

**This Week at Nativity****Sunday:**

After Masses – Welcoming Sunday, “Café”  
 8:45-10:15 am – Catechesis, “Parish Office Basement”  
 10:00 am – Jr. High Religious Education, “Chapel”  
 12:00-1:30 pm – Baptism Program, “Chapel”  
 1:30-5:00 pm – Robotics, “Café”  
 1:30-3:00 pm – Al-Anon, “Chapel”

**Monday:**

9:30-10:30 am – Play Group, “Parish Office Upstairs”  
 4:00 pm – Cafeteria Closes for Election Day Set-up

**Tuesday:**

No School  
 No Use of Cafeteria – Election Day  
 7:00-8:00 am – Men’s Prayers & Discussion, “Chapel”  
 7:00 pm – Education Commission, “Chapel”

**Wednesday:**

7:30-7:55 am – Centering Prayer, “Chapel”  
 7:00-9:00 pm – Cub Scouts, “Café”  
 7:00 pm – Eucharistic Adoration, “Church”

**Thursday:**

9:30 am – Music Together, “Parish Office Upstairs”  
 9:30-11:00 am – Catechesis, “Parish Office Downstairs”  
 4:30-6:00 pm – Catechesis, “Parish Office Upstairs”  
 7:00 pm – Reading Presentation, “Café”  
 7:00 pm – Choir, “Church”

**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:**

Malachi 3: 19 – 20a    2 Thessalonians 3: 7 -12  
 Luke 21: 5 - 19

**Saturday, November 12, 2016, 4:30 PM**

**Lectors:** Bea Souder, Nancy Ciarniello, Nancy Ciarniello  
**Servers:** Catie Strode, Madeline & Ava Volker  
**Eucharistic Ministers:** Anna & Kevin Shaw, Wiley Gunderson, (Volunteers Needed)

**Sunday, November 13, 2016, 9:00 AM**

**Lectors:** Suzanne Burgei, Brendon Cronin, Tony Daniel  
**Servers:** Rachel Farfsing, George & Isabelle Fisher, Jackson Glass  
**Eucharistic Ministers:** Jan Brown, Joe Schmidt, Liz Bellew, Beth & Megan Glass, Darlene Casey, Anthony Kulhanek, Georgia Henley, (Volunteers Needed)

**Sunday, November 13, 2016, 11:00 AM**

**Lectors:** Pat Dells, Michael Mohr, Bob Stewart  
**Servers:** Jasmine Bedgood, Kendle Coffey, Zachary End, Kaeley Hawkins  
**Eucharistic Ministers:** Lynn McDonald, Carol Gessing, Sue Odeh, Sophia Lawson, John Finn, (Volunteers Needed)

**Sick & Shut-Ins**

Bill Bach	David Bell	Stephanie Benhase
Mary Jo Beresford	Dottie Brinker	Alberta Carter
Angela Casey	Barbara Cottrell	Diana DeRhodes
Joe Doering	Barry Funk	Jackie Goetz
Krystyna Kamp	Liam Kaufman	Lin Laing
Sandra Mertes	Claire Overbeck	Fran Pielage
Mary Piepmeier	Pat Rulon	Caitlyn Sanderson
Sr. Joan Schimian	Maureen Sullivan	Jane Udry
Barbara Valentine	Bob Valerius	Jan Weaver

**Friends & Family**

Sheila Caldwell	Ruth DeRhodes	Rod Griffin
Mary Lou Haley	Bob Jennings Sr.	Michelle Lattore
Amy Leigh	Paul Lereck	John Mack
Doug Martin	Greg Morley	Joy Morley
Cathy Ramundo	Holly Rough	Pam Sabo
Peg Schuckman	Mary Ellen Spaitte	Mike Tebbe
Barbara Wernke		

**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	Jay Beridon
Sunday	11:00 am	Gertrude Tyrin
Monday	8:15 am	Titus Colaco
Tuesday	8:15 am	James Pilsir
Wednesday	8:15 am	Deceased Parishioners
Thursday	8:15 am	In Thanksgiving
Friday	8:15 am	For those in nursing homes
Saturday	4:30 pm	Benefactors

**Church Offerings:**

	<b><u>Oct. 30, 2016</u></b>	<b><u>Fiscal YTD</u></b>
Regular Collection	\$ 5,839.00	\$120,626
School Support	\$ - 0 -	5,509
Online donations	\$ 687	\$ 51,263
Total Weekly Collection	\$ 6,526	\$ 177,398
Weekly Budget	\$ 10,800	\$ 194,400
Weekly Over/Budget	(4,274)	(17,002)
St. Vincent de Paul	\$627.30	

**Next Weekend’s Outreach Collection:** A special collection will be taken up to help those in need who have been severely affected by Hurricane Matthew which has devastated significant parts of the Southeast coast of the United States and some countries in the Caribbean, especially Haiti. Funds from this Hurricane Matthew Collection will be used to support the efforts of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, Catholic Charities USA, and Catholic Relief Services to respond to emergency needs for such necessities as water, food, shelter, and medical care as well as the need to rebuild after such widespread destruction.

