

This Week at Nativity**Sunday:**

9:45-11:15 am – Catechesis, "POB"
 1:00-5:00 pm – Robotics, "Steam Flex"
 1:30-3:00 pm – Al-Anon, "Chapel"

Monday:

7:00 pm – Parkinson's Meeting, "Chapel"

Tuesday:

3:30-5:00 pm – History Club, "Room 306"
 3:30-5:00 pm – Math Counts, "Language Room"
 7:00 pm – Boosters, "Café"

Wednesday:

7:30-8:00 am – Centering Prayer, "Chapel"
 9:15-10:30 am – Wednesday Wonderings, "Chapel"
 3:00-4:00 pm – Students Helping Students, "Room 302"
 3:30-5:00 pm – Student Government, "Room 306"
 3:45-5:45 pm – HSPT Prep Class, "203 & Café"
 6:00-7:30 pm – 4th Grade Girl Scouts, "Café"
 6:30-8:30 pm – Robotics, "Tech Lab"
 7:00 pm – PTA Board Meeting, "Learning Commons"

Thursday:

9:30-11:00 am – Catechesis, "POB"
 3:30-5:00 pm – Psychology Club, "Room 306"
 4:30-6:00 pm – Catechesis, "POB & POU"
 7:00-8:30 pm – Girl Scouts, "
 7:00 pm – Choir, "Church"

Friday:

3:00-5:00 pm – Robotics, "Tech Lab"
 6:00-8:00 pm – Robotics, "Tech Lab"

Saturday:

8:00-12:30 pm – SVDP Food Pickup, "Café"

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: 2 Samuel 5: 1-3 Colossians 1:12-20
 Luke 23: 35-43

Saturday, November 23, 2019 – 4:30 PM

Lectors: Sister Carren, Beth Gunderson, Sister Carren

Servers: Jack Davis, Grace Albrinck, Caroline or Kathleen Jennings

Eucharistic Ministers: Volunteers Needed

Sunday, November 24, 2019 – 10:00 AM

Lectors: Sarah Peters, Martha Fuller, Brendan Cronin

Servers: Noah Gernetzke, Sydney & Sophia Hunt, Griffin Miller

Eucharistic Ministers: Volunteers Needed

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	Sr. Joan Schimian	Maureen Sullivan
Jane & Carl Udry	Barbara Valentine	Bob Valerius
Jan Weaver		

Friends & Family

Mark Behreng	Sheila Caldwell	James Doolittle
Bob Finn	Rick Holtz	Brian Lauer
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	Mary 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	Hilda & Bob Ryan
Monday	8:15 am	Angela Casey
Tuesday	8:15 am	For those living in nursing homes
Wednesday	8:15 am	Rev. Charles W. Caserta
Thursday	8:15 am	For those living in poverty
Friday	8:15 am	Prayer Service
Saturday	4:30 pm	Celebrant Intentions

CHURCH OFFERINGS	<u>November 10, 2019</u>	<u>Fiscal YTD</u>
Regular Collection	5,956	122,685
School Support	555	4,716
Online Collection	717	60,712
Total Offerings	7,228	188,113
Budget	10,900	207,100
Over (Under) Budget	(3,672)	(18,987)
Military Services	646.00	

Next Sunday's Outreach Collection is our annual collection for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD), the national, anti-poverty campaign of the U.S. bishops. CCHD has been an immeasurable blessing for thousands in our Archdiocese over the years. Just this past year, the agencies funded by CCHD have empowered more than 2,500 low-income people to break the cycle of poverty through such feats as finding jobs, responsibly reentering society after prison, educating youth, and securing decent housing and public services for their communities. Archbishop Dennis Schnurr appeals to the faithful this year: "Through the

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grants we make to well-vetted organizations, CCHD uniquely empowers those in poverty to identify their own needs and to become their own agents of positive change." Please prayerfully and generously consider how you give on Collection Weekend, November 23-24. Your dollars are making real change! Visit www.usccb.org/cchd to learn more. Also check out the Archdiocesan CCHD website for more local information: www.catholiccincinnati.org/socialaction.

Moving Forward Together

2019 Nativity Annual Fund



The 2019 Annual Fund

"Moving Forward Together" is off to a good start with \$6700 in donations from 30 Nativity families. This year's goal is to raise \$100,000 to improve campus security and fire detection; enhance the sound in church; update the ceiling, lighting and wall coverings in the cafeteria; and add \$10,000 to our School Education Fund. More information can be found in the annual fund mailing that was sent to your home, or on-line at <http://www.nativity-cincinnati.org/giving/annualfund> Please take time to learn about this year's goals, and prayerfully consider a generous donation to the 2019 Annual Fund. Questions regarding annual fund may be directed to co-chairs Dianne Fisk at Dianne.Fisk@thechristhospital.com or Charlie Knapke at cknapke1@lenovo.com.

