

This Week at Nativity**Sunday:**

11:00-1:30 pm – Baptism Program, “Church & POB”

1:30-2:30 pm – Al-Anon, “Chapel”

Monday:**Tuesday:****Wednesday:**

7:15-7:45 am – Centering Prayer, “Parish Office Basement”

10:00 am – Music Together, “Parish Office Upstairs”

Thursday:

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Friday:**Saturday:**

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**

1 Kings 19: 4-8

Ephesians 4: 30-5:2

John 6: 41-51

Saturday, August 8, 2015 4:30 PM**Lectors:** Volunteer Needed, Beth Gunderson, Beth Gunderson**Servers:** Hunter Evans, Daniel Gunderson, Catie Strode**Eucharistic Ministers:** Sara Gurney, Shawn Hostiuck, LeAnn Cummins, Pat Dells, Mary Lennard, Lisa Harper, Jacob Lamb, (Volunteers Needed)**Sunday, August 9, 2015 9:00 AM****Lectors:** Brendan Cronin, Mark Beckman, Bill Brown**Servers:** Ruth Debono, Jack Fisher, Meggie & Will Gossard**Eucharistic Ministers:** Jan & Tom Brown, Joe Schmidt, Liz Bellew, Beth & Megan Glass, Darlene Casey, Anthony Kulhanek, Georgia Henley, (Volunteer Needed)**Sunday, August 9, 2015 11:00 AM****Lectors:** Michael Mohr, Deborah Casey, Martha Fuller**Servers:** AJ & TJ Bock, Patrick & Bobby Jennings**Eucharistic Ministers:** Lynn McDonald, Carol Gessing, Sue Odeh, Bryan Badinghaus, Sophia Lawson, John Finn, (Volunteers Needed)**Mass Intentions**

Sunday	9:00 am	For the People
Sunday	11:00 am	Frank & Marie Donovan
Monday	8:15 am	Those serving in the military
Tuesday	8:15 am	Deceased Parishioners
Wednesday	8:15 am	Rev. Francis “Zib” Lammeier
Thursday	8:15 am	Rev. Terrance W. Smith
Friday	8:15 am	Jim & Jan Roedersheimer
Saturday	4:30 pm	Celebrant Intentions

Please keep the following people in your prayers:**Sick & Shut-Ins**

Chuck Andrew	Bill Bach	Brad Behringer
Alberta Carter	Barbara Cottrell	Diana DeRhodes
Joe Doering	Cynthia Fix	Barry Funk
Jackie Goetz	Bob Hatfield	Liam Kaufman
Anthony Le	Molly Matre	Diana Montgomery
Mary Oenbrink	Claire Overbeck	Fran Pielage
Mary Piepmeier	John Schomaker	Barbara Valentine

Friends & Family

Kathy Kelly	Matthew Kenney	Paul Lereck
John Mack	Cathy Ramundo	Holly Rough
Peg Schuckman	Mary Ellen Spaite	Pat Straus
Mike Tebbe	Patricia Tempke	Barbara Wernke
Jacob Wenstrup		

Please pray for those who have died, especially Thomas L. Beiting.

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

Church Offerings**July 26, 2015**

Offerings	\$5,935.00
Budget	\$10,800.00
Over (under) Budget	\$(4,865.00)
Year to Date Actual	\$32,168.00
Year to Date Budget	\$43,200.00
Over (under) Budget	\$(11,032.00)
St. Vincent de Paul	\$599.79

Thank You!**Please remember Nativity in your will.****You can give online to Nativity by going to**<http://www.nativity-cincinnati.org/giving>**Next Sunday's Outreach Collection** will be going to our St. Vincent de Paul Society. Please keep this organization in your prayers.

MASTER CALENDAR: We are requesting that you submit to Cindy in the Parish Office a list of dates, times, activity, and location that your group would like to reserve (this includes the school, old gym & parish offices) beginning September 1, 2015 through June 1, 2016. **All requests must be submitted in writing** and every effort will be made to secure those requests. **We ask that you submit your needs no later than August 21st.** Requests will be scheduled in the order they are received! Please email your request to cindy.schlegel@nativity-cincinnati.org.

“Play in the Park” summer fun at Kennedy Heights on Wednesdays, 6:30-8:00 pm. Each week includes a themed activity, games and snack. August 5th is *“Tie Dye in the Park”*...bring your favorite shirt and create a colored sensation. For further information visit them on facebook at www.facebook.com/playintheparkcincinnati.

