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**Hall Rentals**

Ann Flory

**Prayer Chain**

Sue Davis

# St. Caspar Catholic Church

1205 N. Shoop Ave., Wauseon, OH 43567



Mass Schedule

Saturday: 5 p.m.

Sunday: 8 a.m., 10:30 a.m.,  
1 p.m. (Spanish)

Confessions: Saturday 4-4:45 p.m.  
Wifi Password: WhatPassword?

Office Hours

Monday-Friday

8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. & 1:30-4:30 p.m.

Parish Phone Number: 419-337-2322

Fax Number: 419-337-2413

Father's Phone Number: 419-335-3656

Church Website: [stcaspar.org](http://stcaspar.org)

Bulletin Deadline: Tuesdays at 10 a.m.

Prayer for Easter

Eternal God, through your awesome life-giving power, you gave your Son the victory over sin and death. In our celebration this Easter Season, may your Holy Spirit be with us so that we can better appreciate the wonder of what you have done for us.

You have given us new life in baptism; may our hearts accept all the faith, hope and love you long to give your children.

Deepen our bonds with one another and with you as we sing in joyful peace and thanksgiving.

Amen.

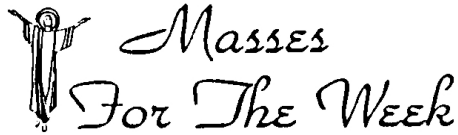
Diocese of Toledo Prayer

Heavenly Father, with the redeeming cross of Christ Jesus your Son, and the gifts of your Holy Spirit, renew and strengthen us, so that by our prayer, fasting, and almsgiving we may foster Holy Disciples, Holy Families and Holy Vocations, so as to become a more Holy Diocese of Toledo. We turn to Our Lady, Queen of the Most Holy Rosary, for her intercession and never failing prayers. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

St. Caspar's Mission Statement

St. Caspar Catholic Church is dedicated to the embodiment of a Christ-centered approach in both our sacramental and service endeavors. We are committed to Christian formation for all our parishioners through education, community involvement, cooperation, and wide-ranging charitable outreach.

**Fourth Sunday of Easter**



**Monday, April 22**  
*Nothing scheduled*

**Tuesday, April 23**  
*Nothing scheduled*

**Wednesday, April 24**  
*Nothing scheduled*

**Thursday, April 25**  
*Nothing scheduled*

**Friday, April 26**  
*Nothing scheduled*

**Saturday, April 27**  
5 p.m. Carol Miller

**Sunday, April 28 – Fifth Sunday of Easter**  
8 a.m. Beth Mellott  
10:30 a.m. for St. Caspar parishioners  
1 p.m. Angela Simona Galvan & Gloria Vargas Patino



**Saturday, April 27 – 5 p.m.**  
Musicians: Spirit Seekers  
Proclaimer: Allen Huelskamp  
Servers:  
Comm. Ministers: Roger & Cathy Drummer  
Ushers: Jean LaFountain, Don Davis, Paul Murphy, Steve Sekula

**Sunday, April 28 – 8 a.m.**  
Greeters: Mark Bryson  
Musicians: Chris Bott & Kathy Augustyniak  
Videographer: Steve Pursel  
Proclaimer: Sue Creps  
Servers: Garrett Leininger  
Comm. Ministers: Bob & Barb Irelan  
Ushers: Mel Case, Larry Restivo, Mel Augustyniak, Louis Buckenmeyer, Mike Ott

**Sunday, April 28 – 10:30 a.m.**  
Greeters: Grace Sanders  
Musicians: Spirit Seekers  
Proclaimer: 1<sup>st</sup> Communion Students  
Servers: Brady Wilburn, Morgan Raymo  
Comm. Minister: Grace Sanders, Mary Denn  
Ushers: Rich Flory, Jim Miller, Mike Vasquez, Tracy Elson

Fulton Manor/Ayden Healthcare-Douglas Clark  
Church cleaning this week – Rochelle VanLoocke

**Sunday, April 21**  
11:30 a.m. – New Parishioner Registration – NW  
5 p.m. – Spanish Rosary – South Wing

**Wednesday, April 24**  
7 p.m. – Men's Group Bible Study – North Wing

**Thursday, April 25**  
7 p.m. – Strength in Numbers – Basement Hall

**Friday, April 26**  
6 p.m. – Spanish Prayer Group – Pope John Room

**Saturday, April 27**  
9 a.m. – 1<sup>st</sup> Communion Practice – Church  
1:30 p.m. – Wedding – Church

**Sunday, April 28**  
10:30 a.m. – 1<sup>st</sup> Communion Mass – Church  
5 p.m. – Spanish Rosary – South Wing



**Would You Like To Be On Our Prayer Chain List?**

Contact Sue Davis at 419-266-6956 or [dsdavis1965@gmail.com](mailto:dsdavis1965@gmail.com). Please give her your name and email address and she will add you on the Prayer Chain!



