00 pm – Al-Anon, “Chapel”
 12:30-5:00 pm – Players, “Old Gym”

Monday:

7:00 pm – St. Vincent de Paul Meeting, “Chapel”

Tuesday:

7:00-8:00 am – Men’s Prayer & Discussion, “Chapel”
 6:30-7:30 pm – Cub Scouts, “Library”
 7:00 pm – Education Commission, “Chapel”

Wednesday:

7:30-7:55 am – Centering Prayer, “Chapel”
 9:15-10:15 am – Wednesday Wonderings, “Chapel”
 2:00-3:00 pm – Wolf Cub Meeting, “Café”
 6:00-9:30 pm – Players, “Old Gym”
 7:00 pm – Festival Meeting, “Chapel”

Thursday: Holy Thursday

8:15 am & 7:00 pm – Mass of the Lord’s Supper, “Church”
 9:00 pm – 8:15 am – Night Prayer, (Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament), “Café”

Friday: Good Friday

Parish & School Offices Closed
 8:15 am – Morning Prayer, “Café”
 3:00 pm – Liturgy of the Lord’s Passion, “Church”

Saturday: Holy Saturday

8:45 pm – Easter Vigil, “Church”

Please call the Parish Office before scheduling any event.
 A complete list of parish events can be found at
<http://www.nativity-cincinnati.org/calendar>

Readings: Exodus 12: 1-8, 11-14 1 Corinthians 11: 23-26
 John 13: 1-15

Thursday, April 13, 2017, 7:00 PM

Lectors: Mary Ann Romanello, Beth Gunderson, Ed Smith
Servers: Jack Renneker, Haley Renneker, Noah Lorbach, Gavin Weisgerber, (Need 1 Volunteer)
Eucharistic Ministers: Judy Parsons, Angela Davis, Rita Timoney, John Finn, Sr. Janet, Kathy Michel, Liz Bellew, Shawn Hostiuck, Pat Dells, Sue Oden, LeAnn Cummins

Readings: Isaiah 52: 13-53: 12 Hebrews 4: 14-16;
 5: 7-9 John 18: 1-19: 42

Friday, April 14, 2017, 3:00 PM

Lectors: Ed Smith, Bea Souder
Servers: Michaela & Michaela Townsend
Eucharistic Ministers: Mary Ann Romanello, Eileen Lee, Liz Bellew

Readings: Genesis 1: 1-2: 2 Genesis 22: 1-18 Exodus
 14: 15- 15: 1 Isaiah 54: 5-14 Isaiah 55: 1-11
 Baruch 3: 9-15, 32-4: 4 Ezekiel 36: 16-17a, 18-28
Epistle: Romans 6: 3-11

Saturday, April 15, 2017, 8:45 PM

Lectors: Tony Daniel, Ed Smith, Sr. Janet, Tony Daniel, Eileen Lee, Ed Smith, Sr. Janet, Eileen Lee, **Petitions:** Tony Daniel
Servers: Noah Lorbach, Michaela & Michaela Townsend, Dominic Hagerty, (Need 1 Volunteer)
Eucharistic Ministers: Eileen Lee, Rita Timoney, John Finn, Judy Parsons, Sr. Janet, Sue Odeh (Volunteers Needed)

Readings: Acts of the Apostles 10: 34a, 37-43 Colossians 3: 1-4
 John 20: 1-9

Sunday, April 16, 2017, 9:00 AM

Lectors: Bitsy Smyjunas, Kay Wagner, Mary Ann Romanello
Servers: Jack, George & Isabelle Fisher, Gavin Weisgerber
Eucharistic Ministers: Judy Parsons, Kathy Michel, (8 Volunteers Needed)

Sunday, April 16, 2017, 11:00 AM

Lectors: Julie Kulhanek, Tom Donelan, Sarah Peters
Servers: Kathleen, Caroline & Patrick Jennings, (1 Volunteer Needed)
Eucharistic Ministers: Lynn McDonald, Anthony Kulhanek, Mary Beth Donelan, Sue Odeh, Henry Faulk, Alex Woroncow, (4 Volunteers Needed)

Sick & Shut-Ins

Bill Bach	Tori Behringer	Stephanie Benhase
Mary Jo Beresford	Dottie Brinker	Alberta Carter
Angela Casey	Barbara Cottrell	Diana DeRhodes
Roman Dietz	Joe Doering	Barry Funk
Jackie Goetz	John Joseph	Krystyna Kamp
Liam Kaufman	Lin Laing	Sandra Mertes
Claire Overbeck	Fran Pielage	Bradley Resch
Monica Runyan	Bill Sandman	Caitlyn Sanderson
Sr. Mary Joan Schimian	Maureen Sullivan	Jane Udry
Barbara Valentine	Bob Valerius	Jan Weaver

Friends & Family

Sheila Caldwell	Rod Griffin	Michelle Lattore
Brian Lauer	Amy Leigh	Paul Lereck
John Mack	Doug Martin	Annette Mason
Greg Morley	Cathy Ramundo	Bob Ross
Holly Rough	Suzie Rumsey	Pam Sabo
Peg Schuckman	Mary Ellen Spaita	Mike Tebbe

Please contact the Parish Office to make arrangements for Holy Communion, Anointing of the Sick, Reconciliation and pastoral visits.