THE PARISH FESTIVAL IS ONLY A FEW WEEKS AWAY...AND WE NEED EVERYONE'S SUPPORT TO MAKE SURE WE HAVE A SUCCESSFUL YEAR!!

Sign up to volunteer now and get first choice of available times! Just follow this link to sign up:
www.SignUpGenius.com/go/10C054AAEAC22A57-nativity/.

Rummage Sale: The annual Rummage Sale that is held at the festival is returning! Get rid of all those things that are just taking up space! **PLEASE NO CLOTHING!** Drop-off dates to be announced. If you have any questions, please contact Steve Schlegel at 288-1186 or st.schlegel@hotmail.com or Brandi Baird at Brandi_Baird@trihealth.com.

Do you have items to donate to the Bid & Buy Booth? May we suggest Bengals/Reds/UC/XU tickets, show tickets, rounds of golf, sports memorabilia, lawn & garden, household items, prints/paintings, bicycles, jewelry, tools, school spiritwear, ipods, ipads, tablets, business services (hair, oil change, etc.) and as always, vacation/hotel stays are popular. You may drop off your donations at the parish office Monday through Friday, 8:00 am – 3:00 pm.

Have questions or need further information about the festival? Please contact James Devanney at james.devanney@gmail.com, (513) 324-9403 or Haidee and Scott Schlegel hschlegel80@gmail.com or (513) 407-1812. You can also contact the parish office at (513) 531-3164.



Kindergarten Soccer Sign-Ups Are

Underway: Sign-ups for the Co-Ed Kindergarten Instructional Fall Soccer Season are now available on the Nativity website at: <http://www.nativity-cincinnati.org/athletics/registration-page/>. **The Kindergarten Soccer Program is a great way for kindergarten students to have fun, exercise and make new friends!** Teams meet 9:00-10:00 am, Saturday mornings for a practice and game against their Nativity friends. Season starts September 12th and wraps up October 24th. The cost is \$20 + \$50 family booster fee

(this includes a Nativity T-shirt.) You can sign-up and pay online. Volunteers are needed for coaches and assistants (no coaching experience needed!) Volunteers must attend VIRTUS training and be fingerprinted. Please contact Robyn VanRens at robynvanrens@yahoo.com with any questions. **Please sign-up by August 25th! Teams will be determined the first full week of school.**



It's time to kick-off a great new Men's Club year!

Jeff Mumper has generously agreed to host this party at his house, on Thursday, August 13th (2506 Oakridge Drive.) There will be beer and snacks. The guys at the new Nine Giant brewery/restaurant have agreed to bring some beer as a preview to their opening this fall. We will charge everyone \$30, which includes your annual Men's Club dues (\$20.) **Everyone is welcome!** I wanted to send a note of thanks to our outgoing Men's Club Officers: Dave Peter, Tim Mulligan and Jim Robinson. They have done a tremendous job over the last few years, and they couldn't be happier to pass on the responsibility! If you have any questions or awesome fundraising ideas, feel free to contact the incoming officers: President: John VanRens; Vice President: Eric Kleiner; and Treasurer: Steve Hawkins. *One Quick Note...Carpooling is encouraged, as there is limited parking at and around the Mumper residence, and we are expecting, demanding that all of you show up.

The Athenaeum of Ohio announces that registrations for the autumn semester are now being accepted. The autumn semester classes begin on Monday, August 24, 2015 and conclude on Saturday, December 19, 2015. It is suggested that students register as early as possible in order to have book orders placed and books available for the first day of class. A list of course offerings, course descriptions and the weekly schedule for the autumn semester are available at <http://www.athenaeum.edu/ClassSchedule.aspx>. Registrations are to be completed online at <http://www.athenaeum.edu/Registration.aspx>.

Come and See...An invitation to take a Journey of Faith in the Catholic Church at Nativity of Our Lord Parish.

Are you interested in becoming Catholic? Interested in finding out more about the Catholic Faith? A baptized Catholic who wants to prepare for the sacraments of Eucharist and/or Confirmation? **Then consider being a part of this year's RCIA!** The first 6-8 weeks are an inquiry time to learn about Catholicism, delve, search, and ask questions. Your decision whether to continue is made at the end of these sessions. For further information, please email Sr. Janet at janet.schneider@nativity-cincinnati.org.