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| <u>Average weekly collection needed</u> | \$6,975.00 |
| <u>Collection for April 7</u>           | \$8,668.00 |

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| 94 Sunday envelopes       | \$4,949.00 |
| Loose cash                | 1,444.00   |
| Electronic giving for wk. | 2,275.00   |

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| <u>Collection for April 14</u> | \$6,962.72 |
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| 110 Sunday envelopes      | \$4,359.00 |
| Loose cash                | 1,134.72   |
| Electronic giving for wk. | 1,469.00   |



Congratulations to Deven & McKayla McCullough on the Baptism of their son, Cade Clifford McCullough. May your families find inspiration in the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph.

### 1 Corinthians 10:13

God is faithful, and He will not let you be tempted beyond your strength...

**Women's Health Resource** in Wauseon is in need of items for their clinic. These are the items:

- Thermometers
- Comb/brush sets
- Long sleeve clothing (12-24 mos.)
- Sleepers (12-24 mos.)
- Diapers (size 6)
- Wipes

**Gluten Free Hosts** are available here at St. Caspar's. Before Mass, please let Father know you are Gluten Free and have a pix ready with your name on it.

### Administrative Assistant, Communications

**Minister Position Open:** St. Mary Catholic Church - Defiance is seeking an Administration / Communication Minister. The successful candidate would provide administrative, secretarial, and clerical duties, as well as maintaining all forms of electronic communication. This day-time position consists of 35 working hours per week with a few alternating weekend hours. This is a full-time hourly position with benefits including health insurance. Minimum High School diploma or GED preferred. This position is currently unfilled and we will be filling it as soon as we can find an applicant with the desired qualifications. Job description requests, questions concerning this position, resumes and letters of intent can be emailed to business manager, Ann Flory at [busmgr@stmarydefiance.com](mailto:busmgr@stmarydefiance.com) or can be dropped off at the St Mary Parish Minister Center 715 Jefferson Ave., Defiance, OH 43512

### Food for Thought...

Faith grows during storms...and it is in this atmosphere of conflict that faith finds its most fertile soil and grows most rapidly to maturity.

### Safe Environment

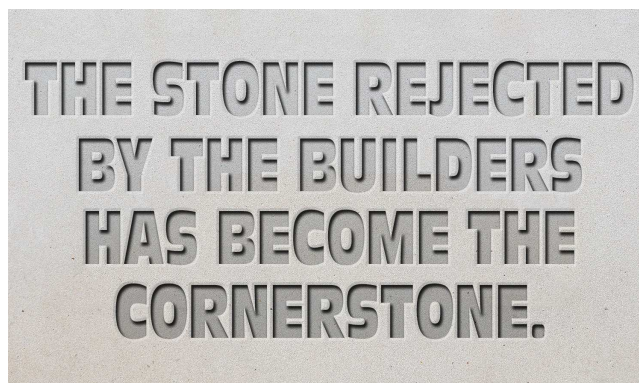
The Diocese of Toledo is in compliance with the articles of the *Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People* of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB).

Every year, the Diocese dutifully submits the necessary documentation required by the USCCB for a diocese to be in compliance.

Every three years an on-site audit is conducted, when not only all necessary documentation is dutifully submitted, but in addition, Pastoral Center, parish and diocesan school employees are interviewed concerning practices and protocols related to creating and maintaining a safe environment for our children and youth.

The last 3-year audit was conducted in October of 2021. The next on-site audit will be conducted in September of 2024.

The Diocese of Toledo remains committed to ensuring the protection of children and providing a safe environment for all young people. If you have any knowledge of abuse that has been committed by a cleric or by any personnel of the Catholic Church, you are urged to report the abuse to your local police department, Children Services, and the Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator at (419) 214-4880; or by mail at 1933 Spielbusch Avenue; Toledo, Ohio 43604.



### Baseball – God

Jimmy came in the house with his baseball mitt in one hand and a baseball in the other. When his dad asked him what he had been doing Jimmy responded: "Playing baseball with God." "How do you do that?" asked his dad. "Well, we played 'catch'. "I throw the ball up in the air and God throws it back."

**2024 Annual Catholic Appeal**

Goal: \$21,413.33

So Far: \$7,963.00

**Need a Sacramental Gift?**

Reger's Church Supplies is the right spot to get one. They have gifts for Baptism, 1<sup>st</sup> Communion, Confirmation, and high school seniors graduating. They are located at 1220 Ford St., Maumee, OH 43537.