The newly released book, "A History of Nativity Parish...How a neighborhood's need gave birth to the Church of the Nativity of Our Lord, and established a cornerstone for the larger community" is now available for pick-up in the Parish Office. (One book per household please.) The book was authored by Charles F. Fritz" Casey –Leininger, PH.D., Associate Professor Emeritus, UC Dept. of History. Parishioner Cinder Miller, PH.D, professional historian and Vice President at Gray & Pape, coordinated the history project. Parishioner Jim Molloy, professional graphic designer and Vice President Digital Development at DeanHouston, Inc., designed the book. We thank Fr. Paul for his support of the Nativity history project. We are grateful to Fritz, Cinder and Jim and the many others who helped with the history project by researching, writing, interviewing, orally telling the history, and proof reading articles.

"Feed the Need" The holidays are a time of family visiting, delicious meals and celebration. For many of our neighbors served by The Caring Place and St. Vincent de Paul this is not possible or barely possible. This is where **"Feed the Need"** steps in. Grocery certificates in \$5.00 denominations can be purchased to give to The Caring Place (through Thanksgiving) and St. Vincent de Paul (after Thanksgiving through January 5th). These organizations distribute them to their growing

number of clients. This provides us with a perfect opportunity to feed the hungry as Jesus asked us. Additionally the "Feed the Need" grocery certificates make a great gift for someone special, the person who has everything, or as a memorial. St. Ann's will provide a card to acknowledge your gift. Please send your contribution to fund grocery certificates to the parish or school office marked **"St. Ann's Feed the Need"** and indicate the number of \$5.00 grocery certificates you would like to fund. If you have any questions, please contact Eleanor Ruthishauser at ekrutishauser@gmail.com.



St. Vincent de Paul will be collecting coats starting Saturday, November 23rd through Sunday, December 8th. A coat barrel will be placed in the back of church and on the school cafeteria stage. Please place your clean coats in either barrel so that our parish can support the St. Vincent de Paul Coat Distribution. All sizes appreciated.



Nativity Christmas Tree Sale is right around the corner! All Proceeds go to the Nativity General Fund. It takes over 500 man hours to make the sale a success. Please help make 2019 another great year! There are 3 ways to

help: 1. Unload and Set-up...Friday, November 29th at 9:00 am. Food and drink will be provided at the completion of the set-up at approximately 11:00 am. 2. We need volunteers to help sell trees, especially on the weekends, (our busiest time.) This is a fantastic way to get into the Christmas Spirit, meet new folks, and help Nativity. Get a group of your friends together and work the same shifts as a team. Consider taking the lead of a specific day/shift for the duration of the sale. *With all the volunteers last year, we managed to sell out in 2 weeks and one day!!!* 3. Cleanup Day...Friday, December 20th: Cleanup must be done prior to Christmas Eve Mass. This usually happens sooner, but depends on how fast we can sell the trees. **This is an excellent opportunity for students who need to satisfy their High School service hours. 2 Easy Ways to Volunteer:** We are using SignUp Genius again this year to volunteer; **UNLOAD:** Please go to <http://bit.ly/2WxeOZW> **SALES:** Please go to <http://bit.ly/338u5D5> to sign up. If you have any questions, please contact Phil Ganz by email at ganz.pj@pg.com or by phone at (513) 673-7366 (Mobile) or (513) 731-0012 (Home). **The Christmas Tree sale hours are Monday thru Friday from 5:00 pm till 9:00 pm and Saturday and Sunday from noon until 8:00 pm. We can always use firewood to keep the spirit warm! Thank You for Supporting Nativity!**



St Cecilia Parish, in Oakley, will host its annual Thanksgiving dinner for anyone who would like to share the holiday with others. The dinner will be available from noon until 2:00 pm on Thursday, November 28th, in the school cafeteria. Admission is free and open to all ages. Transportation to the meal and meal delivery are available by calling Maggie at 232-0266. All requests for meal delivery must be made by 5:00 pm on Monday, November 25th. For any numerous volunteer opportunities available, please contact Dan at 478-0361. If you are able to donate and roast a turkey, our biggest need, please call Dee at 871-4191.

Lectors your new workbooks are ready for pickup in the Sacristy. Please cross off your name when you pick one up. *Thank you!*

~ Please remember Nativity in your will ~

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