

This Week at Nativity**Sunday:**

10:00 am – Mass, “Church”
 11:00-12:30 pm – Baptism Program, “POB”
 1:30-3:00 pm – Al-Anon, “Parish Office Basement”

Monday:

10:00-2:00 pm – Art Camp, “Art Room”

Tuesday:

10:00-2:00 pm – Art Camp, “Art Room”
 7:00-8:30 pm – St. Ann’s Meeting, “Café”

Wednesday:

7:30-8:00 am – Centering Prayer, “Chapel”
 9:15-10:30 am – Wednesday Wonderings, “Chapel”
 10:00-2:00 pm – Art Camp, “Art Room”
 7:00-9:00 pm – Steam Meeting, “Steam Lab”

Thursday:

10:00-2:00 pm – Art Camp, “Art Room”
 5:30 pm – Development Meeting, “Learning Commons”

Friday:

9:30-11:00 am – Play Group, “Playground”
 10:00-2:00 pm – Art Camp, “Art Room”

Saturday:Note:

PO – Parish Office
 POB – Parish Office Basement
 POU – Parish Office Upstairs

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: Wisdom 18: 6-9

Hebrews 11: 1-2, 8-19 Luke 12: 32-48

Saturday, August 10, 2019 – 4:30 PM

Lectors: Patti Newberry, Mary Lennard, Patti Newberry

Servers: Ray Ravenna, Lauren Spencer, Ellie Allaire

Eucharistic Ministers: Volunteers Needed

Sunday, August 11, 2019 – 10:00 AM

Lectors: Eileen Lee, Tom Millard, Brendan Cronin

Servers: Ben Adkins, Lauren, Zach & Joe Brunswick

Eucharistic Ministers: Jan Brown, Joe Schmidt, Liz Bellew, Beth & Jackson Glass, Darlene Casey, Anthony Kulhanek, Georgia Henley, Judy Parsons, Kathy Michel

Next Sunday's Collection will be going to our St. Vincent de Paul Society. Nativity parishioners help to provide food vouchers, rents to prevent evictions, utilities to prevent cut-offs and help the bed program to continue to keep neighbors, especially children, from sleeping on the floor. Your generosity is greatly appreciated.

Sick & Shut-Ins

Bill Bach	Reid Baumgartner	Mark Beckman
Stephanie Benhase	Mary Jo Beresford	Dottie Brinker
Eugene Carlson	Deborah Casey	Kathy Chalfin
Barbara Cottrell	Diana DeRhodes	Joe Doering
Stella Evans	Barry Funk	Jackie Goetz
Krystyna Kamp	Jim Kaufman	Fr. Ray Kellerman
Al & Mary Lou Matre	Mary McErlane	Karen Morgan
Ron Rulon	Dave Russell	Sr. Joan Schimian
Maureen Sullivan	Jane & Carl Udry	Barbara Valentine
Bob Valerius	Jan Weaver	

Friends & Family

Sheila Caldwell	James Doolittle	Bob Finn
Rick Holtz	Brian Lauer	Amy Leigh
Paul Lereck	John Mack	Doug Martin
Bob Mitchell	Greg Morley	David Palmer
Cathy Ramundo	Holly Rough	Mike Rumsey
Rhoda Rupp	Randy Rupp Jr.	Mary Ellen Spaitte
Peg Schuckman	David Shiveley	Mike Tebbe
Jeffrey Williams	Craig Wrober	

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

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday	10:00 am	George Long
Monday	8:15 am	Franklin & Sarah Crawford (Special Intention)
Tuesday	8:15 am	Those living in nursing homes
Wednesday	8:15 am	Mamie Lee
Thursday	8:15 am	Gene Abner
Friday	8:15 pm	For the homeless
Saturday	4:30 pm	Celebrant Intentions

CHURCH OFFERINGS	<u>July 28, 2019</u>	<u>Fiscal YTD</u>
Regular Collection	3,992	24,531
School Support	0	905
Online Collection	7,675	12,997
Total Offerings	11,667	38,433
Budget	10,900	43,600
Over (Under) Budget	767	(5,167)
Matthew Ministries	458.00	



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 both the school and parish office)

beginning September 6, 2019 through June 30, 2020. Sporting activities should be scheduled through the Boosters. **Please submit your requests to her no later than August 15th** via e-mail at: cindy.schlegel@nativity-cincinnati.org. Requests will be scheduled in the order they are received. Thank You!

