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### April 4, 2021 — Easter Sunday

#### Mass Schedule

Saturday	4:30 pm
Sunday	11:00 am
Weekday: Tuesday & Friday	8:15 am
Reconciliation—Saturdays	3:00-4:00 pm
Reconciliation—First Friday (and Adoration)	9:00--9:30 am

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#### Marriage

Please contact the Parish Office at least six months prior to desired date to schedule a meeting with the Pastor

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#### Baptism

Please contact the Parish Office to schedule a Baptism. There are no baptisms during Lent. Attendance at the preparation program is required before a first child's Baptism. To sign up for the Baptism Program please contact Sr. Janet Schneider.

#### Hearing Enhancement Equipment

Hearing enhancement equipment is available to help you hear the service. An usher would be happy to assist you. Please return the unit after the service.

## This Week at Nativity

### Sunday, April 4 2021—EASTER SUNDAY

9:00am Mass.....Nativity  
11:00am Mass.....Nativity

### Monday, April 5

PARISH & SCHOOL OFFICES CLOSED

### Tuesday, April 6

8:15am Mass.....Nativity

### Wednesday, April 7

9:30am Wednesday Wonderings — Virtual

### Thursday, April 8

9:30am Catechesis of Good Shepherd — POB  
4:30pm Catechesis - BOW — PO

### Friday, April 9

8:15am Mass.....Nativity

### Saturday, April 10

9:30 & 11:00am Jesus Day — Cafeteria  
3:00pm Confessions — Chapel  
4:30pm Mass.....Nativity

### Sunday, April 11

11:00am Mass.....Nativity



### Tuesday, April 6

8:15am — Celebrant Intentions

### Friday, April 9

8:15am — Harold Abner, Birthday  
Remembrance

### Saturday, April 10

4:30pm — Tom Honerlaw

### Sunday, April 11

11:00am — For the People

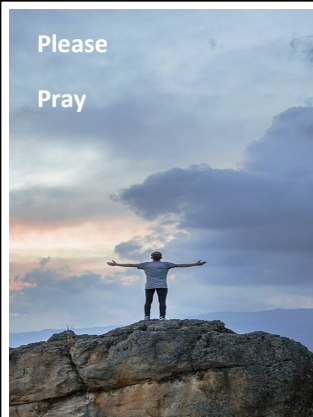
### Lector Minister Schedule

#### Saturday • April 10 — 4:30 pm

Mary Ann Romanello, Bea Souder

#### Sunday • April 11 — 11:00 am

Beth Adkins, John Finn



Please

Pray

### Sick & Shut-ins

Bill Bach  
Reid Baumgartner  
Liz Bellew  
Mary Jo Beresford  
Dottie Brinker  
Eugene Carlson  
Kathy Chalfin  
Barbara Cottrell  
Diana DeRhodes

Declan Donovan  
Stella Evans  
Barry Funk  
Barbara Iacofano  
Jim Kaufman  
Fr. Ray Kellerman  
Mary Sue Loftus  
Al/Mary Lou Matre  
Mary McLane  
Gretchen Niswonger  
Mary Anne & Tom Phalen  
Ron Rulon  
Sr. Joan Schimian  
Debbie Schneider  
Maureen Sullivan  
Carl Udry  
Bob Valerius  
Jan Weaver

### Friends & Family

William Baker  
Mark Behring  
Sally Bowron  
Aaron Bradford

Evie Cain  
Sheila & Stephanie Caldwell  
Rosie Dechering  
James Doolittle  
Bob Finn  
Rick Holtz  
John Mack  
Doug Martin  
Bob Mitchell  
Greg Morley  
David Palmer  
Holly Rough  
Susan Shakelford  
Mary Ellen Spaite  
Mike Tebbe  
Mary Williams  
Craig Wrober

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## BEACONS of LIGHT

is an archdiocesan strategic and pastoral planning process in which parish groupings will become Families of Parishes. Parishioners will be invited to share their hopes and dreams as parish leaders come together to discern the future, with the ultimate goal - in time - of each Family becoming one parish led by a single pastor.

As the Families of Parishes come together, leaders of the parishes will create a pastoral plan for the Family, guided by the vision of a mission-focused evangelizing faith community. Six principles that contribute to this vision have been approved by Archbishop Schnurr and will be the foundation for the plans that each Family of Parishes will develop. Future issues of Beacons Update will focus on the principles and the vision they provide for parish life in the Archdiocese of Cincinnati.

If you would like to receive updates about BEACONS OF LIGHT, just sign up at the link below:

[Beacons of Light Newsletter - Archdiocese of Cincinnati \(catholicaoc.org\)](https://resources.catholicaoc.org/offices/pastoral-planning/beacons-of-light) -  
<https://resources.catholicaoc.org/offices/pastoral-planning/beacons-of-light>





### Easter Baptisms:

We have six children being baptized this year, two at last night's Easter Vigil and four on the Sunday after Easter. Please pray for Sofia, Michael, Caylean, Clive, Hazel and Oscar as they are baptized.