Mass Intentions

Sunday	9:00 am	For the People
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Monday	8:15 am	For those living in poverty
Tuesday	8:15 am	For those serving in the military
Wednesday	8:15 am	Jeff Gilbert
Thursday	8:15 am & 7:00 pm	For the shut-ins
Friday	3:00 pm	In Thanksgiving
Saturday	8:45 pm	Celebrant Intentions

April 9, 2017 – Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

Correction for the week of 3/26/2017

Church Offerings	March 26, 2017	Fiscal YTD
Regular Collection	\$ 11,161	\$ 332,860
School Support	-	12,208
Online Donations	547	126,775
Total Weekly Collection	11,708	471,843
Weekly Budget	10,800	425,400
Over/Under	908	46,443
St. Vincent de Paul	750.83	

Church Offerings	April 2, 2017	Fiscal YTD
Regular Collection	\$ 6,189	\$ 339,049
School Support	877	13,085
Online Donations	707	127,482
Total Weekly Collection	7,773	479,616
Budget	10,800	436,200
Over/Under	(3,027)	43,416
Paul Lammermeier	396.11	

Good Friday's Collection: Pope Francis has asked our parish to support the Pontifical Good Friday Collection, which helps Christians in the Holy Land. Your support helps the church minister in parishes, provide Catholic schools and offer religious education. The Pontifical Good Friday Collection also helps to preserve the sacred shrines. The wars, unrest and instability have been especially hard on Christians. In these times of crisis, the Pontifical Good Friday Collection provides humanitarian aid to refugees. When you contribute to the Pontifical Good Friday Collection, you become an instrument of peace and join with Catholics around the world in solidarity with the Church in the Holy Land. **Please be generous!** For more information about Christians in the Holy Land, visit www.myfranciscan.org/good-friday.

Next Weekend's Second Collection will be going to our St. Vincent de Paul Society. Answering Christ's call, they foster hope by providing spiritual, emotional and material assistance on a person-to-person basis to the poor, lonely and forgotten in our community.

Upper Room Dinner April 21st @ 6:00 pm: Parents of 1st Communion Candidates please plan to attend the Upper Room Dinner on Friday, April 21st at 6:00 pm in Nativity's cafeteria. An Invitation/Sign Up Genius will be emailed to you with more details. Please note that the dinner is for candidates and parents only.



CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION SLATED FOR SATURDAY, JUNE 3RD

Mark your calendars to attend the Centennial Celebration to be held at Nativity on the evening of Saturday, June 3rd! This \$40/person ADULT-ONLY night celebrating 100 years of Nativity includes samples from Men's Club HomeBrew contest, catered food stations with Open Bar in St. Sebastian Hall, and live music by "Meeting Mars" in the Courtyard. More information to come...



We are looking for a chair person to take over the basket raffle booth at the Nativity Fall Fest. The new chairperson would work with Doug and Patti Newberry this year and take over next year. This is a fun booth that coordinates donations with both the school and the Parish. For more information, please contact Patti at: newberpg@miamioh.edu or call her at 513-702-4065.



CRS Rice Bowl is Catholic Relief Services' Lenten faith-in-action program. It offers daily opportunities for your family to engage in the spiritual pillars of Lent: prayer, fasting and almsgiving. Rice Bowls are located in the back of church.

You are Invited on Saturday, April 22nd, 7:00-8:00 pm, when Playhouse in the Park & District A bring professional theatre into the neighborhood! Friends & family of all ages will smile in amazement at this 21st century version of C. S. Lewis' classic tale, *The Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe*, at the expansive **KH Montessori Center** on the Kennedy Heights Cultural Campus, 6620 Montgomery at Kennedy Avenue. Come early to enjoy a PICNIC (buy or bring your own), plus CRAFTS & KHMC TOURS, starting at 6PM. Suggested donations at the door: adults \$5, kids always free and everyone is welcome! For more information, please call (513) 557-3850, email info@district-a.org, and visit www.district-a.org + www.cincyplay.com.

NATIVITY PLAYERS PRESENTS: GUYS & DOLLS

The Nativity Players will be presenting "Guys and Dolls" the last weekend of April and first weekend of May. For information on specific show dates/times and tickets, go to their Facebook page, "Guys and Dolls, presented by Nativity Players!" or visit their website: www.nativityplayers.org. This is your **LAST CHANCE** to see a production of the Players, so do yourself a favor and check out this great show! You won't be disappointed. Their goal is a packed house for each performance!



Nativity PTA Walkathon Business Sponsors Needed:

Our 14th annual walkathon is coming up on Friday, May 12th. As in past years, we are looking for business sponsors who can make a donation to support the entire school effort. Your name (and/or company name) will appear on the back of the walkathon T-shirt, school newsletter, and church bulletin, giving your business exposure to hundreds of area residents. This is a great way to support Nativity PTA and advertise your business. A \$100 donation is suggested but not required as we are appreciative of any contribution we receive. Please contact Rachel Moreland or 310-5462 or Yvette Ramirez at yneirouz@gmail.com or 295-2633 for more information.

FYI: The Parish and School Offices will be closed Friday, April 14th and Monday, April 17th. All facilities are closed during Holy Week...they will re-open again on Tuesday, April 18th.

~Please remember Nativity in your will~

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