August 4, 2019 – Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



On Sunday, August 11th, we will celebrate Sr. Janet's Golden Jubilee at the 10:00 am Mass and follow that with a brunch reception. Her family and friends will also be invited. **It is important that you RSVP to the parish office NO LATER THAN Monday, August 5th!**



Save the Dates: Friday, August 30th, 6-11:00 pm; Saturday, August, 31st, 6-11:00 pm; and Sunday, September 1st, from 4:00-10:00 pm. **Avoid feeling "Catholic guilt"** by volunteering at the Fall Fest. Now is the time to sign up before all the good shifts are taken. We need hundreds of volunteers to make the festival happen! Visit nativityfallfest.org to VOLUNTEER and for information about the Fall Fest. Not interested in using the website? Call Janet Nawroth 513-519-1532 or email her at janetnawroth@hotmail.com.



As many of you have already heard, we will not have carnival rides at this year's Fall Fest. Hard as we may have tried to find rides, there are no rides available this year and for the foreseeable future. We are in search of a way to draw attention to the Fall Fest. Do you know someone who owns a giant spotlight or light that could be seen in the neighborhood? If you have an idea of an inexpensive way of attracting a crowd, contact Janet Nawroth at janetnawroth@hotmail.com or call her at 513-519-1532.

Festival Rummage Sale Request: Summer cleaning? Piles of stuff to get rid of? Consider donating to the Festival Rummage Sale. We are looking for donations of household goods, jewelry, small pieces of furniture, toys, games, and more. **(We are sorry, we cannot accept clothing, stuffed animals or soft goods.)** Drop off dates are: Friday, 8/23 from 4:00-7:00 pm, Saturday, 8/24, from 10:00 am until 2:00 pm, and Sunday, 8/25, noon until 3:00 pm at St. Sebastian Hall. Any questions on what items are accepted? Email to NativityRummageSale@hotmail.com

Lydia's House, a supportive shelter for women and children in Norwood, will be hosting their 7th annual Women for Women event on Saturday, September 14th at 5pm in North Avondale. The evening includes dinner, a concert by the MUSE women's choir and an opportunity to learn more about the mission of Lydia's House. There is no cost to attend but donations will be requested to benefit their **"Let there be Light"** campaign, an effort to install solar energy on the shelter and

office building. RSVPs and more information about the event can be requested at volunteer@stlydiashouse.org.



Grand Raffle Tickets will not be mailed out this year to save on mailing costs, so we need your help...we are asking each parishioner to consider selling tickets (\$2 for one or a sheet of 5 for \$10). Please take as many tickets that you think you can sell from the back of church or pick-up from the parish office; there will also be envelopes marked **"Nativity Grand Raffle"** that you can put your money and ticket stubs in that you have sold and place it in the offertory basket (please make sure that the envelope is sealed). If each family sells \$60 worth of tickets we can meet our raffle goals. The seller of the grand prize ticket wins \$100, with raffle prizes at the following levels: Grand prize is \$5,000, second prize is \$1,000 and third is \$500. **School Parents:** if you do not intend to use the tickets that were sent home with your child in May, please return them to the parish office ASAP, so that we can use them elsewhere.

Kennedy Heights Park "Play in the Park" will be held next Wednesday, August 7th. **Pizza Picnic & Back to School with Mr. Softee...**our annual end of the season picnic brings summer to a close; dance your way back to school with our DJ Mat Pentecost and wave goodbye until next year.

Parish Men you are invited to the Men's Club annual Kick-off Party on Thursday, August 15th. This is our chance to gather and discuss the year's activities, catch up with old friends and meet new friends, with some drinks and snacks. All our welcome! \$30 to attend...this covers your annual Men's Club dues, plus food and drinks at the party. **MARK YOUR CALENDAR NOW** for August 15th at 7:30 pm at 3118 Dot Drive (Patrick and Jenny Farfaring's home). Looking forward to seeing all of you great Nativity men at this fun event. Questions? Please contact johnmavron@gmail.com.



If you are a Eucharistic Minister...or would like to become one...PLEASE contact Cindy in the Parish Office at (513) 531-3164 or cindy.schlegel@nativity-cincinnati.org. I am trying to update our Eucharistic Minister list with names, Mass time and what week of the month you would like to distribute.



Eucharistic Adoration will be held on Wednesday, August 14th at 7:00 pm in church. The Holy Hour will begin with the exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, accompanied by brief prayer and song. Most of the hour will be a time of quiet, for personal prayer, reading, meditation, contemplation and adoration. At the end of the hour, there will be brief prayer, with scripture and song, concluding with Benediction with Blessed Sacrament.

~ Please remember Nativity in your will ~

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