

This Week at Nativity**Sunday:**

1:30-3:00 pm – Al-Non, “Chapel”

Monday:

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

7:00 pm – RCIA, “Parish Office Basement”

7:00-9:00 pm – E-Case Choir, “Café”

Tuesday:

7:00 pm – Education Commission, “Chapel”

Wednesday:

7:30-8:00 am – Centering Prayer, “POB”

9:15-10:30 am – Wednesday Wonderings, “Chapel”

12:00-1:00 pm – RCIA, “Chapel”

3:00-4:00 pm – Children’s Choir, “Church”

3:00-4:30 pm – 2nd Grade Brownies, “Art Room”

7:00 pm – Eucharistic Adoration, “Chapel”

Thursday:**Friday:**3:15-5:00 pm – 6th Grade Girl Scouts, “Art Room”**Saturday:**4:30 pm – Mass & Reception for the OMS Group,
“Church & Chapel”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:**

Isaiah 50: 5-9a James 2: 14-18 Mark 8: 27-35

Saturday, September 15, 2018 – 4:30 PM**Lectors:** Bea Souder, Nancy Ciarniello, Nancy Ciarniello**Servers:** Hunter Evans, Jack Davis, Grace Albrinck**Eucharistic Ministers:** Mary Ann Klonne, Dick Meirose,
Bea Souder, Nita Toennis, VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**Sunday, September 16, 2018 – 9:00 AM****Lectors:** Brendan Cronin, Bill Brown, Bill Brown**Servers:** Ella Schlegel, Lauren Brunswick, Gavin
Weisgerber, Haley Renneker**Eucharistic Ministers:** Dave Hermann, Judy Parsons,
Wayne & Jan Chapman, Rob Preston, Michaela &
Michaele Townsend, VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**Sunday, September 16, 2018 – 11:00 AM****Lectors:** Michael Mohr, Martha Fuller, Pat Dells**Servers:** Kendle Coffey, Patrick, Kathleen & Caroline
Jennings**Eucharistic Ministers:** Jason & Thomas Darrah, Lynn
McDonald, Mary Lennard, VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**Sick & Shut-Ins**

Bill Bach

Terri Behringer

Angela Casey

Diana DeRhodes

Stella Evans

Tom Grogan

Mary McErlane

Monica Runyan

Maureen Sullivan

Bob Valerius

Reid Baumgartner

Mary Jo Beresford

Kathy Chalfin

Roman Dietz

Barry Funk

Krystyna Kamp

Karen Morgan

Bill Sandman

Jane & Carl Udry

Jan Weaver

Stephanie Benhase

Dottie Brinker

Barbara Cottrell

Joe Doering

Jackie Goetz

Melissa Laake

Ron Rulon

Sr. Joan Schimian

Barbara Valentine

Friends & Family

Sally Bowron

Bob Finn

Paul Lereck

Doug Martin

David Palmer

Suzie Rumsey

Peg Schuckman

Mike Tebbe

Sheila Caldwell

Brian Lauer

George Long

Bob Mitchell

Cathy Ramundo

Rhoda Rupp

David Shiveley

James Doolittle

Amy Leigh

John Mack

Greg Morley

Holly Rough

Pam Sabo

Mary Ellen Spaitte

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
Sunday	11:00 am	Richard Baumgartner
Monday	8:15 am	Kenneth J. Kennedy
Tuesday	8:15 am	Essie Lee Hines
Wednesday	8:15 am	For those living in poverty
Thursday	8:15 am	Claire Overbeck
Friday	8:15 am	In Thanksgiving
Saturday	4:30 pm	James Garvin

Due to the short work week and the early deadline of the bulletin, totals for September 2nd will be reported in next week’s bulletin.**Next weekend’s outreach** will be going to our St. Vincent de Paul Society. When you see Jesus in the hearts and eyes of those we visit, your life will be so much fuller. We foster HOPE by providing spiritual and financial assistance during in-home visits made in confidentiality to our neighbors in need of food, rents to prevent evictions, utilities to prevent cut-offs, for beds, bus tokens and other miscellaneous needs. Your generosity is a blessing!Why make a Holy Hour? We spend time with those persons who are important to us. A time in prayerful adoration is time with Jesus in the Eucharist. In the midst of very busy, over-scheduled, and noisy lives, the prayerfulness and quiet before the Lord in the Blessed Sacrament is sure grounding in the spiritual life. Join us in celebration this coming Wednesday evening, September 12th at 7:00 pm in church.

