

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

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

1:30-3:00 pm – Al-Anon, “Chapel”

**Monday:**

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

7:00 pm – RCIA – “Parish Dining Room”

7:00 pm – Parent Reconciliation Gr 2 Mtg. “POB”

7:00-pm – Climb for the Kids Meeting, “Café”

**Tuesday:**

6:30-8:00 pm – Robotics, “Café”

6:00-8:00 pm – Girl Scouts, “Art Room”

**Wednesday:**

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

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

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

7:00 pm – Parish Council, “POB”

**Thursday:**

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

4:30-6:00 pm – Catechesis, “POB &amp; POU”

7:00 pm – Choir Practice, “Church”

**Friday:**

No School

**Saturday:**

1:00-3:30 pm – Robotics, “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:** Jeremiah 31: 7-9 Hebrews 5: 1-6

Mark 10: 46-52

**Saturday, October 27, 2018 – 4:30 PM****Lectors:** Mary Gene Kling, Ed Smith, Mary Gene Kling**Servers:** Jack Davis, Lindsay Schlake, Lauren Spencer**Eucharistic Ministers:** Volunteers Needed**Sunday, October 28, 2018 – 9:00 AM****Lectors:** Tom Millard, Michael Mohr, Joe Nolan**Servers:** Lauren, Zach & Joe Brunswick, Rachel Farfsing**Eucharistic Ministers:** Volunteers Needed**Sunday, October 28, 2018 – 11:00 AM****Lectors:** Mary Lennard, Sarah Peters, Patti Newberry**Servers:** Charlie & Andy Peters, Frank Nemeth, Kaeley Hawkins**Eucharistic Ministers:** Volunteers Needed**Sick & Shut-Ins**

Bill Bach

Terri Behringer

Angela Casey

Diana DeRhodes

Stella Evans

Tom Grogan

Melissa Laake

Ron Rulon

Sr. Joan Schimian

Barbara Valentine

Reid Baumgartner

Mary Jo Beresford

Kathy Chalfin

Roman Dietz

Barry Funk

Krystyna Kamp

Mary McErlane

Monica Runyan

Maureen Sullivan

Bob Valerius

Stephanie Benhase

Dottie Brinker

Barbara Cottrell

Joe Doering

Jackie Goetz

Fr. Ray Kellerman

Karen Morgan

Bill Sandman

Jane &amp; Carl Udry

Jan Weaver

**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	For the People
Monday	8:15 am	Deceased Parishioners
Tuesday	8:15 am	Celebrant Intentions
Wednesday	8:15 am	For those living in poverty
Thursday	8:15 am	For those living in nursing homes
Friday	8:15 am	For those living in violence
Saturday	4:30 pm	Rev. Thomas R. Espelage

**CHURCH OFFERINGS**

	<u>October 14, 2018</u>	<u>Fiscal YTD</u>
Regular Offerings	\$7,349	96,524
School Support	375	5,585
Online Collection	4,603	58,590
Total Offerings	12,327	160,699
Budget	10,900	174,400
Over (under) Budget	1,427	(13,701)
Hurricane Relief	462.17	

**\*The Parish Finance Committee has lowered the weekly goal on offerings retroactively to July 1, 2018 to \$10,900.**

**Next Weekend’s Outreach Collection** will be going to our St. Vincent de Paul Society. Who are they? Just regular parishioners growing in spirituality by answering Jesus’ call to serve our neighbors in need. We foster HOPE by providing spiritual, emotional and financial assistance on a person-to-person basis in confidentiality. Thank you to the generous members of Nativity Parish, for your prayers and continued support.

## October 21, 2018 – Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time



**Parent Meeting for the Sacrament of Reconciliation:** If your child is in the 2<sup>nd</sup> grade this year and planning to receive First Communion in the spring, the preparation begins with the reception of the sacrament of reconciliation. So at least one parent is required to attend this meeting on **Monday, October 22<sup>nd</sup> at 7:00 pm in the parish office basement.** Please contact Sister Janet at 531-3164, with any questions.



