

This Week at Nativity

Sunday:

8:45-10:15 am – Catechesis, “Parish Office Basement”

1:30-5:30 pm – Players, “Café & Music Room”

1:30-3:30 pm – Al-Anon, “Parish Office Basement”

Monday:3:00-4:00 pm – 2nd Grade Girls Variety Practice, “Café”

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

7:00 pm – Small Faith Group, “Parish Office Basement”

Tuesday:

7:00 am – Men’s Prayer & Discussion Groups, “Chapel”

Wednesday:

7:30-7:55 am – Centering Prayer, “Chapel”

9:30 & 10:30 am- Music Together, “Parish Office Upstairs”

5:00-6:00 pm – Kindergarten Scouts, “Art Room”

5:30-7:00 pm – Math Club, “Room 201”

6:00-10:00 pm – Players, “Café & Music Room”

7:00-8:00 pm – Eucharistic Adoration, “Church”

Thursday:

9:30 & 10:30 am – Music Together, “Parish Office Upstairs”

9:30-11:00 am – Catechesis, “Parish Office Basement”

4:30-6:00 pm – Catechesis, “Parish Office Upstairs”

6:00-7:00 pm – 1st Grade Cub Scouts, “Café”**Friday:****Parish Office Closed**3:00-4:00 pm – 2nd Grade Brownie Troop, “Café”**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**

Isaiah 62: 1-5

1 Corinthians 12: 4-11

John 2: 1-11

Saturday, January 16, 2016 4:30 PM**Lectors:** Beth Gunderson, Bob Herring, Beth Gunderson**Servers:** Catie Green, Kyle & Kent Guyer**Eucharistic Ministers:** Mary Ann Klonne, Dick Meirose, Bea Souder, (Volunteers Needed)**Sunday, January 17, 2016 9:00 AM****Lectors:** Bill Brown, Tony Daniel, Doug Davis**Servers:** Lauren Brunswick, Ruth Debono, Noah Lorbach, Nicholas Simpson**Eucharistic Ministers:** Dave Hermann, Judy Parsons, Wayne & Jan Chapman, Robert Preston, Michaela & Michaela Townsend, Anne Ramsay, (Volunteer Needed)**Sunday, January 17, 2016 11:00 AM****Lectors:** Pat Dells, Deborah Casey, Bob Stewart**Servers:** Sydney Hunt, Caitlin & Abby Kirwan, Gus Kleinfeldt**Eucharistic Ministers:** Jason & Thomas Darrah, Lynn McDonald, Kathy Symons, Mary Lennard, (Volunteers Needed)

Please keep the following parishioners in your prayers...

Sick & Shut-Ins

Chuck Andrew

Dottie Brinker

Diana DeRhodes

Jackie Goetz

Liam Kaufman

Alexander Nemeth

Mary Piepmeier

Bill Bach

Alberta Carter

Joe Doering

Pete Haskamp

Anthony Le

Claire Overbeck

John Schomaker

Stephanie Benhase

Barbara Cottrell

Barry Funk

Bob Hatfield

Molly Matre

Fran Pielage

Barbara Valentine

Friends & Family

Gene Abner

Michelle Latorre

Annette Mason

Holly Rough

Kathy Kelly

Paul Lereck

Doug Martin

Peg Schuckman

Matthew Kenney

John Mack

Cathy Ramundo

Mary Ellen Spait

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

Offerings	\$13,225.00
Budget	\$15,000.00
Over (under) Budget	(\$1,775.00)
Year to Date Actual	\$294,045.00
Year to Date Budget	\$285,000.00
Over (under) Budget	\$9,045.00
St. Vincent de Paul	\$757.56

December 27, 2015

Offerings	\$12,201.00
Budget	\$10,800.00
Over (under) Budget	1,401.00
Year to Date Actual	\$306,246.00
Year to Date Budget	\$295,800.00
Over (under) Budget	\$10,446.00
St. Vincent de Paul	\$569.56

January 3, 2016

Offerings	\$12,153.00
Budget	\$10,800.00
Over (under) Budget	\$1,353.00
Year to Date Actual	\$318,399.70
Year to Date Budget	\$306,600.00
Over (under) Budget	\$11,799.00
Caring Place	\$655.58

You can give online to Nativity by going to <http://www.nativity-cincinnati.org/giving>**Please remember Nativity in your will****Next Sunday's Outreach** will be a special collection for the USCCB Office of National Collection Recovery Effort, to help those who have been severely affected by the recent violent storms, tornados and major flooding that has impacted states in the South and Midwest regions of our country. Please keep all those impacted in your prayers.

