

This Week at Nativity**Sunday:**

10:00 am – Mass, “Church”

1:30-3:00 pm – Al-Anon, “Parish Office Basement”

Monday:

9:00 am – 3:00 pm – Sports Camp, “St. Sebastian”

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

Tuesday:

9:00 am – 3:00 pm – Sports Camp, “St. Sebastian”

Wednesday:

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

9:00 am – 3:00 pm – Sports Camp, “St. Sebastian”

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

Thursday:

9:00 am – 3:00 pm – Sports Camp, “St. Sebastian”

Friday:

9:00 am – 3:00 pm – Sports Camp, “St. Sebastian”

9:30-11:00 am – Play Group, “Playground”

Saturday: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: Genesis 18: 20-32

Colossians 2: 12-14 Luke 11: 1-13

Saturday, July 27, 2019 – 4:30 PM**Lectors:** Martha Heidkamp, Ed Smith, Martha Heidkamp**Servers:** George, Isabella & Ben Fisher**Eucharistic Ministers:** Volunteers Needed**Sunday, July 28, 2019 – 10:00 AM****Lectors:** Suzanne Burgei, Mary Lennard, John Marrone**Servers:** Mark & Joe Zlatic & Charlie & Andy Peters**Eucharistic Ministers:** Volunteers Needed

Next Sunday's Collection will be going to Matthew 25: Ministries. This year, in addition to the Dayton and Celina tornadoes, Matthew 25: Ministries has responded to tornadoes in the Southeast and Missouri, as well as flooding in Nebraska. Additionally, we will be supporting recovery efforts with Hurricane Barry. Thank you for your past support of Matthew 25: Ministries. There are so many people who need our help here in our community, throughout the U.S. and around the world. Your gift will make an enormous impact on the lives of those we serve. Thank you for your generosity. We are grateful for your trust in our work and partnership with us.

Sick & Shut-Ins

Bill Bach

Stephanie Benhase

Eugene Carlson

Barbara Cottrell

Stella Evans

Krystyna Kamp

Mary McErlane

Dave Russell

Jane & Carl Udry

Jan Weaver

Reid Baumgartner

Mary Jo Beresford

Deborah Casey

Diana DeRhodes

Barry Funk

Jim Kaufman

Karen Morgan

Sr. Joan Schimian

Barbara Valentine

Mark Beckman

Dottie Brinker

Kathy Chalfin

Joe Doering

Jackie Goetz

Fr. Ray Kellerman

Ron Rulon

Maureen Sullivan

Bob Valerius

Friends & Family

Sheila Caldwell

Rick Holtz

Paul Lereck

Bob Mitchell

Cathy Ramundo

Rhoda Rupp

David Shiveley

Craig Wrober

James Doolittle

Brian Lauer

John Mack

Greg Morley

Holly Rough

Mary Ellen Spaite

Mike Tebbe

Bob Finn

Amy Leigh

Doug Martin

David Palmer

Mike Rumsey

Peg Schuckman

Jeffrey Williams

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	Tom Grogan
Monday	8:15 am	For those who are homeless
Tuesday	8:15 am	Those living in nursing homes
Wednesday	8:15 am	For the lonely
Thursday	8:15 am	Deceased Parishioners
Friday	8:15 pm	Benefactors
Saturday	4:30 pm	Celebrant Intentions

CHURCH OFFERINGS	<u>July 14, 2019</u>	<u>Fiscal YTD</u>
Regular Collection	5,540	14,587
School Support	100	405
Online Collection	3,723	4,535
Total Offerings	9,363	19,527
Budget	10,900	21,800
Over (Under) Budget	(1,537)	(2,273)
Men's Shelter	510.00	



MASTER CALENDAR: We are requesting that you submit to Cindy in the Parish Office a list of dates, times, activity, and location that your group would like to reserve (this includes both the school and parish office)

beginning September 6, 2019 through June 30, 2020. Sporting activities should be scheduled through the Boosters. Please submit your requests to her no later than August 15th via e-mail at: cindy.schlegel@nativity-cincinnati.org. Requests will be scheduled in the order they are received. Thank You!



On Sunday, August 11th, we will celebrate Sr.

Janet's Golden Jubilee at the 10:00am Mass and follow that with a brunch reception. Her family and friends will also be invited. It is important that you RSVP to the parish office. An email will be coming soon with further details.