**Wedding Anniversary Celebration:** If you are celebrating a special wedding anniversary this year, please join us on **November 3<sup>rd</sup> at the 4:30 Mass with a reception following in the chapel with wine and cheese.** RSVP to Cindy at 531-3164 or Sr. Janet at [janet.schneider@nativity-cincinnati.org](mailto:janet.schneider@nativity-cincinnati.org). *Come to celebrate this sacrament of love with which you have been blessed.*

**Substitute Teaching – Help Needed:** We are looking for energetic occasional Substitute Teachers for Grades K-8: If you are interested in being added to our Substitute list, please call the school office at 458-6767.

**CLIMB FOR THE KIDS 2020:** A group of 12 climbed Kilimanjaro in 2017, and a group of 23 (ages 10-75) walked part of the Camino de Santiago in 2017. We are already in the planning stages for a trip in 2020. We anticipate there being more travelers in 2020. For that reason we are putting out two options: Hiking in northeastern Canada (Newfoundland/Nova Scotia) and Kayaking in northwestern U.S. (San Juan Islands area). Interested? Please join us for a meeting on Monday evening, October 22<sup>nd</sup> at 7:00 pm in the school cafeteria. If you are interested and cannot make the meeting, please contact Tom Donelan at [donelant@gmail.com](mailto:donelant@gmail.com) or Bob Herring at [Robert.c.herring@gmail.com](mailto:Robert.c.herring@gmail.com) to be put on our email list for updates

**Box Tops for Education** is a fun and easy way to help support Nativity PTA! All you have to do is clip Box Tops coupons from hundreds of family products like Cheerios, Betty Crocker, Ziploc, Kleenex and more. Simply cut those Box Tops and turn them in! There are collection boxes located in the school office and just inside the Church entry. Please contact Tara Jones at 513-240-4833 with any questions.

**FYI:** Our parish is in need of men and women to be Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers. If you may be interested, please contact the parish office at 531-3164.



**St. Vincent de Paul Society** is in need of clean, gently used winter coats. Donations may be dropped off on the weekends of October 27/28 and November 4/5. Please do **NOT** drop them off at a St. Vincent de Paul Thrift Store, as they will likely then be sold at that store.

**Archdiocesan Lay Pastoral Ministry Program now interviewing for Spring Classes:** Have you ever said, “Someone should start a Scripture Study group” or “Someone should evangelize in our neighborhood” or, “We have so many elderly housebound parishioners. Someone should organize a visitation team?” Well, you are right! Someone should. Maybe that someone is you. The Archdiocesan Lay Pastoral Ministry Program has educated and formed lay men and women just like you for service to parishes, schools and communities since 1975. We offer graduate and non-degreed options, spiritual and ministerial formation and the opportunity to grow in faith, knowledge and skills. Evening and Saturday classes, flexible components and a great support system allow busy adults to maintain work and family commitments while preparing for new opportunities. Classes are available in the spring 2019 at the main campus in Mt. Washington and Good Shepherd in Montgomery. All lay students receive a 25% tuition reduction this spring. Call 513-231-1200 or email [smcgurgan@athenaeum.edu](mailto:smcgurgan@athenaeum.edu) for more information or to set up a personal interview. *You too, go into my vineyard.*

**End of Life Preparations:** Planning arrangements that will bring peace and comfort to the family of their deceased member. Holy Trinity Church...Norwood, Trinity Hall, Saturday, November 10<sup>th</sup>, 9:00 am until 11:00 am. Speakers will be Fr. Ray Kellerman (Holy Trinity Church), Tara Fridley (Naegle Funeral Home), and Mr. Pat Williams (Gate of Heaven Cemetery). Pre-planning funeral, burial arrangements, personal record keeping such as insurance, real estate, business interest, location of important documents, organ donations, and the Church’s teaching on cremation will be shared. Hosted by the Norwood Knights of Columbus, RSVP to SK Joe Friehef (513-236-0791) and Mr. Pat Williams (Gate of Heaven) 513-489-0300 by Saturday, November 3<sup>rd</sup>.



Please join us on Thursday, November 15<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM for the dedication of our new “MARY, SEAT OF WISDOM” LEARNING COMMONS located in the school building where the old gym previously existed. Everyone is Welcome!

Please feel free to take a new Parish Directory from the back of church.

~Please remember Nativity in your will~

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