January 10, 2016 – The Baptism of The Lord

Mass Intentions

Sunday	9:00 am	For the People
Sunday	11:00 am	Gertrude Tyrin
Monday	8:15 am	Celebrant Intentions
Tuesday	8:15 am	Shut-Ins
Wednesday	8:15 am	In Thanksgiving
Thursday	8:15 am	Deceased Parishioners
Friday	8:15 am	Jim & Jan Roedersheimer
Saturday	4:30pm	Benefactors

Save the Dates: Parent Meeting for Confirmation candidates: Tuesday, January 26th, at 7:00 pm in the Parish Office Basement; and Parent Meeting for First Communion: Monday, February 1st, at 7:00 pm in the Parish Office Basement for child and parent.

Year of Mercy: During the month of January we will focus on the corporal work of mercy to **"clothe the naked."** If you are involved in any ministry outside of Nativity Parish and the Caring Place that is involved with this work of mercy, would you please email janet.schneider@nativity-cincinnati.org with some brief information about it? Thank you.

As the Year of Consecrated Life comes to a close the Archdiocese of Cincinnati will be alive with a concert at the Cathedral of St. Peter in Chains in downtown Cincinnati. "Wake Up the World! A Concert Celebrating the Year of Consecrated Life," will take place on January 17th at 3:00 pm. More than 120 women and men religious from communities throughout the Archdiocese will lend their musical talents to the event.

LECTORS NEEDED: The Lectors Ministry is looking for new recruits! If you are comfortable at a microphone and drawn to sharing the Word of God with members of the parish, consider adding the Lectors Ministry to your list of Nativity involvements. Training is quick and scheduling is flexible! Please contact Patti Newberry at newberpg@miamioh.edu or 702-4065 for more information or to sign up.



Eucharistic Holy Hour: 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. The next Holy Hour will be held this Wednesday, January 13th at 7:00 pm in church. Begin a practice that can nourish you spiritually throughout the Year.

Men's Prayer & Discussion: Please join Fr. Paul and other men from our parish community on Tuesday mornings, from 7:00-8:00 am in the Chapel for prayer and discussion.

Congratulations to Nativity parishioner, Dean Giacometti on his recent recognition by Walnut Hills High School & Alumni. The Dean Giacometti Flag Plaza was dedicated on October 30, 2015. Please see the flyer in today's bulletin for details...well done, Dean!



Experience the Magic of Music Together: Our Music & Movement classes are for infants, toddlers, preschoolers...and the grown-ups who love them. Why should you join our music classes? Because exposure to music helps children's brain development and it's a great way to spend time with your kids. Wednesdays: January 13th – March 23rd, at 9:30 and 10:30 am (No class on January 27th); and Thursdays: January 14th – March 24th, at 9:30 and 10:30 am, (No class on January 28th.) For more information, please contact Eliana Corredor at (513) 652-6267 or studiomusictime@gmail.com and www.musicnmenow.com.

The Father Daughter Dance is just weeks away and we are looking for your generous donations to raise money for the PTA. We are looking for items to raffle during the dance. If you have or see something that would attract the eye of the girls of Nativity (K-8) please consider a donation. Items in the past have included Barbie Dolls, Books, Toys, Hair products, Gift Certificates and Electronics. Donations can be made to the attention of Mary Uhrig...you may drop off your donations in the school office with Nancy, or at the Uhrig house, 6631 Glen Acres, (45237.) We are also more than happy to collect from you. Feel free to contact Mary at MaryUhrig@gmail.com or (215) 900-2404. Thank you in advance for your generosity!

Nativity reaches 80% of its goal for the One Faith, One Hope, One Love campaign: To date, Nativity has received \$578,120 in pledges from 119 families and is at 80% if its goal of raising \$725,000. Many thanks to all who have made a commitment. If you have not yet made a pledge, please make a pledge this week and help Nativity meet its goal!



Many thanks to everyone at Nativity Parish and School for helping us to provide bountiful Christmas food bags and Christmas gifts to over 300 families. Your donations and volunteering are greatly appreciated. *The Caring Place*

The Catholic's Divorce Survival Guide is a twelve-week program featuring thirty-minute DVD sessions each week that cover topics of shock, denial, anger, grief, guilt, forgiveness, money, the courts, the kids, the ex-spouse, annulment, dating, sexuality, spirituality, remarriage or staying single, and much more. Whether you got divorced ten days ago or ten years ago, the program offers valuable insight for everyone. Call Donna or Lynn at (513) 407-8672, lynnhammersmith@ruahwoods.org, or go to www.ruahwoods.org.

FYI: The Parish Office will be closed on Friday, January 15th for technology updates and maintenance.

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