To date, 167 families have contributed \$88,000 to the "Starting Our Second Century"

Annual Fund. Contributions will be used to replace the flooring in the cafeteria and adjacent hallway, and update the restrooms in church, making them accessible to all. We are so grateful to those of you who have already contributed. If you haven't donated yet, there is still time to help us reach the finish line! Donate online at <https://nativity-cincinnati.weshareonline.org/AnnualFund> or send a check to Nativity Annual Fund, 5935 Pandora Avenue, 45213. *Thank you for your support!*

Prayer for Farmers in time of Flooding:

*Compassionate God, source of all comfort.
You have given farmers the vocation to tend and care for the earth through the work of their hands to provide food that all may eat.
We pray for them and for all those whose lives are devastated by rain and flood.
Bring them comfort and protect the vulnerable.
May all who receive from the bounty of the land stand in understanding and solidarity with them as they live through the uncertainties and challenges that lie ahead.*

We ask this in Jesus name. Amen



Save the Dates: Friday, August 30th, 6-11:00 pm; Saturday, August, 31st, 6-11:00 pm; and Sunday, September 1st, from 4:00-10:00 pm. Grab your favorite Fall Fest volunteer shift now before it is gone! For more information and the link to the volunteer signup genius visit www.nativityfallfest.org. There will be no carnival rides at our Fall Fest this year due to the fact that no ride vendor has rides available for the Labor Day weekend. We will have additional games and activities in that parking lot space. On Sunday, we plan to have a "touch a truck" event. For those of you who are unfamiliar with "touch a truck" it is an event where safety equipment (fire truck/ambulance/police cruiser)

or construction trucks are parked and attendees are encouraged to see them up-close, sit in the driver's seat for photos, and ask questions of the safety/construction staff. Engine 8 Fire Truck will be here on Sunday from 7:00-9:00 pm. **Of course we will have our Bid-n-Buy, Basket Booths our Rummage Sale once again, Kids area, games, and food!** To donate to the Bid-n-Buy Booth, please reach out to Suzanne Nemeth at suzannenemth@gmail.com and to donate to the Basket Booth please reach out to Chrissy Phibbs at Chrissy.phibbs@gmail.com or Katie Chapman at katieTchapman@gmail.com. **Grand Raffle tickets** will not be mailed out this year to save on mailing costs, so we need your help...we are asking each parishioner and school family to consider selling tickets (\$2 for one or a sheet of 5 for \$10). Please take as many tickets that you think you can sell from the back of church or pick-up from the parish office; there will also be envelopes marked "Nativity Grand Raffle" that you can put your money and ticket stubs in that you sold and place it in the offertory basket (please make sure that the envelope is sealed). If each family sells \$60 worth of tickets we can meet our raffle goals. The seller of the grand prize ticket wins \$100, with raffle prizes at the following levels: Grand prize is \$5,000, second prize is \$1,000 and third is \$500. **Keep the dates on your calendar for all the fun and excitement to come.**

What is RCIA? RCIA stands for Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults; a process in which individuals are received into the fullness of the Catholic Church through the reception of the Sacraments of Initiation. This is a process of faith development, focusing on prayer, sacraments, and building community through the teachings and traditions of the Catholic Church. **Who should attend RCIA?** Non-baptized people with no formal religion who are now interested in the Catholic faith; People baptized in another denomination who are interested in the Catholic faith and People baptized Catholic who have never completed the Sacraments of Eucharist or Confirmation. **When does RCIA meet?** Weekly sessions will be held on either Monday or Thursday evenings (according to the needs of the participants) beginning in mid-September and continuing through mid-May. **Please contact Sister Janet at:** janet.schneider@nativity-cincinnati.org or 531-3164.

Kennedy Heights Park "Play in the Park" is back for the summer every Wednesday from 6:30-8:00 pm, now through August 7th. The next event will be held on July 24th. **Puppets in the Park...Madcap Puppets** presents *The Wonderful Wizard of Oz*; wear your ruby slippers and find your courage as you get crafty with friends from the Pleasant Ridge Library.



If you are a Eucharistic Minister...or would like to become one...PLEASE contact Cindy in the Parish Office at (513) 531-3164 or cindy.schlegel@nativity-cincinnati.org. I am trying to update our Eucharistic Minister list with names, Mass time and what week of the month you would like to distribute.

~ Please remember Nativity in your will ~

July 21, 2019 – Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time