### Marian Pilgrimage 2021 – Calling All Statue Guardian Pilgrims!

The 33-day Marian Pilgrimage takes place May 16 – June 19, ending at the Cathedral Basilica of St. Peter in Chains on the actual date of the bicentennial. For more information, please take a look at the [Marian Pilgrimage website](#). We are actively recruiting for “Statue Guardians” – adults committed to walking three full days of the pilgrimage route as part of a core team that will carry the statue of Mary (on a platform) and lead daily prayers. The maximum number of Guardians per leg of the pilgrimage is 10, so if you are interested in participating please visit the following website for additional information:

<https://www.centerforthenewevangelization.org/bicentennial-marian-pilgrimage>



### Greetings Men of Holy Trinity/Nativity of Our Lord Pastoral Region

We are starting back up our Holy Trinity Men's Fellowship Group for the enrichment of our spiritual growth as Fathers, Husbands, Uncles, and Friends. We will meet on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of each month at 8:00am at Holy Trinity Parish in the “Trinity Room.” If you have any questions or would like additional information, please contact Deacon Henry Jacquez at 513-366-4400 #109.

FOR THOSE WHO WOULD PREFER TO RECEIVE COMMUNION ON THE TONGUE, YOU MAY NOW DO SO. **WE ASK ONLY THAT YOU WAIT UNTIL THE END WHEN EVERYONE ELSE HAS RECEIVED COMMUNION, AND THEN GO ONLY TO FR. TOM.**

THANK YOU!



## “The Light shines in the darkness”

– John 1:5



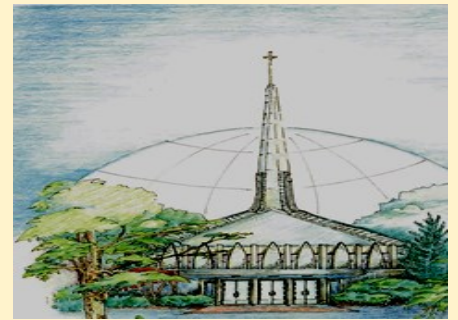
### 2021 CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL (CMA)

If you have not yet made your pledge, please consider doing so. Nativity's parish goal is **\$27,171**. To date, Nativity parishioners have donated **\$17,685** toward our goal. This puts us at **69%** of our goal with **9%** participation. These important local ministries depend on our help each year. To make a donation online, please visit: [www.AOCstewardship.org](http://www.AOCstewardship.org) Thank You for your generosity!!!



## Our Stewardship

<u>Church Offerings</u>	<u>March 28, 2021</u>	<u>Fiscal YTD</u>
Regular Collection	4,622 .00	246,082.77
School Support	0	7,761.00
Online Collection	14,292.00	159,452.39
Total Offerings	18,914.00	413,296.16
Budget	10,900.00	440,100.00
Over/Under Budget	8,014.00	(26,803.84)



Thank you to every Nativity family for your gifts of time, talent and treasure to our Parish. Your contributions support all of our ministries and allow us to fulfill our mission of education, service, liturgy and prayer.

May the glory of the risen Lord fill your heart with joy! Wishing you and those you love a happy, blessed and beautiful Easter.

**\*If you would like a statement of your total contributions for 2020, please contact the Parish Office and we will be happy to send you a copy.**



## NATIVITY MULCH SALE 2021

SPRING IS ALMOST HERE! Now is the time to prepare for spring. The Nativity Boosters' Mulch Sale is back in full swing again this year. This Nativity Boosters fundraiser raises money to help cover the cost of the great sports programs Nativity provides to its students. The prices remain the same as last year, \$4.75 for 2.0 cubic feet of high quality natural hardwood Black Platinum mulch with **FREE** local delivery with a minimum 10 bag order - (\$5 fee for orders less than 10 bags) on Saturday, May 1st. To order:

**EASY** Online Ordering and Payment, please click or copy the following link to take you there: <https://nativity-cincinnati.weshareonline.org/Mulch>

Send an email with your order to [mulchsale@athletics.nativity-cincinnati.org](mailto:mulchsale@athletics.nativity-cincinnati.org)

Call the Mulch line at **513-655-7676**.

Orders by email or phone made payable by check to **Nativity Boosters**.

Many hands make for light work! We are in **GREAT** need of **trucks** and **workers** (youth and adults) to volunteer for the May 1st delivery. Contact 513-655-7676 if you are able to help or use our SignUp Genius page: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0945A4AA23A64-nativity2>

Want to help contribute to the success of the Nativity Boosters in the future? We are looking for the next leaders of this rewarding and great fundraiser. Please contact us at the phone number and email above.