III Angel Juarez  
Karla Bautista Palos

**A Saint for a Violent Season**

We live in violent times, as even a casual scan of headlines or news channels will quickly confirm. Every now and then it's enough to make you want to lock the doors and pull the covers over your head! But we have to do more than that, and "Good King" Wenceslaus can provide some inspiration. He worked tirelessly for political and social harmony and, although he ended up giving his life for the cause, it is no accident that we remember and honor Wenceslaus 1,000 years later while those who took his life are long forgotten. Trust that the violence in the world cannot overcome the good you do in the cause of peace.

**St. Vincent de Paul Thrift Store**

403 Spring St., Fayette, OH

Open Thursdays from 10 a.m.-2 p.m.

\$1.00 Entrance Fee



**Spring Has Sprung**

St. Therese Circle is happy to report that all areas of the shrine have been adopted for 2024. As our Ohio weather permits, feel free to start

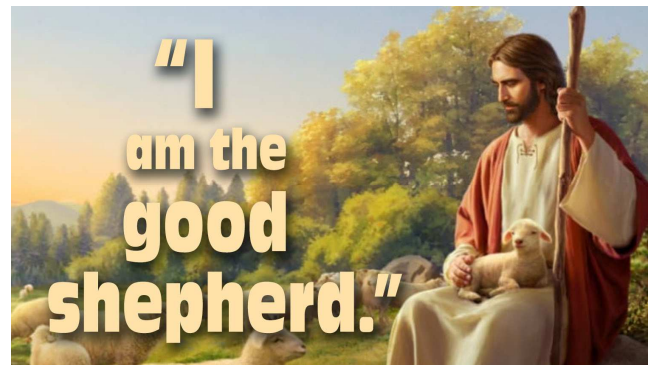
working on your plot anytime. Should you have any questions about the program, please reach out to Judy Becker at 419-356-9431. Let's see the beauty of the shrine come to life to be enjoyed by all.

**Live a Life of No Regrets**

An accomplished worship leader, pianist, songwriter, and author of "Into the Deep", "7 Steps to No Regrets", and "Rise Above", Robert Rogers teaches others to Live a Life of No Regrets with his inspiring words and original songs at the piano.

Robert experienced a tragedy of Biblical proportions when he lost his precious wife and all four children in a flash flood in Kansas in 2003.

Everyone is welcome to this inspirational community wide event on Thursday, April 25 at 6:30 p.m. at St. Peter Catholic Church (614 N. Defiance St., Archbold). There is no admission fee, but there will be a free will offering opportunity to support Mighty in the Land Ministry.



**In Prayer, Adore God First of All**

Notice what Jesus teaches about prayer. He teaches us to begin not with ourselves but with the Father; not with our interests and needs but with his kingdom. Jesus' prayer was essentially God-centered, as was his whole life. We speak of him today as the man for others, as indeed he was. But he was even more the man for his Father. The Gospels make it abundantly clear that the one great obsession in Jesus' life was not humankind, but his Father. His food and drink was to do the will of his Father. We would be his brothers and sisters and mother only if we did the will of his Father. He is less concerned with our calling him "Lord, Lord" than with doing his Father's will as he himself did. In fact, he is clearly obsessed with trying to get all of us to be lovers and worshippers of the Father as he himself was...

One reason our prayer fails is: it's too self-centered, too human-centered. We must get out of ourselves and center ourselves on God and his kingdom.





Diocese  
of Toledo

Attention men between the ages of  
29 and 59:  
Do you feel called to be a  
**Permanent Deacon?**



- Step 1:** Speak with your pastor about your interest.
- Step 2:** Attend one virtual Inquiry Session:
- **either** Thursday, September 12 **or** Monday, September 16
  - 7:00-8:00 p.m. by Zoom.
  - Pre-registration **not** required.
- Step 3:** Attend the in-person Inquiry Session (with your wife, if married)
- Tuesday, October 15
  - 7:00-8:30 p.m.
  - St. Wendelin, Fostoria
- Step 4:** Apply for the program. Deadline for Part 1 of Applications:
- Friday, January 4, 2025

**Contact Information/Questions**

**Deacon Daniel Brahier**

Delegate for Permanent Deacons  
1933 Spielbusch Avenue  
Toledo, OH 43604

Phone: 419.244.6711

Email: [dbrahier@toledodiocese.org](mailto:dbrahier@toledodiocese.org)

For more information, contact Deacon Daniel Brahier, go to [toledodiocese.org/diaconate](http://toledodiocese.org/diaconate), or use the QR code to access the Deacon Webpage and retrieve Zoom links for the virtual September Inquiry sessions.



**Schedule for 2030 Cohort**

- Inquiry Sessions:  
Fall 2024
- Application Process:  
Winter/Spring 2024-25
- Aspirancy I: 2025-2026
- Aspirancy II: 2026-2027
- Candidacy I: 2027-2028
- Candidacy II: 2028-2029
- Candidacy III: 2029-2030
- Ordination: September 2030