# November 6, 2016 – Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time



Our 2016 Annual Fund "Completing Our Projects" kicked off last week with a goal to raise \$100,000. As of

October 28<sup>th</sup>, \$5,000 has already been donated. The fund will support renovating the school art room, installing the last 3 custom-made exterior doors and four additional security cameras on parish grounds, upgrading Wi-Fi in all classrooms, and replacing desks and chairs in designated classrooms. We also are asking for \$10,000 for the School Education Fund and \$10,000 for the Second Century Fund which will support future facility improvements in the church and school. For more information, refer to the brochure that you should have received in the mail or visit the website at

<http://www.nativity-cincinnati.org/giving/annual-fund/>.

Questions regarding this year's Annual Fund may be directed to co-chair's Mike Garry at [mrgarry1962@gmail.com](mailto:mrgarry1962@gmail.com), Tammy Reasoner at [treasoner@purcellmarian.org](mailto:treasoner@purcellmarian.org) and/or our Development Director, Julie Abraham at [julie.abraham@nativity-cincinnati.org](mailto:julie.abraham@nativity-cincinnati.org).

**Wednesday Wanderings:** (A new spiritual book group): Join us on Wednesday mornings from 9:00-10:15 am as we read and share reflections on the spiritual life. We will begin by reading Sr. Joan Chittester's book, [Between the Dark and the Daylight: Embracing the Contradictions of Life](#). This book is an easy read which "explores the concerns of modern life, of the overworked mind and hurting heart." It is available on Amazon. The group will meet on the 4 Wednesdays of Advent: Nov. 30<sup>th</sup>, Dec. 7<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup> in the Parish Office Chapel.



**Advent Evening for Women:** Mark your calendars for our special Advent Evening, November 30<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 pm, in the cafeteria! After a welcoming time with wine and

cheese, Holly End will elaborate on our theme: "The Gift You Have Received, Give as a Gift." A delicious catered meal and lots of good conversation will make the evening complete. Gather a group of your friends from the parish to make it even more fun! Registration information will be coming soon! *Sponsored by St. Ann Society.*

## Nativity Parish Adult Faith Formation Program:

Lessons from the Book of Beginnings...Who are we? Where are we going? How do we get there? *Give yourself a gift! Come hear a wonderful presentation by Fr. Tim Schehr on Monday, November 14<sup>th</sup> in the Parish Office basement at 7:00 pm. Those who have attended in the past always say that they wish they had attended previously!* RSVP to the parish office not required but is helpful.



## Calling All Crafters (Artists, Individuals, Groups, or Clubs) Registration is NOW OPEN!!

Breakfast with Santa and Holly Day Bazaar will be held on Saturday, December 3<sup>rd</sup>, from 9:00 am until 12:30 pm. Table Cost: ½ cafeteria table...FREE (for groups donating profits back to school); bring your own square table-\$5 (non-profit groups); bring your own square table-\$10 (all others); ½ cafeteria table-\$10 (non-profit groups); ½ cafeteria table-\$15 (all others); full cafeteria table-\$20 (non-profit groups); full cafeteria table-\$25 (all others.) Tables are limited. Reserve your table by Saturday, November 26<sup>th</sup>. If you have any questions or would like to reserve a table, please contact Carol Gillotti at [hollydaybazaar@pta.nativity-cincinnati.org](mailto:hollydaybazaar@pta.nativity-cincinnati.org).



## The Nativity Christmas Tree Sale Needs Your Help!

Christmas Trees will be delivered on **Friday, November 25<sup>th</sup> at 8:45 am**. Come work off that Thanksgiving turkey, stuffing, and pumpkin pie by helping to unload and stack trees! High School Students...this is a fantastic opportunity to satisfy Community Service Hours. We also need a bunch of volunteers to sell Christmas trees starting on **Friday, November 25<sup>th</sup>**. *Good times, good people, good exercise, and good food afterwards.* Get a group of your friends together and work a shift...or two...or three...or ten as a team. Remember, it takes over 500 man hours for a successful sale! Please seriously consider volunteering your time for a very important cause that benefits Nativity in many important ways. **Please see the enclosed insert today to find out the ways you can help.**

**Nativity Name Badges:** If you would like to place an order for a name badge you may do so now. Order forms are available in the school or parish offices. We need a minimum of (10) name tags to be able to place an order. Name Tags are \$8.00 each.



Please extend a warm welcome to our new parishioners: Jason and Nicole Pierce, along with their daughter Aisley Rose; Brendon and Erika Fey; Jessica Bechmann, along with her daughter Kaislee; Steve and Rhonda Redding, along with their granddaughter Sophia and Marebate Batoma along with her daughter Oliana Blessing. *Welcome to Nativity!*



**St. Ann's "Feed the Need" Program:** Join us in St. Ann's efforts to "Feed the Need" during Thanksgiving and Christmas by purchasing/funding any amount of \$5 grocery certificates which will be provided to The Caring Place (through Thanksgiving) and to St. Vincent de Paul (after Thanksgiving through January 3<sup>rd</sup>) to distribute to their growing number of clients. This is a perfect holiday opportunity to feed the hungry, just as Jesus asked us to do. Buy "Feed the Need" grocery certificates in honor or in memory of someone special (a neighbor, friend, grandparent or other family members.) We will provide a nicely-designed acknowledgement card for you to present. Please send your contribution to fund grocery certificates to the parish or school offices. Please see the donation form in today's bulletin.

~Please remember Nativity in your will~

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