September 9, 2018 – Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Bible Basics: Sr. Fidelis Tracy, CDP, will give a five-session course introducing the Scriptures with an emphasis on the Gospels. These will be held on Wednesday evenings, 7-8:30 pm, from September 19th through October 17th. Please email janet.schneider@nativity-cincinnati.org to register.



Hello, and welcome back to a new year at Nativity! I am very excited to be leading the school liturgies once again this year. You are invited to be a part of Nativity

Choir, leading the school in song at the Thursday morning Masses. There will be lots of new music this year, and lots of opportunities to have solos, small ensemble opportunities, and instrumental opportunities as well. We will learn a lot of new music for Advent, Christmas, Lent, Easter, and special feast days. Please consider being part of the choir this year. We will have practice on Wednesdays after school for one hour, and meet early for Mass on Thursdays. Have a fantastic, blessed year! *Sincerely, Julie Spangler Klug.*

The Caring Place collection: As summer winds down, kids are back in school and the nights are getting cooler. The Caring Place is therefore in need of bed linens (sheets, blankets, comforters, pillows, pillowcases), as well as underclothes for men, women and children (socks, bras and new underwear.) Items will be collected in the entryway of church on the weekend of September 15th & 16th or can be sent to the parish office c/o Sr. Janet.

The Cathedral of Saint Peter in Chains extends an open invitation to all Greater Cincinnati Police, Fire, and Public Safety Personnel, Families, Friends & Community to the **14th Annual Blue Mass Celebration** on Sunday, September 30, 2018. Blessing & Procession will begin at 10:45 am with Mass at 11:00 am. Refreshments and fellowship after the service. *People of all faiths are invited to pray with us for the men and women whose dedicated service assists us in making our communities safe and for those who have given the ultimate sacrifice to save others.*



Men and Women register now to play in Nativity's Golf Outing at Losantiville Country Club on Saturday, September 29th. Check-in begins at noon with a shotgun start at 1:00 pm. Reds Hall-of-Famer **Ron Oster**, a second baseman who played his 17 year professional baseball career with the Cincinnati Reds, will serve as celebrity golfer. The Nativity Golf Outing exclusively benefits the school's tuition aid fund. Last year's sold-out golf outing generated \$25,100 in net proceeds for tuition aid. Proceeds from the 2018 golf outing will again benefit the tuition program.

to register on-line go to <https://nativity-cincinnati.weshareonline.org/ws/opportunities/2018golfouting> or contact Julie Abraham at julie.abraham@nativity-cincinnati.org for more information and a player registration



Nativity Parish Religious Education Programs:

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd and BOW (Breaking Open the Word) will begin on Thursday, October 4th and on Sunday, October 7th. Children ages 3-6 classes are held on Sunday, from 8:45-10:15 am or Thursday from 9:30-11:00 am; children not in a Catholic School, ages 6-9 are held on Thursday from 4:30-6:00 pm. These classes all meet in the Parish Office basement. Please check the website for registration forms <http://www.nativity-cincinnati.org/religious-education/religious-education-of-children/>.



The early bird drawing for a \$25 gift certificate to one of our local establishments for selling raffle tickets are: Don Miller, Barbara Tyirin and Dan Fisk. *Congratulations!*

Archbishop Schnurr thanks the faithful here at Nativity of Our Lord for our generous participation in the 2018 Catholic Ministries Appeal (CMA). Our parish pledged \$16,845 to the Appeal. This response is a testament of the generosity of our parish community. A special thank you to the families that participated in this year's Appeal. In total, the CMA exceeded its \$5 million goal with over \$5.2 million pledged from more than 26,500 households throughout the nineteen counties of the archdiocese. The success of this year's appeal will impact the lives of thousands right here in our local communities. *Thank you again, and please continue to pray for our Archdiocese as we work to spread the Gospel here in our local Church.*

Thank You

A huge thank you to everyone who volunteered at the Fall Fest! *The festival could not happen without the people who work so hard to make it come together. It takes hundreds of volunteers to run and we truly appreciate everyone's efforts. We are proud to have shared the joy of Nativity with everyone who visited. We will keep you posted on the financial outcome after we have run the numbers.*

**Graciously,
The Fall Fest Committee**

~Please remember Nativity in your will~

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